

Stanhope Primary School

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Stanhope Primary School is committed to creating and maintaining a positive and safe learning environment, where our children are protected from abuse and where we maximise individual academic and social growth through explicit teaching and taking responsibility for all our learning.

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From the Principal

Public Speaking

A huge congratulations to Jinaya and Jack who competed in the Region 3 Final of the Lions Club Junior Public Speaking Competition. Jack and Jinaya represented the Stanhope Lions Club and each had to deliver their prepared speech to a panel of judges and an audience. They each competed against seven other students. Jack also had to deliver a one minute impromptu speech about his favourite thing to do outside of school.

Unfortunately, neither student has progressed to the District Final.

Both Jinaya and Jack spoke extremely well, delivering their speeches flawlessly and with confidence. They

should be very proud of their efforts and the wonderful achievement that it has been to make it this far.

To read more about the competition, see Jinaya's article in the student section of this newsletter.



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DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday 21st August

- ◆ Farm & Road Safety Expo
Excursion in Rochester

Wednesday 22nd August

- ◆ School Council 7pm

22nd—24th August

- ◆ Scholastic Book Fair
(see inside for dates & times)

Friday 24th August

- ◆ Book Week Dress Up Day

Wednesday 29th August

- ◆ Waste Pioneers Excursion

Thursday 30th August

- ◆ Father's Day Stall

Friday 21st September

- ◆ Dress Like a Farmer Day

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Are ready to be
collected from the
School office.

Permission Slips

There were quite a few notices attached to last week's newsletter. Whilst some of the events are not occurring for several weeks, we thought it best to send them early to provide families with plenty of notice and time to make any payments. Please ensure that the Farm Safety notices are returned ASAP as this event is on Tuesday. A reminder that students require their morning snacks and a drink and that lunch (sausage sizzle) is supplied.

Farewell Leanne

For the past three weeks, the P/1/2 grade have been most fortunate to have had Mrs Leanne Reed in their classroom. Leanne is training to be a teacher, as part of her course she is required to undertake teacher placement in schools. It has been fantastic to have her working within our school and I know the students and staff will miss her- especially the P/1/2 and Mrs Sheedy. We wish Leanne all the very best for her future studies and hope that she will stay in touch with us.



Parent/Teacher Interviews

Commencing Sept 3rd, the classroom teachers will be offering Parent/Teacher Interviews for families. These interviews provide families and teachers with a chance to talk about their child/ren's progress, discuss the classroom program and further develop a positive relationship between home and school. Interview times range from before school, during the day and after school. A time sheet showing teacher availability and a booking sheet are attached to this week's newsletter. Please read carefully and then select a time (s) you are available. Please note that times are allocated in 15 minute blocks per student and for those families requesting a specific time within a block- please write that down. If any time within a specified block suits you, just select that block and we will allocate a time. Please return the form ASAP so that teacher's can allocate times to families and we can provide each family with plenty of notice of the time given.

Science Week

This week is National Science Week. To mark this week, our senior students have organised six exciting science experiments. They will conduct each experiment alongside the students from other grades who will rotate through each of the six activities. It is sure to be a fun-filled and informative session.

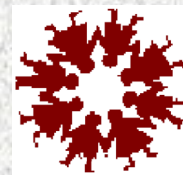
Book Week

Next week is Book Week and we will find out which books have been selected as winners in the Children's Book Council of Australia awards. On the Friday (August 24th) we will be holding our dress-up day and remind all students (and staff) that they are to come dressed as a character from a book. If you have the book that your character is from, bring it along. We will be holding a parade commencing at 9am around the tiger turf and invite families to come along and have a look at our parade of characters.

FROM THE *Business Manager*



Mica will be in the office on Tuesdays and Thursdays.



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is published each Thursday and will generally have any permission forms and information sheets attached.

Families can also request to have this sent via email.

Finally, a reminder to keep an eye on our Facebook & Twitter page, for updates and interesting events.

Twitter: [@StanhopePSVIC](https://twitter.com/StanhopePSVIC)

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/stanhopeps/>

Help Wanted

If any kind hearted person has any spare time, we have a little job that needs doing. We have had mice in our school oven and it needs a good scrubbing. If you are able to assist, please contact the school.

We would very much appreciate your help.



WANTED

An under bed storage container that is no longer needed at home, for the P-2 Classroom. It doesn't need a lid. Thank you.

SCIENCE WEEK

Watch this space to check out our exciting science experiments organised by our senior students!



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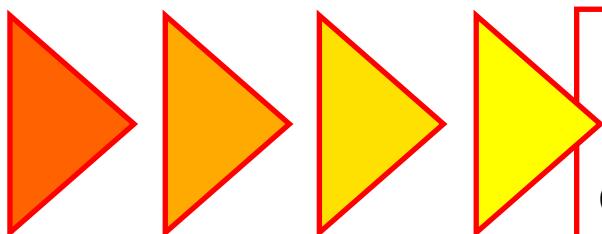
COOMA C.C.

Where everybody gets a go

The Cooma Cricket Club invites all junior players to join the club for the upcoming season in the age groups of under 12, 14, and 16's playing in Goulburn Murray Cricket league.

Registration night will be held on the 5th September 2018 at Cooma cricket club rooms at 5pm.

For all enquiries contact Adam on 0438984220 or adam_hubble@hotmail.com



Café Lunch Orders

THIRD WEDNESDAY
OF EACH MONTH.

19th September
17th October
21st November
19th December

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR



Our annual book fair is on once again from the 22nd of August until the 24th of August, in the school library. It will be open during lunch daily from 1-45pm until 2-15pm each day and afterschool from 3-15pm until 3-45pm on Thursday the 23rd of August.

If you are unable to make it during that time feel free to catch up with a member of parents club to organise a time that suits.

Every student that buys a book will go into the draw to win a free book at the end of the fair.

Grade 3-6

Mrs D & Mrs Foley



Lions Club

Public Speaking

Last Sunday Jack and I went to Lockington for the third round of the Lions Club Speeches. In both age categories there were eight competitors. In this round there were a lot more people in the audience, which put a little bit more pressure on me than the last round. Everyone there did an amazing job, although there could only be one winner for each age group. The winner from the 3/4 age group was from Numurkah. The winner from the 5/6 age group was from

3-6 Concert Costume

Students in 3-6 will be performing a 'Play' as their concert item this year. We are asking for your assistance with costumes. Each student will be asked to source items to match their character. Many of the characters will be pigs and wolves so if anybody has any items they are willing to lend please send them to school. Over the next week we will finalise characters and your child will then know what they will be. Please keep in mind costumes are not expected to be elaborate.. (no need to hire etc).

Thank you - Megan and Narelle.



Women's Health Week

FREE

WOMEN'S FORUM

**Thursday 6 September 2018
11am-2pm**

**The focus of the Forum will be a holistic look
at health involving mind and body,
featuring mindfulness and meditation.**

Speakers on the day:

- ◆ Female GP
- ◆ Psychologist Betty Chetcuti
- ◆ Continence Nurse
- ◆ Yoga Therapist and Tai Chi

**Anglican Church Hall
Nuggety Hill Road
Rushworth**

RSVP by 31st August to 5857 0451

TRANSPORT PROVIDED

Details will be given on RSVP

**FREE EVENT
LUNCH
PROVIDED**



Shine Bright

Stanhope Kindergarten

Trivia Night

To be held in the function room at the Stanhope Pub

Friday September 14th

7:30pm Start

\$20 per table- max 6 people per table

Entry fee includes nibbles

Raffle tickets for sale throughout the night

\$1 from every main bistro meal purchased & 50c from every drink sold will be donated to the Stanhope Kinder

For catering purposes please RSVP by Tuesday 11th September

Ben 0438 033 724

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Weekly Awards



Success: Adele, Alyssa, Ashton G, Bill, Bodhi, Brodie, Chelsea, Dallas, Ethan, Jack, Michael, Taylah, Tia, Wil, William P.

Learning: Michael, Seth, Zack.

CONGRATULATIONS!

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Dear Families,

The classroom teachers will be hosting Parent/Teacher Chats this term. They are scheduled to take place in Week 8 of Term 3 (Monday September 3rd- Thursday September 6th). Teachers will be making themselves available during school hours and after school. We would like all families to attend these interviews as it is a vital opportunity to discuss your child's progress, ask questions about the school and classroom programs and build a positive relationship with your child's teacher (s).

Available times are set out below and we ask that families return their preference sheet (attached) as soon as possible. Teachers will contact each family to confirm a date and time. If you are unable to make any of these times, please contact your child's teacher(s) to organise an alternative time. Interviews are expected to run for no longer than 15 minutes per child.

For Students in Years 3-6, please note that Mrs Foley is available on the Monday and Tuesday and Mrs Depasquale is available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; families can elect to see either teacher.

Sharon Sheedy – Year Prep, One Two

	<u>8.15am-9am</u>	<u>9-10am</u>	<u>10-11am</u>	<u>11.30-12.30pm</u>	<u>12.30-1.30pm</u>	<u>2.15-3.15pm</u>	<u>3.15-4pm</u>	<u>4pm-5pm</u>
Monday	Available					Available	Available	Available
Tuesday	Available			Available	Available			
Wednesday	Available	Available	Available					Available
Thursday	Available						Available	Available

Narelle Foley/Megan Depasquale- Year Three, Four, Five, Six

	<u>8.15am-9am</u>	<u>9-10am</u>	<u>10-11am</u>	<u>11.30-12.30pm</u>	<u>12.30-1.30pm</u>	<u>2.15-3.15pm</u>	<u>3.15-4pm</u>	<u>4pm-4.30pm</u>
Monday	Available			Available	Available		Available	
Tuesday	Available	Available						
Wednesday	Available			Available	Available		Available	Available
Thursday	Available	Available				Available	Available	Available

Parent/Teacher Interviews Term 3

Student Name(s).....

Parent/Guardian Name(s).....

I request the following dates and times for interviews

- If you require a specific time within a given block, please write that in (interview times begin on the quarter-hour and are for 15 minutes per student. If you do not mind what time you are given within a block, then just write the day and block of time and we will allocate a specific time for your interview.

	Mrs Sheedy		Mrs Foley/Mrs Depasquale	
	Day	Time	Day	Time
1 st Preference				
2 nd Preference				
3 rd Preference				
4 th Preference				

- We realise families with students in the two grades would prefer times that follow one another and we will endeavour to make this possible. When selecting times and days please check that those you have chosen allow for this to occur.

Please return this sheet as soon as possible so teachers can allocate times.