

## Community Newsletter – Week 2, Term 1, 2020

Dear WCSS Community,

Welcome to another wonderful week at the West Coast Steiner School. It is so lovely to see the classes adjusting back into their rhythms and routines, reacquainting themselves after the holidays, and establishing themselves firmly in their first Main Lessons of the year.

This week we warmly welcome Cristina Filgueira, who is taking on the position of Music/Strings Teacher at WCSS. Cristina comes to us from many years of teaching in Primary schools across Perth, and is an accomplished violist who enjoys performing in various ensembles. Cristina's passion for inspiring children to develop a love of music and her enthusiastic and warm approach will no doubt be a wonderful addition to our school. Welcome Cristina.

At last Thursday's assembly the Class 6 children were presented with their leaders' badges, a proud moment, and one that signifies what a special year this is for them, their teacher and parents as they complete their momentous journey at WCSS. They have wasted no time in their endeavour to serve the school community, with their first initiative commencing this Wednesday in the form of the Sausage Sizzle lunch they will be preparing for children in Kindy 6 – Class 6. High-quality, preservative-free sausages will be served, with vegetarian and gluten-free options available. The cost is \$4 per sausage and is accompanied by a refreshing slice of watermelon for dessert. Please send money to school with your child if you would like them to purchase lunch on Wednesday.

All the best for the week ahead.

With warmth,  
*Thomasina Henriquez*

School Administrator (Acting)

### **Upcoming Dates**

**Tuesday, February 11:** Class 5 Parent Meeting – 3.15pm; Class 6 Parent Meeting – 3.15pm

**Wednesday, February 12:** School Tour – 9.15am; Sausage Sizzle for Kindy 6 – Class 6 (\$4.00)

**Monday, February 17:** Class 6 Excursion to Maritime Museum; Class 2 Parent Meeting – 3.15pm; Gumnut Kindy Parent Meeting – 7pm

### ***In the Light of a Child – Michael Hedley Burton***

*Myself in my aloneness I must feel.*

*What if I did not love? Then would there be no bridge to others. I would live in fear.*

*Love leads me out to flower, star and tree,*

*To rushing river and to people dear;*

*If I am lonely, only love has power to heal.*