



# WINTERFOLD

## WORDS

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*From the Admin Team*

*Term 1 Week 4, 22 February 2023*

Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,

Week 4 already! The term has got off to a positive and productive start.

Teachers have been busy getting to know all of their new students' personalities, abilities and interests. We highly encourage you to make contact and meet with your teacher/s as soon as you like to begin the 2023 journey together. We do not expect you to wait until the PL Day at the end of Week 9 as we understand most of you would prefer to make these connections as early as possible.

Of course for some of you, this will be the earliest/most convenient time and there will be the opportunity to book in meetings with your teacher on this day if needed. This will be organised directly with your teacher through your class communication channels such as Connect or your classroom noticeboard. We are providing staff flexible professional learning opportunities on Friday, 31 March, so that they are able to hold meetings as needed as well as to further build their knowledge.

Swimming has been going very well and the students are representing Winterfold Primary School in the wider community admirably. We anticipate the same standards will be reflected at the upcoming Year 4-6 swimming carnival when our whole cohort attends. Due to these swimming events there will not be another assembly until Week 6 as our fabulous student leaders will not be available until then.

We look forward to starting these in earnest and seeing many parent faces; particularly at the highly anticipated class assemblies.

Julie Radford  
Principal

### Are you connected to Connect?

Connect is a Department of Education resource for parents in government schools. Our classroom teachers are now using Connect as their primary communication platform for parents. Please ensure that you regularly check your child's classroom Connect page for notices which are specific to their classroom only.

**If you are having problems connecting to Connect please contact the front office as soon as possible for assistance via email**

[winterfold.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:winterfold.ps@education.wa.edu.au), phone 6274 1900 or by visiting the front office.

### WHAT'S HAPPENING...

#### Term 1

##### **Friday, 3 March**

- ◆ Swimming Carnival for students in Years 4 - 6

##### **Monday, 6 March**

- ◆ Labour Day - Public Holiday

##### **Wednesday, 8 March**

- ◆ **Pink** and **Blue** Day at Winterfold details in this newsletter

##### **Monday, 20 March - Wednesday, 22 March**

- ◆ Year 6 Camp at Woodman Point

##### **Friday, 31 March**

- ◆ **Students DO NOT attend. PL Day for staff and parent meetings for those who have not yet been able to meet their teacher/s**

##### **Thursday, 6 April**

- ◆ **Last day of Term 1**

#### Term 2

**Edu-Dance commences in Term 2 for Pre Primary - Year 6 students - details out soon**

##### **Monday, 24 April**

- ◆ **First day of Term 2**

##### **Tuesday, 25 April**

- ◆ **ANZAC Day Public Holiday**

##### **Friday, 16 June**

- ◆ Interschool Winter Carnival for selected students in Year 5 - 6

##### **Thursday, 22 June**

- ◆ Winterfold Cross Country for all students in Pre Primary - Year 6

#### Term 3

##### **Thursday, 3 August**

- ◆ Interschool Cross Country for selected students in Years 3 - 6

##### **Wednesday, 6 September**

- ◆ Senior Sports Carnival for Years 4 - 6 events all day

##### **Friday, 8 September**

- ◆ Junior Sports Carnival for Pre Primary - Year 3, events until 12:30pm with Senior and Junior presentations to follow

##### **Thursday, 21 September**

- ◆ Interschool Athletics Carnival for selected students in Years 3 - 6 held at Winterfold

**Note: Dates are subject to change with notice. Further information about upcoming events will be communicated to families prior to the date.**

### Canteen News

Hello everyone. First of all thank you very much for the great response we've had for volunteers. Amazing to see so many new faces in the canteen helping out and of course super to see some old hands back for another round. As we are quickly getting through Term 1 we are starting to think about our Winter menu for Terms 2 and 3. So we are asking you, our wonderful Winterfold community "What is it that you'd like to see on the menu?" "What warms your belly on those cooler days?" If you have some great ideas, or any suggestions at all, please get in touch via email: [winterfoldcanteen@gmail.com](mailto:winterfoldcanteen@gmail.com)  
Many thanks  
Tim

### Uniform Shop News

The Uniform Shop is open Thursdays 8.00 - 8.45am or order online via [quickcliq.com.au](http://quickcliq.com.au)

### A Message From Your Move

It is great to see so many bikes coming to school and walkers as well. The Your Move Student Team is about to convene and begin organising events and competitions for the year.

We love seeing the bikes and scooters, but here are a few reminders:

1. The bike racks near the Health/Italian Room are for PARENT USE ONLY. All student bikes are to be in the racks near the big tree. This is a much safer place for them.
2. Helmets must be worn.
3. No riding bikes or scooters while on the school grounds.

### Cyber Safety

<https://www.esafety.gov.au> is a government endorsed website that has advice for parents and carers to help keep their children safe online. Check it out to find advice and answers to your questions to help ensure that your children have positive experiences online.

### IMPORTANT - Collection of Students from Kindy and Pink Block

Please let the school front office or classroom teacher know in advance should someone other than the authorised person present to the classroom to collect your child.

Staff are unable to release children to anyone other than parents and known contacts unless prior notice is given by parents.

This will avoid lengthy delays for your pick-up person while we contact parents by phone for permission.

### Pink and Blue Day

On **Wednesday, 8 March**, International Women's Day, we are celebrating our Pink & Blue Day for Women's Cancer.

Winterfold started the Pink & Blue Day in 2017 to support 'Team con Mama' in our quest to raise funds for research into Women's Cancer.

My mum passed away from cancer at the end of 2016. I decided to start 'Team con Mama' (Team with Mum) in her memory, to honour all those fighting cancer and those who we've lost to it; to contribute even a little bit, towards finding a cure to beat it. In the last 5 years, we managed to raise over \$62,000.

The Winterfold community has been with us every step of the way and already contributed more than \$3,500, which is amazing!

So, get your pink and blue on, bring a gold coin donation, and help us end women's cancer!

This is the link to my page; in case you would like to have a look:

<https://www.walkforwomenscancer.org.au/fundraisers/laurabell-ocejo/walk-for-womens-cancer>

Thank you so much for being a part of the Pink Revolution!  
Ms. Bell



## Specialist Programs

APPLICATIONS OPEN



Fremantle College offer the below Approved Specialist Programs:

**Specialist ICT Specialist Contemporary Music Specialist Marine Studies**

Learn about the opportunities available to your child at Fremantle College. We will be conducting Webex Information Sessions and Specialist Program Tours for students Year 3 and above in the coming months - please register your interest here:

<https://fremantlecollege.wa.edu.au/specialist-program-events/>

Applications for current Year 6 students are open and can be made at:

<https://fremantlecollege.wa.edu.au/applications-for-approved-specialist-programs/>

Applications close Friday 26 May 2023



# Maar Banga Meka-k Five a Fortnight

*Learning Noongar can help us feel more closely connected to country...*

We will be sharing five Noongar words in the newsletter each fortnight this year. The senior Aboriginal students will lead us through the pronunciation of these at each assembly. Your children can then share them with you at home so we can use them within our school community.

wandjoo = welcome  
kwobidak = beautiful  
koolang = child & koolangka = children  
\*ngany = I / me  
noonook = you

\* In the word **ngany**, the **ng** is like the end of sing and the **ny** is like the middle of onion (not like the end of many).



**Woola! Yay!** The updated Winterfold Primary School Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP) was published in late 2022. Our Reconciliation Committee, made up of a team of teachers and Aboriginal students' parents, has been meeting regularly since mid-2019 to co-design this ever-evolving document using Reconciliation Australia's Narragunnawali platform. Our new RAP consists of 21 actions and demonstrates our formal commitment to reconciliation.

The framework for the RAP centres around building and creating:

**RELATIONSHIPS \* RESPECT \* OPPORTUNITIES  
IN THE CLASSROOM  
AROUND THE SCHOOL  
&  
WITH THE COMMUNITY**

*For more information, download a copy of the Winterfold Primary School RAP on our website [winterfoldps.wa.edu.au](http://winterfoldps.wa.edu.au) located under the 'About Us' tab.*

## Students arriving Late to School

All Winterfold Students who arrive at school after 8.25am on any school day must report to the front office for a late slip prior to going to their classroom.

Late notes are to be given to classroom teachers.



Kaya. Ngalak djoorabiny noonook djinanginy nidja.  
Ngalak dandjoo-koorl nidja kwobidak kaadadjiny-miya-p  
Beeliar Wadjak Noongar boodja-k.  
Ngalak kaadatj Noongar Birdiya wer moort!  
Koorra koorra, yeji wer boordakan.  
Winterfold Kaadadjiny-Miya-p baal yengkalang  
kwobidak boorn wer djerap  
wer moorditj moort.

## Acknowledgement of Country

Hello. We are happy to see you here.  
We come together at this beautiful school  
on Beeliar Wadjak Noongar country.  
We acknowledge Noongar Elders and families  
from long ago, today and into the future.  
Winterfold Primary School is surrounded by  
beautiful trees and birds  
and is supported by a strong community.

## Kindy 2023 - Enrolments Open

If your child was born between July 2019 and June 2020 they are eligible to commence Kindy in 2024. Applications close on Friday, 21 July 2023, and successful applications will be contacted shortly afterwards. An Application for Enrolment and further information can be found on our website under the Enrolments tab, or collected from the front office. Please provide copies of Birth Certificate, Medicare Immunisation Statement and proof of address when submitting your application. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact our friendly front office staff.





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# WELCOMING GIRLS & BOYS

## Pre-Primary to Year 12

Contact: [presidentfcdjfc@gmail.com](mailto:presidentfcdjfc@gmail.com)  
[www.fremantlecitydockers.com.au](http://www.fremantlecitydockers.com.au)

**NAB AFL Auskick is the best way to introduce kids to the great game of Aussie Rules Football! It's all about fun, getting hands on the ball and constantly being involved in exciting activities.**

No AFL experience? No worries! Auskick offers an inclusive environment for everyone aged 5 – 8 at any skill level to play.

- Super fun game-based activities that kids absolutely love
- Non-contact activities in a welcoming and inclusive environment so all kids can play safely
- Games are tailored to different ages and skill levels, which means less lining up and more playing footy
- Come along and play footy, have fun and make friends, sign up today



Fremantle City Dockers JFC

**THIS IS US THIS IS FOOTY**



# FREMANTLE CITY DOCKERS JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

Season: April to September  
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# 2-4 Years

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## Your child 2-4 years

The *Your child 2-4 years* magazine provides easy-to-read information on caring for your child from 2 to 4 years.

Read it, along with your child's Purple Book, to find out more about your child's health and development.

*Your child 2-4 years* magazine includes ways to help your child stay safe, grow and develop, communicate, sleep, eat a range of healthy foods, and with toilet training.

You can find it and other helpful information at [CAHS.health.wa.gov.au/magazine](http://CAHS.health.wa.gov.au/magazine)

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