YEAR SIX CAMP
The 2020 Medal of Courage for outstanding bravery, resilience, endeavour and all round amazing super student goes to Joshua.
He soldiered through camp stoically, enduring pain and illness. He was helpful and considerate of others, getting in and leading with great ideas. We applaud you, Josh!
By Madison and Marley

We had to check in at the Recruitment Station where we were given orders. The bellow of Drill Sergeant Gould called us to muster and we sounded off to show we were all present and ready for duty. Commander Cogan notified us that Prime Minister Scott Morrison had requested that we deploy our troops to the Bridgetown area to recover soldiers who had gone missing behind enemy lines...a task all platoons took seriously.

We were off and what an adventure it was! Our mission entailed many activities including canoeing, rafting, hiking and a challenge that took us through the township of Bridgetown. There were night manoeuvres of team games, hunting for rabbits and singing around the campfire. Some soldiers demonstrated exceptional skills like Private Robert with his dance moves and Private Ava with her ability to light fire with a flint.

We washed dishes, whittled sticks, toasted marshmallows and worked together to solve problems. We learnt to obey orders or suffered push-ups and we were responsible for military equipment like our bandanas. Some soldiers earned badges of honour for exceptional service whilst others worked on developing their interpersonal skills.

Our mission was a success with the recovery of all soldiers and we are sure we speak for everyone when we say that camp was the most awesome experience ever!!! Even though some of us were nervous about leaving our families behind we overcame our fears to build friendships, learn new skills and grow our independence. We found courage that we didn’t think we had.

A big thank you to Commander Cogan and our Drill Sergeants: Mr Gould, Mrs Elward, Mrs Dahlstrom, Mr Loxton and Mrs Knight for their organisation, discipline, care and, most importantly, giving us a memory we will never forget.

Platoons Dismissed!
Adam Road students shine again. Our interschool athletics team competed in the annual interschool carnival on Monday 17 November at the Bunbury Athletics Track.

The team did an outstanding job of representing our school with special mentions to Makayla who won Year 4 Champion Girl and Jovi who won Year 6 Runner Up Girl. Equally impressive were the group of Year 6 students who after helping to dismantle our school shade structures offered to go and assist other schools to do the same. They finished up helping four other schools off their own initiative. This is yet another example of what a great group of Year 6s we have this year. They have set a wonderful example for all students in our school and have been excellent ambassadors when representing our school.

As the end of the year approaches all students have been reminded of the importance of adhering to our school values on every day of the school year, right from the first day to the last. I have huge confidence that the vast majority of our students will do this and we will all be able to enjoy the end of year celebrations that come with graduations and awards presentations.  

GUY ASSER  
PRINCIPAL

INTERSchOLL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Congratulations to all members of our interschool team. You did Adam Road proud!

Jovi = Year 6 Runner-up Champion Girl  
Makayla = Year 4 Champion girl
NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS
What’s been happening in Japanese?

Book Week – Origami Cicadas

Book Week was week two this term which highlighted the book ‘Searching for Cicadas’. To celebrate the Nihongo Kuraba (Japanese Club) students made origami cicadas.

Nihongo Kurabu – Japanese Club

Every Wednesday students from all year levels come to the Japanese room to participate in Japanese cultural activities.

In the lead up to the Athletics Carnival we made Japanese Hachimakis – good luck head bands. Students in Japan wear these head bands to help them perform well in exams, sporting events and festivals.

Last week was NAIDOC Week so we looked at the Indigenous people of Japan called the AINU. We did some mindfulness colouring while decorating traditional AINU motifs and designs.

What we have been learning

Year 5s have been working hard on learning language for a shopping/restaurant role play in Japanese.

Year 4s have been learning how to say, read & write sentences in Japanese script about free-time and daily activities.

Year 3s have been learning about Japanese seasons and asking and answering questions about favourite seasons.
BOOK CLUB

ORDERS CLOSE FRIDAY 20 NOVEMBER

Thanks to your support Adam Road Primary School will receive $270 worth of free books and resources for our school library from Issue 7 of Book Club.

Book Club provides families with an affordable and convenient way to bring the best in children’s literature into their homes. Each issue contains curated, age-appropriate titles that have been carefully selected and levelled by a dedicated team of professional booklovers. In each issue there are books for as low as $1.

View the catalogue and place your orders at https://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx

No cash please - all orders placed must be pre-paid.
Payment methods include;
Online - LOOP instructions are on order form (no need to return order forms).
Cheque - make payable to Scholastic and bring order forms with name, room number and cheque to the Library.

If you have any questions or require help to place an order, please contact Mrs Taylor in the library.

THE RIGHT ANGLE

TAKE TWO

Have a go at this strategy game.
Place five counters in a row.
With a partner take turns, removing one or two counters each turn.
The person to remove the last counter is the winner.
Can you find a game strategy so that the first player always win?
Is this a fair game? (In a fair game, each player has an equal chance of winning)

Bad Maths Joke:
Q: Why don’t you do arithmetic in the jungle?
A: Because if you add 4+4 you get ate!

Take some photos while you’re working it out. If you email them to adamroad.ps@education.wa.edu.au, you may make it into the next newsletter!

P&C NEWS

This week, the P&C are trying their first virtual meeting on Zoom.
Most of our members care for children in the evening, and some find it challenging to attend a meeting in person.
We are hoping that Zoom will give more people in our community access to meetings.
If there are enough people interested, we can consider future meetings on Zoom.
If you would like to be part of the P&C Meeting, please join in at 6.20pm for 6.30pm this Wednesday 18 November using the link https://us04web.zoom.us/j/8504116211?pwd=cjhsV3NL1ZeN2xjaEdtTWZyV1RKZz09

If you are not a member please contact Adamroad.ps.pc@hotmail.com for an agenda and the previous meeting minutes.
We hope to see you there.
Sonia McNab
P&C President

BUNBURY INCLUSIVE FOOTBALL CARNIVAL

ALL WELCOME!

SATURDAY 6TH DECEMBER
FROM 8:30 AM
HAY PARK MULTI-SPORTS PAVILION
95 PARADE RD, WITHERS

ALL ABILITIES COACHING CLINIC
ANDERSON NOS JUNIOR TOURNAMENT
UNITED REDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE INVITATIONAL
STATE PARA SENIOR & JUNIOR EXHIBITION MATCHES

A carnival of football for the whole community, with all abilities competitions, clinics and exhibition matches.

CONTACT PETER: 0431 010 421
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Term 4 – Dates To Remember

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We are continuing last terms arrangements, where two guests per award recipient is invited to attend assembly. No others at this stage.

ASSEMBLY, FRIDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2.30PM

SPECIALIST AWARDS

Room 11 Xavier
Room 12 Abner
Room 12 Airlie
Room 12 Jaxon
Room 12 Stella
Room 13 Evaleigh
Room 19 Lauren
Room 19 Layla

MERIT CERTIFICATES

Congratulations to the following students who have demonstrated progress, achievement or the upholding of our school values in order to receive a Merit Certificate at the upcoming assembly. Parents are invited to watch your child receive their award.

PRE-PRIMARY
PP1   Onyx, Tyson
PP2   Ace, Mawake
PP3   Brock, Lila

YEAR 1
Room 1 Jake, Lillie
Room 2 James, Layla-Rose
Room 3 Aila, Madeline

YEAR 2
Room 4 Audrey
Room 6 Henry

YEAR 3
Room 6 Alfred, Annalu
Room 7 Victoria, Zofia
Room 17 Flynn, Kayla

YEAR 4
Room 11 Madalyn
Room 12 Lachlan, Leah, Liam

YEAR 5
Room 13 Brodi, Olivia

YEAR 6
Room 18 Azaria
Room 19 Bonnie
Room 21 Bethwyn, Jordyn

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A message from Rhiannon & Phillipa

OSHCLUB NEEDS YOUR HELP!

We are collecting all eligible 10 cent refund bottles and cans!

Last term Doreen Jones, a local wildlife rescuer, came and rescued an injured possum from OSHClub. We were lucky enough to see her a couple of times throughout the possum fiasco and she spoke with us about protecting and caring for our local wildlife. We were also fortunate to meet and hold 2 rescue joeys brought in by a volunteer carer from Roo Rescue WA. Did you know the volunteer joey carers pay for all the food and milk themselves?? It takes a lot of care, effort but especially money to care for animals. So, to say thank you for all that they do we wanted to raise some well-needed money so they can continue to help our local wildlife.

All we need from you is to rinse your cans/bottles and drop them in to us at OSHClub!

OSHClub News

With all the craziness going on around the world we felt it was even more important to be part of and celebrate NAIDOC Week. Following this year’s theme, Always Was Always Will Be, we had so many honest, open and meaningful discussions about why we celebrate NAIDOC Week, why it’s so important and what the statement Always Was, Always Will Be means. Using the colours of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flags we made bracelets to wear in celebration along with making our very own wooden NAIDOC badges too using beautifully illustrated Indigenous books as inspiration. We also used these books to design and paint some special rocks. We made our own Acknowledgement of Country which everyone at OSHClub signed with their name and thumb print to represent our promise to take care of the First Nations beloved land.

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All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is Free!! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.