



# Peg's Creek Primary School Newsletter

Term 1, Week 5, 2026



## UPCOMING EVENTS

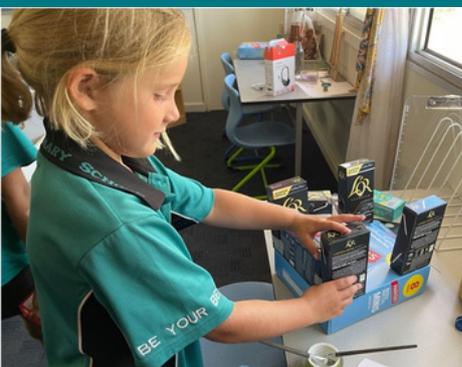
ASSEMBLY  
Friday 20 March  
8.30am



## We are halfway through Term 1!

It has been a busy start to the term, and it's hard to believe we are already halfway through already! Time certainly flies when we are busy learning, growing, and achieving together. We are proud of the effort students have shown in their learning, friendships, and participation in school life.

With exciting events like PBS Rewards, Docker's Cup, and Peg's Prestigious Picnic coming up, there is plenty to look forward to.



# Honour Awards



Congratulations to our Honour Award winners from the Week 4 assembly!

## Principals Summer Holidays Reading Challenge

Students who took part in the Principal's Summer Reading Challenge were treated to a special surprise at assembly. In recognition of their fantastic effort to keep reading over the summer holidays, each student received a \$30 Book Club voucher to spend on their next great read!





# Principals Update

Student Numbers: 233

Our Moral Purpose: To deliver high quality teaching that inspires independent, curious lifelong learners in a nurturing and inclusive school community, who will flourish and aspire to success.

Our Vision: Through collaboration we will provide high quality teaching and learning in a safe and supportive environment that will motivate all students to be their best.

Our Motto: Be Aware, Be Involved and Be your Best!

At Pegs Creek Primary School, we are committed to ensure that we will **be aware** of others around us and identify how our leadership and generosity can assist others to aspire to **be their best** in all learning and **be involved** to lead and collaborate in achieving the best outcomes for our students and school community.

## Flourishing Individuals

### High Quality Teaching

Our programmes in all areas are underway and data is being collected through On Entry with our Pre-Primary students and with our Year 3 and 5 students through NAPLAN in week 6. These assess students understanding in English and mathematics. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask your child's teacher. All students across the school have been assessed in some very simple Dibels screening or reading fluency. If you would like to know how your child went with this screen, please contact the classroom teacher.



### Engaging, calm and orderly classroom environments

All teachers are establishing their classroom expectations and routines. If your child is experiencing difficulties with these, the classroom teachers will contact you.

We have also just finalised a restructure across the early childhood and now we have a Kindy/Pre-Primary, a Pre-Primary, a Pre-Primary /Year 1, a Year 1/Year 2, and a Year 2. All teachers remain the same.

### Intervention 2026

Due to staff sickness and training, intervention will now commence next week.

# Curious Life-Long Learners

What an incredible assembly TA 12 put on! They also had the added challenge of our projector not working due to some damage. The key messages were the 'Learning Pit' and having a growth or fixed mindset to get out of the pit. The students did an incredible job and I want to say thank you to Mrs Bunton, Miss Jazz and Miss Jess for their wonderful teamwork and flexibility.



Jump into the Learning Pit with TA12. Come and check out their WOW wall!

# Curious Life-Long Learners

## Leadership

In my five years at Pegs Creek Primary School I have never seen so many applications for leadership positions. I have been exceptionally proud of all of these students and even if they weren't successful with their application, they will still be offered leadership opportunities through the Student Leadership Alliance throughout the year. The first SLA opportunity is this Friday, and all our successful applicants will be attending.





The following students were successful with their applications for Prefects for 2026.

- Leona Ilagi
- Ayla Leitch
- Kate Appiah
- Poppy Bliss
- Skye Johnston
- Summer East

The following Students were successful with their applications for Faction Captains and Vice Faction Captains.



### Searipple

Faction Captain:  
Raymond Woods

Vice Faction Captain:  
Georgia McCarthy



### Dolphin

Faction Captain:  
Sonny Tovera

Vice Faction Captain:  
Camden McKain



### Mermaid

Faction Captain:  
Lila Creighton-Williamson

Vice Faction Captain:  
Aniyah Mills

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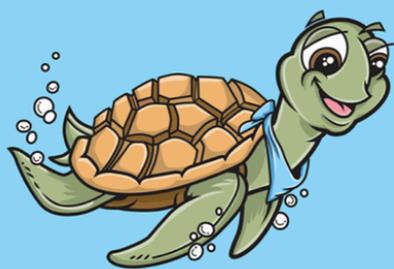
## Connected Community

### P&C Meeting

What an incredible start to our 2026 Year. The meeting that was held on Tuesday night in the library was attended by 18 parents. Thank you to everyone who came to the meeting and thank you to those who were courageous for stepping into roles. Please come along to the next meeting with a gold coin donation if you would like to get involved.

### Entry into the school

Please be aware due to the consistent water issue near the PP area, we have made the entry into the school the small gate near the netball court. This gate must always remain closed. Please park in the parent carpark at the front of the school and not on the curbs, we have had near misses in the past due to cars pulling out and not being able to see clearly from the carpark. The other entry is the small gate at the bottom of the school but please park in Cattrall Park and walk along the footpath to the gate. The council rangers do monitor these 2 areas.



Be  
**safe**  
With **Sunny**

### PBS Update

We are working on the first mascot “Sunny the Sea Turtle” Be Safe. This will be unveiled when it is finished. We are in the process of securing more funding through grants/P&C request to look at the next mascot. If there are any businesses that would like to donate some money for our mascots, please contact the school.

*Our current PBS focus is Responsibility - At Peg's Creek, we follow class routines and procedures.*



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## Connected Community

### Homework and Class meetings

Peg's Creek Primary School students do have homework. This consists of reading every night, spelling practice and maths fluency. This is practice of the skills they have learnt during their school days and also a way of demonstrating to parents the knowledge they are learning and where they are at with their skill development. Please speak to your child's classroom teacher if they aren't bringing this home.

You should also have Spelling Mastery and Prime Maths groups as well for your child, if they are in years 3-6.

Initialit Yr 3-6 Mrs Hinchcliffe and Miss Ganzer

Spelling Mastery A - Miss Monique

Spelling Mastery B - Mr Tomasevich

Spelling Mastery C - Miss Hamilton

Spelling Mastery D - Mrs Bunton

Spelling Mastery E - Mrs Mouda-Hughes and Mrs Goyder

Spelling Mastery F - Miss Watson (Mel)

Prime Year 3 - Miss Hamilton

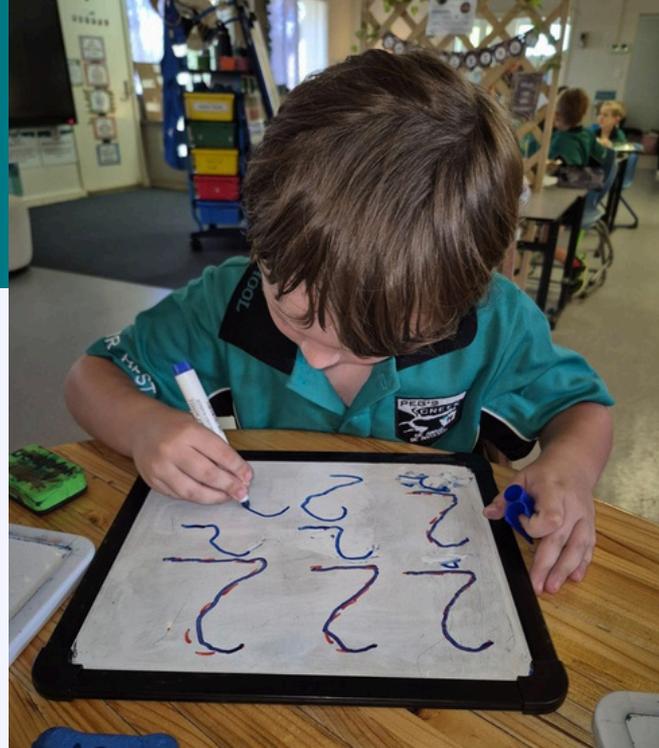
Prime Year 4 - Mrs Bunton

Prime Year 5 - Mr Tomasevich

Primary Year 6 - Miss Watson (Mel)

### Parent meetings with Leadership team

In the morning if there is anything urgent, please ring the school and make an appointment to see the principal at 8:30am. Until then everyone is in classrooms or walking around classrooms to see the learning in action.



See Saw is our communication strategy between staff and parents. I have asked all teachers to update parents on the general nature of the learning and then to also share special moments with student learning through the term.

It is also a method we use to communicate during cyclones. Please see your child's teacher for the QR Code if you aren't on this yet.

## Create a New Seesaw Account

- 1 Download the [Seesaw App](#) or go to [app.seesaw.me](https://app.seesaw.me) on a computer
- 2 Tap "I'm a Family Member"  
Private Invites:  
Scan the QR Code  
Text/Email Invites:  
Click the Link
- 3 Follow the prompts to create an account or sign in

# Principals Update

## Connected Community

Congratulations to these students on their exceptional efforts. If your child is doing great things in our local community, please let us know so we can celebrate their achievements!



### Camden McKain

Camden proudly took part in the Starlight Super Swim this February, swimming an incredible 50km and raising \$2,100 for the Starlight Children's Foundation. This was his second year participating in the event. The Super Swim raises vital funds to support seriously ill children in hospital. Every minute of every day, a child in Australia is admitted to hospital, and organisations like Starlight help bring joy, laughter and comfort to children during what can be a very challenging time. Well done to Camden on his commitment, determination and compassion in making a difference for sick kids across Australia.

### Summer and Finlay East

Summer and Finlay wanted to do something kind for other people, and they chose fundraisers that matched things they enjoy doing. Summer took part in the Starlight Super Swim, supporting the Starlight Children's Foundation Australia, and swam 17.67 km. Finlay completed the Wish Kids Ride for Make-A-Wish Australia, and rode 367 km. Finlay was also the top rider fundraiser in Australia for the Wish Kids Ride this year.

Both Summer and Finlay were committed and determined, fitting their swimming and riding around full school days, homework, and after-school activities. Because they chose fundraisers that matched their interests, it was something they really owned, and their kindness inspired others in the community to donate and support as well.

They were also interviewed on ABC Radio and featured in the Pilbara News. Together, they raised an incredible \$10,567, not just a reflection of the donations, but of the commitment, determination, resilience, and heart they've shown every step of the way. They're already looking forward to being back at it next year!



# P&C Update

*Last week we had a great turnout to our P&C meeting/AGM. We appreciate everyone coming along and was lovely to meet all the new friendly faces. We love our community and feel very blessed to have a great committee with big ideas and all working together to have the same goal.*

*A huge thanks to the executive committee for taking on the roles for 2026*

*President - Tristan Bliss*

*Vice President - Matt McCain*

*Secretary - Phoebe Smith*

*Treasurer - Anikka Stenhouse*

*Bookclub- Kristy Cavanagh*

*Uniform Shop - Amy Bliss and Tarra Leitch*

*You are welcome to join plenty of room for us to make a bigger table!*



## 🍏 PEGS CREEK CANTEEN 🍏

OPEN DAYS

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

ORDER ONLINE for Recess and Lunch

🌐 [www.pegscreekpc.com.au](http://www.pegscreekpc.com.au)

## PLEASE NOTE

Canteen orders must be lodged online by 8.20am, and orders at the window must be finalised by 8.30am.

**Would you like to see something new on the canteen menu? Let us know your suggestions!**

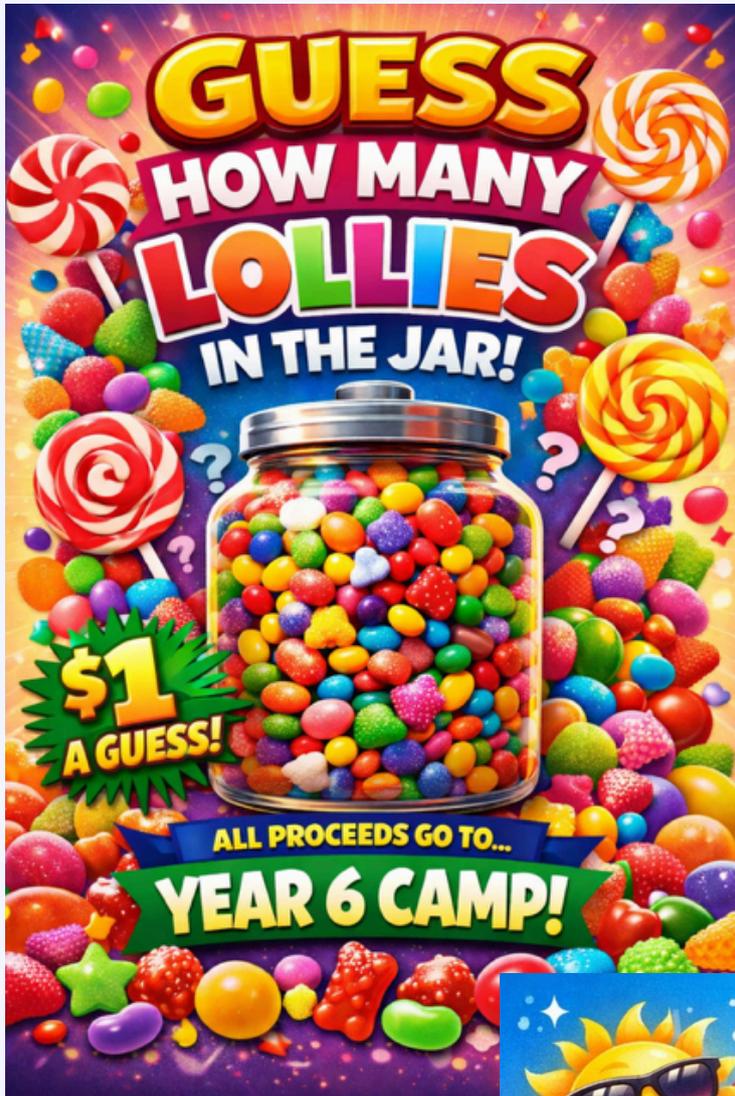
## Uniform Shop

Uniforms can be ordered online at [www.pegscreek.pc.com.au](http://www.pegscreek.pc.com.au).

Please put your child's name and class in the comments.

Orders will be packed and delivered to your child's classroom each week.

# Year 6 Fundraising



Year 6's are working hard to fundraise for camp and graduation later this year.

They currently have a lolly jar fundraiser for \$1 per guess, and they are selling icy poles each Friday after school.

Keep an eye out for other fundraising events coming up!



Grab a cold treat, bring your gold coin, and help support our amazing Year 6 students!

♥ ALL PROCEEDS go towards ♥

**Year 6 Camp**

♥ Let's help them make unforgettable memories! ♥

😊 Tag your friends and don't forget your \$1! ♥

# Community Notices

**INTERNATIONAL  
WOMEN'S DAY**

**FUN RUN**

**TUESDAY 10TH MARCH**  
6AM | LEISUREPLEX OVAL

**3KM WALK/RUN**  
Come and be a part of this  
amazing community event!

All participants receive a medal

HOSTED BY:

**Stars**  
Foundation

**INDIGENOUS  
MARATHON  
FOUNDATION**  
#RUNSWEATINSPIRE

# Community Notices

## Girls WELLNESS PROGRAM



A practical wellness program for girls aged 10 to 17 with Nurse Jess



Skin Care



Hygiene



Confidence



Body Awareness

A practical, age-appropriate program led by Nurse Jess from Pilbara Cosmetic & Wellness, supporting physical health, emotional wellbeing, self-care and body confidence.

Each session blends learning, hands-on activities and open conversations in a safe, supportive space, giving girls the tools and confidence to care for themselves at home and at school.

**Tuesdays, 17 February - 31 March**  
4pm-5pm

**For girls aged 10-17**  
**FREE 7-week program**

Registration required. Email [yscas@karratha.wa.gov.au](mailto:yscas@karratha.wa.gov.au)



## WEEKLY BREAKDOWN

### Week 1 - Tuesday 17 February

**Confidence, Self-Care & Body Respect:** What wellness means for girls, personal hygiene basics, healthy routines at home and school, mini self-care stations, and conversations around boundaries, self-respect, and confidence.

### Week 2 - Tuesday 24 February

**Skin Care & First Breakouts:** Why skin changes during puberty, how to cleanse and moisturise correctly, common skincare mistakes, a gentle skincare routine using provided products, plus a take-home lip balm.

### Week 3 - Tuesday 3 March

**Emotions, Stress & Friendships:** Why emotions can feel stronger during puberty, how stress shows up in the body, healthy ways to cope with worry, anger, and peer pressure, grounding exercises, journaling prompts, and guided group discussion.

### Week 4 - Tuesday 10 March

**Nutrition for Growing Bodies:** How food supports energy, mood, skin, and focus, simple and realistic lunchbox and snack choices, hydration habits, and a hands-on "build a balanced plate" activity.

### Week 5 - Tuesday 17 March

**Movement, Posture & Body Confidence:** Why movement supports hormones, stress management, and self-esteem, posture and screen habits, gentle stretching and movement, a guided movement session, and conversations around body image and comparison.

### Week 6 - Tuesday 24 March

**Puberty, Periods & Body Changes:** What changes to expect during puberty, what's normal and when to ask for help, period care basics, and an open Q&A in a safe, respectful environment.

### Week 7 - Tuesday 31 March

**Wellness Toolkit & Wrap-Up:** A recap of key learnings, creating a personal wellness plan, confidence and self-advocacy skills, self-care stations and games, plus take-home wellness resources.

Registration required. Email [yscas@karratha.wa.gov.au](mailto:yscas@karratha.wa.gov.au)



# Term 1 Community Planner

## PEG'S CREEK PRIMARY SCHOOL – TERM 1 COMMUNITY PLANNER 2026

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
1	2 <b>FEBRUARY</b>  <b>FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS</b>	3	4	5	6 Assembly Followed by Prefect speeches (parents welcome)	7/8
2	9 Student Leadership Interviews commence	10 Open Board Meeting 6.00pm	11	12	13	14/15
3	16	17	18	19	20	21/22
4	23 On Entry (PP & Yr 1) commences	24 P&C Meeting 6.30pm	25	26	27 Assembly TA12 Student Leadership Positions Announced	28/1 <b>MARCH</b>
5	2 March <b>Labour Day Public Holiday</b>	3	4  TSH Chevron Pilbara Ear Health Program	5  TSH Chevron Pilbara Ear Health Program	6  PBS Reward  SLA Leadership Day	7/8
6	9	10	11 NAPLAN starts	12	13	14/15
7	16	17	18	19	20 Assembly TA15  On Entry (PP & Yr 1) concludes	21/22
8	23 NAPLAN concludes	24	25	26	27 Docker's Cup	28/29
9	30	31 Peg's Prestigious Picnic	1 <b>APRIL</b>	2  <b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>  PBS Reward	3  <b>Good Friday</b>  <b>SCHOOL HOLIDAYS</b>	4/5 Easter Saturday

# SUBJECT TO CHANGE

## CONTACT US

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Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8.00am - 3.00pm



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