



# Hampton Park Primary School

## Newsletter

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### 23rd May 2024

*Persistence, Creativity & Excellence*

#### Calendar:

- **Thursday 23rd May - Peer Mediation Training (selected students 4-6)**
- **Friday 24th May - Interschool Sport 5/6's - Home Game vs Grayling P.S**
- **Tuesday 28th May - Foundation Healthy Bodies Incursion — Rescheduled**
- **Wednesday 29th May - Divisional Cross Country (selected students)**
- **Friday 31st May - JSC Free Dress Day for Kids Helpline — Gold Coin donation**
- **Wednesday 5th June - Grades 34A, 34C, 34E Willum Warrain Excursion**
- **Thursday 6th June - Grade 5 Taster Day at Hampton Park Sec. College**
- **Friday 7th June - PUPIL FREE DAY - **NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS****

**\*\*\* If you have not yet returned your Smile Squad form, please return it to the office ASAP\*\*\***

G'day Hampton Park community,

This past Thursday, 16 May, we took time to stop and acknowledge the fabulous work of our Education Support (ES) staff as a part of **Education Support Staff Day**.

The work of ES staff is vital to the success of our school and the strength of the learning programs that we offer. It requires great amounts of flexibility, persistence, initiative and compassion. The roles of ES vary greatly within a school; from supporting individual students with additional needs, to operating the front office, from running our literacy intervention programs to maintaining our school grounds, from providing support and care in our first aid room to overseeing and improving our school ICT infrastructure, from supervising the yard to providing wellbeing and welfare programs, running the Community Hub or translating for families. What a broad and varied skillset!



We know that all of these roles make a massive difference to our school, and so on behalf of the whole Hampton Park community, I say thank you to all of our Education Support staff. Thank you to **Toni Sawrey, Krystle Toll, Sandra Manning, Catherine Angelone, Andrea Elliot, Kathryn Cormick, Sue Rae, Tanjil Fitzpatrick, Sam Matthews, Leah Clarke, Dakota Sammut, Anna Moore, Zara Wiseman, Jane Stuckey, Long Tran, Ruth Bara, Tristan De Sair, Sana Zahra, Ayesha Thilakarathna, Lauren Dows, Deshnika Molligoda Arachchige, Swapanjot Brar, Tracy Martin, Simone Hill, Donna Vieregge, Diane Hedin, Angela Jimenez, Erin Tatlow, Lauren Moody-Stone, Patrick Smith, Aleena Qazikhil, Jodie Burn, Gillian deDear, Deborah Evans, Sree Mahadevan, Rose Pham, Jessica Beggs and Linda Haines** for all that you do to support our school community!

## Junior School Council Badge Presentations

This year, our Junior School Council have been working with Miss Marchese and Mrs Glassey on ideas to help improve our school, and to help make a difference to others. They meet regularly at lunchtimes to discuss their ideas and take action together.

On Friday at our assembly, we had the great pleasure of presenting them with their leadership badges for 2024.



## JSC Free Dress Day Fundraiser for KidsHelpline

One thing that the Junior School Council wanted to focus on this year was making a difference to others. They approached me with the idea of wanting to raise money to support the Kids Helpline, which we know is such a valuable resource for young people across our community. They asked if they would be able to hold a Free Dress Day to help raise money for this great cause, and wrote to School Council seeking permission for this.

Next **Friday, 31 May**, we will be holding a **Free Dress Day** to raise money for the Kids Helpline. Students participating should bring along a **gold coin donation** on the day. This will be collected by your child's classroom teacher. Students coming to school in free dress (non-uniform) must wear appropriate clothing for school, such as no tank tops. This includes wearing closed toed shoes which students can run around in.

## Enrolments for Foundation (prep) in 2025

We are now taking Foundation (prep) students in 2025. If you live within our zone and have a child beginning school in 2025, please get in contact with our office who will be more than happy to help. Early enrolments really help us to plan and recruit for the new school year.

## Farewell!

This week we will be saying farewell to Deborah Evans from our front office. Deb has been with us at Hampton Park since 2019 and is such an important part of our community, often being the first face families meet when visiting our school. We will certainly miss Deb but wish her all the best as she embarks on her new journey in the country. Make sure you stop by and say goodbye tomorrow!

## Student Free Day

Finally, I would just like to remind all families that as previously communicated, **Friday 7 June will be a Curriculum Day**. No students are required at school on this day. TheirCare is running a day program on this day for any families requiring care. Please visit [www.theircare.com.au](http://www.theircare.com.au) for more information or to make a booking.

Kind regards,

Dale Mills  
Principal

### Specialist Leaders

Congratulations to the following students that have been selected as our 2024 Specialist Leaders.

|                                |                         |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Art Leaders</b>             | Bilqis S<br>Jhyrel T    |
| <b>Digi Tech Leaders</b>       | Leila G<br>Aiden S      |
| <b>Science Leaders</b>         | Talon A<br>Asiye O      |
| <b>Sport Leaders</b>           | Harlem K<br>Valentina V |
| <b>Performing Arts Leaders</b> | Mayrabelle L<br>Isatu K |
| <b>Mandarin Leaders</b>        | Zahra H<br>Jannifer C   |
| <b>Chess Captain</b>           | Jannifer C<br>Jake Y    |



*Congratulations!*

# Learning Behaviour Award

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



|            |              |
|------------|--------------|
| <b>0B</b>  | Mehmet A     |
| <b>0C</b>  | Behzad K     |
| <b>1B</b>  | Dawthniang N |
| <b>1C</b>  | Heshvitha M  |
| <b>2A</b>  | Sania H      |
| <b>2B</b>  | Xavier N     |
| <b>2C</b>  | Ayan Z       |
| <b>2C</b>  | Alanah P     |
| <b>34A</b> | Hadya M      |
| <b>34B</b> | Sara K       |
| <b>34C</b> | Lemi-Levi    |
| <b>34D</b> | Harper K     |
| <b>34D</b> | Erfan H      |
| <b>34E</b> | Nicole M     |
| <b>34E</b> | Danish R     |

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| <b>34F</b>        | Savannah N       |
| <b>34F</b>        | Deeshya H        |
| <b>56A</b>        | Zahra H          |
| <b>56A</b>        | Zahabiya J       |
| <b>56B</b>        | Abdul S          |
| <b>56C</b>        | Sarah S          |
| <b>56D</b>        | Theresa M        |
| <b>56E</b>        | Talha F          |
| <b>Mandarin</b>   | Emmanuel A       |
| <b>Science</b>    | Subhan H         |
| <b>Vis. Arts</b>  | Deeshya H (3/4F) |
| <b>Vis. Arts</b>  | Luca B           |
| <b>Perf. Arts</b> | Rewi D           |
| <b>PE</b>         | Robert P         |
| <b>PE</b>         | Elijah           |



# SEL Star Award



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



|            |             |
|------------|-------------|
| <b>0B</b>  | Ava B       |
| <b>0C</b>  | Maddison J  |
| <b>1B</b>  | Subhan H    |
| <b>1C</b>  | Harjorbir S |
| <b>2A</b>  | Husna A     |
| <b>2C</b>  | Baset S     |
| <b>2C</b>  | Safa Z      |
| <b>34A</b> | William N   |
| <b>34B</b> | Michael S   |
| <b>34C</b> | Liliani N   |
| <b>34D</b> | Marwah Z    |
| <b>34D</b> | Noah A      |
| <b>34E</b> | Carly R     |
| <b>34E</b> | Liam D      |

|                   |              |
|-------------------|--------------|
| <b>34F</b>        | Roseate S    |
| <b>34F</b>        | Joshua J     |
| <b>56A</b>        | Reach M      |
| <b>56A</b>        | Travis L     |
| <b>56B</b>        | Mindy N      |
| <b>56C</b>        | Omer A       |
| <b>56D</b>        | Hamza S      |
| <b>56E</b>        | Hassan A     |
| <b>Mandarin</b>   | Kevser F     |
| <b>Science</b>    | Eli C        |
| <b>Vis. Arts</b>  | Lyriq M (FC) |
| <b>Perf. Arts</b> | Ivanka H     |
| <b>PE</b>         | Harper K     |
| <b>PE</b>         | Sadie M      |



# JSC FUNDRAISER

FREE DRESS DAY



**FRIDAY 31ST MAY**

GOLD COIN DONATION

# 5 tips to keep your family safe online



Parents and carers can use a combination of strategies to help young people build their digital technology skills and have safer experiences online.

## 1. Start the chat

Get into the habit of talking about online safety as a family, so your child feels comfortable coming to you if they ever need help working out an issue. It's never too early to introduce [good online habits](#) such as respect, empathy, critical thinking, responsible behaviour and resilience. As your child grows older, eSafety's advice about [hard to have conversations](#) will help with some of the tricky topics like sending nudes, online pornography and contact from sexual predators.

## 2. Create a family technology agreement

Creating a Family Technology Agreement can help you and your kids decide together when and how digital technology will be used at home. As a family, brainstorm easy-to-follow rules and display them where everyone will see them. Your agreement could cover things like: time limits, apps your kids are allowed to use and online behaviour. Families with younger children can [download](#) a template to guide the conversation.

## 3. Set up parental controls

Parental controls let you monitor and limit what your child sees and does online. It's best to use them in combination with the other online safety strategies listed here. [Taming the technology](#) can help you understand your options. Grab a device and get started with our guides to setting up parental controls on [devices and accounts](#) or in [social media, games and apps](#).

## 4. Choose games and other apps carefully

Use eSafety's [App checklist for parents](#) to think about the positives and negatives when your child asks to download a new game or other app. The checklist covers things like age ratings, managing privacy settings and reporting abuse in-app. You can also use [The eSafety guide](#) to check and set up safety features with your child.

## 5. Use digital technology together

Exploring or playing on devices or online with your child can be a positive experience that promotes learning and development. Ask questions, be curious and get involved. To learn more, read our blogpost [How to encourage good screen practices for your child](#).

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# Helping kids thrive online

## Webinar information sheet for parents of primary school students

### General tips for supporting your child online:

- Support your child's friendships online and off by talking with them about their friends and activities.
- Ask your child to demonstrate the games and apps they use to better understand what they play, why it's fun and possible pitfalls they may encounter.
- Help build confidence by encouraging children to share their knowledge of the online world.
- Encourage routines that promote health and balance. For example, create device-free times and places in your home.
- Model your own behaviour, by demonstrating that you can put your phone down and concentrate on spending time with your child, without the distractions of being online.
- Talk to your child about who could be their 'askable adult', and when they would speak with them.

### Harmful content

Harmful or inappropriate content is content that a child might find upsetting, disturbing or offensive. It includes material that shows or encourages the sexual abuse of children, terrorism or other acts of extreme violence, and material which is not suitable for children, such as pornography.

### Ways to start the chat:

- Use eSafety's information on how to approach the [hard-to-have conversations](#).
- Use [The eSafety Guide](#) to learn more about popular apps, games and social networking sites including how to report inappropriate content.
- Explore [eSafety kids](#) pages with your child to discuss topics such as [I saw something online I didn't like](#).
- Learn how to [report illegal content](#).

### Contact with strangers

Unwanted contact is any type of online communication that your child finds unpleasant or confronting, or that leads them into a situation where they might be harmed. At worst, it can involve 'grooming' a child — building a relationship with a child in order to sexually abuse them. How to help your child:

- Learn and discuss what children can do in [situations where they might feel unsafe](#)
- Explore [eSafety kids](#) pages so you can more easily discuss topics like [someone is contacting me and I don't want them to](#).
- Learn about the features of apps that can expose children to contact with strangers by exploring [The eSafety Guide](#).





**The School Crossing is a safe place to cross the road.**



- Pedestrians must wait behind the yellow line at the crossing.
- Your School Crossing Supervisor will stop the traffic.
- Your School Crossing Supervisor will go out to the middle of the road.
- Listen for two blasts of their whistle.
- Walk in front of the School Crossing Supervisor to the other side of the road.
- Walk, never run. Remember to get off your bike.
- Balls must not be bounced while crossing the road.

**Getting Children to school safely is everyone's job!**

**Contact the City of Casey:**

**Web:** [www.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools](http://www.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools)  
**Email:** [Safearoundschools@casey.vic.gov.au](mailto:Safearoundschools@casey.vic.gov.au)  
**Phone:** 03 9705 5200  
**Post:** PO Box 1000, Narre Warren VIC 3805  
**NRS:** 133 677 (for the deaf, hearing or speech impaired)

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## Hampton Park Primary TheirCare Newsletter



## Recap

Last week we had garden week, we did all types of activities relating to the outdoors both inside and outside. This week we have education week, doing a new topic each day, consisting of sport, science, music, art and multicultural. Next week we will have reconciliation week, celebrating cultures.

## New Start time

We have just been approved to open our doors at 6:45am for before school care and pupil free days. The start date of this will be communicated to you as soon as possible.



## Holiday Program

Holiday program planning for the upcoming holidays are well and truly underway. Weve got some great fun coming up with some awesome excursion and inhouse days being planned. Keep your eyes peeled as information and bookings will be released very soon.



## TIMES

Before School: 7:00-8:50am

After School: 3:20-6:30pm

Holidays: 6:30-6:30pm

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