

NEWSLETTER

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EAST HAMILTON HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

CLASS STRUCTURES

Class lists for 2023 are available for viewing from this afternoon on the notice board outside Kindy. These lists are published at the end of the year to reduce anxiety over the holidays and to allow students to be prepared and excited for the year ahead. Our staff invest considerable attention into class placements in order to set students up for success. We request that these lists are not photographed or posted on social media to respect the privacy of others.

Year / Specialist	Classroom	Teacher	EA - Mainstream
Kindergarten A	Kindy	Mrs Nicole Dwyer	Mrs Kerrie Thomi Mrs Natalie Bobojcov
Kindergarten B	Kindy	Mrs Susie Tyrell	Mrs Jen Pittorino Mrs Natalie Bobojcov
Pre-Primary	Pre-Primary	Mrs Jo Cookson Mrs Lecia Clifford (Wed)	Mrs Susie Tout
Year 1	Room 1	Ms Helen Stojan	
Year 2/3	Room 13	Mrs Carmel Elkins (4 days) Mrs Lucy Martin (Thurs)	
Year 2/3	Room 14	Miss Mackenzie Kay	
Year 4/5	Room 15	Mr Jack Myers	
Year 4/5	Room 16	Miss Zsofia Fellman (Mon, Tues, Fri) Miss Chloe Harken (Tues, Wed, Thurs)	
Year 4/5	Room 17	Miss Kat Simmons (4 days) (Thursday TBA)	
Year 6	Room 9 (formally PEAC)	Mrs Helen Bedwood (9 days per fortnight) Miss Nikita Gabrielson (1 day per fortnight)	
Noongar	Room 18	Mrs Cassie Mippy (Mon, Tues)	
Phys Ed		Miss Nikita Gabrielson (Thurs, Fri)	
Science	Science / Art Room	Mr Craig Barker (Thurs, Fri)	
Music	Music Room	Mr Mitch Shaw (Monday)	
Drama	Music Room	Miss Kat Simmons (Thursday)	
Visual Art	Science / Art Room	Mrs Lecia Clifford (Mon, Tues)	



END OF YEAR CONCERT

Thank you to parents and families for attending our end of year Dance to the Starts concert and CARE Award presentations. This year through our award presentations, we acknowledged students who demonstrate our CARE values consistently throughout the year, replacing the traditional Endeavour and Academic Achievement Awards. Each class had two of these values to award to students, allowing us to recognise a wider range of behaviours and attributes that are worthy of celebrating. Congratulations to all our amazing award winners!

The concert was a great show filled with enthusiasm and joy – what a wonderful way to finish the year. Thank you to parents and families for joining us to experience the showcase of dance and making this a memorable event. We look forward to doing it all again next year!

APPRECIATIONS

As we conclude the year I wish to share an appreciation to members of the School Board and P&C for the time they invest in our school that all contributes to us collectively realising our vision. Both these groups perform their roles and responsibilities to an outstanding level and I thank them for another outstanding year. In particular I wish to acknowledge KA Garlick, School Board Chair and Georgina Stoker, P&C President for their leadership, work and support throughout the year.

ATTENDANCE REWARD

Yesterday we acknowledged all students with an a regular attendance rate of 90% or more throughout Term 4. These students each received a certificate and went into the raffle draw to win a scooter. Congratulations to Jenna for being the lucky winner! Our strong focus on regular attendance will continue in 2023 as every day matters. We will recognise and acknowledge regular attendance each term and send letters of notification if your child is falling below this.

Of course, if children are unwell they need to stay at home, but if they are healthy they need to be here to maximise their learning opportunities.

GRADUATES

Today we celebrated our Year 6 graduating cohort and it was so beautiful seeing them all shine during this joyous, albeit emotional, event. As a group they have consistently demonstrated outstanding leadership to younger students, supported each other, and shown outstanding skills of cooperation and collaboration, all while enjoying the moment. They have been a joy to have and we wish them all the very best as they continue on with the next stage of their educational journey. Congratulations Graduates!

TERM PLANNER TERM 1 2023

A paper copy of the Term 1 Planner 2023 was sent home yesterday and is also available for viewing on our website and via CONNECT.

NEW STUDENT LEADERS & CARE CHAMPS 2023

Last Friday we announced the new students leaders and CARE champs for 2023. The student leaders were decided by democratic voting processes and the CARE champs submitted nominations to Miss Gabrielson. The student leaders will hold their positions for the full 2023 school year and the CARE champs will enjoy this leadership role for Semester 1 with a new round of nominations opening in Term 2 for Semester 2 CARE champs. Congratulations to the following students:

Student Councillors:

Shae
Abigail
Chloue
Braxton

Faction Captains:

Bunuru– David and Jimmy
Djeran– Samson and Harry
Makury– Anthony and Izaiyah

AV Team:

Summer
Eddie
Sebastian
Kahleeya-Rose

CARE Champs:

Jenna Smith
Hanah
Zachary
Mia





REPORTS

On Monday Semester 2 reports were emailed to parents via a link. This link is only active for a short period of time so parents will need to download and save a copy of each child's report in order to have access to it in the future. If you require a printed copy of your child's report please contact the office by Thursday morning.

Students who are achieving the required standard in a curriculum area for their year group are given a 'C' grade, in line with the School Curriculum and Standards Authority achievement standards for WA schools. Students demonstrating achievement above this receive 'B' or 'A' grades, and those not yet meeting the required standard will have a 'D' or 'E' grade. Each curriculum area has a ranking for the effort level demonstrated by your child throughout the semester and this is an excellent indicator of engagement, perseverance and learning dispositions. Recognising and celebrating your child's effort, regardless of the grade achieved, promotes a growth mindset that is beneficial to future learning endeavours.

PRINCIPAL ROLE

It is with mixed emotions that I share with the community that I have accepted a position at another school commencing at the start of next year. As per Department of Education processes, the principal position at EHHPS will be filled temporarily for Term 1 while the permanent role is advertised for commencement in Term 2. It is my pleasure to announce that this Acting Principal role will be filled by Mrs Grady Scheiblehner, a comprehensive handover process is underway to ensure a seamless transition of leadership for the start of 2023.

Words cannot express what a privilege it has been to lead this wonderful school over the last two years. The staff are second-to-none and do outstanding work every day to ensure each and every child thrives. I thank them for the dedicated work they do that collectively makes this school the amazing place it is.

Thank you to the School Board, P&C and the community for all that you do to add value to the work we do; always keeping children at the heart. I have loved getting to know the community and I have nothing but fond memories of the last two years. I wish you all the very best for the future.

Thank you East Hamilton Hill PS!

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY HOLIDAYS

I wish all our students, families and wider EHHPS community a wonderful Christmas and New Year holiday break. We look forward to welcoming everyone back for the start of 2023 on Wednesday 1 February.

Merry Christmas!

Michelle Nash

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CONGRATULATIONS



to the following students for receiving Honour Certificates on the 9 December 2022.

PP	Kasey-Lee Poppy
Room 1	Billie Darcie
Room 13	Josephine Karma
Room 14	Shane Coby
Room 15	Bodhi Elsie
Room 16	Janelle Lily Alaska
Room 17	Jolisha Janiya
Room 18	Tye Ava
PE	Jahrey Clem
Music	Angel Dakota Rosie
Science	Yohan Layla
Noongar	Aaron Braiden
Art	Maya Eddie

TOD CARE Certificates:

EXCEL!



PP	Felix
1	Aaron
13	Mason
14	Mila
15	Dominic
16	Jenna
17	Samara
18	Sebastian



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