

Newsletter No 4, 2022

Thursday 24th February 2022

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 2022

Thursday	24 th February	Camp Hill Parents & Friends Club meeting 5:30pm
Thursday	3 rd March	AFL Clinic Grades 3/4: 11:30am – 1pm
Monday	14 th March	PUBLIC HOLIDAY – LABOUR DAY
Tuesday	15 th March	All visitors who enter the school must be triple vaccinated Photo Day online payments due by 4:30pm School Council AGM 5:30pm WEBEX - Followed by School Council meeting
Wednesday	16 th March	Photo Day – Whole School
Monday – Thursday	21 st – 24 th March	Planning Week
Friday	25 th March	Bulb Fundraiser – Orders Close
Friday	8 th April	Last day Term 1 – Early Dismissal 2:30pm
Friday	15 th April	EASTER – Good Friday
Monday	25 th April	NO SCHOOL – Holiday from Easter Monday
Tuesday	26 th April	Term 2 Commences
Thursday	26 th May	School Athletics

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Reading Goal

Tomorrow, parents and carers will receive a reading goal for their child which they are currently working towards. The goal is based on recent reading assessments and student reading conferences conducted in the classroom. This initiative aims to provide students with a clear understanding what they are currently working towards in their reading. This will also provide parents with a focus to support their children during home reading. This goal will be reviewed and updated during regular conferencing and as a result of the acquisition of new skills.

School Captain Elections

Students in Years 5 and 6 experienced a formal election process to determine the School Captains for 2022. The process involves nomination, speeches to students in Years 5 and 6 and preferential voting.

I congratulate all students who took up the challenge of accepting a nomination and preparing a speech. One of the highlights of many of the speeches was the great sense of pride our students have in being part of the school community.

I would like to congratulate the following students who are this year's Camp Hill Primary School's School Captains: Izack P, Olivia G, Isaac F.

The School Captains will be presented with their badges at assembly on Friday.

I look forward to working with the captains throughout the year.

The eSafety Guide

Learn about the latest games, apps and social media, including how to protect your information and report inappropriate content. More coming soon!

<https://www.esafety.gov.au/key-issues/esafety-guide>

Recently the eSafety Commission released the eSafety Guide which provides information about apps and social media. Often children will mention an app and request access, this guide provides parents and carers with a quick snap shot of the app so an informed decision can be made.

Chris Barker
Principal

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Be an Attendance HERO...

HERE EVERYDAY READY FOR LEARNING ON TIME

Student absence data for Week 4, ending 25/2/2022



Total number of student absence days Term 1	213 days
Current school absence rate Term 1	0.7 days per student
School absence rate target for 2022	10.00 days per student
Number of times students arriving late to school	27

Early Bird Awards

Congratulations 1/2A & 6A 🎉

Everyone in these two classes arrived at school ready for learning this week. Keep up the great effort.

Why it's important to attend school every day

We all want our students to get a great education, and the building blocks for a great education begin with students coming to school each day.

If students miss school regularly, they miss out on learning the fundamental skills that will set them up for success in the later years of school.

There is no safe number of days for missing school – each day a student misses puts them behind and can affect their educational outcomes.

Each missed day is associated with progressively lower achievement in numeracy, writing and reading and importantly connections with peers & students is lost.

Trish Johnstone
Assistant Principal



WELLBEING MATTERS

Kids Helpline for Parents

<https://kidshelpline.com.au/parents>

The Kids Helpline is a great resource for school, children, and parents. It provides advice and support around a number of topics including family, school, mental health and online safety. It has also added a section that deals with the impact of COVID-19. You can read information, watch videos, email, webchat or call. No problem is too big or too small and they are there 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.



Helping kids stop cyberbullying

Everybody has a role to play in helping kids understand what's ok and not ...

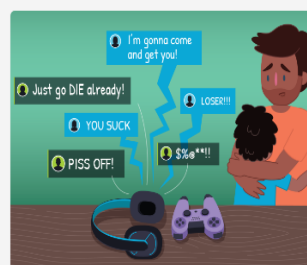
[READ ME](#)



Understanding online grooming

We explain online grooming and ways to keep your kids safe.

[READ ME](#)



Online gaming: Signs your child may be bullied

Bullying within online gaming can be a real issue. Know the signs and what you ...

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CHILD SAFE STANDARDS

The Child Safe Standards

The seven Child Safe Standards are compulsory minimum standards for all organisations that provide services to children, including Victorian schools.

The aim of the Standards is to ensure organisations are well prepared to protect children from abuse and neglect.

Camp Hill PS takes this responsibility very seriously and we have a number of policies & strategies in place to ensure we comply with the Child Safe Standards. Over the coming weeks you will see an outline of each standard & the practices we have in place at school.

Standard 2: A Child safe policy or statement of commitment to child safety

What does this mean?

Camp Hill PS has zero tolerance for child abuse and is committed to safety and wellbeing of all children and young people.

Camp Hill PS is committed to providing a child safe environment where children and young people are safe and feel safe, and their voices are heard about decisions that affect their lives.

We demonstrate our commitment through our procedures and protocols including every visitor and volunteer signing in and reading our Child Safe Code of Conduct.

Every person involved in Camp Hill PS has a responsibility to understand the important and specific role he/she plays individually and collectively to ensure that the wellbeing and safety of all children and young people is at the forefront of all they do and every decision they make.

Camp Hill is committed to child safety and you can read our Statement of Commitment to Child Safety and Child Safe policy on the school's website www.camphillps.vic.edu.au; as well as see it on display at the front office. We also have other policies that show we have a daily focus on child safety. These include our Mandatory Reporting, Child Safe, Volunteers & Visitors, Code of Conduct, Student Engagement & Wellbeing policies.

PROTECT

Everyone has the right to be safe and be protected from abuse.

No one should behave in a way that makes you feel unsafe or afraid, including anyone in your family, anyone at school or anywhere else in the community.

Tell a teacher or any adult at your school if you feel unsafe.



It's everyone's responsibility.

Adults at school must listen and respond to concerns about child abuse.

If you suspect abuse of any child or young person, you have a responsibility to report it, even if you are not sure.

Further information & resources
www.education.vic.gov.au/protect

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

Kids helpline - 1800 55 1800 24 hours a day, 7 days a week or [web counselling](http://www.kidshelpline.com.au)



KidsHelpline
1800 55 1800

Click to start a live WebChat

FOR KIDS (5-12) FOR TEENS (13-25)

Free, confidential counselling and support.
24 hours a day, seven days a week,
for ages 5-25. FREECALL 1800 55 1800.

FROM THE OFFICE

School Fees

A huge thank you to all the parent/carers who have already gone onto QKR and made contributions. A reminder that all Voluntary Curriculum Consumables (school fees) are listed per year level on our QKR app for your convenience, or the last additional option is also available to enter an individual amount you are wishing to give.

Please contact the office if you would like any further information.

Building Fund

The Building Fund is available on our QKR app if you would like to make a contribution. Donations made are tax deductible and greatly accepted.

CSEF (Camps, Sports & Excursion Fund)

If you hold a NEW current Centrelink Concession card, please let the office know asap as you are eligible to claim a \$125 payment per child. This payment comes directly to the school and cannot be used for school fees only camps, sports and excursions. If you have claimed last year – we will automatically claim again this year on your behalf.

Thank you

Sue Heider

Business Manager

PHOTO DAY

WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTO DAY – WEDNESDAY 16th MARCH

ONLINE BOOKING

Your school has decided school photos will only be available to order online this year.

Choose your own **FREE** background



The benefits of being online...

- No need for envelopes to be returned to the school office
- No cash on school grounds or children's bags
- Easy order tracking and record keeping
- 18 different backgrounds to choose from - no additional cost

Camp Hill Primary School - 2022

www.leadingimage.com.au

Access Key

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INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY PHOTOS CAN BE ORDERED WITH THE SAME ACCESS KEY

To order your school photos:

- 1 Go to www.leadingimage.com.au
- 2 Click on Order Your School Photos
- 3 Select your State
- 4 Enter your special unique Access Key



Family photographs must be ordered before 4.30 pm the night before photo day.
Please ensure your orders are placed before this time.



FUNDRAISING

Bulb Fundraiser



It's that time of year to start ordering BULBS ☺ Camp Hill PS has a fantastic opportunity for families and the whole community to place orders online and the school will receive 40% commission of ALL bulbs sold. What a great fundraiser - so tell one, TELL ALL. Postage is \$6.50 - straight to your home (NOT SCHOOL) as soon as you place your order!

Orders are available til Friday 25th March, 2022.

Online orders to: www.bulbfundraiser.com.au/CAMPHILLPS

OSHC

Accounts

Please make sure you pay your accounts in full by tomorrow.

Kerrie Patrick & OSHC Team

BREAKFAST CLUB



FOUNDATION LEARNING TEAM

Drop Off

Thank you to our very brave students (and parents!) for doing their first solo walk into the classroom today. What great and independent little people we have!

Tt is for Teddy!

We enjoyed having our teddies at school today for literacy learning. We would love to have them back tomorrow to finish off!

Goodbye and Good Luck Ms Elliott

A huge thank you to Ms Elliott who has been a big part of our classrooms this year. We eagerly await the arrival of your little baby and look forward to welcoming you in for a visit next term.

Foundation Learning Team

1/2 LEARNING TEAM



Friday Fun Write prompt

As I sit under the shade of a cool tree I can see...

Our writing focus this week is to correctly form our letters.

Remember to 'Talk It Up' over dinner, breakfast or on the way to school.

Writing Experience

This week we had a beach themed morning to use for our recount writing. Students did a fantastic job at all rotations, they had to work together and problem solve. Students have started to create some fantastic recount plans.



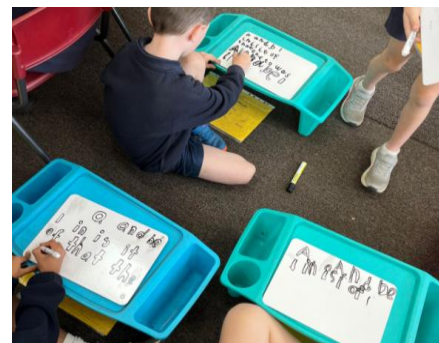
Reading Routines

We have started our literacy rotations this week which has seen students working independently and in groups. Students have loved practicing their sight words in fancy ways.

Log Ins

Stay on the lookout on Class Dojo for GetEpic and Google Classroom log in details, as we are beginning to set up the use of digital technology in our routines.

1/2 Learning Team



3/4 LEARNING TEAM

Jets Gym Helpers

3/4C and 3/4D are in need of helpers for Jet's Gym. If you can come along on the 10th, 17th, 24th, or 31st of March please let Mrs G or Mrs Morrison know asap.

3/4 Learning Team

5/6 LEARNING TEAM

School Captains

A huge Congratulations to our School Captains for 2022. After a really close poll our Captains for this year are;

Olivia G

Izack P

Isaac F

Undoubtedly this group will do themselves and Camp Hill proud and be fantastic leaders this year. Well done!

Jets Gym

Jets is all set to kick off in a couple of weeks. Thanks to all the families who have completed permission notes on Sentral and payments (if needed) on QKR. The kids are very much looking forward to starting the program.

5/6 Learning Team

LOTE

Prep

Students learnt to sing a greeting song and enjoyed playing different games using the vocabulary of greetings and class instructions. Here is the link of the greeting song: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I7ViCJS6bQU>

Grade One and Two

Grade one students learnt Chinese zodiac animals and Grade Two students practiced writing Chinese animal characters.

Grade Three and Four

Students learnt DOS and DON'TS of Chinese New Year celebration and what things should be avoided during Chinese New Year celebration so they can have good luck for the whole year.

Grade Five and Six

Students keep practicing the Chinese New Year rapping and experience writing the Chinese New Year couplets by themselves. They learnt about the four treasures of study and different styles of Chinese calligraphy. They then practiced writing the Kai Shu style wishing for good luck, good fortune, safe all year or progress academically.

Yimin Chen

LOTE

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Jets Gymnastics

Please see the timetable below for your child's dates and session times:

Dates	Times	Year Level
Mon 7, 21, 28 March	12:30 – 1:30	6A
Mon April 4 th (to replace Labour Day)	12:30 – 1:30	6B
Tues 8, 15, 22, 29 March	9:30 – 10:30	1-2 C
	9:30 – 10:30	
	10:30 – 11:30	1-2 A
	10:30 – 11:30	1-2 B
	11:30 – 12:30	5A
	11:30 – 12:30	5B
Thurs 10, 17, 24, 31 March	9:30 – 10:30	3-4A
	9:30 – 10:30	3-4B
	10:30 – 11:30	3-4C
	10:30 – 11:30	3-4D

Glenn Shannon
Sports Coordinator

HEALTHY EATING



PERFORMING ARTS

What's new this week?

Foundation? The students learn the partner clapping game 'My aunty Anna'.

Grade 1-2 students are learning to play an improvised rhythm/ solo using notes C/D/E to be copied by the other students. This is part of the 'Come on Everyone' song.

Grade 3-4 students are developing their ukulele skills. They are learning strumming patterns. This week the students made lyrics for a Recycling song, using the melody/ tune of 'Row, Row, Row'.

Grade 5-6 students are progressing at various levels on the ukulele. The students are aiming to change between three chords and play the song 'Welcome to all People'. The Grade 6 students created a song about democracy.

Short Circus

Students will nominate for Short Circus Captain roles this Friday.

The Short Circus are aiming to be part of the Bendigo Easter Fair Gala Parade, covid pending.

Mary Thorpe

Performing Arts Coordinator

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

CONFIDENCE

Alex N: For settling into his new Grade and School with such confidence. Well done Alex!

CARING

Eric V: For always being a kind and caring friend to everyone in our class. Thank you Eric!

TRUST

Sulaymaan A: For being a fantastic role model and showing responsibility when completing tasks around the school and in the classroom.

Ava S: For using her initiative during all tasks and always being super organised in her role as the computer monitor. Well done Ava, your efforts are always appreciated.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

BENDIGO FORD FUN RUN

Sunday 6th March 2022.

Register now: bendigofordfunrun.com.au

COME & TRY BENDIGO OZTAG CLINICS

Wednesdays from 6pm

9/2/22 til 23/3/22

All Junior & Seniors players welcome.

Allingham Street Reserve, Golden Square

Contact Marnie 0447 946 927

marniegudge@gmail.com

<https://oztag.com.au/ao>

LUNCH ORDER

SUSHI LUNCH ORDER FOR FRIDAY 4/3/22

ORDER VIA OUR QKR APP!!!!

Please return money and orders by 9.00am Thursday 3/3/2022.

No late orders accepted.

Sushi \$3.50 – Crispy chicken, Teriyaki chicken, Vegetarian, Cooked Tuna

Name..... Grade..... Vegetarian..... Crispy chicken..... Teriyaki chicken..... Cooked Tuna

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Total enclosed \$..... **Signed**.....