



THORNLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Term 3 Week 8

Wednesday 10 September 2025

Together We Grow

GROWTH, RESPECT, OPPORTUNITY, WORTH

Welcome to All

Dear Parents and Carers

BOOK FAIR

A reminder that our Book Fair is currently underway and runs from September 8th – 10th in the school library. Parents and Carers are welcome to come in and take look before and after school on these days.

P&C MEETING

Our next P&C meeting will be held at 3.15pm on Friday September 12th in the staffroom. All parents and carers are welcome to attend.

ONE BIG VOICE

Congratulations to our students who recently attended the 'One Big Voice' event at RAC Arena. Our students thoroughly enjoyed the day and were wonderful ambassadors for our school on the day.

STUDENT ARRIVALS AT SCHOOL

A reminder to parents and carers that students should not be at school before 8.30am. When students arrive at school they need to be seated outside their classrooms. Thank you for your continued support.



Our whole school Faction Athletics Carnival this year will be held in Term 4.

The jump and throw events will be held on Wednesday October 22nd and the carnival on **Friday October 24th**.

SCHOOL BOARD – Parents Needed !!

We are looking for some new parents to join our School Board. We have two more meetings left for this year and I would welcome any parents who would like to join our board which provides parents with a really good look at how our school is performing and what it is providing for our students. Meetings are held in the staffroom each term from 9am in week 5 on Thursday's.

Please complete the form below and return it to the front office if you would like to become a member.

Lee Woodcock Principal

I _____ would like to nominate for the Thornlie Primary School Board in 2025

Please select one category:

Parent/Carer

☐

Staff Member

☐

Community Member

☐

I understand that all parent and community members of a school council/board are required to have a Nationally Coordinated Criminal History Check (NCCHC) through the Department's Screening Unit and be cleared before their position on the council/board can be confirmed.

I understand that if the school receives numerous nominations for positions then a formal election may need to be held.

Signature _____



Date _____

Parents/Caregivers

Please remember when taking photographs and videos of school assemblies and events that they are for your personal use only and CANNOT be uploaded to social media sites such as Facebook or websites such as YouTube. Thank you.

Congratulations to the following Students who received Honour Awards at our last Assembly.

EC2	Cing It Nuam, Adnan A
EC3	Zorawar S, Clayton C
Room 3	Jesse T, Sophia P
Room 4	Zaid Q, Joseph L
Room 6	Zara H, Eliah R
Room 8	Mustafa H, Rawan A
Room 10	Adan I, John L, Mahnaz
Room 11	Chevy J, Jamie T
Room 14	Arunvijay K, Abdulrahman A
Room 15	Srivanth L, Marwan G
Room 17	Danial I, Sofia M
Room 18	Marcelin K, Tyson B
Room 19	Hasanain S, Roujin F

fotoworks

School Photography

We Care

Your School Photo Day is

Wednesday 29 October 2025
Thursday 30 October 2025

Photo Envelopes will be sent home with Students next week.

USEFUL INFORMATION

School Hours: Monday 8.40am to 2.30pm
Tues -Fri 8.40am to 3.00pm

Please ensure all students are at school ready to commence the day at 8.40am and collected at 2.30pm or 3.00pm when the school siren sounds. Classroom doors open at 8.30am

Thornlie Primary School Bank Account
BSB 066 040 Account: 19901172 Commonwealth Bank

Dentist: Thornlie Primary School Ph: 9459 7540

School Office: **9232 3450**

Thornlie Intensive English Centre: **9232 3480**

Education Security Ph: 1800 177 177

Are you Changing Schools in 2026?

To assist with planning, we ask that if you intend on changing schools, that you inform the front office.

We understand it is early in the year for some people to be making this decision, however we need to ensure we can accommodate all students in 2026 and early notice would assist us.



The Thornlie Primary School Senior Choir performed at the One Big Voice Festival on Friday 29th August at the RAC Arena.

There were 68 members of our Choir selected from Year 3 to Year 6. They have worked so hard over the past few months to prepare ten songs for the festival and their dedication paid off.

They sung beautifully and many commented on how well behaved our school was on the day.

We are so proud of our Senior Choir. Well done!

CHAPLAINCY CORNER

Mrs Christine Thomas (Chaplain) is on Long Service Leave for the rest of the year.

For any Pastoral Care issues during this time, please contact the office on 9232 3450 to make an appointment with Mr Paul Lockyer or another staff member.

See you in 2026 ☺!

Christine Thomas
School Chaplain

This project was funded by the Australian Government Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations under the National School Chaplaincy and Student Welfare Program.



WELCOME

Hello! My name is Paul Lockyer, and I'm thrilled to be a support Chaplain here at Thornlie Primary School, whilst Christine takes a long-deserved break. I can't wait to meet and support the wonderful students, staff, and families here.



A Bit About Me.

I'm happily married to Jenny, and we have a lovely daughter named Sarah. In addition to being the support Chaplain here, I am the Chaplain at Brookman Primary School and also the Community Pastor of Thornlie Community Church. I run the food ministry that provides fresh food hampers to our local community. It's a role I'm passionate about because it allows me to make a real difference in people's lives.

In my free time, I love to explore nature by walking or camping. One of my favourite spots is the Canning River Regional Park. I'm also deeply wild about wildlife (yes, pun intended) and conservation. So much so, that I've been volunteering at Perth Zoo for the past decade. My favourite animal? Definitely, the numbat! Just a heads-up, if you ask me about them, I might go on and on.

I'm so excited to be part of the Thornlie Primary School community. I'm looking forward to working with all of you, building strong connections, and supporting you in any way I can. I'm here to bring my experience, my love for people, my passion for nature, and dedication to service to our school.

FACTION CARNIVAL

Training is well underway for this great event. The students are very keen and have been really enjoying the training.

Jumps and Throws will be held on Wednesday 22 October and the Carnival on Friday 24 October subject to the weather.

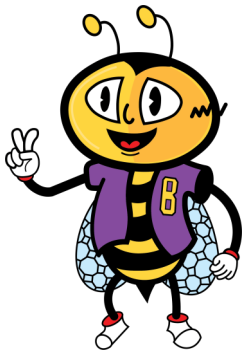
Please mark the date in your diaries, bring a picnic blanket, chair and pom poms to cheer your faction.

A friendly reminder to Parents and Carers to please refrain from entering the Student Bays on the Day. There will be designated areas for visitors. More Information to follow.

BUZ (Build Up Zone)

Thornlie Primary School is a BUZ school!

YouthCARE's BUZ (Build Up Zone) is a program designed to support the development of social and emotional competencies in primary-aged students. The suite of five programs covers topics such as friendship, cooperation and teamwork, resolving conflict, identifying and handling feelings, and responding to bullying.

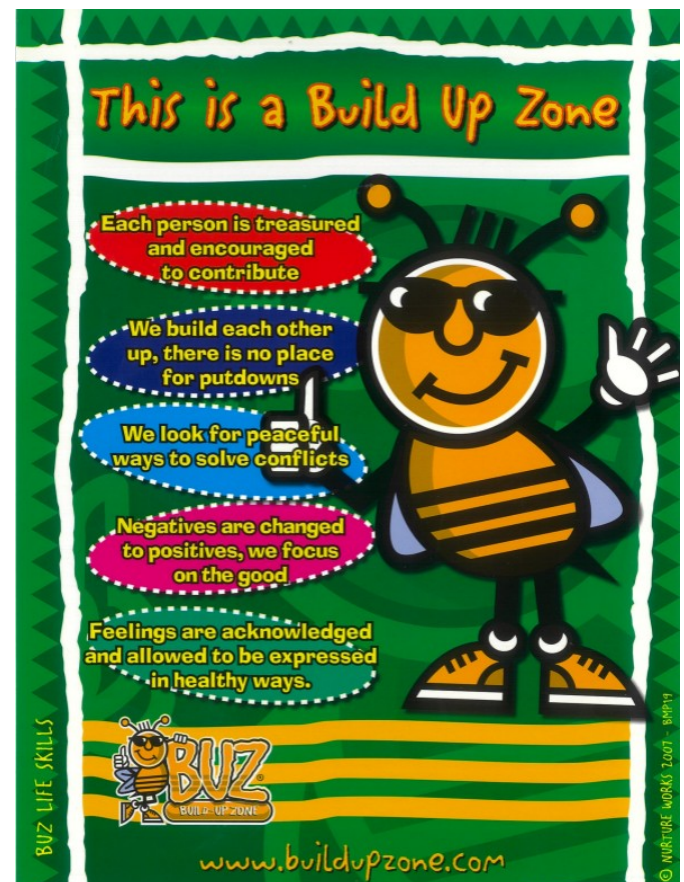


This strength-based program utilises games, activities and stories, engaging students as they learn about themselves and their peers.

Build Up Zone is founded on the idea that "prevention is better than cure". Instead of devising a solution after a problem has been identified, the emphasis is on creating a healthy school culture and building a positive environment which empowers students.

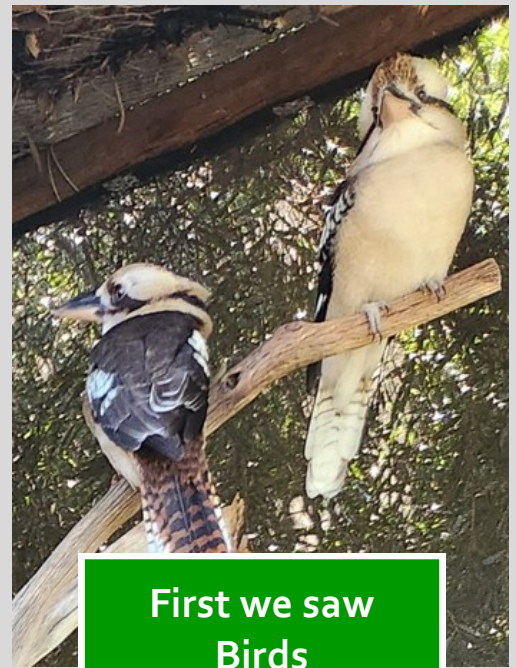
You may notice that BUZ has a new look but it still has the same core values.

BUZ classes are finished for the year while Mrs Thomas is away on Long Service Leave, but we can still practice being a BUZ school!





In Week 6, Room 13 went to Caversham Wildlife Park



First we saw Birds



Then we saw Kangaroos



After that we met lots of Animals



We also went to a Farm Show



Finally, we drove back to school.

Ask R U OK?™ ANY DAY

The 4 steps of an R U OK? Conversation

1

Ask R U OK?



2

Listen



3

Encourage
action



4

Check in



Find tips at ruok.org.au

Useful contacts

**If you are concerned for your safety or the safety of others,
seek immediate assistance by calling Triple Zero (000).**

You can also seek support from your doctor or one of these support services (24/7).

Lifeline

13 11 14

lifeline.org.au

Beyond Blue

1300 224 636

beyondblue.org.au

Suicide Call Back Service

1300 659 467

suicidecallbackservice.org.au

Other useful contacts

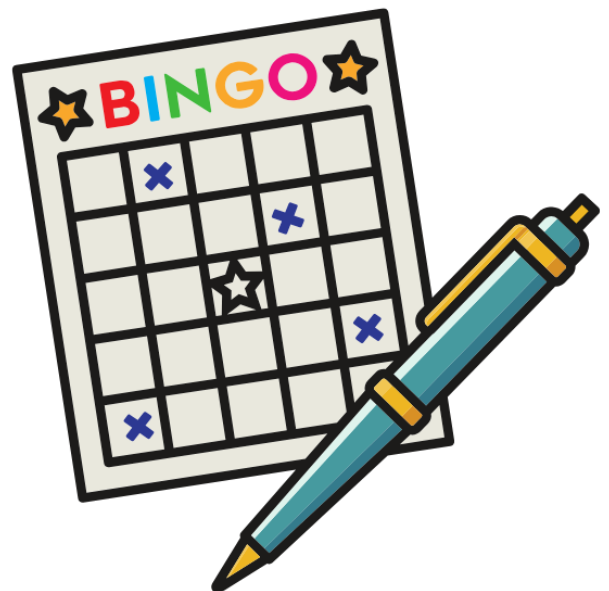
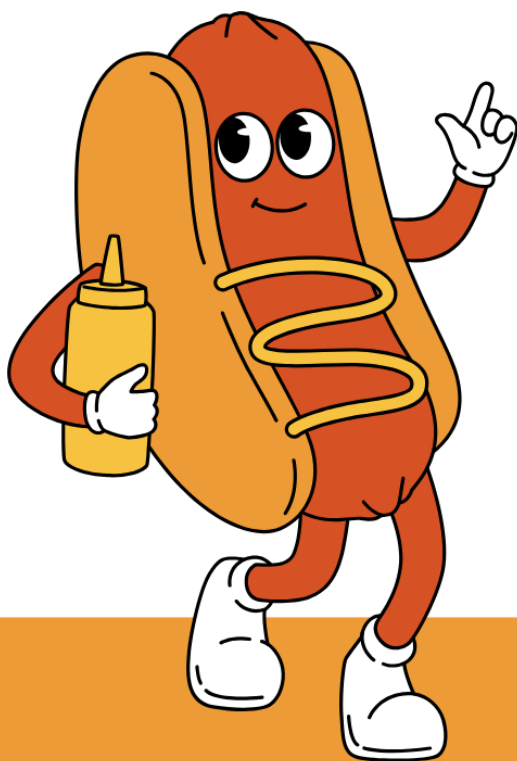
More contacts: ruok.org.au/findhelp

ruok.org.au

DADS & KIDS

BANGERS & BINGO

THURSDAY 11 SEPTEMBER 2025



SCAN HERE



**FOR YOUR FREE TICKET!
(LIMITED TICKETS)**



Thursday 11th Sept
5:00pm -6:30pm



Thornlie Primary
Assembly Area





THORNIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Term 3 Calendar 2025

T3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	21 July School Development Day	22 July Students return for Term 3	23 July	24 July	25 July
2	28 July Early Close 2.30pm Assembly: Student Leaders	29 July	30 July Newsletter	31 July	1 August
3	4 August Early Close 2.30pm	5 August	6 August PEAC Testing Year 4	7 August	8 August
			IEC OPEN DAY		
4	11 August Early Close 2.30pm Assembly: Rm 5 & 6 Bully Zero Incursion Years 1-6 Antibullying Week	12 August	13 August Newsletter	14 August Book Week Incursion Character Parade 1.45pm	15 August
5	18 August Early Close 2.30pm	19 August	20 August	21 August	22 August
		ROTTNEST CAMP ROOMS 18, 19, 20			
		SWIMMING LESSONS - MAINSTREAM			
6	25 August Early Close 2.30pm	26 August Bunnings Father's Day Incursion Rm 1,2,3,4	27 August Newsletter Bunnings Father's Day Incursion Rm 1,2,3,4	28 August	29 August Choir Excursion One Big Voice
		SWIMMING LESSONS - MAINSTREAM			
7	1 September Early Close 2.30pm Assembly: Rm 7 & 7B	2 September	3 September	4 September School Board Meeting 9.00am	5 September
8	8 September Early Close 2.30pm Assembly: Rm 8,10,11	9 September	10 September Newsletter	11 September	12 September
		BOOK FAIR			
9	15 September Early Close 2.30pm	16 September	17 September	18 September	19 September
10	22 September Early Close 2.30pm Assembly: Rm 13,14,15	23 September	24 September Newsletter	25 September	26 September Final Day Term 3
			WOODMAN POINT CAMP YEAR 6		

****Term 4 commences Tuesday 14 October 2025****



WA CRICKET POP-UP CRICKET SESSIONS



COME & TRY CRICKET!

FUN, FRIENDLY, AND FOR EVERYONE.

REGISTER NOW!



WHEN

WEEKS 9-10 OF TERM 3
WEEKS 1-4 OF TERM 4



WHERE

MULTIPLE LOCATIONS
AROUND METRO PERTH



PRICE

FREE



WHO

PRE-PRIMARY TO
YEAR 6 STUDENTS



**PROUDLY
PRESENTED BY**

