

NEWSLETTER

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26 June 2025



B2 Assembly



 **Students return for Term 3 on Tuesday, 22nd July**

OUR VISION at South Lake Primary School is that all members of the school community will work together to achieve their full potential, becoming self-motivated life-long learners through an inclusive and empowering education.





From the Principal...

Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you to all parents and carers who were able to join us for our final assembly for Term 2, very capably coordinated by Year 1 and Year 2 students from B2. Our junior mathematicians have been working on their multiplication. They've learnt their 2, 5 and 10 times tables using a catchy Percy Parker tune to help remember them. Freya emphasised the importance of being able to remember them in any order, and James and Havana spoke on the importance of resilience when learning times tables. The audience thoroughly enjoy B2's performance of the 5 Times Table accompanied by clever choreography. Mrs Jeckells decorated display boards with colourful numbers the class produced in art. Congratulations, to all our Merit Certificate recipients and Stars of the fortnight.

As the Semester draws to a close, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all volunteers, SLPS sensational staff and students for their hard work, and parents and carers for their support of South Lake Primary's programs and initiatives.

SPECIAL EVENTS NEXT TERM

- NAIDOC Assembly, 24th July.
- 100 Days of School, 28th July.
- Interschool Cross country, 15th August.
- Book Week Parade, 21st August.
- One Big Voice, 29th August.
- School Board Meeting, 8th September.
- Kindy 2026 Parent Information Session, 17th September.
- Athletics Carnival, 19th September.

Please check the Term Calendar for events on the back page of this newsletter, or keep up to date via Audiri.

IMPLEMENTING 'GOOD STANDING'

Schools and their communities working together is the most effective way of preventing bullying, harassment, discrimination and violence in our schools. In accordance with the Minister for Education's statement on school violence, **"Standing Together Against Violence" Action 6**, South Lake Primary School (SLPS) has put into effect a 'Good Standing' requirement for all students. At SLPS ALL students start with 'Good Standing'. To maintain 'Good Standing' students must follow SLPS's expected behaviours detailed in the SLPS Positive Behaviour Matrix.

'Good Standing' is lost when:

- A student is suspended
- A student is in-school suspended
- A student has received a third strike against their 'Good Standing' as a consequence of Office Referrals or other unproductive behaviours

A student losing their 'Good Standing' will have privileges

removed for two weeks (privileges may include, but are not limited to: Incursions/Excursions, Choir, Interschool Sports Carnivals, Graduation Activities, Colour Run and School Disco). Students regain their 'Good Standing' after two weeks of continuous expected behaviour and return to 'Good Standing' at the commencement of each school Term.

IT'S TIME TO ENROL FOR 2026

We are now taking applications for enrolment in 2026. You need to enrol for:

- Starting Kindergarten – 4 years old by 30 June 2026
- Starting Pre-primary, the first year of compulsory school – 5 years old by 30 June 2026
- All children from Pre-primary to Year 12 are guaranteed a place at their **local public school**.

Remember to bring Birth Certificates, proof of address and the A.I.R Immunisation History Statement. If you have friends, neighbours or relatives that have children that are eligible we would encourage you to come to school to find out about programs and have a tour of our school.

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS INCENTIVE

Our winning family for the Term 2 incentive prize will be drawn and announced next week via Audiri. If you pay SLPS Voluntary Contributions by Friday 12th September, you'll go into the draw for a fabulous \$50 gift voucher in Term 3! Our Manager of Corporate Services, Mrs Redfern is happy to discuss payment plans for these contributions.

SCHOOL SAFETY OVER THE HOLIDAYS

If you notice any suspicious activity or any anti-social behavior occurring within the vicinity of South Lake Primary, please report it immediately by telephoning: **School Watch on 1800 177 777 Or Police on 131 444.**

Over the holidays please encourage your child to get their pencils, textas and other items organised for second Semester. Have a restful holiday and we'll see you next Term, for our NAIDOC Assembly on the 24th July or at our following Assembly on the 7th August.

Kind regards
Leigh Liley



Congratulations to our Merit & Star Awardees

A1	Eli, Kiana
A2	Layla, Olivia
A3	Owen, William
A4	Annabelle, Gracie
B2	Alycia, James
B4	Mulan, Zamaar
B6	Ivory, Lyla
B7	Azalea, Braxton
B8	Cayden, Sarah
B9	Havaeh, Oliver



A1	Aleafiah
A2	Kiran
A3	Erin
A4	Eli, Adele
B2	Freya
B4	Scarlet
B6	Lyra
B7	Lucas
B8	Ariyah
B9	Beriyth





Yr 6 NAIDOC Cultural Immersion Experience



Fremantle Prison Excursion



Little Green Beans

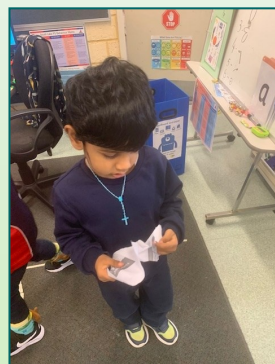
This term, Kindergarten students have been learning about composting and how we can help the environment. As part of our daily routine, the children have been collecting leftover fruit and vegetable scraps from their Crunch & Sip.

We then used these food scraps to start our own compost in a bottle. The children enjoyed adding their scraps each day and watching the compost grow. They learned that things like apple cores, banana peels, and carrot ends can break down and turn into healthy soil for our garden.

The composting project has helped the children understand recycling, caring for the Earth, and the importance of not wasting food.



Kindy students strengthening their finger muscles tearing up leaves and paper



Recycling our paper from the recycling bin to use in our compost.



Compost bottle showing layers of food and paper scraps

Book Week



Children's Book Week
16–23 August 2025

BOOK AN
Adventure



The theme this year is BOOK AN ADVENTURE.

Book Week parade will be on Thursday, 21st August 2025 (Week 5).

We would like to encourage all our students to dress up in a variety of costumes from Astronauts, Wizards, Unicorns, Mermaids to Doctors, Firemen or Police because every book takes us on an adventure.



THE CHILDREN'S
BOOK COUNCIL
OF AUSTRALIA

SINCE 1945 — YOUR CONNECTION TO STORY

On Tuesday 19th August 2025 our visiting author will be Alton Walley.



Alton Walley is a Whadjuk, Wilman, Kaneang Nyoongar man from the South-West of Western Australia. He has been dancing and playing music with the Middar dance group since he could walk, performing locally, nationally and internationally. Alton's true passions led to a Tourism and Australian Indigenous Studies major at Murdoch University whilst working a Cadetship with Kings Park and Botanical Gardens. Alton has a delightful selection of children's books sharing traditional stories: Yonga and Waitch, The Dolphin and the Spearfish, Norn and Kaarda and Chunyart and the Cheeky Parrot.



A special Thank You to Zayd for donating an amazing amount to the P&C Crazy Hair Day!

Act-Belong-Commit Tips of the week!

Limit your screen time.

For some people this can be a challenge, but limiting screen time to 1-2 hours per day has many health benefits. Replace the time you spend in front of the screen with something more mentally stimulating like reading, trying a new recipe or walking your dog. You'll even have extra time to nurture the relationships with your family and friends!

Act-Belong-Commit actbelongcommit.org.au



Please make sure to download our school app,

How to download...

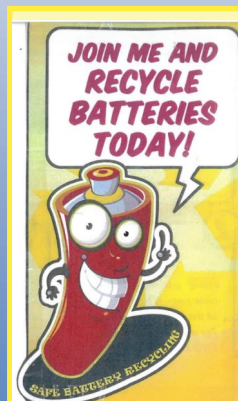
- Please go to the app or play store and search for audiri
- Follow the instructions to join South Lake Primary School
- Sign up using your email address and create a log in
- Subscribe to all the groups you would like to receive notifications for
 - * please sign up to your child's class so you are up to date with all the latest notifications that are relevant to you and your child

Once you have downloaded audiri and signed up, you can....

- Receive important/urgent information
- Keep up to date with the school calendar using the Calendar Events icon on the bottom bar
- You will find all the features under the RESOURCES tab From this screen you can:
 - * access forms to submit absences
 - * access and manage the
 - * groups you are subscribed to
 - * manage your profile
 - * get help/give feedback



Wishing students & families a happy and safe School Holidays!
A Reminder that students return on Tuesday, 22nd July for Term 3



Did you know...

South Lake Primary School has a battery recycling station?

Please join us and recycle batteries safely

Term Two



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10	30	Jul. 1	2	3	4
		Bully Free Insursion	Cross Country		Last Day of Term

Term Three



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1	Jul. 21	22	23	24	25
	Pupil Free Day	Pupils Return	Kindy Blue	Assembly NAIDOC Kindy Green Returns	
2	28	29	30	31	Aug 1
	100 Days of School		Kindy Green		
3	4	5	6	7	8
	P&C Meeting		Kindy Blue	Assembly A3 Newsletter	
4	11	12	13	14	15
	Bullying No Way! Week		Kindy Green		Interschool Cross Country
5	18	19	20	21	22
	Book Week	Visiting Author Alton Walley	Kindy Blue	Assembly Book Week	
6	25	26	27	28	29
			Kindy Green		One Big Voice
7	Sep. 1	2	3	4	5
			Kindy Blue	Assembly B4 Newsletter	
8	8	9	10	11	12
	School Board Meeting		Kindy Green		
9	15	16	17	18	19
			Kindy 2026 Info Afternoon Jumps & Throws Kindy Blue	Assembly A2 Newsletter	Athletics Carnival
10	22	23	24	25	26
			Kindy Green		Last Day of Term