



**BEACONSFIELD**  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

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# The Beacon

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

**October 19** – Year 6 Social Dance Lessons commence

**October 22** – Room 12 Assembly

Interschool Numero

P&C Quiz night

**October 26** – Interschool athletics jumps & throws.

Think U Know – Parent presentation at 6.30pm

P&C meeting 8:00pm

**October 29** – Interschool Athletics track

## Dear Beaconsfield Primary School Community

Welcome back to Term 4. It is wonderful to be back and we are mindful of how quick the year is progressing. This has been compounded by the fact that we are in the process of organising Year 6 graduation activities – where has the time gone?

On Tuesday 26 October, we will be hosting a Think U Know parent session. The program is a partnership between the Australian Federal Police, State Police, Microsoft and other organisations, and aimed at addressing topics, such as online grooming and exploitation. As a school, we are frequently dealing with issues created by students accessing inappropriate material or engaging in activities, out of school hours, that place them at risk. I urge all parents to attend, no matter what age their child is, so that as a community, we can proactively address this. The Year 3-6 students will also be engaged in sessions with local police throughout the week, which will complement and reinforce the messages from the parent session.

Attached to the newsletter Connect Notice is our Class Placement Policy. This has been written to provide clarity around the processes undertaken when placing students into classes each year. Should you have a request, based on the educational needs of your child for 2022, this can be made to me, in writing, prior to Friday, 5 November. All requests will be taken under consideration alongside the professional judgement of staff.

Have a great weekend.

**Kirsten Dicker**  
Principal

## Student Leaders

Students from Years 2-5 have today heard information about the process for 2022 Student Leaders. Further information will be posted to Connect. If parents have any questions about this, please speak to Amy Borrill or the administration team.

## Fremantle Biennale

Our Year 4 students are currently working with the team from the Fremantle Biennale to create a site-responsive art installation. They have engaged with elders and artists to understand the site at the Swan River. The culmination will be the decoration of the sails of a vessel which will take part in the festival. Please see the organiser's unique request below, to be part of the festival.



## Seeking Skipper for small sail boat!

Year 4 and 5 students from a number of local schools have been working on a project for the Fremantle Biennale designing sails for a small sail boat (see image below). The boat will be sailed as part of a performance for the Biennale, and we are looking for a competent skipper to bring this project to life! The skipper will need to rig the boat, perhaps will participation / support from students, and then sail for approx. 30 to 45 minutes, departing from John Tonkin Reserve, East Fremantle.

Dates: Saturday 6 and Saturday 13 November

Time: Rigging boat from 8am, Sailing from 9 - 9:45am

Location: John Tonkin Reserve, East Fremantle



## Remembrance Day – Defence Force Personnel

Beaconsfield Primary School would like to shine a light on our community defence force personnel by recognising them on Remembrance Day, in Week 5 of this term. We hope to collate some information to share with the students about experiences, commitments and memories of serving in the forces. If you are happy to share your story, please email Bec Tibbels ([Rebecca.Tibbels@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Rebecca.Tibbels@education.wa.edu.au)) or express your interest at the front office.

## Room 17

Room 17 have been busy researching habitats in Australia. In partners they made a 3D model of their chosen habitat. It included living things, non-living things and once-living things. A short presentation was then prepared and delivered to the class explaining what was made. Well done Room 17!



## Coding Club at Beaconsfield

Come join Fire Tech Australia in Term 4 for an awesome adventure in coding for Years 1 through to 4. Students will learn all about the world of coding and even designing their own games. The club runs every Wednesday from week 2 to week 9, 3.15pm-4.15pm.

## Room 16 – Travel Safety Role Plays

At the end of last term, students from Room 16 performed their travel safety role plays to the Year 1 students in Room 8. After a busy term exploring passenger, pedestrian, bike, road and train safety the students combined their knowledge to collaboratively script and perform plays that sent a very important message to their younger peers. The students did a fantastic job, showcasing their understanding brilliantly and revealing their true star qualities. Well done everyone and thank you to Room 8 for being such a captive audience.



**AFTER+ SCHOOL// CLUBS\_**

firetech  
www.firetechcamp.com.au

Term 4  
**\$260**

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 3:15PM TO 4:15PM

8 SESSIONS (START DATE: OCT 20TH - END DATE: DEC 8TH)

2 CLASSES AVAILABLE (Y1-Y2 & Y3-Y4)

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## LEARN BALL SKILLS

- Easy to join, fun to play
- Inclusive program for all abilities
- Outdoors non-contact

### JUNIOR BLASTERS

**AGES 5-7 | 60 MINS | 6+ WEEKS**

- Learn ball skills, including catching, throwing and teamwork, through fun game-based activities.
- Sign up now for your Starter Kit.
- Returning Junior Blasters score a Returner Kit with a ball, a backpack + one free add-on.



**STARTER KIT**      **RETURNER KIT**

### MASTER BLASTERS

**AGES 7-10 | 90 MINS | 6+ WEEKS**

- Everyone gets a chance to bat, bowl and field in short, modified games of cricket.
- For kids with basic cricket skills.
- Sign up now for your Master Blasters Kit featuring a drink bottle and cap!



**MASTER BLASTERS KIT**



**JOIN YOUR NEAREST CLUB**      **HILTON PARK JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB**

Contact Wayne | 0419 933 385 | [wayne@hiltonpark.com.au](mailto:wayne@hiltonpark.com.au)      **REGISTER @ [play.cricket.com.au](http://play.cricket.com.au) & search Hilton**

JUNIOR BLASTERS | FRI 4:30pm - 5:30pm      All equipment is provided, & you will learn the skills through game based activities and modified games

MASTER BLASTERS | FRI 5:30pm - 6:45pm

LOCATION: Dick Lawrence Oval, Beaconsfield

**CRICKET IS A SPORT FOR GIRLS & BOYS, OF ALL ABILITIES - NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!**



**Play Cricket**

**OFFICIAL KIDS PROGRAM**




**FREE 'COME & TRY' SESSION**  
**HILTON PARK JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB**  
 FRIDAY, 15<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER | 4:30PM - 5:30PM @ DICK LAWRENCE OVAL



**FOR GIRLS AND BOYS**  
**\*\* No experience necessary \*\***  
 We will teach you through game based activities  
 Play with soft balls & plastic bats

## JOIN WITH FRIENDS PLAY TOGETHER


Join Woolworths Cricket Blast  
 A safe way to have fun and stay active for kids of all abilities.

**JOIN YOUR NEAREST CLUB**

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Applecross Senior High School Presents

## Young Masters 2021

GATE VISUAL ARTS MINI-COURSE



Year 5 aspiring GATE Visual Arts applicants are invited to experience the Gifted & Talented Visual Arts program workshops at Applecross Senior High through a mini-course offered across three Saturdays & workshops!

**OCT 30 + NOV 6 + NOV 13**

Welcome the Noongar season Kambarang, and its explosion of native flowers and colours, by developing three themed artworks in three skill development workshops:

**PAINTING + PRINTMAKING**  
 + **DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY & ILLUSTRATION!**

**LOCATION:** Applecross Senior High School 'A' BLOCK ART DEPT entry via Ardessie St, Ardross, pedestrian gate. NO ENTRY from Links Road gates.  
**TIME:** 9.00 - 12.00 (including a 30 min recess break)  
**BYO:** water bottle, snacks if needed (our special art canteen can be accessed 10.30 - 11am if desired)  
**DRESS:** please wear closed in shoes and casual clothes.  
**COURSE COST:** \$130. Includes tuition and all materials.  
**BOOKINGS & PAYMENT:** to be made via Qkr by **FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER**  
*PLEASE NOTE Placements are strictly limited to YEAR 5 students only & fill up fast!*

1. Head to <https://qkr-store.qkrschool.com/store/#/home>
2. Sign up if you do not already have a Qkr account
3. Search for Applecross Senior High School
4. Select the mini-course
5. Select "Non Applecross Student" for both Year and Care Group
6. Complete payment details to confirm booking

Preferred Payment Method

