

Stanhope Primary School

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.

Learning

Success

Respect

Citizenship

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From the Principal

Fonterra/ Tetra Pak Donation

Last week our school had the very pleasant surprise of being presented with a cheque from Fonterra contractors, Tetra Pak. The workers had donated money every time a breach of safety was found, and we have been the grateful recipients of their efforts. We will be putting the funds to good use in supporting a number of projects we have in play at the moment, dependent upon urgency and priority status.



5-6 Camp

Departed on time and in good spirits. Some students thought they could escape a daily shower by leaving their toiletries behind! There was no escape! Mrs D came to the rescue and so everyone had showers and cleaned their teeth every day. No doubt we will hear of more anecdotes over the coming days and photos too!

Mysterious Book Benefactor

A large box of beautiful books landed in our staffroom recently and we had no idea who had delivered it! But with a bit of well-targeted sleuthing, it was discovered that it was Natasha Atkins who had very generously donated them. They will be distributed between the classes to add to classroom libraries. Thank you Natasha!

DATES TO REMEMBER

20th—23rd November

- ◆ Grade 5-6 School Camp
Bus drops off at Stanhope approx. 3.30pm Friday 23rd.

Wednesday 28th November

- ◆ School Council 7pm

Thursday 29th November

- ◆ ART

Monday 3rd December

- ◆ Return Australia Day
Colouring Competitions to School

Tuesday 11th December

- ◆ State-wide Transition

Monday 17th December

- ◆ Carols & Awards Night

Wednesday 19th December

- ◆ Grade 6 Graduation

Thank You's

Mrs Sheedy returns from her Long Service Leave on Monday. A very big thank you goes to Mrs Feldtmann for taking the helm during Mrs Sheedy's absence. Thank you also to Ms Whitney who was in the 3-6 class and prepared a very special cooking class yesterday for the 3-4's. Very yummy!

Countdown

Like everywhere else, school has become a very busy place with a great many accountability processes to finalise, assessments for end of year reporting, events to plan and prepare for end of year activities and planning for next year. It really is the beginning of the Silly Season!

Tennis

We have reached / are approaching the end of our Sporting School program for this term. Students have really enjoyed their tennis sessions with David Starling and have acquired some serious skills over this term!

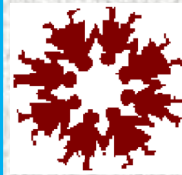


FROM THE

**Business
Manager**



**Mica will be in the
office on Tuesdays and
Thursdays.**



**STANHOPE
PRIMARY
SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER**

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)

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www.facebook.com/stanhopeps/](https://www.facebook.com/stanhopeps/)

Café Lunch Orders

**THIRD WEDNESDAY
OF EACH MONTH.**

19th December

Forms and Money

When returning forms and money together, please make sure that the money is secured in an envelope or plastic bag. Loose coins get lost easily and are impossible to match to random forms when there are more than one event running at the same time. A freezer bag containing the note and the money, tied at the top is a great idea!

Grade 3-6

Mrs D & Mrs Foley



By Taylah
3/4/5/6 Class

MY CLASSROOM JOKES

Q: What did the male fish say to the female fish?

A: *I think we should **hook** up* – Taylah

Q: Why did the old man run around his bed?

A: *He was trying to catch some sleep.* – Charlie

Q: What do you call a no eyed fish?

A: *FSH.* – Shylee

Q: Why didn't the skeleton come to the dance?

A: *He had no **body** to take.* – Jaxon

Q: What did the vacuum say to the other vacuum?

A: *"You suck!"*. -Jinaya



Applications are now open for the
PORTSEA CAMP 2019

For children aged 9 to 12 years.

Date: 11-17th January 2019

Cost: \$343.00 per child.

**Must have names of children into Avis Weller by
30th November and forms returned by 7th December.**

**For further information please contact Avis Weller on
0409 438 386 thank you.**

Farm Household Allowance

A payment for farming families in financial hardship.



centrelink

Eligibility basics

- a farmer who spends a major part of their time and capital working on the farm
- the partner of a farmer who spends a major part of their time and capital working on the farm
- meets the income and assets test limits
- meets mutual obligation requirements

There are changes to what Farm Household Allowance (FHA) covers. You can get a new supplement as lump sum payments. There's also a temporary increase to the income and assets test.

<https://www.humanservices.gov.au/individuals/services/centrelink/farm-household-allowance> for information about:

Who can get it; how to claim; how much you can get; how to manage your payment; what other services are available.

Brochure available from school office.

“Welcome to Summer”



Pool Party



Date: FRIDAY, 30th November

Time: 4.00pm – 7.00pm

(Pool Open from 3.00pm)

Venue: Stanhope Swimming Pool

Cost: Entry into Pool



Sausage Sizzle available

at a small cost

Music

Inflatables



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Weekly Awards



SUCCESS: Mac, Jim and Tia.

CONGRATULATIONS!

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