



Hampton Park Primary School

Newsletter

7th March 2025

Persistence, Creativity & Excellence

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Calendar:

- **Friday 7th March** - School Assembly - 2.40pm
- **Monday 10th March** - Labour Day Public Holiday - NO SCHOOL
- **Wednesday 12th - Friday 21st March** - NAPLAN Test Window for Year 3 & 5 students
- **Monday 17th - Friday 21st March** - Harmony Week
- **Friday 21st March** – Interschool Sport 5/6's - Lyndhurst P.S
- **Friday 21st March** – Harmony Day Assembly - 2.30pm

Launching Our School Values and Vision

Last year, through consultation with students, staff, and School Council, we identified the values most important to our school community: **Respect, Responsibility, and Resilience**. These values will guide how we learn, interact and grow together as we strive to achieve our school's vision: ***Hampton Park Primary School - empowering lifelong learners, contributing to and thriving in an inclusive, connected community.***

This term, our staff have been unpacking what these values look like in action, linking them with our **Schoolwide Positive Behaviour** approach. Now, we're ready to explicitly teach them to our students and embed a common language across our school.

Over the next week, we'll introduce each value on our social media. Later this term, we'll send a Compass update and include a recap in the final newsletter. As we bring these values to life, you'll start seeing **positive acknowledgements** on Compass when your child demonstrates the values. If you have notifications enabled, you'll receive an alert; otherwise, you'll get an email.

We encourage you to follow us on social media for early updates. If your child receives a positive acknowledgment, ask them about it and celebrate their effort together! Your support helps reinforce these values at home and school.

Monique Holtkamp
Assistant Principal

2025 Harmony Day Preparations



Our Harmony Day celebrations are fast approaching. This is a wonderful opportunity for our school community to come together and celebrate diversity in harmony. Please note the details below:

Date: Friday, 21st March 2025

As part of our celebrations, we invite students to perform at the **Harmony Day Assembly**, which will begin at **2:30 pm**. We welcome performances representing various cultures, such as traditional dances or songs. Please ensure that song choices do not contain any religious references, words, or chants. To accommodate all performers within the assembly timeframe, we kindly ask that performances be kept to **1–2 minutes**.

Auditions

Interested students must attend an audition at school on **Tuesday, 4th March, during lunchtime in Room 12** (with **Wednesday, 5th March** as a backup date). A panel of teachers will select **6–8 performances** based on confidence, preparedness, and cultural variety.

Music & Costumes

Students selected to perform must submit their **music in advance** to ensure it is ready for the assembly. Music files should be provided on a **USB drive** or shared via a **link (e.g., YouTube)**. Please also ensure your child has an appropriate costume for their performance.

Cultural dress or wear orange

All students on the day are encouraged to wear appropriate cultural dress or wear something orange on Harmony Day to show their support for cultural diversity and an inclusive Australia.

We look forward to your support and your child's participation in this special event. For any further queries, please contact us.

Thank you,

Ariel Li

Harmony Week Coordinator

HARMONY DAY 2025

Friday 21st March

Wear orange clothing or your cultural outfit on Friday to help us celebrate as a school!

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY AT 2:30 PM

-All families are welcome-

Celebrating Australia's Cultural Diversity



ANZAC Day Appeal & Commemoration Service

Honouring Our ANZACs Support the ANZAC Day Appeal

As ANZAC Day approaches, our school is proud to support the ANZAC Day Appeal, an important initiative that raises funds to assist veterans and their families. By purchasing an ANZAC badge or making a donation, you are helping those who have served our country and ensuring they receive the care and support they deserve.


We encourage our school community to get involved by supporting this appeal and taking a moment to reflect on the sacrifices made by our servicemen and women.

Badges will be available for purchase at [location] from [start date] to [end date]. Every contribution, no matter how small, makes a difference in the lives of veterans and their families.

Join Us for the ANZAC Day Commemoration Service

We also invite all students, families, and staff to attend the ANZAC Day Commemoration Service in Cranbourne to pay tribute to those who have served and continue to serve.

Event Details:

 **Date:** Friday, 25 April 2025

 **Location:** Greg Clydesdale Cenotaph – High Street, Cranbourne

 **11am Service, including March Start Time:** 10:30am

Our school will be proudly participating in the service, and we encourage everyone to attend and show their support.

For more information about the ANZAC Appeal or the Commemoration Service, please contact Dandenong Cranbourne RSL at (03) 9792 1535.

Lest We Forget.



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 Ph: 03 9792 1636

ANZAC Day March & Service – Cranbourne Event Guidelines

To ensure a respectful and well-organised ANZAC Day March and Service, we ask all participants to follow these guidelines:

1. General Conduct

- a) The event is a solemn occasion; all participants are expected to behave respectfully.
- b) No political or commercial banners, slogans, or promotional materials are permitted.
- c) Mobile phones should be silenced during the service.

2. March Participation

- a) Participants should assemble in the **carpark (behind the Terry White Chemist)** by **10:30am**
- b) Groups will be directed to their designated position in the march by event coordinator.
- c) The march will proceed in an orderly manner, following the designated route.
- d) Veterans and individuals requiring assistance should notify organisers in advance for special arrangements.

3. Wreath-Laying Protocol

- a) Wreath layers should check in with the event coordinator upon arrival.
- b) Wreath-laying will be conducted in an orderly sequence as directed by the event MC.
- c) Wreaths should be presented respectfully and without delay.

4. Dress Code

- a) Participants are encouraged to wear appropriate attire (e.g. uniforms, smart casual, or traditional dress as appropriate).
- b) Veterans may wear medals and decorations on the left side.
- c) Family members wearing medals on behalf of a relative should wear them on the right side.

5. Safety & Accessibility

- a) Event staff will be present to assist as needed.
- b) First aid services will be available on-site.
- c) Any participants with mobility needs should inform organisers ahead of time for assistance.

6. Photography & Media

- a) Official event photography may take place. Please advise the event coordinator if you do not wish to be photographed. Photos may be used on DCRSL publications, website and social media.
- b) Media may be present; participants should be mindful of public coverage.

Thank you for your cooperation in making this ANZAC Day Service a respectful and dignified event.

For any further inquiries, please contact Stuart Couch at 0405 170 178 or via email StuartC@southeastrsrl.com.au

Lest We Forget.

Dear Families

Hampton Park Primary School is again participating in **Scholastic Book Club** this year. Up to twice a term, during the school year, you will receive a Club catalogue with a different selection of books offered for all ages. The second issue is out now will be sent home with your child this week.

Student Catalogue:

You can also view the current catalogue here:- [scholastic.com.au/media/11959/bc_2-25_issuu.pdf](https://www.scholastic.com.au/media/11959/bc_2-25_issuu.pdf)

It is easy to order via the **Book Club LOOP** platform for parents. Your child's order is submitted directly to school and the books will be delivered to your child's classroom to bring home. You can place your child's order at [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) or using the **LOOP** app, which can be downloaded from the App Store or Google Play.

Please note orders close for this issue on 14th March.

Each order helps earn free books and teaching materials for our school, however there is never any obligation to order.

If you need any help setting up your **LOOP** account to order, or have any questions about Scholastic Book Club, please contact Jodie Burn at jodie.burn@education.vic.gov.au



How To Order From Book Club

1. Sign in or register an account at: [scholastic.com.au/loop](https://www.scholastic.com.au/loop)
2. Click on ORDER and select HAMPTON PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL and your child's class
3. Add your child's first name and last initial (so we know who the book is for)
4. Enter the product item number from the Book Club catalogue
5. Make payment via credit card
6. All orders are attached to the school account and will be delivered to HPPS directly to your child to bring home



Congratulations to the following students who received our Learning Behaviour Award in the past fortnight.



0A	John P
0B	Adyan J
0C	Dua Z
1A	Sabrina S
1A	Abbas A
1B	Thomas L
1B	Zohra Z J
1C	Lumimi G
1C	Daisy U
2A	Dyvin T
2A	Shaddah F
2B	Lydia U
2B	Tyler C
2C	Asher B
2C	Sanyukta N
3A	Kobe S
3A	Xavier N
3B	Keoraxmey M
3B	Lily P
3C	Alanah P

4A	Saleena H
4B	Athiran N
4C	Vitorina F
5A	Zana C
5A	Joshua J
5B	David K
5B	Martha F
5C	Zala K
5C	Aijia Z
6A	Kayden S
6A	Varshaa V
6B	Alan L
6B	Samir H
DigiTech	CJ L1A
Mandarin	Bahram S 4C
Science	Hajra H 5C
Vis. Arts	Quinn T 1B
Vis. Arts	Sara K 4B
Perf. Arts	Mobin A K 2A
PE	Dawt Dawt N 5B
Chess	Letitia K 4B

Congratulations

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SEL Star Award



HAMPTON PARK
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Congratulations to the following students who received our SEL Star Award in the past fortnight.



0A	Hina Y
0B	Ava S
0C	Myles S
1A	Killian C
1A	Mabel L
1B	Damir K
1B	Malika R
1C	Arad A H
1C	Ikram S
2A	Elissa S
2A	Ava G
2B	Aaliyah P
2B	Erfan A
2C	Eric L
3A	Sehar A
3A	Kaya C
3B	Levi T
3B	William G
3C	Rumeysa Y

4A	Roseate S
4B	Letitia K
4C	William N
5A	Lema P
5A	Linden A
5B	Nuku F
5B	Maya B
5C	Ibrahim A
5C	Erfan N
6A	Sabrina S
6A	Dante P
6B	Asiye O
6B	Annabelle
DigiTech	4A
Mandarin	1A
Science	Sehar A
Vis. Arts	Lucas S FB
Vis. Arts	FA
Perf. Arts	Mustafa J 2A
PE	Aaliyah U 1A

Congratulations



A W A R D S





Term 1 2025

Keep this handy calendar on your fridge for upcoming events at Hampton Park PS. For updates remember to check out Compass or Facebook.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
January	27 Australia Day Public Holiday	28 Teachers Return For 2025	29 First Day Of School For Grades 1-6	30 First Day Of School For Foundation Students	31
February	3	4	5 Grade 6 Top Presentation @2:45	6 Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am	7 Assembly - 2:40pm
	10 Parent Online Information Session - KidsROAR 7pm P - 4 Term 1 Student Parent Teacher Meeting	11 Parent Online Information Session - KidsROAR 7pm 5 - 6 Grade 3 Beach Day Excursion	12 Grade 5 Beach Day Excursion	13 Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am	14
	17 Foundation Family Picnic 2:45 - 3:15 Gr 3-5 Simply the Best Incursion Grade 6 DOXA Camp	18 KidsRoar ROAR Grade 6 DOXA Camp	19 Grade 6 DOXA Camp	20 Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am School Council @ 3:50pm	21 Assembly - 2:40pm
	24 Grade 1/2 Swimming Grade 3/4 Swimming	25 Grade 1/2 Swimming Grade 3/4 Swimming	26 Grade 1/2 Swimming Grade 3/4 Swimming	27 Grade 3/4 Swimming Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am	28
March	3 Student Leaders Excursion	4	5 Being Brave Incursion- Brainstorm Productions	6 Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am	7 Gr 4 RSPCA Excursion Group 1 Assembly - 2:40pm
	10 Labor Day Public Holiday	11	12 Naplan		13 Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am
	17 Harmony Week	18	19	20 Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am	21 Inter School Sports- At Lyndhurst PS Assembly - 2:40pm
	24	25	26	27 Foundation Enchanted Maze Excursion Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am School Council @ 3:50pm	28 Gr 4 RSPCA Excursion Group 2 Inter School Sports - At Rivergum PS
April	31	1 Cross Country G3-6	2	3 Little Owls Playgroup @ 9:00am	4 Gold Assembly 9:10am Last day of term 2:30pm finish



We are proud to acknowledge the Bunurong People as the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which Hampton Park Primary School is located. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

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YOUR CHILD HAS COMPLETED SCHOOL SWIMMING – WHAT NEXT?

Ongoing practice is essential, and we strongly encourage ongoing participation in swimming and water safety lessons.

Swimming and water safety are life skills which require ongoing practice and learning. Development of knowledge and skills relating to swimming and water safety can significantly reduce a child's drowning risk. Now that your child has completed school swimming and water safety lessons, there are many options which allow them to continue to develop their skills.

What is the Victorian Water Safety Certificate?

The Certificate is a Victorian Government initiative that reflects the level of competency recommended for students exiting primary school.

For more about the Victorian Water Safety certificate visit:

www.lsv.com.au/VWSC



Your child achieved the Victorian Water Safety Certificate

Swimming club

Swimming clubs focus on developing and progressing your child's competitive swimming abilities.

Nippers

Nippers is a beach education program that introduces children aged 5 to 14 years to lifesaving.

Water Polo

Joining an aquatic sport can be a fun way to stay fit, have fun and practice vital swimming and water safety skills.

Your child DID NOT achieve the Victorian Water Safety Certificate

Swimming lessons

Contact your local swimming pool to discuss continuing swimming and water safety programs.

VICSWIM Summer Kidz Program

VICSWIM is school holiday swimming and water safety program which focuses on learn to swim and water safety skills, both in pools and open water venues across Victoria.

Everyday Lifesaver App

The Life Saving Victoria App teaches water safety, emergency response and CPR in a fun and engaging way – and its FREE!

WHAT CAN YOU DO AT HOME TO HELP REDUCE THE RISK OF DROWNING?

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Practice skills at bath time | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enjoy the water with your child at the beach or pool | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Visit different aquatic environments | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utilise a variety of toys and floatation aids to help practice | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discuss water safety in the home |
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Learn CPR and First Aid skills



Fence the pool and shut the gate



Always keep watch around water



SURVIVAL SWIMMING PRE-PROGRAM INFO SHEET



Community Hub

Hampton Park PS - 32 Somerville Road, Hampton Park

The Hampton Park Community Hub is meeting place for our whole community. We welcome all families in our community to come along to connect, share and learn with us. Our programs include:



Little Owls Playgroup

with Hey De Ho Music

Thursday 9am to 11.00am



Our Community Hub proudly partners with the following organisations to support the Hampton Park Community.



For more information contact Linda



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Hampton Park TheirCare

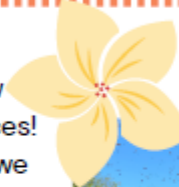
TERM 1

NEWSLETTER

March 2025

Hello March!

Welcome to Marvelous March! It's a new month, new exciting events and new faces! Last month was a fantastic month, and we cannot wait to see what March has in store for us. Time sure does fly by when you're having fun as we have school holidays nearly coming up! The kids have been enjoying playing outside with water toys and water guns. The kids enjoy getting wet and playing with water, so it is a great way to beat the heat!



PUPIL FREE DAY - 24th March

Our service will be running on the Pupil free day from 6:45am to 6:30pm!



TC TITANS - DANCE PROGRAM!

From February and all throughout March, we have had some exciting visits from TC Titans every Tuesday. From these visits we were able to learn new dance moves, play musical games and sing karaoke! We still have 2 more weeks left of TC Titans, so make sure you book online so you don't miss out on this epic fun!



Jungle Jive end of term party!

Date: Friday March 14th
When: After school care
Where: At Hampton Park TheirCare

Please book in your child on the 14th March for a Jungle Party to celebrate TheirCare's Birthday, and our service's WeCare efforts from Term 1! We look forward to seeing you there!



HAPPY INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

Our theme for this week is international Women's Day as it is a Global celebration on the 8th of March. To celebrate this day, we are engaging in conversations about women that we know that have made a big impact on our lives, and why this day is important to celebrate. From Hampton Park TheirCare, we would like to say a big thank you to all the women in the world for being strong, resilient, caring, loving and protective. For making a big impact in our lives and in the environment we live in! We appreciate all of your hard work and efforts!

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Access Success

at Hampton Park Secondary College

There are many pathways for students. At Hampton Park Secondary College we recognise all students are unique and individual. 'One size does not fit all' and students are encouraged to find and follow their own passion to achieve success. We are very proud of all our students.



Over the past two years we have achieved the highest results in Hampton Park Secondary College's history



To book a tour, please contact the College or scan this QR code.

Mean ATAR 63.44 17.19% higher than in 2017	Median Study Score 29	82.85% of students had ATAR scores over 50
ALL students received a first round tertiary offer. 57.33% for 1st preference.	Dux 95.75	56% of students had ATAR scores over 60
14 students achieved the Victorian Pathways Certificate	PERFECT Study Score of 50 in Foundation Math	29% of students had ATAR scores over 70



OPEN

DAY/NIGHT

Scan the QR Code
to book



SAVE THE DATE
Wednesday 2nd
April 2025



Please email the college for any enquiries at hampton.park.sc@education.vic.gov.au





Talking all things money: Making money work for your family

Communities For Children Frankston Community Workshop Series is designed for local parents/carers, volunteers and staff working or living with children, who are seeking information and practical strategies.

Facilitated by Melissa Meagher

This practical and informative presentation gives you the opportunity to explore your own financial health and flex your financial capability muscle (promise it won't hurt!). Walk away with proven strategies that you can implement and embody immediately to step up and (re) claim your financial independence once and for all!

The free, online workshop will cover:

- How to feel empowered and in control of your personal finances
- Gaining clarity, awareness and efficiency with your money and take simple steps to create financial security
- Tips on talking money with children to set them up for the future

DATE: Wednesday 30th April 2025
 TIME: 7.00–8.30pm
 WHERE: Online event via Zoom webinar

SCAN TO REGISTER:



For questions contact Sally McIntyre at cfc_southern@anglicarevic.org.au



CFC is funded by the Australian Government, Department of Social Services. See www.dss.gov.au for more information.

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Hampton Park Junior

Football Club

Celebrating 50 YEARS

1975 – 2025

Let's Play, Registration NOW OPEN

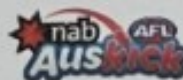
Mixed Under 8's, Under 9's, Under 10's, Under 11's and Under 12's

Open to Older Age Groups

Please Feel free to contact our Registrar Kylie 0406 094 701 for further information or visit our website <https://www.hamptonparkjfc.com/>

Register now at PLAY HQ

Be a Part of The Redback Family for 2025!



Proudly Accepting Get Active Vouchers
Get yours done before they run out!



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GOOD CLEAN FUN

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HAMPTON PARK AUSKICK CENTRE

Cairns Road Reserve
Starts May 3rd from 9:30am

