

THE COURT CHIMES

2019, THE YEAR WE HONOUR INTEGRITY



**Court Grammar
School**

Upcoming Events

2 July - 9 August

Yr 7 Canberra School on the Road/alternative programme

Monday 5 August

Police Rangers

Yr 7/8 Fremantle Dockers Girls

Tuesday 6 August

Kindy/Pre Primary Constable
Care incursion
Mountain Bike Club

Wednesday 7 August

Yr 10/11 Aust. Science Incur.
ACC Dockers Shield
RKAS Sport

Friday 9 August

Yr 2 Assembly
SSWA Primary Cross Country

Monday 12 August

PreK Bunnings Workshop
Yr 10/11 Aust. Science Incur.
Police Rangers

Tuesday 13 August

School Tour
Mountain Bike Club

Wednesday 14 August

Yr 10 Immunisation
K-PP Bunnings Workshop
Yr 10/11 Aust. Science Incur.
RKAS Sport

Friday 16 August

Yr 2 Kings Park Excursion



PATRICIA RODRIGUES, PRINCIPAL
FRIDAY, 2 AUGUST 2019

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to Term 3, Semester 2, 2019.

I hope that you all enjoyed the 3 week break as much as our staff did. Everyone, students and staff have returned refreshed and eager to start Semester 2.

A warm welcome is extended to our new staff which have joined us, Mrs Tanya Van Den Dries who is replacing Mr Fitton who has taken 6 week's long service leave, Mr Timothy Moore, who is replacing Mr Bristow who has taken a term's long service leave, Mr Tristen Campbell who has replaced Ms McGinnis and Ms Ngaire Lowry who has replaced Mr Matthews.

SHREK

Wow, what can I say - Congratulations to all involved in our production of Shrek Jr. It has been wonderful to see our whole community coming together and putting on such a professional production. Some behind the scene's photos have been included in this issue and next issue we will have photos from the actual performances - so as not to spoil your entertainment. To say the Board and I enjoyed the performance and were as proud as punch, doesn't do it justice.

Principal's Awards Assembly

We had our Principal's Awards Assembly on Wednesday last week, whereby students from Year 1 to 12 were present to acknowledge those students who had achieved all "A's on the left hand side of their report for Semester 1.

Football

Even though Mr Bristow is on leave, our Yr 8/9 Boys won the South Fremantle District Grand Final. Well done to all. More details on this is inside this issue.

Student and Family information update

We are still chasing a number of student information update forms. These were enclosed in the report package, as a coloured sheet with the personal information we have for your child/ren. Please take the time to read through it and make any necessary changes and return the form to Reception as a matter of priority. We are now required by law to report on student's immunisation history.



Behind the scenes of Shrek Jr





This term in Health Education, students from Pre-Primary to Year 6 are learning about Road Safety. On Thursday 25 July, the RAC Little Legends Club came to CGS for an incursion to introduce the topic. The program is free and designed to help students learn all about bicycle, pedestrian and passenger safety. Each session included interactive activities, prizes and certificates. Below is a summary about the topic each year level covered:

Pre-Primary: Introduction to Road Safety

- Year 1: Road Safety
- Year 2: Traffic and Road Sense
- Year 3: Bike Safety
- Year 4: Passenger Safety
- Year 5: Risky Behaviours
- Year 6: Going Green and Being Safe



Dragon Cup - 2019

This years Dragon Cup event will take place on Sunday 25th August and will once again be held at Baldvis Equestrian and Pony Club.

Entries are now open and entry packages can be obtained from Reception.

Entries will close on Thursday 15th August at 4pm.
Please contact Mrs Krokosz for further details.

Yr 8/9 AFL - 2019 South Fremantle District Champions



Congratulations goes to our Yr 8/9 AFL Boys Team who defeated Fremantle College 5.3.33 to 9.4.58 in what was a great all round performance from all involved.

Fremantle got a fast start, kicking the opening 2 goals in the first 5 minutes, however from then on wards, it was mostly one way traffic as our boys outworked Fremantle's midfield and used the ball cleaner. Standout performers included Zac Woollons, Ethan Logan, Jerome Miller and Joshua Bauskis. Special mentions to Finnian Redman and Nick Grimes, new students who stepped in at the last minute to cover some late withdrawals.

We have now advanced to the Metropolitan quarter finals. We will play the Peel District Champions, Halls Head College at Peelwood Oval next Thursday, 8 August.

Mr Aaron Hancock



Yr 7 Drama

Miss West's Year 7 Drama class had a great time on Wednesday, 31 July, learning how to perform various circus tricks. Student favourites included the diablo, human pyramids and juggling. We also definitely have some natural clowns!



Stay tuned for news on our circus performances at the end of the term.

West Coast Eagles Guard of Honour

Savannah Carnaby and Piper Smith (Year 2) were privileged to be part of the West Coast Eagles Guard of Honour and played AFL Aus kick during the half time break at Optus Stadium on last Saturday afternoon. The girls played like super stars and thoroughly enjoyed the experience and atmosphere as 54,000 spectators cheered them on.



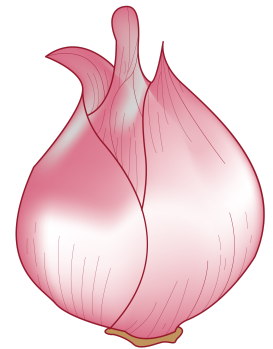
PRIMARY NEWS

STUART LEARMONTH HEAD OF PRIMARY

As a great fan of cinema and animation, I have loved the buzz of Shrek around the School. One of my most favourite characters in the Dreamworks franchise is Donkey and seeing the character come to life in our School is pretty cool!



At our last assembly, I shared an analogy with the children related to Shrek and onions. Without going into too much of a spoiler alert, but ogres are like onions ... they have layers! Like us, sometimes the exterior is not always representative of what goes on inside. We often compare our students to onions as we all have these layers. Sometimes, life is easy, and we all grow in the veggie patch with no problems at all. However, our Friendly Schools lessons teach us that when times get rough, we may need to shed a layer or two in order to get to the root of a problem or even to see if it can be fixed or thought of in a different way.



Like Shrek and Donkey, we have many students in the School who go on 'whirlwind adventures' each and every day in their learning. These adventures are often exciting but can often be pitted with challenges along the way. Shrek has so much to teach us about ourselves; I am so glad and thankful that this was the musical chosen for 2019. As a part of the backstage team, I have been both amazed and humbled by the talent we have in our student body. If you came or are coming along to one of our performances this week, you are in for a great time!

In other news, please be sure to have noted all the important dates on your calendars for this term. A letter came home last week with all of our upcoming events. Amongst many other events, we have Book Week and Science Week coming up along with our Primary School Learning Journey evening. More information about Book Week will hit your SEQTA inboxes this week. For more information about any upcoming events, please talk to your child's class teacher in the first instance.

Primary School Book Week

The Great Book Swap is a fantastic way to celebrate reading and raise much-needed funds for remote communities. The idea is to swap a pre-loved book in exchange for a gold coin donation. This year, Court Grammar School will be supporting the work of the Indigenous Literacy Foundation by hosting our own Great Book Swap.

Over the coming weeks the students of Court Grammar School will be encouraged to donate and bring to school pre-loved books from home. On Monday 19th August, all donated books will be set out on a table with a donation tin. During recess and lunch students will browse over the books and have the option of choosing some that they would like to purchase in exchange for a gold coin. This is a great time to declutter and sort through your child's bookshelves and pass on the love of literacy to others in our school community and beyond.

Please deliver all book donations to either 3S or the Kindy classroom no later than 16th August.

'Reading is my Secret Power', Celebrating Book Week 2019



2020 Year 11 Subject Selection Night

On Tuesday 13 August at 6:00 pm we will be hosting our 2020 Year 11 Subject Selection Information Night in our gymnasium.

During the event we will hear from a range of speakers discussing:

- Requirements for the 2021 Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE)
- Requirements for post-school entry into University and TAFE
- Learning Area Coordinators will speak on the options for students in Year 11.
- Vocational Education options, both on-campus and off-campus and the application process for these
- The interview process for our students entering Year 11.

The subject selection booklet and selection sheets will be handed out on the night and copies will be available from Students Services following the event.

We look forward to seeing you there to ensure you are fully informed about the options and process for selecting subjects for 2020. Students are required to attend in their School uniform of the day.

Workplace Learning

The recent school holidays provided an opportunity for two Court Grammar students to undertake Work Placements. I would like to congratulate Kaya Simpson and Shrie Muthumagesan for giving their personal holiday time to undertake experiences in the workplace.

I would also like to thank and acknowledge the following host employers for their support and the opportunities provided to our students.

Bertram Primary School hosted Kaya in their Physical Education department.

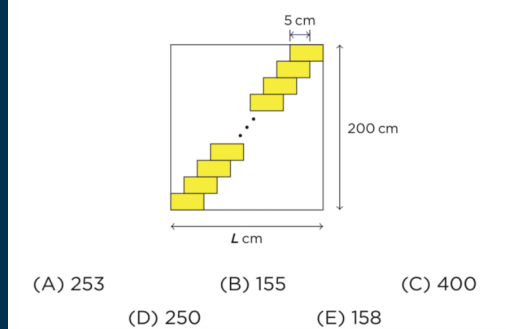
Shrie was hosted by **Baptistcare Graceford** in Byford and was provided the opportunity to assist in various roles with staff and residents.

Michelle Krokosz
Workplace Learning Coordinator

Could you solve this problem?

The diagram indicates a pattern of paving blocks that are laid diagonally across a rectangular floor measuring L cm \times 200 cm. Each block measures 8 cm \times 4 cm, and any two blocks that touch overlap by 5 cm.

What is the value of L ?



On Thursday, 1 August, fifty of the Secondary School's best mathematicians were selected to participate in the Australian Mathematics Competition. The competition involved students answering a range of mathematical problem solving questions. All students involved in the competition will receive academic colours points as well as be awarded a certificate when the results are released later this term.

Well done to all the students who participated!

Answer = B 155

MIKE JENZEN
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Thank you to Miss O'Sullivan who has provided the following report on the recent 2019 AFL Academy Melbourne Tour.

During the first week of the school holidays, the Year 10 AFL Academy boys and girls caught the early flight to Melbourne to embark on a 5-day experience. Some students had never been on a plane before, so there was plenty of sugar being passed around to ease the nerves. All before 6am!



Day 1 - involved hours of fun at Bounce and settling into our accommodation.

Day 2 - included a tour of the Western Bulldogs Football Club, spectating at the Under 18's, WA vs Vic Country Championship match at Marvell Stadium and minute to win it activities at night run by Miss McLean.

Day 3 - we watched the North Melbourne Football Club train, had our photos taken with some of their big-name players and hit the road to Bendigo with the Golden Square Football Club as our destination. The boys were put through their paces with the Under 18's GSFC side.

Day 4 - was jam packed as we headed back to the city and toured the Melbourne Cricket Ground as well as the National Sports Museum. Students were then split into groups and participated in an "Amazing Race" where they had to find iconic monuments around the sporting precinct. To top it off, we attended the Hawthorn vs Collingwood, Friday night blockbuster match under lights at the MCG.

Day 5 - we hit the many shopping malls around the city and made a dent in our bank accounts...or our parents ones at least. We finished off the day with attending our second AFL match, the Western Bulldogs vs Geelong Cats.



Overall, we had a fantastic time away and enjoyed the many great experiences Melbourne had to offer.

Credit must go to Mr Bristow for organising the trip and a big pat on the back to all students who were well mannered and behaved.

Uniform Shop - Opening Times

The uniform shop is open every
Monday 8 am to 11 am
Wednesday 12.30 pm to 3.30 pm

Students are also able to access the Uniform Shop during Monday's recess and Wednesdays lunch times.

Student Sign In

Parents/Carers of students arriving late to school (with the exception of the late bus) MUST provide authorisation advising the school of reason for late arrival.

This can be done via;

1. Phone call to 9526 5001
2. Email absences@cgs.wa.edu.au
3. Signed note in diary that students are required to show to reception staff upon tagging in via Ipad in front office.

Online Canteen

Ordering Time

Due to the large number of online canteen lunch orders we receive each day, please remember the cut off time is **8.00 am**.

It may be wise to place an order the night before.

Scholastic Book Club

Primary families please note that the Scholastic Book club Issue 5 orders close on **Friday 9 August**.

All orders and payment must be made online.



SCHOLASTIC

Book Club LOOP for Parents

LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform for parents.

To order and pay for Scholastic Book Club by credit card visit:

www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP



KEEP
CALM
AND
KEEP
UP TO DATE

Student Information Update - Reminder

Updated student information forms, included with reports are now **overdue**. Please update and return the coloured sheet of paper as a matter of priority.

If no changes are required, please return form with this noted.

Reading is my **SECRET POWER**

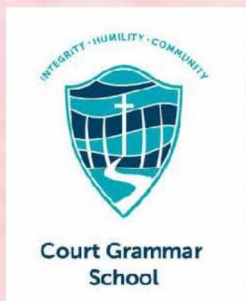
Activities will include:

- Monday 19 Aug: Year 1 to Year 6 book costume parade;
- Tuesday 20 and Thursday 22 Aug 8:30 – 8:45am: Community reading sessions in classrooms;
- Wednesday 21 August: Kindy and PP book costume parade;
- All classes will focus on short-listed books for the coveted 'Book of the Year' award and will carry out many activities centred around these throughout the week.

- A book swap will also run on Monday 19 August during recess and lunch. Books can be purchased for a gold coin per book. Students can bring in pre-loved books in good condition in the lead up to Book Week and they will be collected up for the book swap.

**Court Grammar School
Book Week 19 – 23
August 2019**

More information with reminders and updates will follow through See-Saw and classroom teachers.



CBCA Book Week
17-23 August 2019
#CBCA2019



www.cbca.org.au



Byford Bushrangers Inc

Tee-Ball, Baseball and Softball

Sunday 18th August 2019

11am - 2pm

Byford Secondary College

(entry off Mead Street)



Byford Bushrangers are once again hosting their annual Have-A-Go Day on Sunday August 18th 2019 from 11am-2pm at Byford Secondary College, entry off Mead Street. This is the perfect opportunity for anyone aged 3 and up who is not too sure about diamond sports to come along and try it out. We will have a diamond set-up for those who want to Have-A-Go as well as other fun things happening on the oval

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**Ages 3
to adult**

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Register Online - <https://bushrangers.tidyhq.com/>

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