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Merredin College Weekly Community Update

SUBJECT SELECTION FORMS - Year 8-9

Students have been given an Option Subject Selection Form this week. This form will need to be returned to Student Services by Friday 13 November 2020.

IN-TERM SWIMMING LESSONS

In-term swimming lessons commence this Monday 9 November for Year 5-6 students for two weeks. Please ensure your child packs bathers, towel hat and rash shirt every day.

KINDY ORIENTATION

A reminder to families that our first Kindergarten Orientation for students entering Kindy in 2021 is on Friday, 13 November. The program will run for three weeks. Sessions will be held in the Kindy Room in Block 1 and start at 1pm - we can't wait to meet all our new little people.

BALL PHOTOS

Please see link below to purchase school ball photos. Photos are \$5 each. Proceeds go towards the 2021 School Ball.

https://sites.google.com/view/merredincollege2020ballphotos/home

YOUR DONATION WOULD BE APPRECIATED!

In Week 10, we acknowledge Primary and Secondary students for academic achievement and citizenship. Special awards are also given.

If you would like to donate to an award, please contact Bev Irving (bev.irving@education.wa.edu.au or 90410900). The value of awards is \$50.

Your support would be greatly appreciated.

NAIDOC WEEK

Next week we celebrate NAIDOC Week. All students will be participating in many inclass activities and projects. Parents and community members should feel welcome to attend the following activities:

Mon 9 Nov - Opening Assembly, Elders Storytelling Sessions and Panel Discussions

Tues 10 Nov - Traditional Land Visit to Reserve

Wed 11 Nov - Girls NAIDOC Netball Matches (1.10pm, outdoor courts)

Thurs 12 Nov - NAIDOC CUP Football Match (2.00pm, school oval)

Fri 13 Nov - Sand Art Project and Closing Assembly (2.00pm, school oval)

P&C CAR RAFFLE

There are still raffle tickets available for purchase from the school and within the community. You can purchase them from these following businesses:

A massive thank you to these businesses for supporting our school and students:

Wild Poppy Café **Target Country BWS**

Comfort Style Furniture GO MAD Merredin Pizza Nextra Merredin Bakery Wheatbelt Tech Anderson BP AIM Dental **Bizzy Scissors**

Also a special thank you to IGA and Edgecombe Jewellers for their support.

IMPORTANT DATES - TERM 4:

9 Nov NAIDOC Week Opening Assembly

9-13 Nov NAIDOC Week

13 Nov **NAIDOC** Week Closing Assembly

Kindy Orientation

15 Nov Beach Volleyball Cup (Perth) 9-20 Nov Swimming Lessons (Year 5-6) 20 Nov Last Day for Year 11 Students

Kindy Orientation

23 Nov Swimming Lessons (YPP-4 & Y7)

27 Nov Kindy Orientation

1-4 Dec Year 9 Camp

2-4 Dec Year 9-10 Try-A-Trade Days

4 Dec Year 6-7 Transition Day

Thank-a-volunteer Morning Tea

7-17 Dec Year 10 Workplace Learning

15 Dec MerryDin K-2 (7.30pm)

16 Dec Highest Achievers Assembly (Y7-9)

MerryDin Year 3-6 (7.30pm)

17 Dec Last Day of School for students

