



# Scarborough Primary School Newsletter:

**Issue 15 - 18 October 2024**

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**Photo acknowledgement: Dion Robeson (first 2 photos)**

## Upcoming Events and Reminders

### **October**

**22** - P&C Meeting 6:30pm

**25** - Canteen Closed

- Dental Screening for PP, Years 3 & 6
- Choir Pizza Party & Practise - 4:30pm to 7:00pm

**26** - Wembley Down Show - Taiko Drumming Performance

**31** - Massed Choir Rehearsal @ HBF Stadium

### **November**

**2** - Massed Choir Concert @ HBF Stadium

**6** - Kindy Open Sessions for 2025

- Student Leadership Lunch @ Parliament House

**15** - P&C Disco

## Term 4 Planner

WEEK	MON	TUE	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 Oct	7 Oct Staff Development Day	8 Students commence Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	9 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	10	11 Canteen Closed	12	13
2	14 Choir 2:30-3:30	15 Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	16 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	17 Surfing 7:45am	18 Canteen Closed	19	20
3	21 Choir 2:30-3:30	22 P&C Meeting 6:30pm Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	23 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	24 Surfing 7:45am	25 Canteen Closed Dental Screening for PP, Yrs 3 & 6  Choir Pizza Party & Practise 4:30-7:00pm	26 Wembley Downs Show	27
4 Oct/ Nov	28 Choir 2:30-3:30	29 Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	30 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	31 Surfing 7:45am  Massed Choir Rehearsal	1 Nov	2 Massed Choir Concert	3
5	4 Choir 2:30-3:30	5 Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	6 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm Kindy 2025 Open Sessions Student Leadership Lunch: Parliament House	7 Surfing 7:45am	8 PP Games afternoon	9	10
6	11 Music Assembly TBC Choir 2:30-3:30	12 Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	13 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	14 Surfing 7:45am	15 P&C Disco PP Koala incursion	16	17
7	18 Kindy A Concert Choir 2:30-3:30	19 Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	20 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	21 Kindy B Concert Surfing 7:45am Your Move Whole School Community Breakfast	22 Churchland SHS Transition	23	24
8 Nov/ Dec	25 Choir 2:30-3:30	26 Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	27 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	28	29 PP Messy Day	30	1 Dec
9	2 A Block Christmas Concert (TBC)	3 Taiko Beginner 3-4pm	4 Taiko Adv. 3-4pm	5 YourMove Deck Your Ride Christmas style	6 P&C Colour Run Reports emailed home	7	8
10	9 B Block Christmas Concert (TBC)	10 Graduation 1:45pm	11	12 Student's last day 2024	13 Staff Development Day	14	15

Students return on Wednesday 5 February, 2025

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL



Dear Community,

Welcome back for Term 4. As always, we have a busy time ahead, most excitingly, the return of end of year concerts now that we have our undercover area back! Please read on for details.

### Positive Behaviour Support

At Scarborough PS we are committed to the implementation of a whole school approach to Positive Behaviour Support for engagement and learning. Our approach aligns academic and behavioural systems to create an emphasis on explicitly teaching, monitoring and rewarding appropriate behaviour.

**A behaviour is a behaviour**, PBS views inappropriate behaviour in the same manner that problems in reading or mathematics are viewed ... as a skill deficit. It builds on and integrates a range of existing strategies to improve behaviour, learning and safety. It's a proactive approach whereby expected behaviours are explicitly taught and modelled allowing students to make better choices.

Like academic skills that have been learned initially, social skills must be practised regularly and acknowledged/reinforced frequently for mastery, sustained use and generalised applications to be realised.

This year our PBS Committee have been working hard to develop some explicit programs, resources and initiatives to support our student's understandings of good choices and how to make them. This supports our Positive Behaviour Policy that can be found on our website. Some of these initiatives are outlined below.



## Behaviour Matrix

With input from staff, students and our School Board, the PBS Committee has developed a matrix of desired behaviours under the 3 school values of **Respect, Responsibility and Commitment**.

These expectations and procedures are a vision of responsible student behaviour and social competence. Agreed upon expectations and procedures promote consistency across staff, students and the wider community through a common language and assists educators to be proactive in recognising students behaving responsibly. The systematic teaching of the expected behaviours and procedures will be a routine part of the school day.

Later in the term a parent version of the matrix will be sent home. The matrix will also be shared with Camp Australia, our OHSC providers.

Currently we are focussing on the value **Respect**. Our current focus behaviour is ***We wait our turn to speak in class discussions***. Staff will be looking to hand out house tokens and rewards for students who let others finish speaking, do not interrupt or call out, use a signal to speak and show active listening.

## Scarborough Primary School Mascot

Last term, students were given the opportunity to design a mascot that reflected our school motto of Strive and our school values of Respect, Responsibility and Commitment. Entries have closed and there were a fantastic number of entries with many wonderfully creative ideas. The finalists have been decided, and we will advise every one of the winners' names shortly. Well done to all who entered, you showed real Scarborough Primary School values of commitment, responsibility, and respect in your work for this competition. Stay tuned for details of our new mascot in a future newsletter.

## Choir and Taiko

This year our choir and taiko drumming students have been practicing hard and term 4 brings several opportunities for them to showcase their efforts.

- Both the choir and taiko groups will be performing at the Wembley Downs Fair Saturday 26 October at the stage near the Scouts Club for anyone attending who might want to come and watch. The choir will be performing at 12:30 pm and the Taiko drummers at 1:35 pm
- The choir will also be performing at the WA Massed Choir Festival on Saturday 2 November at HBF Stadium.
- Some of the more experienced Taiko drummers have been invited to perform with Mrs Bird's Taiko group in the Channel 7 Christmas Pageant on Saturday 7 December.

On a side note, Mrs Bird will be part of the Taiko performance at the Telethon Family Fun Day this Sunday 20 October, outside the RAC Arena near the tennis courts from approx 10:15 am - 11:00 am. If anyone is attending make sure you stop by and give her a wave!

## School Board

Last week we had our first board meeting for term 4. We welcome Ms Shannon McKenzie to the board and look forward to her valued input.

We have had one more Parent Representative position open up .You will need to be a parent at Scarborough Primary School in 2024 to be eligible.

Should there be more nominations than vacant positions, all parents will be offered the opportunity to vote. Candidates will then be asked to provide a 250 word brief and a portrait style photograph to include on the voting slip. Members of the Board may hold office for a term not exceeding three years. New members of the Board will undertake training and will have a mentor allocated to assist with induction onto the Board. If you are interested, please email to Sarah.Dawson@education.wa.edu.au<sup>1</sup> or express your interest in person to the front office. Nominations close at **3:00 pm, Friday 25 October 2024.**

The Board's role is required to help the school deliver a quality education experience to our children by:

- establishing and reviewing the goals, priorities and policies of the School at a strategic level;
- supporting the development of our School Business Plan;
- planning for and endorsing School budgets;
- evaluating the performance of our School in achieving the goals set; and
- promoting our Schools within community.

If you have any queries or would like to discuss the role further, please don't hesitate to contact me.

#### **Term 4**

Please keep reading for some initial information about some upcoming Term 4 events to help with your planning.

- **Canteen Shut Weeks 1-3**
- **Booklists:** these have been noted by the School Board and will be distributed shortly.
- **End of Year Concerts/ Award presentations:**
  - Kindy A: Monday 18 November
  - Kindy B: Thursday 21 November
  - Christmas Concert 1 (ECE 1&2, B1 – B4): Monday 2 December from 1:45 pm
  - Christmas Concert 2 (B5, A2 -5): Monday 9 December from 1:45 pm
- **Year 6 Graduation** will be held on Tuesday, December 10 at 1:30 pm.
- **Colour Fun Run:** This P&C event will be held on Friday 6 December.
- **Reports** will be emailed home on Friday 6 December.
- **Last day for students** is Thursday 12 December.

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As always, if you have any queries, please do not hesitate to call, or email me on [Sarah.Dawson@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Sarah.Dawson@education.wa.edu.au)<sup>2</sup>

Sarah Quantock

Principal

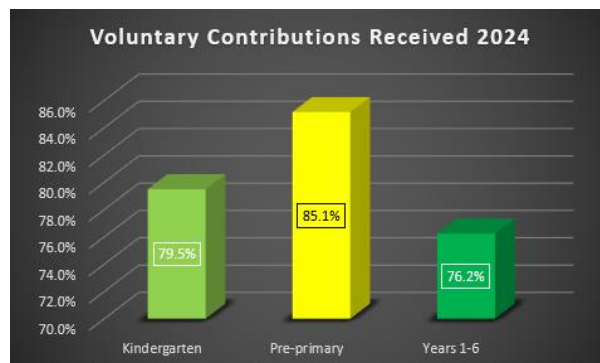
## School Group Photos - Years 5 & 6



School group photos for Years 5 & 6 (house captains, councillors ect), can be ordered through the Fotoworks website. You can use the access key previously provided to purchase individual photos. Once you are logged in select the "Sports & Specials" tab to view the photos. If you no longer have a copy of your access key please email [scarborough.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:scarborough.ps@education.wa.edu.au).

## Voluntary Contributions

A big thank you to all families who have already paid their contributions. Your family's contribution will go directly towards the purchase of resources and consumables needed in the provision of learning program activities.



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## Traffic Warden Unavailable Monday & Tuesday Next Week



The Traffic Warden who works at the Children's Crossing on Scarborough Beach Road, near Hinderwell Street is unable to work Monday the 21st and Tuesday the 22nd of October.

Unfortunately they have no relief staff available to cover the position. Please take appropriate action and be vigilant whilst crossing without a warden present.



## P&C Update



Hello SPS Families, welcome back to Term 4! We have a jam-packed term to round out the year with a disco, a colour run, and a very special Christmas fundraiser- details to come!

If you haven't already, stay in the loop by following our Instagram account @scarboroughprimarypc<sup>3</sup>

### My School Connect

We are thrilled to introduce the new online ordering system for the canteen, uniform shop and events. My School Connect will be your one stop shop for all things P&C. Register your account via the link: <https://myschoolconnect.com.au/login>

**\*You will no longer be able to use Quik Cliq to order school lunches. ALL ORDERS MUST BE PLACED THROUGH MY SCHOOL CONNECT.** If you have a credit on your account for QuikcliQ you can receive a refund by following the steps on the image below.

See here<sup>4</sup> for some FAQs and don't be afraid to get in touch if you need some help to set up your account.

### School Disco

Get your dancing shoes on and bust out your moves at the P&C 2024 School Disco! Hosted by Bop till you Drop, join us for a fun night of dancing, games, prizes, music & lights. There will be a tuck shop open with snacks and glow sticks, all items will be \$1.

Friday 15 November in the undercover area at Scarborough Primary School

**Kindy - Year 2:** 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

**Year 3-6:** 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Tickets on sale now for \$10 each via My School Connect (Events)

**\*Please note this is an alcohol free event and a nominated parent/guardian is responsible for supervision at all times\***

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered their time to help organise and supervise the event. We can't do it without you!

### Colour Run

Get your Colour on, Scarborough Primary School P&C is hosting a Colour Explosion Run 4 Fun!

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<sup>3</sup><https://www.instagram.com/scarboroughprimarypc/>

<sup>4</sup><https://myschoolconnect.com.au/faqs>

Our Colour Explosion Run 4 Fun will be on Friday 6 December, after lunch (time will be confirmed closer to date). Not only are we hosting an awesome Colour Explosion Run 4 Fun, but students can also win up to 15 unique prizes by fundraising via online sponsorship donations.

Students can set up their cybersafe, online fundraising profile at [www.australianfundraising.com.au](http://www.australianfundraising.com.au)<sup>5</sup>.

This is an entirely online fundraiser; all cash donations must be converted to online donations to redeem your prizes.

### **Extra Incentives to Fundraise!**

- Online Golden Coins – complete fun online tasks to redeem an extra \$75 towards your prize credit.
- Monty the Monstar's Bonus Prizes – achieve milestones to unlock Monty's bonus prizes.
- \$10,000 Budget Booster Bonanza Spending Spree for one organisation's highest fundraising student
- Our school will win an extra \$5,000 if we have the highest average fundraised amount per student in 2024.
- A Play Station 5 Gaming Bundle – see your child's sponsorship booklet for more!

For more information, please contact Scarborough Primary School P&C at [scarboroughprimarypc@gmail.com](mailto:scarboroughprimarypc@gmail.com). Happy fundraising!

### **2025 Planning**

There are only 2 meetings left for 2024, so it is a great time to come along and see what the P&C is all about. With many of our executive team standing aside, we will need new members to take the reins (with some guidance from the outgoing team of course!).

Additionally, if you have an idea for an event or a fundraiser for 2025, let us know either by email or by coming to a meeting.

### **Next meeting**

Our next meeting will be on Monday 21 October at 6:30 pm in the meeting room near the school office. All parents are welcome to join the P&C! If there is a fundraising event, or an item we could provide to the school, that you would like to suggest, please get in touch or come to our next meeting.

If you would like to be added to our mailing list to receive the agenda and minutes for our meetings, or have a suggestion, send us an email! [scarboroughprimarypc@gmail.com](mailto:scarboroughprimarypc@gmail.com)<sup>6</sup>

You can also check our Facebook page<sup>7</sup> for important updates!

The P&C now have an Instagram page [@scarboroughprimarypc](https://www.instagram.com/scarboroughprimarypc/)<sup>8</sup>. Give us a follow to stay in the loop about upcoming events.

### **Uniform Shop**

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<sup>5</sup><https://www.australianfundraising.com.au>

<sup>6</sup><mailto:scarboroughprimarypc@gmail.com>

<sup>7</sup><https://www.facebook.com/ScarboroughPrimaryP&C/>

<sup>8</sup><https://www.instagram.com/scarboroughprimarypc/>

The Uniform Shop is open on Wednesday mornings **8:40 am to 9:15 am** at the canteen window, accessible at the back of the undercover area.

If you have any unwanted items, please donate them to the uniform shop on Wednesday mornings, or to the office during office hours to be added to our second hand stock.

Orders can also be placed through My School Connect, for delivery to your child's classroom or to the office for collection (please indicate your preference).

### **Canteen**

**Please be advised that the canteen will be closed for weeks 1-3 of Term 4. Remember to pack a lunch from home for these days!**

The canteen will reopen on Friday 1 November. **Ordering will now be through My School Connect with orders closing at 8:00 am on Friday mornings.** If you forget to order by this time, please organise your child's lunch from home or elsewhere. In emergency situations, a simple sandwich will be provided by the front office as already happens on non-canteen days.

### **Entertainment Book**

Looking for ways to save on the cost of living? An Entertainment Membership is the perfect solution whilst supporting our fundraiser! Purchase a Membership today and not only will you unlock up to \$20,000 in savings, but you will also:

- Save \$50 with a BONUS Multi City Membership Upgrade
- Save \$20 with a BONUS \$20 WISH eGift Card\*

Hurry, this offer is only available for a limited time:

Order Here - <https://subscribe.entertainment.com.au/fundraiser/86y129>

### **CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE**

We also fundraise through the Containers for Change initiative. Simply donate at a refund point of your choosing and quote our **Scheme ID C10284773**. If you prefer to attend a Reverse Vending Machine location please use the barcode below. This may be your preference if you have a larger donation and be rest assured that the money goes back to the P&C.




## Your one stop P&C shop!



**TUCKSHOP**

- View menu and order online from your phone
- Set up a Wallet and top up funds
- Place orders in advance, repeat prior orders and more!
- Fees: 55c per child, per order + 1.9% if using credit card



**UNIFORM**

- Order online for collection or delivery to class
- See out of stock items
- Fees: 55c per child, per order + 1.9% if using credit card



**EVENT**

- Buy tickets to school events
- Find information about events
- Easy online payments
- Fees: 2.5% booking fee per ticket



**REGISTER NOW**



[myschoolconnect.com.au/login](https://myschoolconnect.com.au/login)

**IT'S DISCO TIME!**  
@ Scarborough Primary

**Friday 15 November**  
K-Y2 4:30 – 5:30pm  
Y3-6 6:00 – 7:30pm

**Undercover Area**  
Scarborough Primary

**TICKETS: \$10**  
Purchase via the QR code  
Or link below

<https://myschoolconnect.com.au/register>



**GLow STICKS \$1**

**TUCK SHOP**  
Chips  
Juice  
Killer pythons  
Zoooper doopers  
ALL \$1





LOGIN



### Cancelling account

- Click on the PROFILE tab
- Navigate to box entitled Account Balance Refund and Close Account
- Select Close Account – this action will also request a refund of any existing credit left on the account

## Community Links

The advertising material in the Community News<sup>9</sup> section on the school website does not represent endorsement by Scarborough Primary School. For further information please contact the company directly.



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<sup>9</sup>[https://aus01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fscarboroughps.wa.edu.au%2Fnews-events%2Fcommunity-news%2F&data=05|02|Sarah.Dawson%40education.wa.edu.au|83c9dfad37a14cd4727b08dc2948f502|e08016f9d1fd4cbb83b0b76eb4361627|0|0|638430640542274184|Unknown|TWfpgZsb3d8eyJWljoimc4wLjAwMDAiLCJQljoiv2luMzliLCJBTiI6lk1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D|0||&sdata=ljYN7yLTRAmt1judHSrQ4bcJuOm0t5iKPp3xi%2FRefSg%3D&reserved=0](https://aus01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fscarboroughps.wa.edu.au%2Fnews-events%2Fcommunity-news%2F&data=05%202%20Sarah.Dawson%40education.wa.edu.au%2083c9dfad37a14cd4727b08dc2948f502%20e08016f9d1fd4cbb83b0b76eb4361627%200%20638430640542274184%20Unknown%20TWfpgZsb3d8eyJWljoimc4wLjAwMDAiLCJQljoiv2luMzliLCJBTiI6lk1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%20%20%20&sdata=ljYN7yLTRAmt1judHSrQ4bcJuOm0t5iKPp3xi%2FRefSg%3D&reserved=0)



# SURF ONLINE SAFE

## SCHOOL COMMUNITY PRESENTATION

With Paul Litherland

**31 OCTOBER 2024**  
**6.30pm - 8.00pm**

**Churchlands Senior High School**  
**Paul Latham Auditorium**

**Tickets \$6.50**

**COVERING THESE TOPICS**

- Frontline Knowledge - My experiences, insight and knowledge working at the coalface of juvenile internet use for the past 13 years.
- Digital Citizenship - Where our kids are going online, the Apps they are using and the information they are sharing.
- Online Footprint - How easy it is to find kids online and what they can do to minimise their risk.
- Social Networking & Networking in general - How the systems work and how to overcome their reach.
- Online Gaming and Website Use - Risks and uses.
- Sexting and Sextortion - Trends, risks and up to date stats regarding this issue.
- Tips & Tricks - How to keep an eye on your kids through software and hardware. Easy instructions on what we can do to keep them safe.



 **Kapinara**  
PRIMARY SCHOOL  
CITY BEACH

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