



# Stanhope Primary School

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## Newsletter

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#### REMINDERS & THINGS TO DO



##### VISITORS AND VOLUNTEERS

Vaccination requirements for visitors and volunteers performing work in schools have been recently updated.

**Visitors, families and volunteers attending any school sites (both inside and outdoors) MUST be double vaccinated and show proof of vaccination either via the Vic Services App or an issued certificate.** Before visitors and volunteers enter a school building they must:

- ◆ Check in with QR code.
- ◆ Wear a face mask.
- ◆ Be free of COVID-19 symptoms.
- ◆ Provide evidence of their vaccination status to be recorded at school.
- ◆ Adhere to COVID Safety requirements.

We appreciate your support and understanding as we move to a new stage of COVID normal. Further details available from the school upon request.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

##### Friday 10th December

- ◆ Maths Games morning

##### Monday 13th December

- ◆ All Kris Kringle presents to school
- ◆ Carols & Awards Night 6.50pm

##### Wednesday 15th December

- ◆ Café Lunch Order Day
- ◆ Grade 6 Graduation 6.00pm

##### Friday 17th December

- ◆ Last Day of Term 4

Thanks to the Lions Club of Shepparton, students and their families



will be able to watch the Circus Quirkus Show Online. The show will be available till the end of the school holidays.

Follow this link to view: [vimeo.com/showcase/cqshep21](https://vimeo.com/showcase/cqshep21) Password: aa

# From the Principal



**Christine  
Owen**

## Almost There!

Next week is the final week of school for 2021. It's been a challenging year for all of us with various restrictions having to be put in place and the impact of remote learning. Next year, we are looking forward to having some additional supports in place through government funding, and aim to ensure all students make great progress.

## Awards and Carols

Don't forget, this is Monday evening in the grade 3-6 classroom. Please arrive and be seated by 6:50pm so the proceedings can begin promptly at 7:00pm. Our students have been practising a number of carols to perform for you and our sponsors will be on hand to deliver their particular awards to the nominated students. As with all schools, all visitors are required to show evidence of being double vaccinated and QR code in. Face Masks must be worn. Depending upon availability of personnel, we will try and video the evening and provide access to that recording for families.

## Graduation

Our Grade 6 Graduation Ceremony will take place next Wednesday evening at the Kyabram Club. This is a very significant time in students' lives as they embark on a new chapter in the school careers.

## Staffing News!

Mrs Foley has some exciting news for everyone.

*'Just a note from me to let everyone know that I have been offered a great opportunity to work at one of the other fantastic schools in our small school cluster on a one year contract. Next year I am off to Lancaster P.S to share and learn as part of their educational team. While I will very much miss the exciting and innovative year ahead for all at Stanhope P.S it will be a very beneficial experience for me. Luckily, I will have the opportunity to stay in contact with the Stanhope students and staff through all the small school cluster professional development sessions, excursions, camps and of course continuing to do relief teaching at numerous schools. I would like to thank all the parents, students and staff at Stanhope for all their support and wish everyone a safe and fantastic holiday period and new year.'*

I know everyone joins me in wishing Mrs Foley the very best and we look forward to her return in 2023. Staffing arrangements for Stanhope Primary School are being prepared and planned for so that students are provided with the best education possible.

## 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**

**15th December**

**Kendale Cleaning are looking for part-time & Casual Cleaners.**

**Must have current WWC & evidence of Double Vaccination.**

**Contact:**

**Daniel: 0419 337 490**

**Andrew: 0409 331 887**



# ENROLMENTS 2022

Enrolments for 2022 are now open for our school.

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

We are pleased to invite prospective families to take school tours. Please ring for appointments. Masks and QR code entry are mandatory.

## SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Dear parents. I am hoping to run a holiday program at the Girgarre Primary School, in the stand alone room at the back of the school, if there is enough interest. Boys and girls aged 5 years to 8 years, and 9 years to 12 years.

Starting on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January 9.30 am to 12.00 pm. Cost \$1.00 per child per day. I may also run afternoon sessions if there is a lot of interest. 1.00 pm to 3.30 pm. Open to both Girgarre and Stanhope Schools

**PLEASE PHONE ME Avis Weller on 0409438386.**



# Stanhope Health wishes you a Merry Christmas

Please join us for brunch and  
live music

**When:** Friday 17th December 2021

**Time:** 10am - 1:00pm

**Where:** Stanhope Health

**Cost:** Free

For bookings please call 5857 0451

*Limited spots available.*

This is a COVID safe event



This event is supported by the  
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**These School Holidays**

# Christmas for Kyabram

**Monday 20 & Tuesday 21  
December 2021**

Visit one of the local attractions below and receive a **20% off voucher** to the other participating businesses listed



*General Admission*

**Kyabram  
Fauna Park**

Open 10am - 5pm



*A Boy Called  
Christmas*

**Kyabram Plaza  
Theatre**

Matinee Screening - 2pm



*Santa Photos at  
Santa's Fireside*

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Hall**

Call (03) 5852 1546 to book

*Come and enjoy some Christmas cheer*



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**1800 55 1800**

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