



# Stanhope Primary School

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## Newsletter

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#### REMINDERS & THINGS TO DO

##### **COVID-19 UPDATE**

###### **Chief Health Officer's Regulations include:**

- Stay home if unwell and get tested.
- Adults must limit coming into the school building *unless* on essential business.
- All visitors and adults **MUST** enter via the main front door.
- All visitors and adults **MUST** use the QR code on arrival or report to reception.
- All visitors and adults **MUST** sign the visitor's book for contact tracing.
- All adults and students **MUST** use hand sanitiser on entry.
- All visitors and adults **MUST** wear a face mask.

##### **URGENT HELP**

We are in desperate need of a new school councillor.

*If you can help please talk to Principal Christine or Mica*

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

##### **Friday 12th November**

- ◆ Maths Games Day

##### **16th-19th November**

- ◆ Grade 4-6 Anglesea Camp

##### **Friday 10th December**

- ◆ Stanhope Community Carols

##### **DIGITAL LEARNING SESSIONS FOR PARENTS**

###### ***Link on Class Dojo***

- ◆ Tuesday 9 November 7.30pm
- ◆ Tuesday 20 November 7.30pm

PARENTS ARE ASKED TO PROVIDE FACE MASKS FOR THEIR STUDENTS  
Thank you



# From the Principal

## Camp Is On!

Possibly the best news we've had in a long time! Students in grades 4, 5, & 6 are able to go on the Anglesea Camp. We're sending home the various permission forms today with the newsletter. The last page is for you to tear off and keep at home. This is the requirements list of what students need to bring with them. For any payment queries, please contact Mica on Tuesdays or Thursdays.

## Children's Week

Last Friday, all of students celebrated Children's Week with a Subway lunch provided by Kyabram District Health Services. The healthy & nutritious lunches were very well received and I didn't notice any leftovers at all! All students collaborated in a chalk art work, which featured in last week's newsletter and as a follow up, all students received an art pack to take home, on Friday. There are some photos of the students enjoying their lunches later in the newsletter.

## Transition Visits

Transition visits are now permitted, and Mrs Sheedy will be coordinating transition visits for the new preps to come and find out about their new school.

## Community Carols

This year's Community Carols will be held on the 10<sup>th</sup> December. Mrs Sheedy has put an Expression of Interest form on uEducateUs, for any students interested in performing on the night. Please be aware, you will not be able to just 'turn up' and join in, without having attended the practice sessions beforehand.



**Christine  
Owen**



## 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**

**17th November  
15th December**

## **GOSSIP**

**We are aware of poisonous gossip being circulated around town regarding our school. This gossip is unfounded and wildly inaccurate.**

**Please contact the school directly if you have any concerns or questions.**

The Shire of Campaspe is looking for Casual School Crossing Supervisors in various locations, including Stanhope. These positions would be to cover situations where the regular supervisor is not able to cover their shift/s. Please contact the school or Nick Curnow at the Shire if you or someone you know is interested.



## 4-6 CAMP

**16th-19th November 2021**

Families can check on how much has been paid off their student's camp.

Final payments need to be made by Thursday 11th November.

# Remembrance Day in Stanhope 2021

The Stanhope RSL sub Branch will be holding a short Remembrance Day Service on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 10.50am outside the Stanhope Primary School Memorial Gates. There we pause to observe one-minute silence at 11.00am to remember those who had served in Wars and are now no longer with us.

Members of the public are all invited to lay wreaths at the gates which will later be taken down to War memorial.

Strict Covid-19 restrictions are to be observed and no visitors are permitted into the School Grounds.

This year will mark the 100 Years since Red Poppies have been recognized as the symbol of the ending of WW1 and Stanhope, RSL members will be selling Poppies in the main Street and as lead up to Remembrance Day. If anyone who wishes by buy a poppy they can contact either Phil Chapman or George Gemmill.





The Prep-2's have been improving their skipping skills over the last 2 weeks during Physical Education lessons. We have been working on improving ourselves and our personal bests through lots of practise. It is an enjoyable way of improving our fitness levels and skipping prowess, through individual and small group skipping practice.



Grade P-2

Mrs Sheedy





# STANHOPE COMMUNITY CAROLS

...is back on!

Dear Parents / Guardians,

It is time again to showcase Stanhope Primary's great students and their singing talents at the Community Carols which take place in the town's centre.

This year we have been invited to perform again. It will be on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December.

At this stage I am unsure of what time students will be required to perform, but I will inform you closer to the event, when I know. We will be performing three songs on the night.

If your child intends on performing on the night- please fill in the form on UeducateUs by 10<sup>th</sup> November, so that the performance can be organised.

Thank you to students and families for their commitment to the Community Carols over the past years. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask.

Regards,

*Sharon Sheedy*





# Children's Week Lunch



A huge thank you to  
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delicious lunch!











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**VISIT**

cyber.gov.au for more advice on how to be secure online.

**SIGN UP**

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**REPORT**

Cybercrime to [REPORTCYBER: cyber.gov.au/report](http://REPORTCYBER:cyber.gov.au/report)

**CONTACT**

Call 1300 CYBER1 or visit [cyber.gov.au](http://cyber.gov.au)



Due to COVID-19 restrictions, we apologise that school tours are not permitted at this time.

# ENROLMENTS 2022

Enrolments for 2022 are now open for our school.

Parents or carers can contact the school to speak with the principal, or to collect an enrolment pack.

## *Coming Up!*

### **Digital Learning & Safety for Parents**

Shortly there will be a series of Zoom webinars for parents who want to know more about what their children learn and do online and who want to improve their own skills and knowledge to be better able to help their children with the many digital learning tasks students undertake.

**Links will be sent out via Class Dojo for you to attend over the next few weeks.**



- ◆ Tuesday 9 November at 7.30pm
- ◆ Tuesday 20 November at 7.30pm



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# AWARDS

**NO ASSEMBLY HELD LAST WEEK**

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**CONGRATULATIONS!**