### **Cardinia Primary Newsletter**



### Newsletter No. 37

### Thursday 23rd November 2023

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	DATES TO REMEMBER  MARK THIS ON YOU	UR
TERM 4	CALENDAR	
November		
Friday 24th	Peter Combe Performance, whole school incursion	
Wednesday 29th -	Oasis School Camp	
Friday 1st Dec	Oasis School Camp	
December		
6th - 8th	Life Education Incursion	
Monday 11th	Year 6 Graduation - Gumbuya World	
Tuesday 12th	State-wide transition Day - including Foundation 2024 students	
Friday 15th	NO STUDENTS at school - Curriculum Day	
Tuesday 19th	Christmas Concert. 6:30pm start (arrive from 6pm)	
Wednesday 20th	End of Term 4 - 1:30pm finish	

Dates for your diary - 2024					
Tuesday 30th January	First day of school for all students (including Foundation)				
Friday 16th February	Whole School Beach Picnic - Phillip Island				

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### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

23rd November 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Peter Combe tomorrow and camp next week, so excitement is running high here at Cardinia Primary. The best thing you can do for your children is ensure they are getting lots of sleep so they can make the most of every day. Some of our younger children are getting very tired as we near the end of the year.

Unfortunately, there is at present an increase in community transmission of COVID-19 in Victoria.

You can help us keep our school as safe as possible by taking 2 important steps: Ensure your COVID-19 vaccinations are up to date. Information on how and where to get vaccinated is available on the <a href="Get vaccinated webpage">Get vaccinated webpage</a>.

If your child shows symptoms of COVID-19, please ensure they stay home and get tested.

The easiest way to test is to use a rapid antigen test (RAT). Free RATs are available from your local council where you can collect 2 packs of 5 RATs and an extra 2 packs for each person in your household. People with disability and their carers can get 4 packs of 5 RATs. You are not required to have a Medicare card and you can collect RATs as many times as you need. You can also buy RATs at supermarkets, pharmacies and other retailers.

If your child has symptoms but tests negative, please ensure they stay home until they no longer have symptoms.

If the RAT test result is positive, please ensure they say home for at least 5 days and until there are no more symptoms.

Thank you for your support – these steps will help us all stay well. Have a great week,
Susan



### ZOOPER DOOPERs are back!

Tuesdays in Term 4 \$1 each, pay on QKR or send cash each week

### **Tissues**

Hay fever season is in full swing and students are always needing tissues. Every year we ask our school families to donate 2 boxes of tissues for students to use in their classrooms. This helps us immeasurably by keeping our school costs down each year. If you haven't already donated, could each family please supply 2 boxes of tissues (can be any brand) and hand them into the office. Thank you.

### **BOOK CLUB NEWS**

The Scholastic Book Club brochures have been received and delivered to students. If you would like to order items from this catalogue, please ensure any orders placed are ordered online by close of business Tuesday 28th November. This will ensure that orders are placed with Scholastic by their due date and are delivered to the school quickly.

Visit scholastic.com.au/LOOP or download the LOOP app to pay by credit card





LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform for parents. To order and pay for Scholastic Book Club by credit card visit: www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP





### <u>PACKING</u> INFORMATION



- All belongings brought to camp should be clearly marked with the camper's name and address.
- All medications brought to camp should be clearly labelled with relevant information.
- Campers need to provide their own sheets, pillows and doonas/sleeping bags.
- Oasis accepts no responsibility for valuables brought to camp, which are lost, stolen or damaged.
- Some camp activities may use water. Please bring plenty of spare clothing.
- For the safety of others, please do not bring personal snacks to camp due to risk of anaphylaxis.

### PACKING LIST:

- Waterproof coat
- x1 warm coat (for cold nights)
- x2 pairs of closed, sturdy shoes/ runners
- thongs
- x2 Jumpers
- 2-3 pairs of long pants (in cold weather)
- 2-3 pairs of shorts (in warmer weather)
- 2-3 t-shirts
- Pyjamas
- Fitted sheet
- Sleeping bag
- Pillow
- Blanket (optional) rooms are heated
- Towel
- Bathers & extra towel (if in camp program)
- Toiletries (Shampoo, soap, toothpaste, toothbrush etc.)
- Plastic bag for dirty clothes
- Hat & sunscreen
- Medication (please check with school requirements)
- Torch
- Pencil case
- Morning tea and Lunch for first day of camp (check with school for confirmation.)

### **CARDI AWARDS**



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## Congratulations on reaching **20** Cardi Awards!

Grades 1/2: Hudson
Grades 3/4: Mason, Caitlin and Sarah
Grades 5/6: Jadeja-Lee







## Congratulations on reaching 40 Cardi Awards!

Foundation: Milanii-Joyce

Grades 3/4: Kyle, Claire and Emily

Grades 5/6: Archer and Jett









## **Congratulations on reaching 60** Cardi Awards!

Grades 5/6: Mackenzie and Bianca







https://www.dssports.org/cardiniaprimary-1-1

### From the Office



**XUNO** is your parent portal to view news and events, book parent teacher interviews, check your child's live attendance, mark absences, view reports, and more. Please contact the office if you have any problems or questions about setting up, and signing in to your account.



**Qkr!** Is the app that the school is using to accept any payments, such as: Parent Contributions, excursions, Meal Deals and second hand uniform (and more!) We are also trying to reduce the amount of paper used so most permission forms will be available on the app. Of course, if you require a hard copy, one can be collected from the office. Please see the office staff if you need more information about using Qkr!

### **Breakfast Club**

Breakfast club runs each Friday between 8:30-8:45am in the Science Room. This program is government funded and open to all students.

Food available may be Weetbix, muesli, toast with Vegemite or honey, baked beans, spaghetti and fruit cups. Please let us know when dropping off your child if there are any allergies we need to be aware of.

Children are welcome to come to the Science Room from 8:30am. Please do not drop your child off any earlier than this. We welcome any parents who would like to come once a month (or less if we get enough help) to serve and tidy up.



### **Before and After School Care**

Starting in 2024, our before and after school care will be provided by DS Sports. Click on the link below for more information

### https://www.dssports.org/cardiniaprimary-1-1

Monday to Friday: Before School Care from 6:30am

After School Care from 3:30pm - 6:30pm



### 2024 Term Dates

Term 1: Tuesday 30th January (Students) - Thursday 28th March

Term 2: Monday 15th April - Friday 28th June

Term 3: Monday 15th July - Friday 20th September

Term 4: Monday 7th October - Friday 20th December





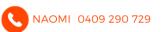








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# BRING YOUR BILLS DAY

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2023 11am to 3pm OUTLOOK COMMUNITY CENTRE 24 Toomuc Valley Rd, Pakenham

### Get help and advice on:

- Electricity, Gas and Water Bills
- Tenancy Rights

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- Centrelink
- Fines

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