



BOARD

Dear Quintilian Community

I wish all Quintilian families a warm welcome to the 2018 school year and a particularly warm welcome to those families joining us for the first time. I trust that you will find your time at Quintilian rewarding for both your children and yourselves.

Whilst we have been away holidaying a number of upgrades have taken place at the school. Our computers and computer systems have been significantly upgraded, which will benefit the learning experience of our students and also the productivity of our staff. A new soft fall surface has been installed in the ELC playground which has greatly enhanced that area. Please take a few moments to have a look over the fence if you haven't done so already. I hope that you have also noticed the changes made in tidying up the Quintilian Road façade. Thanks are due to Board member, Andrew Stevens, for masterminding and overseeing this very cost effective upgrade.

Friday 9 February: The Welcome Back Sundowner from 5pm til 8pm. An event not to be missed, featuring water slides for the first time this year.

Tuesday 21 March: The Quintilian AGM Please make sure that you have the AGM scheduled in your diary. Principal Neil Collins, Bursar Charles Herring and I will present our reports on the 2017 year. Also we will vote on the three Board positions that fall for election this year. At least two Board members have indicated that they will not stand for re-election so we are actively seeking new Board members. Board meetings are held every month, usually on a Tuesday evening, starting at 5:45pm and typically running until 8:15pm. In addition, Board members are involved in sub committees and a range of events over the year. The term of office is two years. Please contact Principal Neil for more information in the first instance.

Friday 18 May to Sunday 20 May: Quintilian Rottneest Family Weekend. This is traditionally a very well attended event with upwards of 100 families travelling across to the island for a fun packed weekend. I would encourage you to book your accommodation sooner rather than later to avoid disappointment.

Warm regards,

Peter Robinson Chair of Board

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Friday 9 February** Welcome Back Bash (5.00pm til 8.00pm)
- Monday 12 February** Class Reps Meeting (2.00pm and 3.30pm)
- Saturday 17 March** School Camp Out (Sat 4.00pm til Sun 18 March 10.00am)
- Monday 5 March** Labour Day Long Weekend
- Friday 30 March - Monday 2 April** Easter Weekend
- Friday 18 - Sunday 20 May** Quintilian Rottneest Family Weekend

PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents,

I trust that all Quintilian families enjoyed the summer school holiday break. Our students have certainly returned very excited to see their friends and teachers. There has been a large number of contractors completing a wide variety of maintenance jobs over the holidays and I believe our buildings and grounds look superb. You may have noticed a makeover to the Quintilian Rd façade of the administration building and entrances. We also completed a major upgrade of our server system and all computers across the school. We have purchased 25 new notebooks for shared use across all classes and these are a great addition to our set of iPads.

Quintilian School is a community environment where we welcome everyone into the school grounds and we encourage you to socialise with other parents and staff and to utilise our playgrounds and other facilities. At this time of year, Friday afternoons seems to be a very popular time for parents and children to stay in our grounds to socialise with each other.

I extend a warm welcome to our new families to Quintilian School and I am sure you will find our staff, parents and students very welcoming to you. I encourage you to get involved in the many activities that will be on offer during the year and I hope to see you at our Welcome Party on Friday 9th February.

All parents, please book your accommodation now for our Rottneest Weekend from 18th -20th May as this event is always one of the highlights of our school and the best accommodation is always booked out early as we have approximately 100 families that attend.

I wish to remind parents that my door is always open and you are welcome to meet with me on any matter relating to your children or the school.

Dogs at Quintilian If you would like to bring your dog to Quintilian then we respectfully ask that all dogs are kept on leads for the safety and comfort of others. Please also clean up any 'doggy poo' immediately after the event.

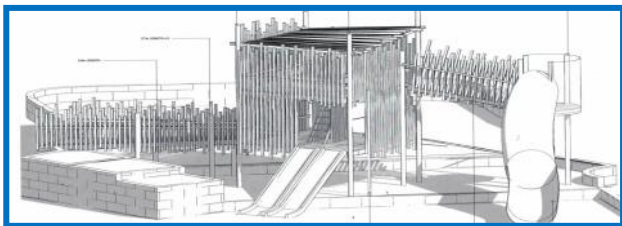
After School Care A reminder that Camp Australia are our after school care providers and this service is provided onsite at Quintilian. Many more parents are now taking advantage of this convenient facility and I encourage you to continue to utilise this care facility so that it will continue long term. Please register on the [Camp Australia website](#).

Before School Care At Quintilian we ensure there is a staff member on duty in the playground from 8.00am each day. Should you need Before School Care; Mulberry Tree Child Care do operate a service for many local schools from 7.00am and they will ensure your child is safely transported to Quintilian School. Please call 9387 6610 to use this service.

Neil Collins Principal

SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

The excitement and lots of planning and hard work continues for the new playground fort. Due to the incredible amount of work completed at the school in these past holidays (new façade upgrade, ELC soft fall, trees trimmed, painting, some new classroom carpets, computer upgrades, etc) and the concern that it would not be completed in time for the new school term (resulting in the playground being closed off) we have delayed the start date. The new playground will be completed in the next school holidays ready for term 2. So look out for it—coming very soon!



WELCOME BACK BASH 9th FEBRUARY

This Friday night is the Quintilian Welcome Back Bash from 5pm til 8pm. Bring your bathers and a towel to enjoy the slides and Ninja Challenge or simply challenge friends and family on the giant games.



An under 4 yr area will also be available with special games and things to do just for the little ones.

Want to see some of your teachers get wet?



Dunk them on the dunking machine!

There will be a variety of food available so come hungry. Drinks and snacks on sale too!

This is a license event so strictly **NO BYO** please. Small change is greatly appreciated. EFTPOS also available. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:**

1pm to 3pm for set up and 5pm til 8pm

(30 min rosters) to assist with food and drinks.



FRIDAY MORNING COFFEE AND CATCH UP



Starting off Friday 9th Feb and continuing throughout the term we will be serving coffee, tea and hot chocolate from the school kitchen. Muffins too!

(drinks \$3.50 and muffins \$2).

Meet up with friends, have a few quiet moments or just that extra boost needed at that time of day. A great place to meet family and friends before a class assembly or a play with younger kids after drop off. Meet up with friends and meet some new ones.

SCHOOL CAMP OUT SAT 17th MARCH



Grab your tent and join us for the biggest sleepover of the year (to be held on the school grass area).

Camp site fees are \$15.00 per tent, **please book via TryBooking at:**

<https://www.trybooking.com/351833>

Dinner BBQ packs (cook your own) consisting of steak, sausages, rissoles and a salad are also available on the booking site. A cooked breakfast of bacon and egg rolls will also be served on the Sunday morning from 7am til 8am—please book these ahead of time, again via the TryBooking site.

Feel free to bring your own picnic. BYO drinks and nibbles. BBQs will be supplied on the Sat night from 5pm til 8pm.

This is an 'electronic free event' - so no tablets, iPads, laptops etc but bring a board game and challenge your friends to a game!

Please ensure all tents are set up between 4pm and 5pm that evening.

Come along for the evening even if you are not camping.

Don't miss out, this is an event the kids absolutely love.

FREEZING FRIDAYS CONTINUE IN 2018

Due to the high popularity of Freezing Fridays these will continue into 2018! **Every Friday cold juices (\$2 and \$3), jelly cups (\$1.50) and frozen fruit smoozes (\$1.50)** are available after the lunch bell.

This is an Events Committee fundraiser with the help of parent volunteers.

Funds raised are used for community events at the school.



ROTTNEST FAMILY WEEKEND 2018

Accommodation is now available on Rottnest for booking in May 2018. The school family weekend will be held from Friday 18th through to Sunday 20th May. Book early if you can to secure your preferred location.

<http://www.rottnestisland.com/accommodation/accommodation-types>



A fun weekend of community and friendship in a relaxed atmosphere. Each year a variety of activities are planned but always the penultimate event of the Golden Quokka Hunt on Saturday afternoon. So if you cannot make the whole weekend please join us on Saturday.

The Quokka Hunt consists of all our wonderful staff and Board members dressing to a particular theme, you have to hunt them down, answer a questions to gain a clue and work out the puzzle for that year. A community gathering is then held that afternoon at the Rottnest Hotel with a sandcastle building competition and time to relax and enjoy some great company.

KIDZ N SPORT

Brand New Multi Sport FitFun programme @ Quintilian School

Kidz 'n sport are back at Quintilian with their brand new and exciting, engaging and fun Multi Sport FitFun programme during Term 1.

The programme includes amazing activities from 8 different sports, that will keep you engaged, have fun and advance your skills.

Where: Quintilian School sports field

Year Level: From 5 to 10 years old
(children grouped accordingly)

Days: Tuesdays after school

Time: 3.20pm— 4.20pm (we collect the children after school in the undercover sports area)

Starting: Tuesday 6th February

Duration: 10 weeks

Fees: \$197.50 (pro rata if enrol later and make up classes for any missed classes)

Enrolments: www.kidznsport.com.au or to
juliem@kidznsport.com.au
(M) 0434870507

PRIVATE MUSIC TUITION AT QUINTILIAN

Private music tuition at Quintilian School has been growing more each year. Last year we had many students from all year levels receiving individual music lessons each week at school. A range of wonderful performance opportunities allowed our Quintilian musicians to showcase their instrumental talents last year, giving the students something valuable to work towards during their lessons at school. Many of our instrumental students go on to study music in the specialist programs offered at our surrounding high schools as well as continuing advanced instrumental studies at WAAPA and UWA.

At Quintilian School, instrumental students receive weekly lessons with their teachers during class time. The timetable works on a rotating roster to ensure that the children don't miss out on the same classroom activities each week. Lessons are booked directly with the teacher concerned and I can provide contact details for each teacher on request.

We are currently offering lessons for piano, guitar, bass guitar, drums, violin and voice. If there are any other instruments that your child is interested in playing, please contact me and I may be able to organise for a new teacher for that particular instrument. Below are some details about each instrument that we offer.



If you have any queries about our instrumental program or our teachers, please feel free to contact me:

michelle.welschbillig@quintilianschool.wa.edu.au

Drums – Ian Ironside Ian's Mobile: 0415 529 464

A popular choice for, but not limited to, those with good coordination, stamina and sense of rhythm.

Piano – Debbie Young email: actonedramaperth@gmail.com

Can be started at a very early age, though older beginners do just as well. Many young pianists take up an additional ensemble instrument later on and make rapid progress, having learnt basic musical skills through keyboard or piano.

Guitar and Bass Guitar - On The Run Music (Michael)

admin@ontherunmusic.com.au

Can be learnt in both Classical Style and Rock Style. A versatile instrument that has all different kinds of ensemble opportunities.

Violin – On The Run Music (Charlotte) admin@ontherunmusic.com.au

Violins come in graded sizes and so they can be started at a very early age, though it is never too late to start! The violin is a great choice for sociable, musical students who will enjoy playing alongside others in ensembles and orchestras.

Cello—On The Run Music (Not Yet Confirmed)

OTRM are looking at offering cello at Quintilian this year. Firstly we are wanting to see if there is enough interest shown before providing this service. If you are interested in learning the cello please contact: admin@ontherunmusic.com.au

Voice —On The Run Music (Bec) admin@ontherunmusic.com.au

We offer Contemporary Style lessons for singing and it is a fun way to develop strong aural and music skills.

YOGA ENROLMENT FORM TERM 1

YOGA ENROLMENT FORM



Name of Student: _____ Age: _____

Parent/Guardian name: _____

Email: _____

Contact Mobile: _____

Total Term Fee: \$135.00

BSB: 736- 034 Account No: 605181

Parent/Guardian signature: _____

When your deposit has been received you will receive confirmation your child is in the class.

Maximum 20 students.

Enrolment forms must be submitted by Friday 9th Feb.

FITNESS CLASSES AT QUINTILIAN

Starting Tuesday the 13th February
Bodyweight Conditioning and Fitness classes at Quintilian with Chris Miller.

These outdoor exercise classes will focus on mobility, movement control and fitness. The training combines neurological concepts of movement control, primal crawling movements and calisthenics and bodyweight exercises.

Chris has 18 years of coaching experience and offers a safe and effective fitness training system:
www.thehealthandfitnessguy.com.au/about/

When: Tuesdays 7:15 am & Saturdays 8am

Starting: Tuesday 13th Feb, Saturday 17th February

Duration 45-55 minutes

Cost: Adults \$15, staff \$5

Any enquiries: Mobile 0424 168 784
chris@thehealthandfitnessguy.com.au

KIDS YOGA CLASSES AT QUINTILIAN

This is your chance to enrol your child/children in yoga classes which start Tuesday 13th February and run for the term.

Tuesdays 8:00am – 8:45am in the Quintilian School Hall

Cost : \$135 for the 9 week course (mats provided)

Michelle Rodgers (Zoe Year 4) from 'The Magic Tree' will be teaching the classes and has over 20 years experience in teaching yoga. Michelle has taught yoga at the school previously.

Wonderful ways kids benefit from yoga

- Develop body awareness
- Manage stress through breathing, awareness and meditation
- Improve concentration and focus
- Increase their confidence and positive self-image
- Energizing and strengthening
- Core strength and balance
- Learn how to use their bodies in a healthy way

This is a fantastic way to start your kid's day.

For more information please contact Michelle

Email: michelle@themagictree.com.au

Mob: 0419 883 815

Enrolment forms must be submitted by this Friday 9th February.

Email enrolment forms to reception@quintilianschool.wa.edu.au or hand them into school reception. Forms available at reception.

YOUNG ENGINEERS CLUB



Dates: Fridays Feb 9 – April 13 (Term 1, 2018)

Times: 3:30pm – 4:45pm

Where: Quintilian School (Maker Space room)

Term 1 Models: Pirate ship, carousel, jelly blender, catapult, cable car, drum machine, etc.
Any queries contact Chee Mobile: 0423 267 517

*Perfect for
Grade 1-4
Students*



REGISTER <http://www.trybooking.com/337315>



Come make a *Splash!* at

Quintilian School's Welcome Back Bash!

Feb
9th
5-8 pm

46 Quintilian RD
MOUNT CLAREMONT

Join friends new and old
to celebrate the new school year.

Wear your
bathers and
bring a towel

There will be fun & games for
those who prefer to stay dry, too.

Sausage Sizzle, Pork Rolls
and Sushi available

Bar and Cold Drinks also for sale
(STRICTLY NO BYO)

Giant water slides
for all ages!



QUINTILIAN
SCHOOL

Adventure awaits and so does the fun
Join us for the

Quintilian School CAMP OUT



Grab your tent and join us for the biggest sleepover of the year (to be held on the school grass area). Camp site fees are \$15.00 per tent, book via TryBooking.

Dinner BBQ packs (cook your own) and a cooked breakfast are also available for purchase via TryBooking or feel free to bring your own picnic. BYO drinks & nibbles.

This is an 'electronic free event'.

Please come along for the evening even if you are not camping.

Don't miss out, this is one event the Kids absolutely love.

SATURDAY, 17TH MARCH • 4 PM -UNTIL- SUNDAY, 18TH MARCH • 10 AM

-ALL TENTS TO BE SET UP BEFORE 5:00 PM-

46 QUINTILIAN RD • MOUNT CLAREMONT

RESERVATION LINK: [HTTPS://WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM/351833](https://www.trybooking.com/351833)



QUINTILIAN
SCHOOL



**FREE
COMMUNITY
EVENT**

Registration essential to
secure your ticket

ONE NIGHT ONLY!

Changing the Game

Parenting Through Sport

RIVERSIDE THEATRE, PERTH | WEDNESDAY 21 FEBRUARY 2018 | 6.30PM - 8.30PM
PERTH CONVENTION AND EXHIBITION CENTRE - 21 MOUNTS BAY ROAD, PERTH

**Wednesday 21 February 2018
6.30pm - 8.30pm, Riverside Theatre**

Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre
21 Mounts Bay Road, Perth

Unlock the secrets to giving your kids positive, healthy and rewarding experiences while playing junior sport.

For one-night only, join international best-selling author John O'Sullivan and local parenting commentator and educator Clark Wight to explore how sport is game-changing for parents. You'll discover how to keep the fun in the game and support your kids to get the most out of sport - no matter whether they're part of the team or striving for gold.

More than just fun and physical activity, sport encourages our kids to work together, be healthy risk-takers, show determination and courage and look at ways to overcome challenges.

Alongside the experts we'll explore:

- How life skills learnt in sport prepare your kids for future challenges.
- How active kids get a brain boost at school.
- Keeping fun in the game.
- A new approach to post-match conversations.
- Why playing a variety of sports helps kids develop better skills and physical literacy.
- Helping kids stay engaged and enjoy the sports you've paid for.

To close the evening, join an audience Q&A with our expert panel including Sydney 2000 Olympic Games water polo gold medalist Simone Fountain OAM (née Hankin) who will speak of her experience as an athlete and now as a mother of three.

This landmark event is a must for any parent, educator, coach or sport administrator already on the junior sport journey or considering sport for your kids.

You'll leave with:

- A fresh approach.
- Reinforcement that sport is a game-changer for kids.
- Positive ways to have better conversations around sport and participation.
- Tips and tricks to better enjoy the sporting journey with your kids.

FREE event - registration essential to secure your ticket.

Questions or further information: SR_events@dlgo.wa.gov.au

**Register to secure
your ticket**

[www.dsr.wa.gov.au/
changingthegame](http://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/changingthegame)



Department of
Local Government, Sport
and Cultural Industries



NORTH COTT splash 'N' dash

SATURDAY 24TH MARCH

8.00AM

NORTH COTTESLOE BEACH
MAJOR FUNDRAISER FOR 2018

Join in the second North Cott Splash 'n' Dash on Saturday 24th March, 2018 at North Cottesloe Beach. Everybody is invited to dive in, and join this family-friendly, swim and run event. Prize draws throughout the morning and presentations and final prize draws at the end of the long race. A fantastic community event !



Register NOW to participate or volunteer. Spread the word to your family and friends, get involved and most importantly, come along and have fun ! This year we introduce a relay event.

REGISTER NOW northcottsplashndash.com

SHORT AGES 6+

50m swim + 250m beach run
(adult can accompany child)
Cost \$15

MEDIUM AGES 10+

150m swim + 500m beach run
(suitable for children + adults)
Cost \$20

LONG AGES 14 +

1km swim + 1km beach run
(suitable for teens + adults)
Cost \$30 (single)
or \$50 (relay option)

NORTH COTT SPLASH 'N' DASH IS PROUD TO BE PARTNERED WITH

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EVENT ORGANISED BY NORTH COTTESLOE PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C FOR NORTH COTTESLOE PRIMARY SCHOOL & MELANOMA WA



| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
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| 1 | JANUARY 29 PD Day | 30 School Starts | 31 | FEBRUARY 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 2 | 5 Year 4,6,PP parent meetings | 6 Year 1,2,5 parent meetings Board Meeting - 6:00pm | 7 | 8 Newsletter | 9 Assembly - Story Susan Year 6 Surfing Welcome back Sundowner! | 10 | 11 |
| 3 | 12 Yr 4 Herdsman Lake Excursion Yr 3 parent meeting | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 Assembly - Jim Coffee 8.30-9.30am Year 6 Surfing Freezing Fridays | 17 | 18 |
| 4 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 Yr 6 Federation Incursion PP Outdoor classroom 10.30-1.30pm Bus | 23 Assembly - Yr 4 Coffee 8.30-9.30am Year 6 Surfing Freezing Fridays | 24 | 25 |
| 5 | 26 Yr 4 Writers Festival Yr 5 Writers Festival | 27 | 28 Mid-Week Munchies | MARCH 1 Newsletter | 2 Coffee 8.30-9.30am Year 6 Surfing Freezing Fridays PP Gathering on the green | 3 | 4 |
| 6 | 5 Labour Day Public Holiday | 6 | 7 Year 6 Government House 12:15 to 2:15pm | 8 PP Outdoor classroom 10.30-1.30pm Bus | 9 Coffee 8.30-9.30am Sculptures by the sea Yr 5 Year 6 Surfing Freezing Fridays | 10 | 11 |
| 7 | 12 | 13 Board Meeting - 6:00pm | 14 | 15 Year 5 Peninsula Farm Excursion 9 am to 3 pm | 16 Assembly - PPA/Mel Coffee 8.30-9.30am Year 6 Surfing Freezing Fridays | 17 School Camp Out 4pm Sat | 18 School Camp Out Sunday am. |
| 8 | 19 | 20 PP Outdoor classroom 10.30-1.30pm Bus AGM - 6:00pm | 21 Harmony Day | 22 Open Morning 9.30am Whole School Bollywood Incursion 2:00-3:00pm | 23 Assembly - Yr 1A Coffee 8.30-9.30am Year 6 Surfing Freezing Fridays | 24 | 25 |
| 9 | 26 | 27 Board Meeting - 6:00pm | 28 Year 6 IPSHA Basketball - Willetton | 29 Newsletter | 30 GOOD FRIDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY | 31 EASTER | 1 EASTER |
| 10 | 2 EASTER MONDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY | 3 PP Outdoor classroom 10.30-1.30pm Bus | 4 Year 3 Camp | 5 Year 3 Camp | 6 Assembly - PPB Em Year 3 Camp Coffee 8.30-9.30am Year 6 Surfing Freezing Fridays Disco | 7 | 8 |
| 11 | 9 | 10 Year 6 - Three levels of government Incursion. | 11 | 12 | 13 Assembly Coffee 8.30-9.30am Garden Festival Yr 2+3 am Yr 4+5 pm Freezing Fridays | 14 | 15 |
| | 16 SCHOOL | 17 SCHOOL | 18 HOLIDAYS | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| | 23 SCHOOL | 24 HOLIDAYS ANZAC DAY | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 1 | 30 MAY 1 TERM 2 begins | 1 | 2 Photo Day 1 | 3 Photo Day 2 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

Please Note:

Dates and times may change.

Please check the Quintilian School website for the latest information for the school calendar:

<https://www.quintilianschool.wa.edu.au/calendar/>



QUINTILIAN COFFEE MORNINGS

Meet up with friends, have a few quiet moments or just that extra boost needed at that time of day.

A great place to meet family before class assemblies or a play with younger kids after drop off.

Tesla/infant chocolate \$3.50
Muffins \$2.00

Friday 8.30am til 9.30am
(outside the school kitchen)

See you there.....