We would like to acknowledge the Whadjuk Nyungar people who are the traditional custodians of the land on which Beehive is situated.

**Important Date**

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**Corroboree**

- 12 Feb 8.50am – 9.30am - Christine
- 19 Feb 8.50am – 9.30am - Sam
- 26 Feb 8.50am – 9.30am - Lydia
- 4 Mar 8.50am – 9.30am - Rita
- 11 Mar 8.50am – 9.30am - Bronwyn
- 18 Mar 8.50am – 9.30am – Jess & Brendan
- 24 Mar 8.50am – 9.30am – Maria
- 1 Apr 8.50am – 9.30am – Lucy
- 7 Apr 8.50am – 9.30am - Carolyn

Please note that parents are welcome to attend to watch their own children.

**Laundry**

The Peca family is responsible for laundry on 12 February 2016 and the Phillips family on 19 February 2015. Please collect from La Casa D’Oro on Friday at pick-up time.

**School Car Park**

The school car parks are to be used by staff and parents with permits. Please do not use it for drop offs for older children. If you have a baby and require a permit please enquire at the office.
From the Principal
Welcome back to school.
It was wonderful to see the children skip into school, so happy to be here. The teachers are rested and raring to go and I am looking forward to a wonderful 2016 together.

Welcome to New Families
We would like to welcome the following families and children to the school who have started with us:
*Lennart Tenten & Tina Case with Noa, and Peter & Kylie Adams with Xavier who started in LCDP, Carolyn’s class and Jorja who started in LCDL, Bronwyn’s class.
*Shaun & Gemma Bradley with Jasmine who started in LCDL, Bronwyn’s class.
*Mike Rowe & Fiona Hook with Conall and Antony Smith & Anna Forehan with Atticus who started in LCDT, Jess & Brendan’s class.
*Justin & Lucy Clarkson Fletcher with Dylan and Chris & Sarah Lawrence with Mia who started in LCDF, Rita’s class.
*Miles Openshaw & Amanda O’Donovan with Xavier who started in LCDC, Maria’s class.
*Trent & Nadia Norrish with Kaiden who started in LCC, Lydia’s class.
*Brad & Kaisha Kneebone with Brooklyn who started in LCDG, Lucy’s class.

We also welcome Nicholas Surjan younger brother of Alex who started in LCDN, Christine’s class.

Middle and Upper Primary Orientation – 27th February, 2016 8.45am – 1.00pm
The Middle and Upper Primary Orientation Day is essential for the parents of students who have recently transitioned, are likely to transition this year, or primary parents new to the school. Notices have been sent to transition parents and those who have not yet attended a Primary Orientation Day, however if you did not receive a note and would like to attend please let the office know.
Please commit to attending on 27th February, as the next Primary Orientation will not be until next year and you will miss out on important information about the curriculum and activities relevant to your child. Please RSVP by Wednesday 17th February.

Dawn Meader: Artist in Residence at Beehive
We are very excited to have one of our past parents come back to Beehive and work with all the children in the school to create a beautiful mural. Dawn will work with every student at the school so their work will be included in the final art work. We require volunteers between February 11th and March 4th. Please sign up at the office.

When we have finished and installed the mandalas we will have a little afternoon tea party to celebrate.

Beehive Sundowner Thursday 10th March, 2016 6.00pm to 7.30pm
Please join us for drinks and canapes on the Rooftop Garden Terrace watching the sun setting over the Indian Ocean.

We are looking for volunteers for this event to assist with set up and serve food and drinks. If you don’t have an RSA and would like to obtain one to assist at school events, the school is happy to fund this for you.
This is a wonderful opportunity to meet new people and especially make new parents welcome into our school.

Complimentary drink on arrival - Licensed Bar available.

Please email your RSVP to Jane Anderson office@beehive.wa.edu.au by 27th February, 2016. We look forward to your company.

Adolescent Programme Parent Evening Wednesday 16th March 7.00pm - 9.00pm
You are invited to this informative evening to see how the Beehive Montessori Adolescent Programme meets the developmental needs of adolescents. This information evening is open to any interested parents, but is particularly relevant to parents with children in Upper Primary.

Have a sneak preview of the Adolescent Programme here: http://www.beehive.wa.edu.au/classrooms/adolescent-program/
Please RSVP to the office by Wednesday 9th March. Students in Upper Primary are welcome to attend with their parents.

From the Teachers and General
Home Room Meetings
Home Room Meetings are coming up, and we encourage you to attend. Teachers will share information about this term as well as provide information regarding the camps coming up
soon. They will take place in your child’s classroom at 2.30pm. Students will play outside with the classroom assistants, for the duration of the meetings. Please check the term planner for the date of your meeting.

**Important Camp Information**

Please remember that all medical forms and payment for the Middle Primary and Upper Primary camps are due to the office by 24th February and 14th March respectively. It is essential we receive these well ahead of the camp dates. Medication (labelled) required by the students is to be given to your class teacher on Tuesday 1st March for Middle Primary, and Friday 18th March for Upper Primary.

**Working Bee Jobs:**

**Bean Hive Café**
The Bean Hive Café is open every morning during the school term from 8.00am. A special for 2016 is coffees are only $3.50 so come and meet our new Beehive Barista Brandon who makes an amazing morning coffee. Please contact Jane A. via email office@beehive.wa.edu.au if you would like to be on our roster to assist Brandon in the coffee shop for Term 1, 2016. This is a great Working Bee Job and we encourage your support to ensure the Bean Hive Café remains a success.

**Mail Pick Up**

We need a parent to pick up our mail on a Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. If you are interested please see Dee in the office. This will go towards your Working Bee Levy.

**Uniform Shop**

The Uniform shop will be open on Wednesdays and Fridays from 8.35am to 9.15am. We are looking for parents to volunteer to assist, please email Donna at queenbee.beeliner@gmail for further information. This is a working bee job.

**Asthma**

At the start of the new year it is important to review the Action Plans for students with asthma. If your child has asthma, even if it is mild, please provide the classroom teacher with a copy of a current Action Plan (signed by their doctor). As an Asthma Friendly School, we have Ventolin and spacers on site for emergency use, however if your child is diagnosed with asthma you need to provide their own in-date reliever medication (eg Ventolin) and spacer for school.

For more information visit the Asthma Foundation website [http://www.asthmaaustralia.org.au/wa/home](http://www.asthmaaustralia.org.au/wa/home)

**Head Lice**

It has been reported that there is head lice at the school. Please make sure that you check your child regularly.

**Sibling Enrolments**

Please complete an Application Form from the office if you have a sibling that is not yet enrolled.

**Harmony Day Friday 18th March, 2016**

The whole school will be celebrating Harmony Day, a day for celebrating Australia’s great diversity, on Friday 18th March. We would like everyone to dress up in National costume, to highlight and celebrate the wonderful diversity we have within our own school. We will also hold an ‘International Food Stall’ and would love contributions from families. More details will be sent soon.

**Across the Desk**

**Boa is back**

Boa will be selling her Thai food outside the office every Thursday at 3.00pm.

**Healthy Living**

If you are keen to learn how the powers of plants harnessed in essential oils can be used for healthy, safe and natural health, wellbeing and gourmet delights please join us at one of these upcoming classes. All classes held at 101A Harris St Bicton.

- **Intro to Raw Chocolate**
  Tuesday 16th Feb 10.00am – 12.00pm ($15.00)
- **Managing Kids Moods, Emotions & Sleep**
  Fri 19th Feb 10.00am – 12.00pm
- **Managing Stress, Anxiety, Moods and Sleep**
  Thursday 10th March 12.00pm – 2.00pm
- **Delicious Raw Salad Dressings, Smoothies and Snacks**
  Friday 11th March 6.00pm – 8.00pm
- **Intro to Raw Chocolate**
  Friday 18th March 10.00am – 12.00pm ($15.00)

For more information or to RSVP please contact Kirsty Watkins on 0400 884 022 or kirstenwatkins@gmail.com
The Freestyle Company
After School Hip Hop classes run by Edu-Dance teacher Dayna Osbourne are held on Mondays, Wednesday’s and Thursday’s. Please direct enquiries and enrolments to Email: thefreestyleco@hotmail.com, Mobile No: 0420 841 615 or website: www.thefreestylecompany.com.au

East Fremantle Soccer Club
The East Fremantle Soccer Club Open Day is Saturday 13th February from 9.00am – 12.00pm on the corner of Wauhop and Preston Point Road, East Fremantle. If you are interested please visit http://www.eastfreosoccer.org.au for more information.