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A message from the Principal

Congratulations to everyone who received a GROW certificate at the assembly today. You have all demonstrated the schools values proudly to be awarded with this achievement and I was particularly impressed with the amount of course competition high achievers. Congratulations to everyone!

Jarrad Ritchie Principal

2022 ENROLMENTS

Its now time to enrol your child for 2022, you can apply to enrol your child in a public school for 2022 in:

- Kindergarten if they are four years old by 30 June 2022
- Pre-primary if they are five years old by 30 June 2022
- Year 7—You must also apply to enrol if they are changing schools.

If your child is currently in Year 6 at Merredin College, they are not required to provide a new enrolment for secondary. Please contact administration for an enrolment package!!

Also, if you are aware that your child will no longer continue at Merredin College in 2022, please contact administration and let them know of this change.

YEAR 10 ACWY VACCINATIONS

The Year 10 ACWY vaccine consent forms have been sent home with students this week, please return these to Student Services, the vaccination is scheduled for Monday 23rd August 2021.

PRIMARY ASSEMBLY

SAVE THE DATE: Our next primary assembly for the year will be held on Thursday 19th August and will be run by the Year 2/3 class. This assembly will commence at 9am and we look forward to welcoming our parents to this event. This assembly will also coincide with the week we celebrate Book Week. **Got a question about this? Ms Lynne Herbert (Deputy Principal)**

SCHOOL BUS SERVICE

A reminder to parents that if there are changes to your child's travel arrangements on the school bus service, both the school and contractor need to be contacted. *Got a question about this? Ms Lynne Herbert (Deputy Principal)*

2022 YEAR 10 COURSE SELECTION FORMS

This is a reminder to Year 10 students and parents that the 2022 Year 10 Course Selection Forms that were handed out at the parent information night are due on Friday 20 August. If you have not got a form, there are spares placed at Student Services. Please return them to Student Services or the Front Office. If you would like any more information regarding this, please contact Mr David O'Neill.



HOME ECONOMICS EXTRA COST OPTIONS

Letters have gone home with Year 7-10 students enrolled in Home Economics for Term 3. Due to the high cost of consumable items used in Home Economics which must be purchased for practical work, it is necessary to seek an additional charge on top of the amount shown on the student's Contribution Sheet. Payment of this additional amount (\$25 Yr7-8 and \$50 Yr9-10) will enable your **child to undertake the additional practical sessions on offer**.

Please organise payment via Student Services or direct debit.

ONE BIG VOICE TICKETS

A reminder to choir parents to book your tickets for One Big Voice ASAP to get seats where you can see our Merredin College Choir. Tickets on sale through TICKETEK. Please see below for pictures of the floor layout where you will be able to see if your school is in the Matinee or Evening Concert. The One Big Voice overnight excursion has been pushed out through Consent2Go. Please check your emails to give your permission. Payments are due by Tuesday 17 August. Got a question about this? Ms Lynne Herbert (Deputy Principal)

EVENING FLOOR LAYOUT

MATINEE FLOOR LAYOUT



OBV Evening Positions 2021



OBV Matinee Positions 2021

IMPORTANT DATES:

16-20 Aug Science Week

17 Aug Year 5 CoRE Excursion19 Aug Primary Assembly

20 Aug Meckering Cross Country

Year 11/12 Schools Cup
Daffodil Day Excursion

20-21 Aug 'One Big Voice' Choir Excursion

23-27 Aug Book Week

26-28 Aug Year 7-10 Schools Cup

30 Aug Year 8-9 Techtrails Incursion

2 Sept Primary Jumps & Throws

3 Sept Primary Athletics Carnival

6 Sept P&C Meeting 3:15pm

9 Sept School Board Meeting 5:30pm

10 Sept Secondary Athletics Carnival

13-14 Sept Yr 5-12 Cyber Safety Seminar

15 Sept Primary Interschool Athletics Carnival

PRIMARY SCHOOL BANKING DAY

EVERY THURSDAY IN BLOCK 1 WET

AREA AT 8.30AM

