

Newsletter No 10, 2021

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Purpose of Camp Hill Primary School is to develop and nurture lifelong learners within an engaging, global learning community, where the uniqueness and contributions of individuals are valued, shared and celebrated.

Following are the **core values** in which we strongly believe; they underpin our purpose and are the guiding principles of our school.

Caring: Being kind, helpful and sympathetic toward other people.

Honesty: To always tell the truth.

Confidence: Believing in yourself and others.

Respect: Recognising the rights, feelings, wishes and individual differences of others through our speech and manners.

Trust: Safely express opinions, beliefs, thoughts, and feelings in a secure environment.

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Calendar 2021

Friday	23 rd April	ANZAC Commemoration Service – All Welcome
Wednesday	5 th May	Division Cross Country
Wednesday	12 th May	Curriculum Day – NO SCHOOL
Tuesday	18 th May	School Council Meeting 5:30pm
Thursday	20 th May	2022 Foundation Information Evening
Friday	21 st May	Open School
Monday	14 th June	PUBLIC HOLIDAY - QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY
Tuesday	15 th June	School Council Meeting 5:30pm
Tuesday – Friday	15 th – 18 th June	Planning Week
Friday	25 th June	2022 Prep Interim Enrolment Forms close LAST DAY TERM 2 – Dismissal 2:25pm
Tuesday - Friday	20 th – 23 rd July	Year 5/6 Norval Camp in Halls Gap

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Welcome Back

Although I've had the opportunity to extend a big welcome back to many of families already this Term at the school gate in the mornings, for those I may have missed, welcome back to Term 2. I hope everyone enjoyed the weather and had a well-earned rest.

ANZAC Commemoration Service

The school will be holding a short ANZAC service tomorrow at 1.10pm on the back basketball court. Parents and friends are more than welcome to attend the service. A floral tribute will be laid on behalf of the school community at the ANZAC Day service on Sunday at the memorial hall.

School Uniform

As the weather turns a little cooler students are looking to wear warmer clothing, please remember hooded jumpers, regardless of colour are not school uniform and should not be worn at school. There is a limited number of jumpers available from the second hand uniform store or new items can be purchased from the uniform shop, Noone's Bendigo. Please make sure all items of clothing are clearly named so they can be returned if misplaced. In Terms 2 and 3, students are not required to wear a hat in the playground unless there is significant risk of UV exposure.

Lunch Orders

This Term the lunch order menu will return to something similar to pre COVID times, as has been the case in the past, we rely heavily on parents to help out with the preparation of lunches on a Friday. If you think you could help, please feel free to give the office a call to register your interest.

Bringing Up Great Kids Parenting Program

The Bringing Up Great Kids Parenting Program will kick off next Tuesday with those parents who have signed up for the program having the opportunity to meet with the program's facilitators on Tuesday morning. The program is open to all parents, if you would like to be a part of the program there are still opportunities available, expression of interest forms can be collected from the office.

Bendigo Senior Secondary College Car Park

This is a reminder to parents not to use the Bendigo Senior Secondary College Car Park precinct as a drop off or pick up zone for our students.

Chris Barker
Principal



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL



HERE EVERYDAY READY FOR LEARNING ON TIME

Student absence data for Week 1, ending 22/4/2021

Total number of student absence days Term 2	426 days
Current school absence rate Term 2	1.4 days per student
School absence rate target for 2021	10.00 days per student
Number of times students arriving late to school	28

Early Bird Awards: This week we had Prep A, 5A & 6B with no late arrivals 😊

100% Attendance

This Term we will continue to recognise those students with **100%** attendance as this a fantastic effort – keep up the great work!



Trish Johnstone
Assistant Principal



Useful websites/contacts

Kids Matter - www.kidsmatter.edu.au

Youth Beyond Blue -
www.youthbeyondblue.com.au

Headspace - www.headspace.org.au

or e-headspace
www.eheadspace.org.au/ for online
counselling & support

Reach Out – www.reachout.com

FROM THE OFFICE

BENDIGO DISTRICT RSL ANZAC APPEAL

All money raised during the Anzac Appeal directly supports those veterans in need through the Welfare & Wellbeing programmes.

Items for sale ranging from \$1 - \$10.

Please purchase with cash from the Office by tomorrow, Friday 23rd April.



LIBRARY

A big welcome back to everyone! A gentle reminder to please ensure library books borrowed last term are returned this week please:)

Donna Christie
Librarian

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

CAMP HILL PS OSHC

Welcome back to Term 2

We are all excited be able to spend more time with our OSHC friends.

Friendships play an important role in the lives of young people. Some friendships are important for feelings of connectedness and belonging, while others provide a support network.

Everyone is WELCOME!

All Families at Camp Hill Primary School can use After School Care. A session fee starts at \$3.30

All you need to do is call 0409 549 493 or email oshc@camphillps.vic.edu.au



OSHC Fee Increase

Each year we have a small annual increase to our OSHC fees, usually at the start of each year, so as of **Monday 3rd May 2020 fees for OSHC and Pupil Free Days will increase to the following:**

After School Care - \$18.00 per session

Pupil Free Days - \$50.00 per session

* Please keep in mind if you are eligible to receive Child Care Subsidy (Centrelink), the appropriate amount will be deducted off these fees.

If you require any further clarification in regards to the increase please call OSHC on 0409 549 493, email oshc@camphillps.vic.edu.au or come into the OSHC office located in the school gym.

Kerrie Patrick & OSHC Team

FOUNDATION LEARNING TEAM

Welcome Back

We trust everyone had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday break and that the students are well rested and ready for Term Two. It was so lovely to see so many happy, smiling faces on Monday morning!

Term Two Inquiry

'What is my Story?'

When learning about the history of Bendigo later this Term, we are hoping to visit some local attractions (eg. Ulumbarra, Golden Dragon Museum, Tram Depot etc). If you have a contact somewhere you think would be worth visiting, please let us know!

School Uniform

Please ensure all clothing is named while we transition into the cooler weather. Please reiterate at home that jumpers need to go straight into their bag if they take them off.

Please note, hats are no longer compulsory for outdoor play during Terms 2 & 3.

Foundation Learning Team

1/2 LEARNING TEAM

Welcome back Junior families!

We hope you all enjoyed your break and are ready for an exciting term ahead.

This week we have discovered that a paddle pop stick thief has found their way into our classrooms and has taken our paddle pop sticks without asking... This meant we had to do one thing... count all of our paddle pop sticks to see how many we have so we would know if any were missing!! Some classes had over 1,000 sticks to count!! We all worked as a team and after some hard evidence we now have some suspicions as to who the paddle pop stick thief may be (cough Mr Barri cough). Only time will tell.

Inquiry

This coming Friday we have our Inquiry Immersion Day. Our Inquiry topic this term is History. Students will split into four groups and rotate between each class for an introductory lesson to each topic.

The four topics are: The history of technology, Local community, Family life and School history.

Lastly, as usual we will be continuing our **Friday Fun Write** this term so please remember to 'Talk It Up' with your child at home to brainstorm ideas about the weekly topic.

1/2 Learning Team



3/4 LEARNING TEAM

Term Two

Welcome to a new term. We hope that all families had a well deserved break.

Inquiry

Our Inquiry question is: Why is it important to understand our history? We will be exploring Australian History and looking at the different perspectives about the circumnavigation and mapping of Australia, the arrival of Europeans from 1600 - 1800, including the First Fleet and colonisation of New South Wales and Aboriginals.

Laptops

We are using the laptops in the classroom on a regular basis and ask that all students bring in earphones or headphones clearly named as soon as possible.

3/4 Learning Team



5/6 LEARNING TEAM

Welcome Back

The Senior Department would like to welcome all our families back and hope you had a relaxing break from school.

School Captain

Due to the Bolton family moving from Bendigo at the end of last term we have a new school captain. Congratulations to Eamon White who now becomes our fourth captain. Eamon will be thrown straight into the role, running the ANZAC Day assembly with the other captains this Friday.

Camp

Camp Norval is being held from Tuesday 20th to Friday 23rd July. Permission notes were handed out last Term and are due back ASAP. A deposit of \$100 is due by the 7th May. Thank you to all the families who have returned notes and money already. Partial payments are also able to be completed via QKR if families wish to pay the total off over time. If you have any questions about camp please ask your child's teacher.

Grade Six Transition

Eaglehawk SC are running an information evening on the 5th May. More information to follow.

Inquiry

The Grade Five and Sixes are looking into history this Term. Our question is 'Why and how did Australia become a nation?'

We have started this week by talking about why history is important and what historical events the students already know about.

5/6 Learning Team

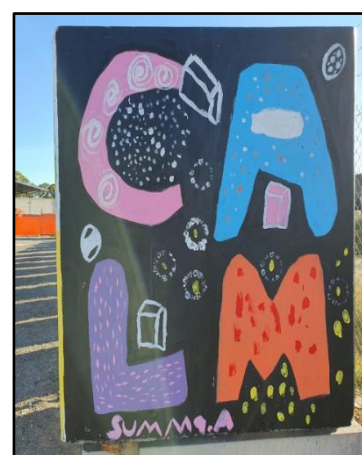
VISUAL ARTS

Bollards Project

Well done to the 25 Grade 5/6 students who participated in two painting sessions to complete some fantastic painted bollards. These will have the Camp Hill School Logo on them so look out for our bollards in the city streets. Thank you to the parents who accompanied us to make it possible. Below are some of the amazing finished ones.

Sandy McLennan

Visual Arts



LOTE – LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH

Prep

Students engaged in playing the 'copy me' game and being a student teacher while revising the vocabulary of greeting and manners. They responded very well to the 'Simon Says' game using the words of class instructions in Chinese.

Grade One and Two

Students were introduced to the vocabulary of colours and they did a great job in their speaking competition in groups.

Grade Three and Four

Students discussed their dream jobs in the future and shared their ideas of why they wanted to be certain professions. They enjoyed playing the speaking games using the learnt vocabulary of occupations.

Grade Five and Six

Students did a quick research on different kinds of houses in China and learned about different kinds of houses across the country. They did a very good job in their quick assessment of the newly learnt vocabulary, especially the 6B and 5B class.

Chinese Lunch Club

The team leaders had a discussion about what learning activities and great experiences they want to share with the junior students and then planned the learning activities together with the teacher. These lunch club activities would be fully led by the team leaders, and the teacher will just provide them with ideas and resources. Hopefully, through this, they can further their communication skills, collaboration skills and leadership skills.

Yimin Chen

LOTE

PERFORMING ARTS

What's new this week?

Prep students have learnt the old fashioned chant and partner activity 'Wash the dishes' and the name game 'Bounce high'.

Grade 1-2 students discussed old fashioned songs and hand clapping games. They learnt to play 'Charlie over the Water'.

Grade 3-4 students organised their recorders and looked at the parts of the recorder and how the recorder is traditionally made.

Reminder - All students need to have a recorder.

Grade 5-6 students looked at Australian history timelines and started to learn Botany Bay.

Mary Thorpe

Performing Arts Coordinator

SHORT CIRCUS

Don't forget to bring short circus equipment - **EVERY FRIDAY!**

The Short Circus captains have been eagerly awaiting receiving their badges. The badges will be presented at assembly tomorrow. I apologise that this didn't happen in Term 1, circumstances were beyond my control.

Mary Thorpe

Short Circus Coordinator

GREEN TEAM

MAD (Make a difference) Monday is back next week. Classes will be vying for the MAD Monday trophy. We are proud to be a Nude Food school and our students do a wonderful job of bringing nude food to school. Students who bring plastic wrappers to school are asked to take those home in their lunchboxes. This is so that families have the opportunity to recycle their soft plastic. Soft plastic recycling aims to make it easy for you to keep your plastic bags and soft plastic packaging out of landfill. It is available at Coles and Woolworths using RedCycle bins. Your soft plastic can be reused to make plastic products, such as seating.

RedCycle

When soft plastic goes to landfill, it breaks down into micro-plastic and is not biodegradable, micro-plastics are a problem because they leech into the groundwater, soil and food chain, they are bad for human and ecosystem health, so the best option is to avoid plastic or recycle that plastic.

Mary Thorpe

Green Team Coordinator

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

RESPECT

Isla A: For showing respect to her teachers and classmates by always demonstrating whole body listening, following instructions and being a kind and caring classmate. Great job Isla!

Pixie B: For demonstrating whole body listening during learning time and being a role model for her peers.

Winifred G: For always demonstrating whole body listening and being ready to learn.

Arya W: For always demonstrating whole body listening and being ready to learn.

CONFIDENCE

Blaine A: For displaying confidence and initiative when developing and running a fun and engaging PE lesson for his classmates. We were so impressed with your PE teacher skills, Blaine! Well done.

Anasztasia K-B: For confidently packing her bag each afternoon. A great week of listening and responding Sztas, well done. Keep up the good work!

Yashwanth Y: For confidently settling back into school routines. You've done a great job working independently during our literacy sessions this week. Well done!

BBQ LUNCH ORDER FOR FRIDAY 30TH APRIL, 2021

ORDER VIA OUR QKR APP!!!!

(Please return money and orders by 9.00am Thursday 29 / 4 / 2021)

(No late orders accepted)

Hamburgers \$3.70 Vegie Burgers \$3.70 Sausage in bread \$2.00

Name.....Grade..... Sausage.....Hamburger.....Vegie Burger.....

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Total enclosed \$.....

Signed.....

