



CHAPMAN VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter #8

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Every student, every classroom, every day

Our School Vision:

At Chapman Valley Primary School children are nurtured, educated and challenged in a safe and supportive learning environment. We 'Strive to Achieve'.

Dates to Remember

Term 3
2020

Monday August 31st
School Board Meeting

Friday Sept 4th
CHUNA Picnic Sports

Friday Sept 18th
NCVISSA Athletics

Friday September 25th
Happy Chappy Day and EOT.

Dear Parents and Community,

Ni hao.

What beautiful rain we have had and now the beautiful sunshine. The crops and plants have loved the rain and our drive to school, everyday is just beautiful. I listen to the ABC radio everyday and listen intently to the weather report and forecast and see there is more rain expected next week.

VISITORS TO OUR SCHOOL

The Junior Football Club have made a community use agreement for the use of the school oval for Junior football matches this season. We would like to remind visitors to our school to be respectful of our school and the surrounds. Visitors should ONLY be using the oval when it is a designated day for use. Parents need to watch their children carefully and remind their children to stay off the remainder of school property. Please remind visitors to pick up rubbish when leaving and smoking is not permitted. At the last home game we were left with some minor damage and rubbish and particularly smoke butts in our sandpit. It is a privilege to have this oval and we cannot continue to have an agreement if our school is not respected. Show Kindness to our school.

SCHOOL BOARD TRAINING

Our school board works to assist in the governance of our school. They are an integral part of our school community. There is an opportunity for our school board to participate in training at Walkaway on Monday, September 14th 1:30-3:30 . I am in the process of finding out if Julie Campbell who is presenting this training could possibly come to our school.

STUDENT VOICE

As part of our updated Behaviour Management Plan the year 6 students have helped to design and improve the reflection sheet. The reflection sheet is used when a student has 'crossed the boundaries' in Charlie's words. The reflection sheet is used when a student continually performs level 2 behaviours or any level 3 behaviour. The flow chart for Behaviour Management has been included in the newsletter . Our reflection sheets are directly related to our Good Standing Policy. If a student has to complete three reflection sheets in a term, it is possible the student may not be permitted to attend special events. When a student has to complete a reflection sheet it is completed in the student's own time on the bench outside the office. The reflection sheet will come home with the student and this gives the student the opportunity to explain the behaviour. If necessary the teacher will call the parent to converse about it. Please feel free to contact any of the staff to discuss any aspect of your child's education through email or by phoning the front office to make an appointment.

SPORT CARNIVALS TERM THREE

Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered to help on Picnic Sports day on September 4th. Yuna Primary School is primarily organising this day, but using our oval. The Picnic sports will be a Bring Your Own food due to COVID. Binu Primary School will be joining us on this day due to the low numbers at there school. Their cohort of students fits in with our cohort size and combinations.

CHUNA is organising the NCVISSA athletics carnival to be held at Chapman Valley oval on September 18th. The oval will be marked out by Mr Conroy with some help from Esky at the Shire. We may need helpers the week of the carnival to assist the marking. On Thursday afternoon we will be having a mini busy bee to set up the timing gates and do odd jobs. We are going to use the timing gate setup from Little Athletics this year. We will then arrive at about 7.30 am on Friday to set up remainder of equipment. Kate and Corrine, from Yuna are organising the catering.

Cheers and stay safe

Jo Luxton
Principal



Mobile devices School Policy

Just a reminder that as part of a School Behaviour Management Plan we do not permit students to bring mobile devices to school. Mobile devices can be an educational distraction at school in students bags outside the classroom and we would not like them to get broken or damaged in transit or at school in the bag.



NEWSPAPER RECYCLING IS BACK

As well as helping the environment recycling newspapers generates a little bit of money for our school.

So if you would like to help us you can bundle your newspapers up, put a note on the top of the bundle that says CHAPMAN VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL and drop them off to Jack's Shed at the Aquarena.

Thank you

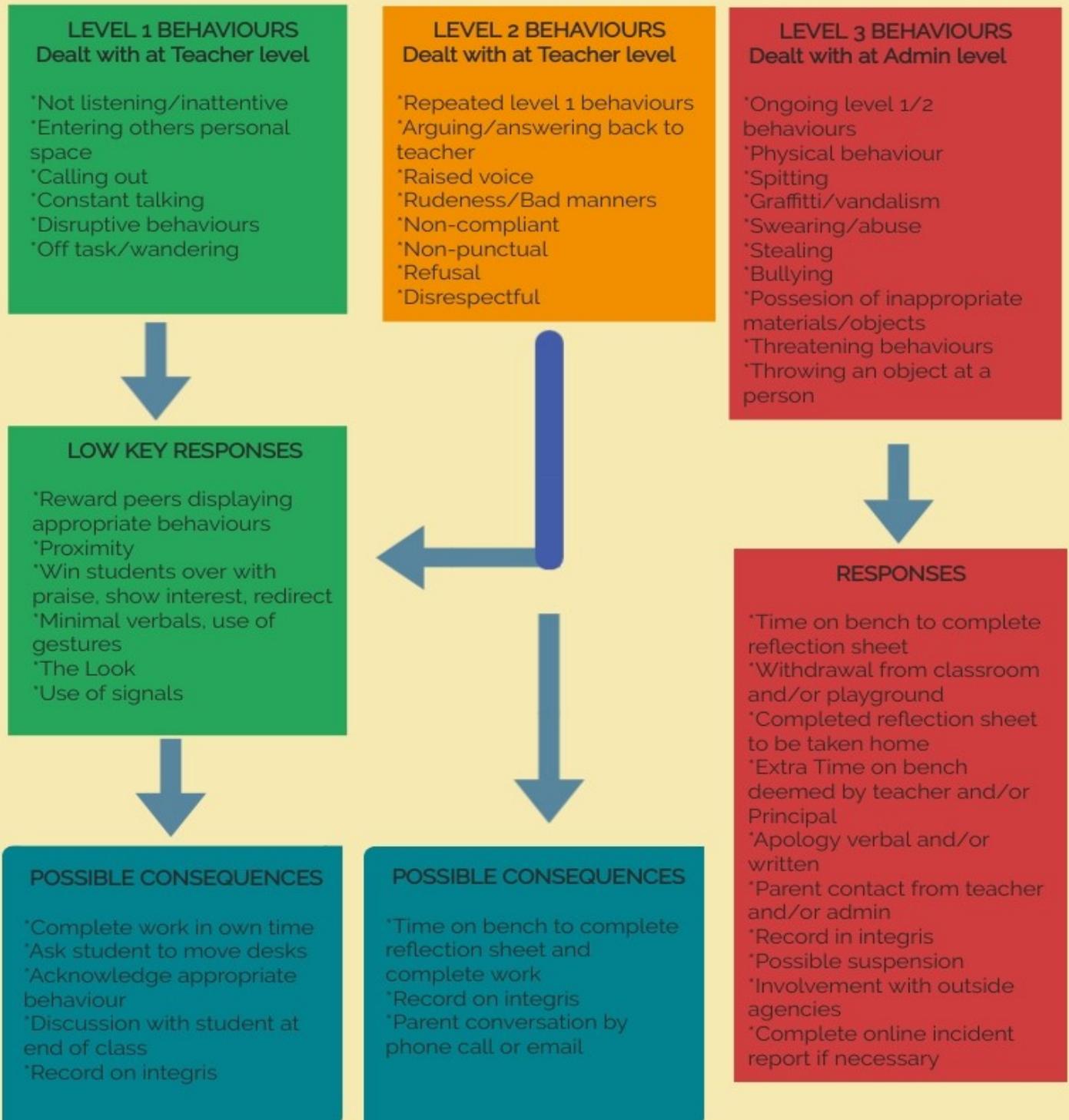




Behaviour Management Flow Chart

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Each case will be considered on individual basis.

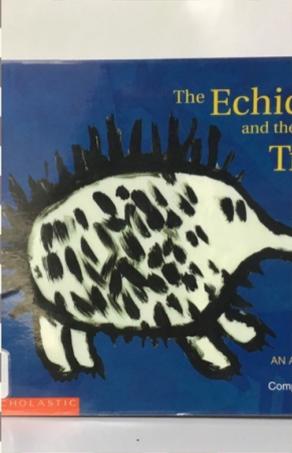




NAIDOC DAY 2020

Thank you so much to Mrs Ullrich and Yuna Primary School for inviting us for

NAIDOC day. Joining with our little schools is so beneficial for all of us.



NAIDOC DAY 2020



We were invited to participate in NAIDOC Day with Yuna and Binnu at Yuna. The Girls Academy came to share their stories and help complete some activities such as spear throwing using javelins, beading and face painting and story telling and clay making an echidna. We had such a great day.



PIC·COLLAGE

We enjoyed working with the Girls Academy. We loved playing basketball with them at lunch time. They were very polite girls and were fun to play with. They were certainly good competition for us.



Mindfulness



Mindfulness with Kate
 On Thursday we had our first session with Kate from Kids Hub Consultancy. We are learning about how our brain develops and how we can learn strategies to manage ourself to stay calm which will help us learn better.

PIC·COLLAGE

Why is mindfulness good for us?

- *Mindfulness improves attention and focus
- *Mindfulness improves self-regulation
- *Mindfulness develops life skills
- *Mindfulness keeps us calm



P&C News

P & C raffle

The Monster P&C hamper raffle is now on. Tickets are available from any parent or at the front office. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

Could all tickets please be returned to the office by Wednesday 16th September.

Thank you to donors of all the prizes.

Thanks for your help. Tenille—P & C events coordinator.

School Board News

POSITION VACANT

The School Board has a position vacant for a Parent representative.

If you would like to nominate for this vacant position please see the information at the end of this newsletter and complete the nomination sheet and forward to Mrs Jo Luxton—Principal, or Deb Keeffe Manager Corporate Services.

The next meeting is on Monday 31st August and the term 4 meeting date is Monday 16th November.



ATTENDANCE

What can you do to help?

Have a set time for your child to go to bed at night and get up in the morning.

Have their uniform and school bag ready the night before.

Have a set time for breakfast.

Set a time for daily homework activities [or join homework club, after school activities].

Talk about school positively.

If running late, encourage your child to still go to school and reassure them that you will let the school know.



From week 3-6 our whole school attendance has been 87% .

Our aim is for each student to attend at least 90% of the time.

We have had 11 students attend school for 90% or more of from week 3-6 Excellent effort.

REMEMBER if your child is not at school please send us a message or phone to notify us.

5 days attendance in a week earns an extra raindrop of KINDNESS to Yourself. But do stay home if you are unwell. Stay home and recover.



SCHOOL NEWS



PETER'S CHAP CHAT #01120

"Resilient people know how to cope when faced with problems!"

We all face problems on a daily basis, I know, no surprises here - it's part of life! How can we promote this resiliency in each other and our children?

Re-phrase unhelpful thinking. Turn the negative, *I'm stupid!* to a more positive statement like, *I made a mistake...*

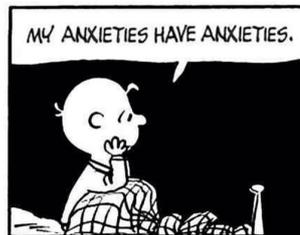
Take responsibility for the things you have or haven't done.

Allow for mistakes, no one is perfect.

Fight your own battles, this is how we can learn.

Talk to each other, especially our family.

It is normal to have problems, but it is also comforting to know that difficult or unhappy times usually don't last for very long. Don't let yourself dwell on the past, instead, look forward to a better future. Let us continue to encourage one another!



*I am on site at school each **alternate Monday**... Blessings,*

Peter Hanrahan, Chapman Valley PS Chaplain

REPORT ALL SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY AROUND THE SCHOOL

If you happen to see anything that looks suspicious around our school, please contact the Northampton Police Station on 99347600 or

Jo Luxton on 0429 977 603.

Please ensure you take note of vehicle number plates and other details should we need to assist police with their enquiries.



Our School Creed

This is our school
Let peace dwell here
Let the rooms be full of contentment
Let Love abide here
Love of one another
Love of mankind, and
Love of Life itself
Let us remember
That as many hands build a house
So many hearts make a school

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE CALENDAR

- *CHUNA PICNIC SPORTS 4th SEPTEMBER
- *NCVISSA ATHLETICS 18th SEPTEMBER
- *YEAR 6 GRAD DINNER 11th DECEMBER
- *END OF YEAR CONCERT 14th DECEMBER
- *Visit to Nazareth House 16th DECEMBER



VacSwim programs and locations

VacSwim offers affordable swimming lessons across the State, giving children the opportunity to learn to swim in a safe and enjoyable environment.

Enrolments for October and January programs are now open.

- ▶ If you have never enrolled in VacSwim before, [register to enrol here](#).
- ▶ If you have enrolled in Vacswim before, [sign in to enrol](#).

The VacSwim enrolment price includes your child's lessons and any higher award costs (for example bronze medallion) but **does not include pool entry**. [Concessions are also available](#). 

Find a program near you and take the plunge!

<https://www.education.wa.edu.au/programs-and-locations>



**Agricultural Awareness
and
Prospective Student
OPEN DAY**

**Friday 4 September 2020
10:00am - 2:00pm**

Activities • Displays • Demonstrations

Your gateway to a STEM education and a career in a growth industry...

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**NORTHAMPTON COMMUNITY CENTRE TERM 3 2020
SPORTS AND FITNESS TIMETABLE
(5 WEEKS - STARTING MONDAY 24TH AUGUST)**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MORNING				
6.15 AM THE SHED GROUP FITNESS	6.15 AM THE SHED GROUP FITNESS			6.15 AM THE SHED GROUP FITNESS
	9AM METAPOWER 30 MINS \$10 NCC INDOOR COURT	9 AM BEGINNERS PILATES 60 MINS \$10 NCC	9 AM METAFIT \$10 30 MINS NCC COURTS	
	10 AM ALL LEVELS FITNESS CLASS 45 MINS \$10 NCC GYM		9.40 AM PILATES \$10 60 MINS NCC	
AFTERNOON				
3.30 PM 60 MINS TOUCH RUGBY 7-10YRS & 11-13YRS NCC OVAL		3.30 PM DANCE 3-5YRS 30 MINS NCC INDOOR COURT	3.30 PM DANCE 6-9YRS 45 MINS NCC INDOOR COURT	
4.30 PM METAPOWER \$10 30 MINS NCC OVAL	4 PM BOXFIT \$10 60 MINS NCC OVAL	4.15 PM DANCE 8-12 YRS 45 MINS NCC INDOOR COURT	4 PM BOXFIT \$10 60 MINS NCC OVAL	4.15 PM METAPOWER 30 MINS \$10 NCC INDOOR COURT
5.15 PM PILATES \$10 60 MINS NCC		4.30 PM METAPOWER \$10 30 MINS NCC COURTS		4 PM NETSETGO AUSKICK AGES 5/UP
	6 PM MENS SQUASH	6 PM LADIES SQUASH		5- 6.30 PM SOCIAL BADMINTON
				4.30-8.30 PM JUN/SEN NETBALL/ FOOTBALL

TO ATTEND CLASSES ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST HAVE A CURRENT ANNUAL NCC MEMBERSHIP: SEN \$77/ JUN \$15
CHILDREN ARE WELCOME TO ALL THE CLASSES WITH PARENTS SUPERVISION

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

ADULTS

METAFIT INSTRUCTOR LED 30 MIN CLASS HIGH INTENSITY CARDIO AND BODY WEIGHT EXERCISES

METAPOWER: INSTRUCTOR LED 30 MIN CLASS USING RESISTANCE WITH WEIGHTS IN A BOOTCAMP FORMAT

PILATES INSTRUCTOR LED BUILDING CORE STRENGTH AND FLEXIBILITY

BEGINNERS PILATES: PILATES IN A LOWER LEVEL SUITABLE FOR THOSE RETURNING TO EXERCISE OR OVER 50YRS

BOX FIT INSTRUCTOR LED FUN FITNESS THROUGH BOXING

THE SHED FITNESS: GROUP EXERCISE WITH CARDIO AND WEIGHTS LOCATED DOWNSTAIRS AT NCC (ACCESS FROM CARPARK)

ALL LEVELS FITNESS: GROUP WORKOUT FOR ALL LEVELS AND AGES IN THE NCC GYM

TERM 3 CALENDAR 2020							
Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6	August 24	August 25	August 26 Newsletter	August 27	August 28	August 29	August 30
7	August 31 School Board Meeting	Sept 1	Sept 2	Sept 3	Sept 4 CHUNA Picnic Sports	Sept 5	Sept 6
8	September 7	September 8	September 9	September 10	September 11	Sept 12	Sept 13
9	September 14	September 15	September 16 Newsletter	September 17	September 18 NCVISSA Athletics	Sept 19	Sept 20
10	September 21	September 22	September 23	September 24	September 25 Happy Chappy Day	Sept 26	Sept 27
	Sept 28 Queens Birthday	Sept 29	September 30	October 1	October 2	October 3	October 4
	October 5	October 6	October 7	October 8	October 9	October 10	October 11

Dear Parents

Your school board operates with 5 Parent Representatives and terms last 3 years. Parents can complete more than one term however positions do need to come up for election. A position has recently come up for election. I am calling for nominations to fill this position.

What is a school board and what does it do?

All Government schools in Western Australia have a School Board or Council. They are legally constituted bodies that are given powers to set the key directions (governance) of a school within centrally provided guidelines.

The Independent Public School board is a signatory to the Delivery and Performance Agreement with the Principal and Director General. There is also an expectation that the board participates in the external review of the school that is undertaken by the Department of Education Services in the final year of the Delivery and Performance Agreement.

An unincorporated board uses approved terms of reference to define its way of working and to meet the requirements of the legislation. Please find the most current information pack and FAQ available here: <https://www.education.wa.edu.au/school-councils-boards>

Who is on the school board?

There are three possible categories of membership:

A mandated elected Parent category. More than one third of the total members must be from this Category – in our case, 5.

A mandated elected Department of Education employee category. Members of this category may make up no more than one third of the total membership of school Board – in our case, 3.

An optional Community Member category. Its members are appointed by a decision of the Board because of their special skills, interests or experiences – in our case, 2.

Why is Parent membership so important?

Parents on a school board provide important viewpoints and have valuable skills that can help shape the direction of the school.

How can you become involved?

Nominate or vote! Ballots are only held if more people nominate as candidates than there are positions vacant.

Do I need special experience to be on school board?

No. What you do need is an interest in your child's school and the desire to work in partnership with others to help shape the school's future.

Induction

There is an induction for new members prior to the first meeting with the Chair and principal. Further training is available upon request. Ongoing support is provided throughout the tenure as members become aware with the governance role.

Frequency & Time of Meetings

Meetings are held once per term between weeks 6-8 on a Monday evening commencing at 5.30pm and lasting for a maximum of 2 hours.

What do you need to do to stand for election?

If you decide to stand for election, please complete the nomination form and submit to the Manager Corporate Services or Principal via email or in hard copy. Department of Education employees whose child is enrolled in a school in which they are not employed are eligible to nominate as parents for the School Board where their child is enrolled.

If there are more nominations received than there are vacancies on the School Board, a ballot will be conducted during the weeks after the call for nominations has closed.

Remember

Ask at the school for information if you would like to stand for nomination/election and are not sure what to do.

Be sure to vote in the elections.

Contact the Principal, Manager Corporate Services or current Chair for more information.

Your sincerely

Principal

