



# Stanhope Primary School

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## Newsletter

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### Inspiring Lifelong Learning

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#### REMINDERS & THINGS TO DO

##### **COVID Contact Tracing for Visitors & Families**

- ◆ All visitors and adults **MUST** enter via the main front door.
- ◆ All visitors and adults **MUST** sign the visitors book for contact tracing.
- ◆ All adults and students **MUST** use hand sanitiser on entry .

**NO FLIES ON US!**

Let's stop Queensland Fruit Fly



Goulburn Murray Valley Fruit Fly Project

[www.gmv-qldfruitfly.com.au](http://www.gmv-qldfruitfly.com.au)

**FAMILY INFORMATION PACKS  
COMING HOME TODAY**

**GRADE 4-6 CAMP  
REMINDER**

**Camp Payments can be made any-  
time**

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

##### **Friday 14th May**

- ◆ Walk to School Day
- ◆ Whole School Maths Games

##### **Tuesday 18th May**

- ◆ ART

##### **Thursday 20th May**

- ◆ Stanhope Health Opening

##### **Friday 21st May**

- ◆ Gr 3-6 Cross Country Echuca

##### **Monday 24th May**

- ◆ LIBRARY

##### **Tuesday 25th May**

- ◆ Science Discovery Incursion

##### **Thursday 27th May**

- ◆ Open Classrooms 10-11am

##### **Thursday 3rd June**

- ◆ Prep Families Information  
Night 6.30pm

##### **Friday 4th June**

- ◆ Purple Day Dress-up Day.  
Gold coin for 'The Gift'

# From the Principal



**Christine  
Owen**

## Next Week

Next Thursday, the Community Health Centre in Stanhope is having the grand opening after its rebuild. Our students will be walking down to attend the 11.30pm start time and follow up the Official Opening with a sausage sizzle. Families are invited to attend as well. See the flyer later in the newsletter. Permission forms will be available on uEducateUs by the end of today.

Next week I will only be in the school on Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs Sheedy will be Acting Principal during my absence.

## Transition

Mrs Sheedy will be taking the Prep students down to the kinder as a first step in the transition to school process. Throughout the rest of the year, there will be a number of events and activities involving kinder to school transition where kinder kids come to school and our students visit the kinder. A permission form covering all these visits will be available by the end of the day on uEducateUs.

## NSS!

Next Wednesday is National Simultaneous Storytime. And the story being read will be read by someone in the International Space Station! *How cool is that?*



## School Photos

Our school photo day is June 17<sup>th</sup>. Details of how to order can be found later in this newsletter. Family packages should arrive in the next day or so and will be sent home with the eldest in the family

## FROM THE **Business Manager**



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

I am happy to discuss confidential payment options for fees or camps & excursions with you.

## Café Lunch Orders

**3rd Wednesday  
of every  
month**

**19th May**

**16th June**

**21st July**

**18th August**

**15th September**

**20th October**

**17th November**

**15th December**

# Stanhope Primary School

*'Inspiring Lifelong Learning'*



**Learning; Success;  
Citizenship; Respect**



- Empowering students to become successful and active creators of their future through inspiring a love of lifelong learning.

- Highly experienced, dedicated, & caring teachers. Support & intervention for individuals & small groups

- Future Focussed Learning & Teaching—connecting & collaborating beyond the classroom; Differentiated curriculum & personalised learning

- Great in-school programs & events; Art & Library specialists; P-2 Movie Night;

- School Wide Positive Behaviour Program based on school values; Active Junior School Council

- Whole School Transition Program; Across-School Buddy programs School events, community functions, Remembrance Day



- Inter-school events; Inter-school Athletics

- Inter-School Excursions, Camps and Events

- Swimming program; excursions

throughout the year

- Strong community connections with Lions Club, Stanhope RSL, Stanhope Health, ,

- Great outdoor play facilities. Undercover sandpit. Rural outlook with plenty of space!

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# Education Week Events 2021

May 24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>

## Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Open Classrooms – 10.00am – 11.00 am

Families and visitors are invited to experience our learning classrooms

**PLUS...**

## Prep Information Night – 6.30 -7.30pm Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Families of kindergarten children are invited along to learn about life as a Prep student at our school and to ask any questions you might have.

Enter via the main school doors.

## 2021 Transition Dates

Parents to bring students directly to Stanhope Primary School at indicated times in schedule.

Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	10:00 am -11:00 am
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	10:00 am -11:00 am
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	9.00 am -10:30 am
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	9:00 am - 10:30 am
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> December (State-wide Transition)	9:00 am- 1:40pm

# Campaspe Cross Country

Next Friday 21st May selected students from grade 3-6 will travel to Echuca to participate in the Campaspe cross country event at Echuca P.S. Permission notes for those attending will be on Ueducateus. Students will leave school at 9.10 and return by lunchtime. Please see Mrs DePasquale if you have any questions.



**THE GIFT**  
SUPPORTING PEOPLE THROUGH CANCER

**FRIDAY  
4th JUNE**

**PURPLE  
DAY**

Dress-up in something purple to raise money for 'The Gift'

**Gold coin donation**

Kyabram District Health Service invites you to celebrate the opening of the new Stanhope Health building

11.30am Thursday 20 May 2021 at  
35 Birdwood Ave, Stanhope  
official opening by Hon Damian Drum MP  
followed by a light lunch

Please RSVP by 13 May 2021 to Emma Demay  
[edemay@kyhealth.org.au](mailto:edemay@kyhealth.org.au) or 58570250

The new Stanhope Health building was partly created with the assistance of Commonwealth Funding under the Community Health and Hospitals Program and by the Collier Charitable Fund, a donor to the Lord Mayor's Charitable Foundation



Please note that the event will be conducted in accordance with COVID safe guidelines.



## Stanhope Primary School

Photo Day 2021

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> June



To Order Photos:

Go to [www.msp.com.au](http://www.msp.com.au) and click "Order Photos". Enter your child's personalised shootkey and follow the prompts.


Order your School Photos before midnight 24<sup>th</sup> June

Late Orders can be accepted after 24<sup>th</sup> June by contacting 03 5482 3190. All late orders incur an extra \$20 for postage and handling.


**Family Photos** - Please order online prior to photo day with the unique shootkey on the Family form. These are available from the school office. One shootkey per family.




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WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY

Well it's that time of year again when our school seriously starts talking about walking!

Walk Safely to School Day asks that we all consider our transport habits and try to incorporate more walking as part of a healthy, active way to get around. And although walking all the way to school isn't realistic for many of us, it's quite easy to figure out how you can build a walk into your family's daily routine.

You can teach your child the healthy habit of walking more by:

- Walking with them the whole way to school
- If they get the bus or train, walk past your usual stop and get on at the next stop
- If you have to drive, park the car a few blocks away from the school and walk the rest of the way

Regular exercise like walking with your child not only helps them (and you!) beat chronic problems like obesity, heart disease, behavioural and mental health issues and diabetes. It also gives you a great opportunity to teach your child safe ways to behave around roads and traffic.

Remember, Active Kids are Healthy Kids so get planning your own Walk Safely to School Day journey for Friday 14 May 2021!

For more information, visit [www.walk.com.au](http://www.walk.com.au)



# SPS Expected Behaviours – Non-classroom

**Behavioural Expectations**

**All Areas**



**Undercover area**



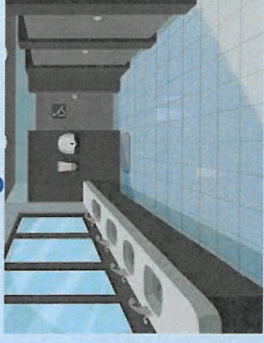
**Transitions – exiting & entering classrooms  
Lining Up Handwashing  
Entering building**



**Playground – general, including oval & play equipment**



**Toilets  
Change room**



**Be Respectful**

Stay in own space  
Move safely  
Hands and feet to self  
Speak in a moderate tone.  
Follow teachers instructions  
Stay in designated areas

Eat only your own food  
Stay sitting while eating  
Wait until finished to put rubbish in bin



Walk quietly in a line  
Keep left and face forward  
Line up quietly



Play safely  
Play by agreed upon rules  
Agree upon rules before playing  
Hands and feet to self



Stay in own space  
Wash hands with soap and water



**Be a Good Citizen**

Notice what & who is around you  
Treat belongings & equipment as intended  
Wait your turn  
Think about your actions on others

Walking quietly  
Put all rubbish in bin



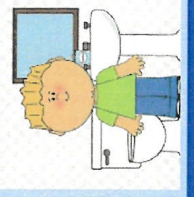
Stay in own space  
Carry belongings safely  
Wait your turn



Take Turns  
Help others join in  
Share equipment  
Use equipment as intended



Respect other people's privacy  
Flush toilet  
Turn taps off after use  
Keep area clean





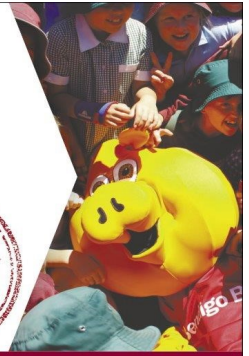
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## HELP IS BUT A PHONE CALL AWAY

**LIFELINE**  
**13 11 14**

**KID'S HELPLINE**  
**1800 55 1800**

**BEYOND BLUE**  
**1300 22 4636**

# AWARDS

**NO ASSEMBLY HELD LAST WEEK**

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**CONGRATULATIONS!**