

Thursday May 16, 2024

Dates To Remember

TERM TWO

Friday 17th May

Interschool Sport Year 6 - 9am - 11am

Monday 20th May

Assembly - 2.30pm

Tuesday 21st May

Year 1D Parent Teacher interviews
9.15am - 4.45pm

Tuesday 21st May

Year 3 Design Thinking Incursion
Cheese Toastie Truck lunch orders

Wednesday 22nd May

Year 1 Earth Crusaders Incursion

Monday 27th May

Indigenous Performance

Tuesday 28th May

ThinkUKnow student session - Year 3 & 4

Wednesday 29th May

ThinkUKnow student session - Year 5 & 6

Wednesday 29th May

Division Cross Country - selected students

Friday 31st May

Interschool Sport Year 5 & 6 9am - 11am

Monday 3rd June

Assembly - 2.30pm

Monday 10th June

King's Birthday Holiday

Principal's Report

THINK YOU KNOW?

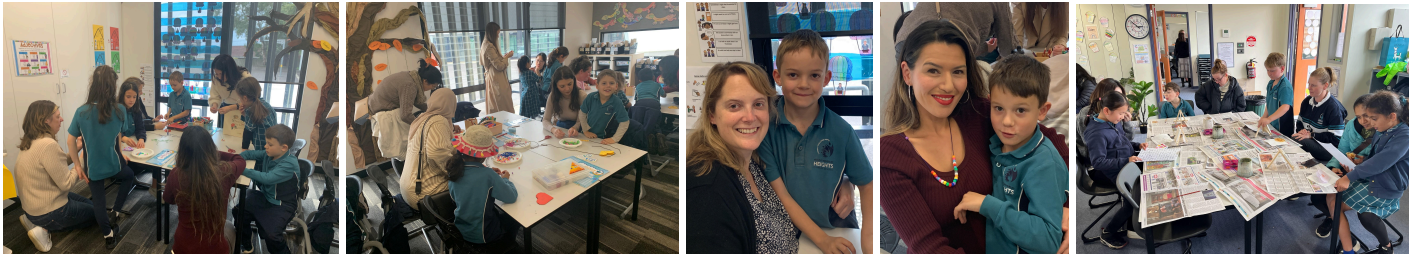
Thanks to Claire Furlong and the tech team for running our cyber safety night last Tuesday. Claire presented a great overview of the challenges and how/what to do to keep your child safe whilst they learn how to navigate the world of social media. Some key takeaways....

- Keep lines of communication open. Remember not to lose your cool when things have gone wrong. It is not your child's fault. Your children should feel comfortable coming to you if they feel unsafe, weird or worried
- Devices should always be used in areas that can be monitored (not kids bedrooms)
- Decide on what you will allow your child to access and teach them how to use the privacy settings
- It is not about shutting off access, it is about supervision and teaching them the skills to navigate safely
- All games and apps have age guidelines for a reason. Maturity, resilience and open lines of communication are essential
- Mobile phones are the biggest issues. School devices are locked down but often parents are unaware of the apps their child has downloaded
- Install controls or have routines in place to limit screen time and ensure that devices are not in your child's room at night.

THANK YOU - MOTHERS' DAY EVENT

Thank you to all our mums and special women in our students' lives who attended the Mothers' Day event last Friday. We hope you enjoyed the songs and activities.

A big thank you to our P-2 team for organising the event. A great team job!



PA - MOTHERS' DAY STALL

Thank you to all the parents who manned the stall last week and to the PA for organising the stall. The students absolutely loved going shopping for their mum and buying something special.



SRC DISCO

Thank you to Megan Savell and Jemma Douglas for organising our lunchtime disco. This was a reward for the school wide goal in Term 1.

ENROLMENTS PREP 2025

If you have a younger sibling who is due to start school next year, we ask that you submit an enrolment form. Enrolments for 2025 can be done either via paper or online. If you also know of any families in our zone who have children starting school, please encourage them to submit an enrolment form.

To register online please use the following link - <https://students.educationapps.vic.gov.au/s/>

Please speak with Louise or Julie in the office if you have any questions or would like a paper form.

PAC/EXTEND

We have had further setbacks in relation to the flooring of the PAC. With another flood last week, the VSBA are looking at ways to resolve the ongoing issue. Whilst they are refining their approach, we will be able to use the PAC until works can be determined. As of Monday afternoon, Extend will once again operate out of the PAC. We will also be able to use it for assemblies, sports, etc. At least for a little while!

ASSEMBLY MONDAY

Just a reminder that we have assembly on Monday in the PAC.

Sustainability members will be receiving their badges at this assembly. We hope to see you all there!

CAR PARK

A reminder that we ask parents NOT to turn right out of the Huntingdale Road carpark. This is for your safety and that of our community. Please only turn left onto Huntingdale Rd to keep the flow of traffic moving. We have had many reports to the office of vehicles turning right causing near misses as well as stopping the flow of the pick up zone.

Let's Celebrate...

- Elizabeth Deylen for her leadership skills, great teaching ability and support she provides staff. Elizabeth's last day will be Friday 24th of May. Wishing Elizabeth and her husband all the very best for the arrival of their first child!
- PA and the Year P-2 teaching teams for running great Mothers' Day events.
- Informative 'Think U Know' Parent info night
- Our Year 4-6 students who participated in the District Cross Country event. Congratulations to Samantha, Mark, Ryan And Mateja, for making it through to Division on the 29th May.

Sharon Reiss-Stone

Principal

PE NEWS



DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY

Last Friday 10th May, 52 year 4-6 students attended the Gardiner District Cross Country at Mirrabooka Reserve. A big thank you to Mr Marini for being the recorder, Mrs Douglas and Mr Ryan for supervising and making sure everyone turned up to their event on time, Mrs Collingridge and Mrs Collins for being on a marshalling point and Mr Organtzidis who was our rabbit and rode the course in front of the students leading the way.

The students competed against 9 other schools and did an incredible job. As a school we came 6th overall in the Gardiner District.

We had all 52 students finish their race and it was wonderful to see students helping others and running with them and encouraging them. 14 students finished in the top 20 which was an amazing achievement.

A huge congratulations to the following students who will be heading to Division on May 29th at Mirrabooka Reserve.

Samantha - 4M



Ryan - 5M

Mark - 5D

Mateja - 6M





SAVE THE DATE

Our Annual House Athletics day is coming up very soon. Please put Wednesday 17th of July in your diaries. The whole school will be travelling to Bill Sewart athletics track to participate in our House Athletics day. The Years 3-6 students will be competing in high jump, long jump, triple jump, hurdles, shot put and discus and of course the 800, 200 and 100m sprint.

The Prep - Year 2 students will also be competing, but in a modified version. Fingers crossed for great weather. If you are able to help out on the day please fill in the following [google form](#).

SRC News

This week was our DOJO DISCO. The SRC brainstormed up five rewards we could run as a whole school. The SRC reps took those five reward ideas back to their classes and each class voted. The winning vote was a Whole School Disco Party, so we've been dancing all week!



RECONCILIATION WEEK

WEEK 7

Thursday 30th of May

Dress in Aboriginal Flag colours black, red and yellow.

During week 7 classroom activities and a special art lesson creating hand prints using Aboriginal dot painting.

The graphic features a red background with yellow dashed lines forming a path. Below the path is a black silhouette of a mountain range. On the left, a portion of the Aboriginal flag (black, red, and yellow) is visible. On the right, there is a yellow handprint graphic.

Parents Association News

MOVIE DAY!

The PA is excited to announce the private screening of **DESPICABLE ME 4** on Saturday, 22 June 2024. For further details and how to book your tickets, click [here!](#)

Mount Waverley Heights Primary School
Parents' Association invites you to join us for a

MOVIE NIGHT

DAY



DESPICABLE ME 4

Hello!

Join us for a
private screening
of Despicable Me 4.

Sat. June 22nd

2:30ish

(Exact time to be confirmed)

Showbiz Cinema,
Pinewood Shopping
Village

For further
information and how
to get your ticket, keep
an eye on the school
news letters and
Sentral.



Extend News



Watch the latest kids film with your friends, jump, climb and bounce your way through the holidays.

Hone your detective skills and explore your musical talents with some thrilling and interactive incursions.



Compete with your friends and discover your artistic side with our fantastic activity days!

That's not all! Our holiday program is also host to a variety of extra activities, such as board games, sports, dress-ups, a reading library and countless opportunities for fantabulous fun these school holidays!

CCS is applied to the session fee, incursion and excursion fees, making it more affordable for families!

Book your super-fun winter school holidays with Extend at extend.com.au

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MOUNT WAVERLEY HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

ADDITIONAL DETAILS

Monday 1 July to Friday 12 July
8:00am – 6:00pm
Please provide morning tea and a healthy, nut free packed lunch for your child.

-  Activity day
-  Incursion and activities
-  Excursion and activities

Pay from just \$9.50 after CCS*
Session fee \$94.95**

*With the maximum Child Care Subsidy
**Without Child Care Subsidy

MONDAY 1 JULY



Indoor Tennis Games & Slime

Aspiring to be an all-star tennis player? Join us for tennis-themed games that will help you shine on the court!

 PAY FROM \$9.50 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE ONLY**

TUESDAY 2 JULY



ZappyZoomer & Mosaic

Harness the propulsive power of balloons to build your own zooming rocket. Launch it and see it soar! How far can your zoomer travel?

 PAY FROM \$9.50 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE + \$20

WEDNESDAY 3 JULY



Crazy Climb

Join us at the most exciting indoor rock facility in Melbourne, with dozens of different climbs to challenge and excite!

 PAY FROM \$14.30 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE + \$48**

THURSDAY 4 JULY



Mystery Solving Mayhem

Put on your thinking caps and open a case filled with thrilling surprises and riddles! Work together to uncover hidden truths and solve the mystery!

 PAY FROM \$11.30 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE + \$18**

FRIDAY 5 JULY



Plant People & Skipping Games

Mix the skills of a gardener and a hair stylist by creating your own plant person! Decorate your person's face and grow them a green head of plant hair!

 PAY FROM \$9.50 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE ONLY**

MONDAY 8 JULY



3D Bugs & Netball Drills

Who wouldn't want to create their own crawly little creature to play with? Put your crafting skills to the test and make your favourite bug!

 PAY FROM \$9.50 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE ONLY**

TUESDAY 9 JULY



Disco and Karaoke

You're invited to our wintertime party! Become a karaoke star and belt out the lyrics to your favourite songs or show off your moves with a vibrant disco!

 PAY FROM \$11.30 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE + \$18**

WEDNESDAY 10 JULY



You're going to the movies!

Grab some popcorn and watch the latest kids film with your friends!

 PAY FROM \$13.10 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE + \$36**

THURSDAY 11 JULY



Active 8 & Mini Experiments

Is there a better way to energize and get your body moving than through an exhilarating 8-minute workout?

 PAY FROM \$9.50 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE ONLY**

FRIDAY 12 JULY



Athletics & Bowling Tag

Are you an upcoming athlete? Join us in a collection of fun yet challenging activities designed to boost your stamina, speed, and overall fitness!

 PAY FROM \$9.50 AFTER CCS*
SESSION FEE ONLY**

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WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW FOR WINTER VACATION CARE?

What food should I pack for my child?

Please pack a healthy, nut free morning snack and lunch as you would for a normal school day. The service will provide a delicious and healthy afternoon snack.

Please ensure a refillable water bottle is packed for your child.

What should my child wear to vacation care?

Your child should wear long pants (trackies or leggings), a shirt that covers their shoulders (no singlets), a hat and a warm jacket. Your child must also wear closed shoes (no thongs or sandals).

If the children are doing art or a messy activity, please wear old clothing or pack an art smock.

What if I have a question about Child Care Subsidy?

We are approved to process your Child Care Subsidy payments from the Federal Government. However, we are not in control of how much subsidy is paid by the Government to each family.

If you have questions about Child Care Subsidy please contact Services Australia on 136 150.

Can my child attend services in a different state?

If you are enrolled with Extend, you can attend an Extend service anywhere in Australia where a service is available.

You do not need to regularly attend the school itself to attend an Extend Holiday Program. All primary school aged children are welcome.

Where do I find excursion bus times?

If you have already booked your vacation care sessions, log in to your LookedAfter account, go to your booking calendar and click on the excursion session. Information regarding the session will pop up and you will find the bus time listed under 'Service'.

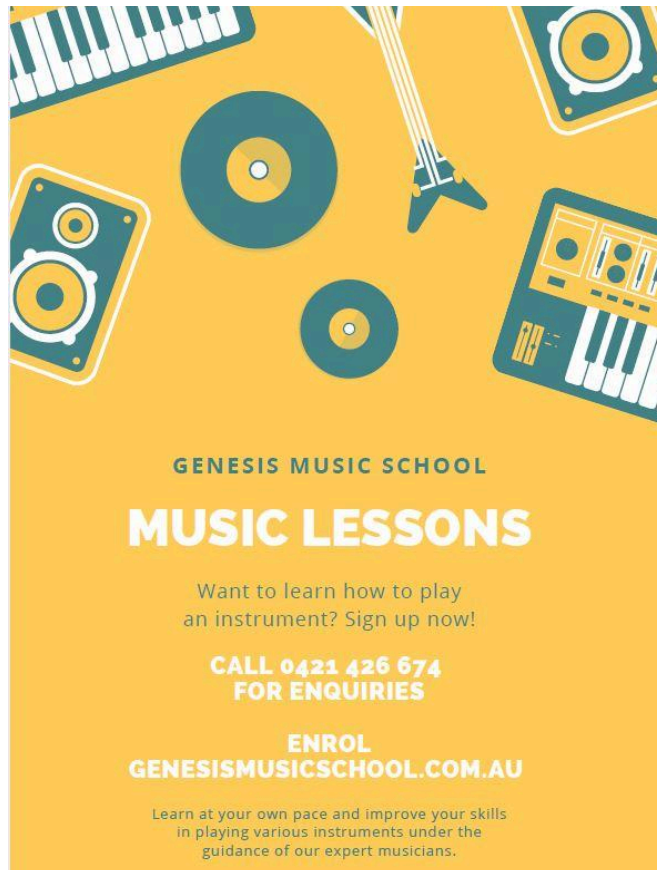
If you are booking a session, follow the usual booking process. You will find the information under 'Service'.

How will CCS help you save money during vacation care?

CCS covers up to 90% of the session fee, incursion fee and excursion fee based on the household income.

For example, a family eligible for 64% CCS will only pay 36% of the remaining session fee. This means for a 10 hour session costing \$100, the family will pay the gap fee of \$36 with the remaining \$64 covered by CCS. That's \$3.60 per hour!





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