

# HAZELWOOD NORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Thursday 21st February Term 1 – Newsletter 2

### WEDNESDAY'S SCHOOL BANKING

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> February**

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March**

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Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March**

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March

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Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March

Monday 18 - 25<sup>th</sup> March

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

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Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April**

### WEDNESDAY'S SCHOOL BANKING

**Marlo Camp Grade 6 Students**

**Whole School Assembly**

Subway Lunch Order

Subway Lunch Order

**Labour Day Public Holiday –No Students**

District Cross Country

PC -AGM followed by General Meeting

House Athletics @ School

Whole School Assembly

Subway Lunch Order

Book Fair

School Council -AGM followed by GM

Netball Clinic

Subway Lunch Order

District Athletics

Subway Lunch Order

Bush Dance

**Last Day of Term –Finish @ 1.30pm**

### PRINCIPAL COMMENTS: PAUL JORGENSEN

Our two events for the year so far have gone off very well with some good support from parents and families. The Welcome BBQ was well attended, especially in the junior grades as families get to know the school. Thanks to all who make the effort to come as it is a time that we can explain how our school and classrooms operate. There will be a survey go out to families to provide some feedback to us regarding this activity.

The School Cross Country event also took place and it was great to see family members attend to support the children in their races. Congratulations to **RED House (Hong Se)** who won the event for this year so a great start for them. Congratulations also to those that qualified to represent the school at the District Cross Country to be held on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March.

Our next School activities are the Year 6 Marlo leadership camp from 26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> February and the School Athletics day on Thursday March 14<sup>th</sup>. We hope that again we will see many family members supporting the children at this event.

## School Council Elections 2019:

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	Notice of election and call for nominations
<b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Closing Date for Nominations</b>
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	List of candidates and nominators posted
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> March	Ballot papers will be prepared and distributed
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Close of Ballot @ 4pm
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Vote Count
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Declaration of Poll
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	School Council Meeting to elect Office Bearers

## PERFORMING ARTS NEWS

Welcome to Performing Arts for 2019. My name is Kate Wisewould and I join the team at Hazelwood North PS after moving to the area in recent years. Prior to this, I taught for 10 years in the SE suburbs, both in the classroom and in Performing Arts.

### DIARY DATES

We have some exciting events happening this year as part of the Performing Arts program. The most important and recent date to put on your calendar is the date for our

### **HAZELWOOD NORTH FAMILY BUSHDANCE - WEDNESDAY 3rd APRIL 2019**

This will be a great chance for the students to showcase their learning from Performing Arts in Term 1 and we invite all families, including siblings, grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins and other special people to come along and join in the fun! Please see the flyer attached to the newsletter!

### PERFORMING ARTS LESSONS

Students are focussing on Dance in Term 1 in Performing Arts, learning about the different styles of dance and elements of dance as well as discussing their thoughts on performances and the feelings that can be evoked by dance. Students will be working collaboratively and independently on creating their own movements to convey feelings and ideas and will share these with small groups and their class.

### PRODUCTION

The decision has been made to make the production a biannual event, meaning we will hold a whole school production every 2 years. A whole school musical production is a fantastic way for students to showcase their skills, but they also require a huge commitment of time and a mammoth amount of effort.

Each time we hold a whole school production, the expectations are high for both students and staff; students in class as well as lunch time rehearsals and staff in planning and preparation both inside and outside of school hours. By holding a production biannually, we allow students time to develop their skills in all areas of Performing Arts to allow them to be fully utilised in each show.

I look forward to sharing more Performing Arts news with you over the coming weeks!

**Kate Wisewould**

## **SPORT NEWS**

Well done to the students who represented the school at the Yinnar and District swimming. They swam very well, and had a lot of fun. Even more importantly, they represented our school impeccably, by showing responsibility and good behaviour when not under direct supervision. Congratulations to the swimmers progressing to the Division swimming next Wednesday.

The house cross-country was well run by all yesterday, with many students showing a great deal of resilience, as well as the ability to challenge themselves. It was fantastic to see such great encouragement between the students, and from the many parents who attended. Congratulations to the students selected to represent the school at Churchill on March 13th.

**The results:**

<b>Blue house</b>	<b>13.67</b>
<b>Green house</b>	<b>18.89</b>
<b>Yellow house</b>	<b>19.11</b>
<b>Red house</b>	<b>23.23</b>

### **SUNSMART**

Our school follows the Sunsmart Guidelines. Students need their broad brimmed school hat every day until May. Sunscreen should be applied before school and a small tube of sunscreen in their bag is also a good idea. We encourage parents to download the Sunsmart App to your phone, tablet or other device. It gives a weather forecast, UV rating and other advice about being Sun Smart.

### **CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND**

Do you hold a current healthcare or pension card? If so, your child/ren may be eligible for CSEF. If eligible, please call into the office to complete the required paperwork.

Below is the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

#### **Criteria 1 - Eligibility**

To be eligible\* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary school must:

- on the first day of Term one, or;
- on the first day of Term two;
- a) be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the *State Concessions Act 2004*, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
- b) be a temporary foster parent, and;
- c) submit an application to the school by the due date.

\* A special consideration eligibility category also exists.

For more information, see: [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

#### **Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria**

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 13 years inclusive.

### **Eligibility date**

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (29th January 2019) or term two (23rd April 2019).

## **PARENTS CLUB 2018 FUNDRAISING**

**Chocolate** we have Cadbury Chocolates available if anyone can take them to work to sell. Please see Fran or contact myself on below numbers.

**House Sports Coffee n Cake** further details to come

Don't forget to mark the date and come and watch the kids practice for Yinnar and District Athletics at Yinnar Recreation Reserve, see front calender for date.

### **LUNCH ORDERS**

Subway will again be providing lunches of a Friday, except on **special lunch days** Order forms have now been sent home there will be spare copies on the board outside office and on the school website and Skool bag app or just write your order on the front of an envelope with your child's name and class.

Orders need to be placed in the Lunch Pocket in your child's classroom on the Wednesday prior.

We are unable to submit orders with no money enclosed, these orders will be sent back to your child to return it home for you to make arrangements with Subway directly on number below.

Subway deliver them to school for us.

A volunteer from our school community drops these into Subway, Morwell on a Wednesday if anyone is able, willing to do this job please let me know or speak to Louise Miller.

Any queries regarding your child's order or if your child is absent on the Friday should be directed to Subway, Morwell 51336833.

### **2nd HAND UNIFORM**

Old uniform still in good condition is always needed for our 2nd hand uniform sales.

Drop these into school.

If anyone is interested in helping out by keeping these racks in order please let me know.

**These are available for purchase at the school anytime, Francesca will direct you to our store. Price for these preloved uniforms are \$2 or donation higher.**

**RITCHIES IGA, Churchill** support our school through their Community Benefits Program, if you need a Card for this please let Francesca or myself know.

**CBA Dollar mites**, school banking, every Wednesday

### **MEETING**

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 9.00AM

Come along for a cuppa, cake and chat, toddlers welcome.

We are always looking for new ideas and new helpers, if you are interested please let us know. If you can't come to a meeting that's okay, let us know anyway.

Don't have time during the day but would still like to be involved perhaps School Council would be an option, contact Paul at school or Leigh Markham our current President.