

Dates To Remember

TERM ONE 2023

Friday 17th March

Naplan Language conventions Year 3 and 5

Friday 17th March

School Nurse visits for Prep

Monday 20th March

Naplan Numeracy Years 3 and 5
Assembly

Friday 24th March

Earth hour - Blackout Day. Come dressed in black

Book Club orders **DUE**

Tuesday 28th March

Year 5 Immigration Museum Excursion

Wednesday 29th March

Twilight Sports - 5.30pm

Friday 31st March

SDSSA District Athletics

Thursday 6th April

Multicultural Day

Thursday 6th April

End of Term - 2.30pm finish

Friday 7th April

Good Friday - NO SCHOOL

TERM TWO

Monday 24th April

Term Two commences

Tuesday 25th April

ANZAC Day - NO SCHOOL

Thursday 16 March, 2023

Principal's Report

ATHS RESULTS

Congratulations to all the students who blitzed at the track last week to achieve 1st, 2nd or 3rd overall for their age group. Please see Mrs Molnar's PE news for the overall House winner and all the individual places.

Last week's aths day was such a highlight. I loved the sportsmanship and camaraderie demonstrated. I noticed so many children, but I wanted to acknowledge our Year 6 boys in particular. Their support of one another, regardless of the house they represented, care they showed when one of the boys were injured and constant cheering really stood out to me. A great example of our school expectations in action!

TWILIGHT SPORTS - 29th March

Twilight Sports is a great community event. Families are invited to bring a picnic or purchase something from the Parent's Association BBQ prior to the event beginning. The night is about sportsmanship, fun and building community.

NAPLAN

Well done to our Year 3s in particular who completed their first ever NAPLAN test yesterday. There were definitely nerves, but once they began, they settled into the assessment well. We always remind our students that NAPLAN will not determine your future success - resilience, attitude, and determination will play just as an important role as academic excellence. It is just a snapshot in time.

- Today's assessment - Reading
- Friday - Conventions of language (spelling and punctuation)
- Monday - Math

Students who are unwell/abs will have the opportunity to complete the assessments next week.

MULTI-CULTURAL DAY CELEBRATIONS

Parents are invited to join us from **9.15-10.15am** for Bernard's performance and from **1-2pm** for lunch!



MULTICULTURAL DAY
Thur April, 6th

Come dressed in clothes that represent your culture!

9.15-10.15 - Bernard 'Mana' whole school show

10.15-1pm P-2 Activities - Greek Dancing, Indigenous Songs, Art from Chile
 3-6 Activities - Henna Art, Rugby, Egyptian food

1- 2pm
Special lunch - Anton's Flying Woks
Parents Welcome

Lunchtime Entertainment:
 Taiko Drummers
 P-2 Indigenous Song Performance
 Indian Fashion Show

Mana the Spirit of Polynesia

INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY PEACE
 RESPECT DIVERSITY HARMONY

ANZAC DAY BADGES

Senior students will be selling ANZAC day badges over the next 3 weeks. Prices range from \$2 - \$5 with badges and wristbands available. Students will go around to the classes, or they can be purchased from the office.

FAREWELL MRS FURLONG

At our end of term assembly on Monday April 3rd we will have the opportunity to formally farewell Mrs Furlong. Should you wish to write a card etc, please bring it with you to the assembly on Monday.

Let's celebrate...

- Our sporting stars from P-Year 6!
- Cricket & Danish Rounders runners up award for Year 5/6 Interschool Sports

Sharon Reiss-Stone

Principal

Assistant Principal's Report

WELLBEING



TRP@HOME

Just a reminder that the Resilience Project parent hub is available for children and parents. It includes stories and activities to show how GEM (Gratitude, Empathy and Mindfulness) strategies can support our children's learning and development, and also support you as parents and carers.

The whole site is filled with inspiration and activities to help us improve our wellbeing and build resilience.




The video is for children: Martin from the Resilience Project, takes children through activities to help them feel happier. Music, exercise and laughter are easy ways to feel happier.

<https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/kids-2023/>

The site also has activities to follow up GEM principles that are fun and engaging for families to complete together.

Carolyn Datson






Assistant Principal



WHAT MAKES YOU HAPPY?

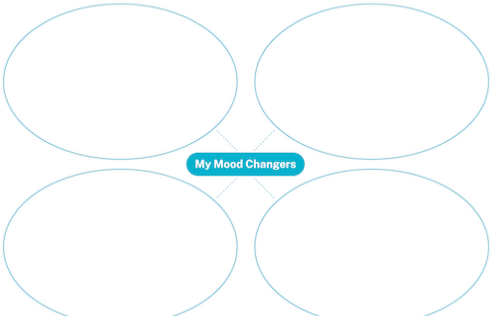
Finding things in life that you enjoy and make you smile, help you to become happier. These things can also make you feel better and help turn your mood around when you're not feeling so good.

Some examples of things that might help to turn your mood around:



Bike Riding Dancing Reading Laughing Playing Sports

Think about 4 things that make you happy. These things could help turn your mood around if you're feeling sad, angry, frustrated, annoyed or upset. Draw or write your mood changes below.



Sustainability News

'LIGHTS OUT' - Earth Hour at MWHPS

On Friday March 24th, the Sustainability team will be supporting Earth Hour by working together to reverse some of the damage we have caused.

For the duration of the day, all classrooms will go lights out; no lights, no interactive whiteboards or computers used.

Please support our 'Lights Out' day by coming to school dressed in black. The Sustainability team will be accepting gold coin donations, with proceeds going towards funding biodegradable composting bags for our classrooms.




MARCH 24, 2023

LIGHTS OUT DAY

EARTH HOUR

Mount Waverley Heights Primary will be participating in earth hour, we will be taking it one step further and limiting our electricity usage for the entire day school wide.

Please bring a gold coin donation and wear black to support the sustainability team in making our school a more environmentally friendly place.



PE News



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HOUSE ATHLETIC RESULTS

A great day was had at the track last Wednesday. Thank you again to all the parent volunteers and also to our teaching staff for making the Athletics Day a success.

HOUSE RESULTS

- 1st - **Opals** - 1469 points
- 2nd - **Kookaburras** - 1410 points
- 3rd - **Wallabies** - 1305 points
- 4th - **Dolphins** - 1255 points.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

PREP GIRLS

- 1st - Alia A (PK) and Mia B (PM) - 17 points
- 2nd - Audrina L 9 (PK), Akshara (PD) and Andrianna (PD) - 16 points
- 3rd - Alexandra S (PM) Bella T (PM) and Aurelia N (PK) - 15 points.

PREP BOYS

- 1st - Miller S (PK) - 22 points
- 2nd - Wesley N (PK) - 21 points
- 3rd - Ethan G (PK), Matteo (PD) and Riyan C (PM) - 19 points.

YEAR 1 GIRLS

- 1st - Sofia (1G) - 16 points
- 2nd - Yana, Tia, Iris, Ava (1D) Aalia, Ella (1M)- 15 points
- 3rd - Ji Woo (1G)- 14 points.

YEAR 1 BOYS

- 1st - Terron (1D), Jackson, Jordan (1M), Ethan G (1G) - 21 points
- 2nd - Eko, Stefano (1G) and Thomas (1M) - 20 points
- 3rd - Slater (1G) Quentin and Harvey (1D)- 19 points.





PE NEWS

HOUSE ATHLETIC RESULTS



INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

YEAR 2 GIRLS

- 1st - Lea (2T) - 22 points
- 2nd - Ivy (2E) - 21 points
- 3rd - Stefanie (2F)- 20 points.

YEAR 2 BOYS

- 1st - Fung (2T) - 22 points
- 2nd - Elijah (2F) Harry (2E)- 21 points
- 3rd - Zachary, Sreyash, Aidan, (2F) Marcus (2E)- 20 points.



8/9 YEAR OLD GIRLS

- 1st - Pippa (3D) - 31 points
- 2nd - River (3M)- 23 points
- 3rd - Kimberley (4R) Cleo (4K)- 19 points.

8/9 YEAR OLD BOYS

- 1st - Love (4K) - 32 points
- 2nd - Phoenix R (3J) - 30 points
- 3rd - Lincoln (3J)- 29 points.

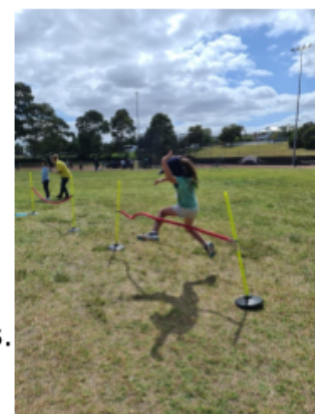


10 YEAR OLD GIRLS

- 1st - Farida (4K) - 31 points
- 2nd - Arielle (4K) - 30 points
- 3rd - Isabella (4R)- 28 points.

10 YEAR OLD BOYS

- 1st - Ryan (4K) Jacob (4R) - 31 points
- 2nd - Nathan J (5D) Noah Ful (5S)- 27 points
- 3rd - Jacob Pet (4K) George S (4R) David H (5S)- 22 points.





PE NEWS

HOUSE ATHLETIC RESULTS



INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

11 YEAR OLD GIRLS

1st - Charlie (6) - 26 points

2nd - Katarina (5D) Emma H (6M) Zoe P (6M) - 22 points

3rd - Zoe A (6M)- 19 points.

11 YEAR OLD BOYS

1st - Mateja (5S) - 32 points

2nd - Kivain (5S) - 23 points

3rd - Talib (5S)- 22 points.

12 YEAR OLD GIRLS

1st - Nela (6M) - 31 points

2nd - Alice (6V) - 28 points

3rd - Lauren (6V)- 26 points.

12 YEAR OLD BOYS

1st - Alrazza (6V) - 27 points

2nd - Filippe (6V)- 26 points

3rd - Nam (6V)- 24 points.





PE NEWS



SUMMER ROUND ROBIN

On Friday 10th March, the Year 5/6 students travelled to Parkhill PS to participate in Cricket, Danish Rounds, Tennis, Tee-ball and Softball as part of the Summer Round Robin. The weather was kind to us and we managed to play all of the games scheduled. We played against Parkhill, Burwood East, Pinewood, Glen Waverley, Holy Family, Huntingtower and Highvale.

The students played with great enthusiasm and sportsmanship. A big congratulations to the Cricket and Danish Rounders team for winning the runners up pennant.



Lunchtime Clubs

Lunchtime clubs are back up and running for 2023. All students, in the appropriate year level, are welcome to attend and an announcement is made at the start of each lunch time to remind students what is happening.

Activity	Day	Time
Chess- Organised through Kids Unlimited	Monday	Lunchtime
Art room open for quiet activities Year 4 - 6	Monday	1st half lunch
Basketball Club Year 3 - 6	Monday	1st half lunch
Art room open for quiet activities Year Prep - 3	Tuesday	1st half lunch
Taiko - Year 5 & 6	Wednesday	1st half lunch
SRC	Thursday	1st half lunch
Sustainability	Friday	1st half lunch

PA News

Easter Baskets/ Raffle Tickets

Thank you to all the families who have donated Easter eggs. Please bring any donations to the office and place them in the box in the foyer.

Keep an eye out for details on how to get raffle tickets in the next week or so!



Save the date in your diary!

Twilight Sports -

Wed, 29 March 5.30-7pm



Come and join us for some fun activities to compete in or cheer on your children!



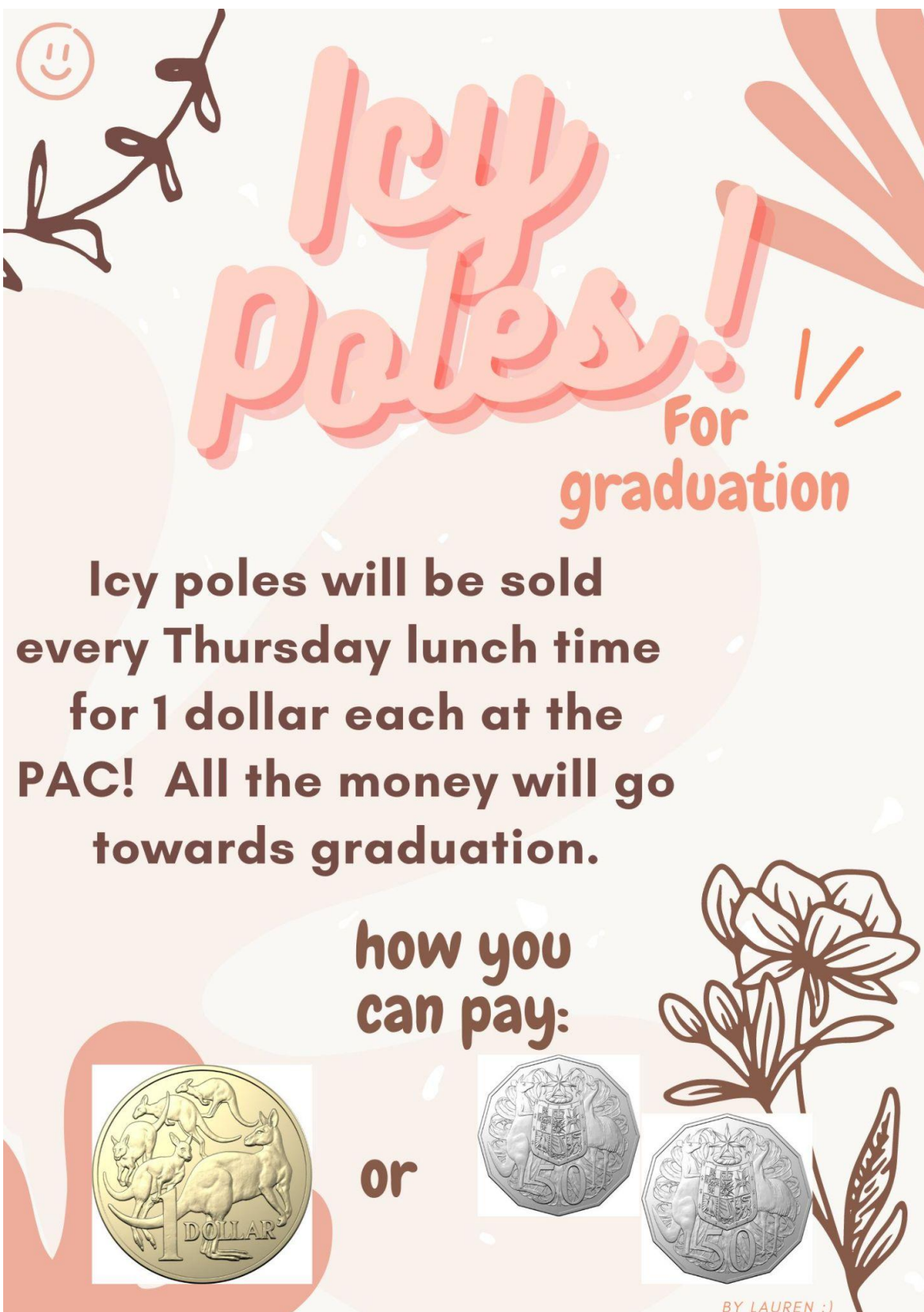
The PA will be running a BBQ stand selling food and refreshments such as:

- Sausage in bread \$3
- Icy poles \$1
- Soft drinks and juices \$2

All proceeds go back to the school for the benefit of our children.

If you haven't already but would like to volunteer then please sign up here:
<https://volunteersignup.org/XYQ99> (just a few spots left)!

You are most welcome to bring along a picnic too, and dress up in your child(ren)'s house colours - **Opals**, **Dolphins**, **Kookaburras** and **Wallabies**.



Icy Poles!


For graduation

Icy poles will be sold every Thursday lunch time for 1 dollar each at the PAC! All the money will go towards graduation.

how you can pay:



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BY LAUREN :)

Extend News

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Activity Incursion Excursion

<p>Monday 10 April</p> <p>PUBLIC HOLIDAY</p>	<p>Tuesday 11 April</p> <p>Mad About Science</p> <p>An awesome combination of crazy chemical reactions and mad science fun. Make a bag mysteriously self-inflate, launch a chemical rocket and explore the magic of dry ice.</p> <p>*Session Fee + \$20</p>	<p>Wednesday 12 April</p> <p>Tacos & Cup Stacking</p> <p>Did you know tacos can be filled with any ingredients? Let's celebrate the Mexican culture by making delicious tacos! Take home a recipe to share with family or friends!</p> <p>*Session Fee Only</p>	<p>Thursday 13 April</p> <p>Melbourne Museum</p> <p>Enjoy a world of museum experiences, family moments, cultural moments, learning moments and playful moments.</p> <p>*Session Fee + \$39.50</p>	<p>Friday 14 April</p> <p>Australian Animal Clay & Freeze Dance</p> <p>Come along and make your own super cute Australian animal out of clay. What animal will you make?</p> <p>*Session Fee Only</p>
<p>Monday 17 April</p> <p>Ball Sports & Volcano Experiment</p> <p>Basketball? Football? Soccer? Tell us your favourite ball games and we will be sure to play them!</p> <p>*Session Fee Only</p>	<p>Tuesday 18 April</p> <p>Hip Hop Party</p> <p>Learn some of the latest hip hop moves to your favourite hit songs combined with a disco event.</p> <p>*Session Fee + \$20</p>	<p>Wednesday 19 April</p> <p>Melbourne Zoo</p> <p>Join us to visit the majestic wildlife from Australia and around the world! Come along to see the koalas, giraffes, tigers and elephants and so much more!</p> <p>*Session Fee + \$39.50</p>	<p>Thursday 20 April</p> <p>Leaf Rubbings Art & Yoga</p> <p>Become one with nature with the power of art! Create your masterpiece using leaves and crayons!</p> <p>*Session Fee Only</p>	<p>Friday 21 April</p> <p>DIY World Flag Garland & Cup Stacking</p> <p>Learn about new cultures in style! See how many flags you can create from around the world!</p> <p>*Session Fee Only</p>

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Secondary School Open Days/Tours



Mount Waverley Secondary College warmly invites you to join us for our

VIRTUAL OPEN DAY

Wednesday 29 March 2023

Online Open Night

Please join us on **Wednesday 29 March at 7:00pm** for our streamed Principal's address followed by an opportunity to meet some of our staff, who will be online to answer your questions about our school.

Virtual Tours

Please visit our college website www.mwsc.vic.edu.au to view our *virtual tours* of the Junior Campus and a range of college activities and programs.

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SUBBIES (10 YEARS & UNDER)*
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U16 Thursday

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