



# WINTERFOLD

## WORDS

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*From the Admin Team*

*Term 3 Week 2, 25 July 2024*

Kaya Winterfold Parents and Community and Welcome Back to Term 3!

We are excited to introduce a new student leadership initiative called 'Helping Hands'. Selected students, wearing orange high-vis vests, will patrol play areas during break times to assist with friendship issues, find playmates for lonely students, and award Highway Hero tokens for positive behaviour. Prior to participating, these students receive training from the administration on their roles and when to seek adult assistance. We will gather feedback over the next few weeks to refine the program and ensure its success.

At the end of last term, we bid a fond farewell to Mrs Sievenpiper and Mrs Hunter, who are both retiring. They will be greatly missed, and we wish them all the best in their future endeavours. This term, we are thrilled to welcome new members to the Winterfold family. Mrs. Claire Purser joins us in Room 7, bringing extensive knowledge and experience. Also, Mrs West will be working alongside Ms McMasters in Room 2, contributing her leadership expertise. Additionally, we welcome Mrs Leanne Cross, our new Manager of Corporate Services, who has over 15 years of experience and is eager to meet our community.

Winterfold Primary School has achieved commendable NAPLAN results, outperforming similar schools across all areas. Our Year 3 and Year 5 students excelled in reading, showcasing strong proficiency, while our Year 3 cohort demonstrated exceptional skills in writing. These outcomes highlight our commitment to maintaining rigorous educational standards and reflect the effectiveness of our evidence-based programs, whole-school connected practice, and strong processes and structures. Although NAPLAN is just one test on one day, it serves as a valuable indicator of our school's performance compared to like schools. We should be very proud of these achievements, which are a testament to the dedication of our staff and students.

Regarding our Sports Carnival, feedback indicated a preference for a one-day event instead of the previous two-day format. Thus, this year's Sports Carnival will be held as a single-day event on Friday, 6 September, with jumps and throws scheduled separately on Thursday, 29 August. More details and a backup date for inclement weather will be provided later this term.

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Kim Calabrese  
Principal, WPS

### WHAT'S HAPPENING

#### **Friday, 26 July**

- ◆ Room 9 Assembly

#### **Friday, 2 August**

- ◆ Merit Award Assembly - UCA 8.30am
- ◆ **Green & Gold** Day at Winterfold

#### **Monday, 5 August - Wednesday, 7 August**

- ◆ Science Incursion - Einstein's Australia for Pre-primary - Year 6 students

#### **Friday, 9 August**

- ◆ Room 2 Assembly - UCA 8.30am

#### **Wednesday, 14 August & Wednesday, 21 August**

- ◆ Constable Care Incursion

#### **Friday, 16 August**

- ◆ **Staff Network Day - Students do not attend**

#### **Monday, 19 August - Wednesday, 21 August**

- ◆ Bookfair in the Library

#### **Tuesday, 20 August**

- ◆ Book Week Parade UCA 8.30am

#### **Friday, 23 August**

- ◆ Merit Award Assembly
- ◆ Gabriel Evans Incursion PP - Year 6 students - details out soon

#### **Tuesday, 27 August**

- ◆ Art Show - details out soon

#### **Thursday, 29 August**

- ◆ Jumps & Throws

#### **Friday, 30 August**

- ◆ Room 12 Assembly

#### **Friday, 6 September**

- ◆ Sports Carnival

#### **Tuesday, 10 September & Wednesday, 11 September**

- ◆ 3P Photos

#### **Friday, 13 September**

- ◆ Room 11 Assembly

### Green & Gold Day at Winterfold

Students, parents and community members are encouraged to wear **green** and **gold** Friday, 2 August to support our Olympians.



### Canteen News

Hello everyone,

After many years of faithful service (including grating about 10,000 blocks of cheese), 'Breville the Grate', our trusty food processor has retired and is sipping mocktails on a beach somewhere. If anyone has a reliable food processor sitting in a cupboard and would like to donate it to your canteen, then we would love to hear from you.

Also, as always we are sending out a request for volunteers. This is especially important on Fridays as we get a lot of orders and every pair of hands makes our job a little easier.

Please contact on [canteen@winterfoldpandc.com](mailto:canteen@winterfoldpandc.com)

Many thanks

Tim, Anne & Bryan

### Uniform Shop News

The Uniform Shop is open on Thursdays - 8am to 8.45am.

Uniform items can also be ordered and paid for online via [quickcliq.com.au](http://quickcliq.com.au) if you are unable to visit when we are open.

### Winterfold Visual Art Show 2024

Our students are in full swing, producing fabulous art for the upcoming Visual Art Show, taking place at the end of August 2024.

Would you be keen to share your creative skills with our community? It would be fantastic for our students and community to observe a live demonstration on the night. If this is something you would be interested in please contact the school front office and I will be in contact.

Creative pieces for the silent auction would also be gratefully accepted. There is no piece too big or too small! The silent auction is an opportunity for all to be involved.

Feel free to deliver items to the school front office at your convenience.

A big thank you in advance!

Mrs L.

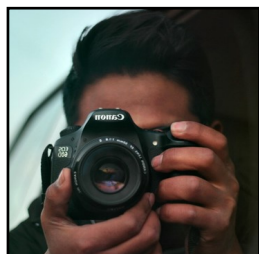
Art Specialist Teacher

### Family Photography Challenge

Print out and enter a photograph taken by your family, showcasing **water**, this years Art Showcase theme. Your photographs will be on display at the Showcase for judging by our community. A prize will be awarded to the winning family. Please bring your printed photo to the front office by Monday, 19 August. Have fun and get snapping!

Mrs L

Art Specialist Teacher



### Education Minister's Running Challenge and Run Club

This term Winterfold students and community members are invited to participate in the Education Minister's Running Challenge. The challenge is designed to encourage students to be active and gives them the opportunity to win amazing prizes. Participants can also register for the Perth Running Festival Burswood Park 4km Dash on Sunday, 6 October for free.

If you are interested in registering, sign up at: [www.ministersrunningchallenge.wa.gov.au](http://www.ministersrunningchallenge.wa.gov.au) and sign your child up via the online portal. Once you have signed up:

- Log your child's runs on the online portal. This includes Run Club and home activities.
- Students who attend Run Club will receive a slip of paper which shows how long they ran for. Parents can enter this at home.

The challenge runs until Friday, 13 September. We will monitor student's progress through the online portal and will celebrate their success along the way.

### Run Club

To help support students with achieving their running goals, Run Club activity will be tracked and these can be logged on the portal by parents and caregivers.

Run Club will return to Friday mornings for Term 3 beginning on **Friday, 26 July**. Run Club happens between 7.45am – 8.15am on the Top oval. All students and community members are welcome and encouraged to join! In the case of rain, Run Club will be cancelled.



### Traffic Survey

We had over 120 responses from the school community on the traffic survey from Clontarf Rd, which was very much appreciated.

The winner of the raffle for a \$20 canteen voucher is Theresa Sumadijaya, congratulations!

## Library News

### Scholastics News

Orders from Issue 5 close on Wednesday, 31 July. There are some great affordable titles in this issue, and remember, every order helps our library get even better books for our collection.

### Book Week: Reading is Magic: 19-23 August

This year, book week theme is "Reading is Magic". At Winterfold, it will be an amazing week filled with activities designed to celebrate books, reading and magic!

- Monday, 19 August - Wednesday, 21 August: Scholastics Book Fair at the Library
- Tuesday, 20 August: Book Parade in the UCA at 8.30am
- Friday, 23 August: Author and illustrator **Gabriel Evans** will visit Winterfold and inspire all our students to believe in the magic within themselves and dare to dream and write.
- 2024 Poetry Competition winners will be announced during our Book Parade.



### 2024 Poetry Competition

Winterfold Primary School presents our inaugural 2024 Poetry Competition. Our competition is open to all Winterfold students. There is no limitation on number of verses or poetry prose. Poetry comes from the heart, and your heart deserves to be heard. Be brave and let your imagination fly!

Not sure what to write about? Possible themes are: Water (remember it's the 20th anniversary of the Waterwise Program), Winterfold school life, Inclusivity, Friendship or even this year's Book Week theme "Reading is Magic". If you are a parent or work at Winterfold and want to send us a poem, please email to [Laura.Guerena@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Laura.Guerena@education.wa.edu.au), or bring it to the library or front office. We will do a special "Winterfold family" category.

Closing date for entries is Wednesday, 14 August 2024.

I can't wait to start reading.

### Writers' Club (years 3-6)

Do you love writing and would love to spend one lunch time a week writing, challenging yourself, sharing with others and being part of Winterfold's Writers Club? Come to the library next Monday, 29 July at lunch time and hear what it's all about!

### Books needed!

We are still looking for book donations to use as rewards for our 25 nights home reading program. If you have any books in good condition which are looking for a new home, we would love to have them! Please, send them to the library or the front office and we will find them a new purpose.

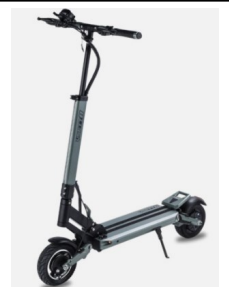
See you at the library!

*Ms. Bell*



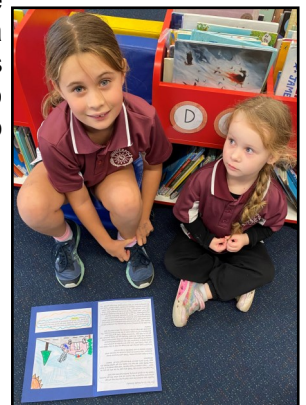
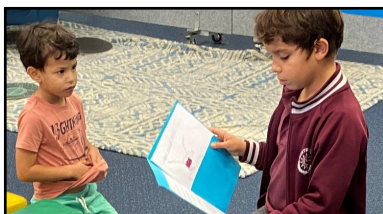
### Your Move

Please remember that helmets are to be worn when riding bikes and scooters. When bringing your bike or scooter to school, please also bring a lock. Our scooter racks are lockable, you just need a padlock. One of our school rules is to walk your bike and scooter when on school grounds. Please do not ride your bikes or scooters around school.



### Room 11 Narratives in Term 2

Year 3 & 4 students in Room 11 have been working hard on writing narratives. We decided to publish them and each student made a book with a cover page and a blurb, typed their story, and added pictures. We were so excited about these books that we wanted to share them so we met the Kindy classes in the Library over two Wednesdays and read out books to them. Both classes enjoyed the opportunity to get together and share some reading.



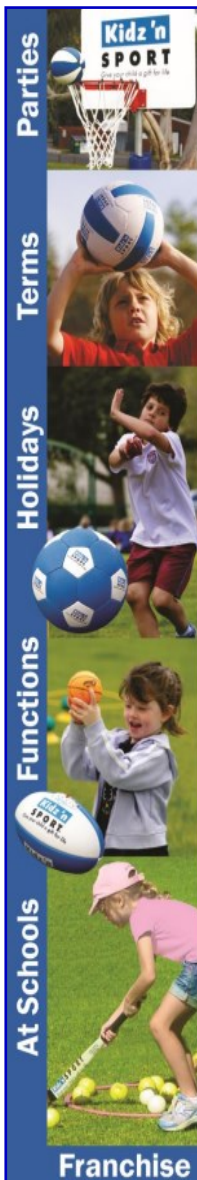


## How to keep your lawn healthy during winter.....

### Give your lawn some vitamin D

Unlike the harsh summer sun, in winter your lawn needs the sunlight and cool air to thrive. If you have trees around your property, make sure they're pruned back where they might be shading your lawn. It's also a good idea to rake often, picking up leaves and grass clippings that could be forming a layer between your lawn and the sun. When the warmer weather starts again in spring, you can leave your clippings and leaves on the lawn, which will provide great nutrients.

[www.watercorporation.com.au](http://www.watercorporation.com.au)



## KIDZ 'N SPORT

@ Winterfold P.S.

### MULTI SPORT PROGRAMME + Afterschool care (optional)

In Term 3, Kidz 'n Sport is running an afterschool multi-sport program with optional afterschool care at Winterfold P.S.

**Ages:** PP - Year 3  
**Day:** Thursdays  
**Time:** Session Time 3:00pm - 4:00pm  
 Collection 2:40pm from classes for 3pm start  
**Where:** Winterfold P.S. Oval  
**Start:** Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2024  
**Duration:** 9 weeks (Final session 19<sup>th</sup> September 2024)  
**Fees:** \$24 per session

- Catching
- Throwing
- Cricket
- Tee-ball
- Netball
- Soccer
- Footy
- Hockey

#### Afterschool Care

Parents to collect children from school oval at 4pm or alternatively transfers to OSH Club can also be arranged.

Enrolments: please visit [www.kidznsport.com.au](http://www.kidznsport.com.au)

Or contact;

Sam Tandy - 0401 274 279

Email: [samt@kidznsport.com.au](mailto:samt@kidznsport.com.au)



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[www.kidznsport.com.au](http://www.kidznsport.com.au)



Maar Banga Meka-k  
 Five a Fortnight in Week 10  
 Learning Noongar can help us  
 feel more closely connected to  
 country...

### Time of Day

djidar = dawn

kedala = day

karbala = afternoon

ngaangk ngarda = sunset (sun down)

kedalak = night

Kaya. Ngalak djoorabiny noonook dijananginy nidja.  
 Ngalak dandjoo-Koorl nidja kwobidak kaadadjiny-miya-p  
 Beeliar Wadjak Noongar boodja-k.  
 Ngalak kaadadj Noongar Birdiya wer moort  
 Koorra koorra, yeysi 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.



### Voluntary Contributions for 2024

Thank you for the families who have paid their Voluntary Contributions (VC) and P&C Voluntary Contributions. School VC for Kindy, Pre-primary and all years through to Year 6 is \$60 per student. P&C VC is \$20 per student.

Payment can be accepted at the office by cash or EFTPOS.

You can also direct deposit to the school account, details below:

BSB: 066040

Account number: 19900161

Reference: VC & C Your child's name.



Harbour Theatre congratulates Winterfold students Eva Doherty, Charli George and Delilah Pearson - Grocott on gaining roles in the cast of "The Vicar of Dibley" performing at Hamilton Hill Memorial Hall August, 30 & 31 and September, 4, 6 & 7 at 7.30pm as well as matinees September, 1 & 8 at 2pm.