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REMINDERS & THINGS TO DO

**GRADUATION BEAR
Orders due back by
24th August**

Reminder to Grade 6 families
**GRADE 6 GRADUATION
POLO SHIRT / RUGBY TOP**
orders to Workwear Connect,
Kyabram on **5853 2777**

**Grade 5-6 CAMP
SOVEREIGN HILL**

Wednesday 2nd to
Friday 4th November 2022

Expression of Interest forms
attached to this newsletter, to
be completed and returned to
school office by
[Tuesday 30th August](#)

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday 25th August

- ◆ ACMI Grade 5-6 Excursion

Friday 26th August

- ◆ ART
- ◆ Book Week Dress Up Day
(*must be a book character*)
Parade at 9.00am

Monday 29th August

- ◆ LIBRARY

Wednesday 31st August

- ◆ Free Roadie Incursion

Wednesday 7th September

- ◆ MACC/MARC Excursion to
Girgarre Hall & Reserve

Wednesday 14th September

- ◆ NO SCHOOL COUNCIL

Friday 16th September

- ◆ END OF TERM 2.15pm
dismissal

Wednesday 5th October

- ◆ Responsible Pet Ownership

From the Principal



**Christine
Owen**

2022 Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey

Our school families are asked to participate in the 2022 Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey (previously known as the Parent Opinion Survey). Please be assured that your responses are completely confidential. The survey is conducted anonymously, and it is important to us that you complete the survey as honestly as possible. Results will be used to inform and direct our future school planning and improvement. All families have now been sent a link and a school PIN on uEducateUs. The survey is easy to access and will remain open until Friday 16th September.

Upcoming Events

Next week grade 5 & 6 students will travel to Melbourne to participate in a workshop about Stop Motion movies. We are also joining with other schools for a MACC-MARC Day at Girgarre Hall and Girgarre Rec Reserve in September and of course the Feathertop Snow Camp in the last week of term. Don't forget to take advantage of the **free** school holiday camps on offer, if you are eligible. There are some fantastic camps on offer. You choose!

Over the next week, students will be undergoing various assessments in English and Maths to determine progress and rates of growth in the key areas. These results are then used to plan the areas of learning for individual students, small groups and whole classes.

Staff Learning

Mica and I have been doing some preliminary training on a couple of new DET systems involving school assets and Emergency Management, and there is quite a bit more training coming up for these and other new DET systems. Mrs Stockman, Mrs Depasquale and I will be undertaking training in the Berry Street Program over the next weeks and months. Berry Street provides a program for teachers to learn the most effective methods and strategies to reach students with a history of trauma.

Student Belongings

Please make sure all student belongings, clothes, lunch boxes etc are clearly labelled with the first and family names to avoid confusion and reduce excess lost property.

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 October
16th November**

Absences & Early Collections

Please make sure that for any planned absences or early collections, **the school is notified via text, Class Dojo message or phone message.**

If there is no answer on the main phone, please leave a voice message.

From the Principal



Christine

School Council – CHILD SAFE

At School Council last night, I presented information on the new Child Safe Standards which are now in place.

There are 11 Child Safe Standards. Outlined below:

Child Safe Standard 1: Organisations establish a culturally safe environment in which the diverse and unique identities and experiences of Aboriginal children and young people are respected and valued.

Child Safe Standard 2: Child safety and wellbeing is embedded in organisational leadership, governance and culture.

Child Safe Standard 3: Children and young people are empowered about their rights, participate in decisions affecting them and are taken seriously.

Child Safe Standard 4: Families and communities are informed, and involved in promoting child safety and wellbeing.

Child Safe Standard 5: Equity is upheld and diverse needs respected in policy and practice.

Child Safe Standard 6: People working with children and young people are suitable and supported to reflect child safety and wellbeing values in practice.

Child Safe Standard 7: Processes for complaints and concerns are child focused.

Child Safe Standard 8: Staff and volunteers are equipped with the knowledge, skills and awareness to keep children and young people safe through ongoing education and training.

Child Safe Standard 9: Physical and online environments promote safety and wellbeing while minimising the opportunity for children and young people to be harmed.

Child Safe Standard 10: Implementation of the Child Safe Standards is regularly reviewed and improved.

Child Safe Standard 11: Policies and procedures document how the organisation is safe for children and young people.

More information available at www.vic.gov.au/child-safe-standards-definitions or on the school website.

Making Stained Glass Biscuits

GLASS

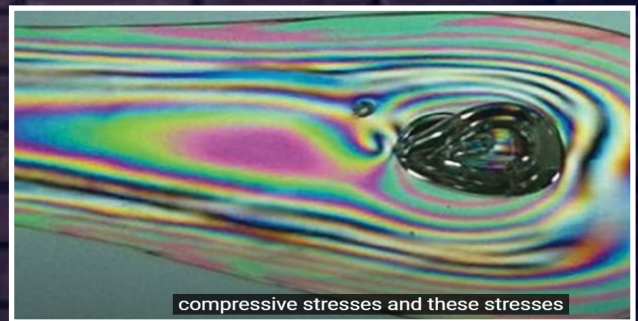
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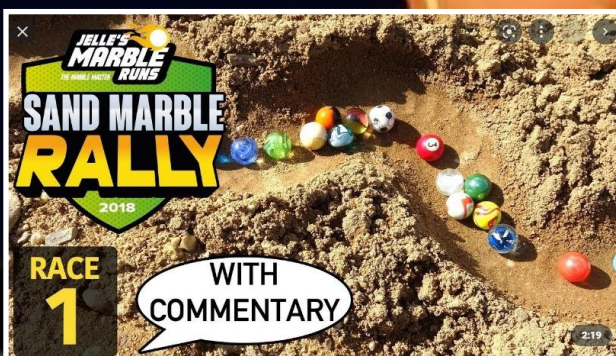
Glassmaking, Rupert's drops & marble racing

GLASS

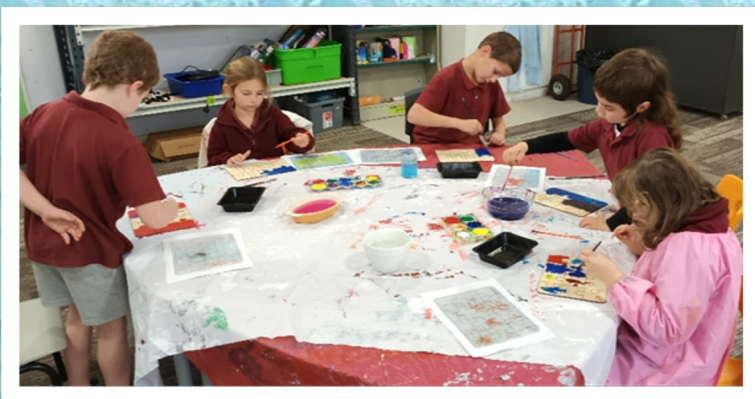
More than meets the eye



Grade 4-6 students watched videos about glassmaking, marble racing and Rupert's glass Drop shattering.



GV WATER STORIES



Students painted wooden jigsaw puzzles with a water theme as part of the 'GV Water Stories' competition.



**Very soon
the Responsible Pet Education Program
is coming to visit you at your school!**



My pet dog will be coming to help teach you how to be safe around dogs and how to say hello to dog with their owners!



There will be lots of listening, role plays, singing and some dancing.



My dog may even meet you during the visit.



- ◆ Small caring environment.
- ◆ Individual learning plans to ensure high student outcomes.
- ◆ Engaging curriculum delivery.
- ◆ Parent involvement encouraged.

Stanhope Primary School ENROLMENTS

**Enrolments are welcome
for our school.**

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

School tours by appointment.

Five tips for parents

3. Be respectful

Make sure you show children how to be respectful around technology. This means not turning off the internet connection or computer mid game. This means not dealing with an issue when you are angry and frustrated.

As the adult, you should create space for conversations about issues you have with your child's technology use. Just dictating what and when they should play is not supporting them to develop, grow or learn to negotiate and make good decisions.

You want your child to be a respectful person, so model that behaviour to them.



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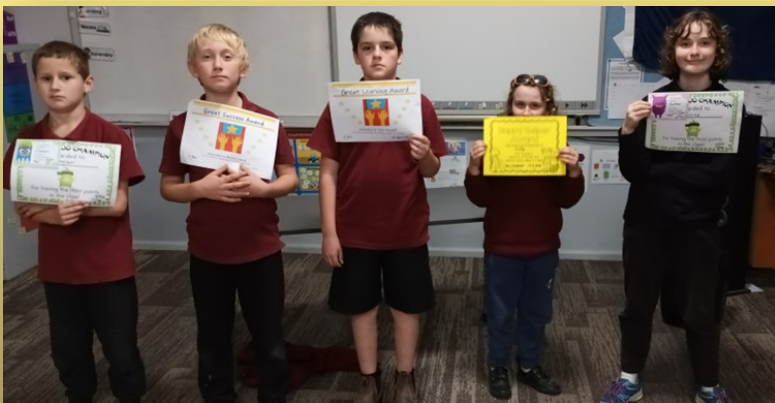
HELP IS BUT A PHONE CALL AWAY

LIFELINE
13 11 14

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AWARDS



SUCCESS:

Cooper, Declan, Sienna and Tyler

RESPECT:

Lilly T.

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11th August 2022

Stanhope Primary School

Dear Christine,

As you may be aware from the recent publicity, Stanhope has the opportunity to have the Lexus Melbourne Cup visit us on the Friday the 14th of October.

We would like to invite you to participate in the parade at 12 noon and dress up in Melbourne Cup Jockey colours and / or fancy hat, also join us for a BBQ lunch in McEwen Place. There will be an opportunity to have your photo taken with the Lexus Melbourne Cup.

If you could please contact your families and invite them to this event that would be appreciated.

Families are invited to join in the BYO lunch or BBQ lunch in McEwen place after the parade, please feel free to wear a fancy hat/fascinator.

Yours Sincerely

Glenda Cowie

LEXUS MELBOURNE CUP TOUR STANHOPE

14TH OCTOBER 2022

PROGRAM

9.30-10.00 : Visit Emmett's Farm

10.00-10.30: Stanhope & District Men's Shed

10.30-11.00: Bowls Club

11.00-11.30: Stanhope Fire Brigade

12.00 : Parade in Birdwood Avenue

12.30: Picnic Lunch in McEwen Place

2.00-2.30: Seniors Club Rooms

2.30-3.30: Stanhope Football & Cricket Clubs

The whole town is invited to the parade and lunch in McEwen Place, BYO lunch or BBQ

School & Kinder Children: Participate in Parade at 12 O'clock and Dress in Melbourne Cup Jockey Colours and/or fancy hat. Join us for a BBQ lunch in McEwen Place

Ladies: wear a fancy hat/fascinator, join in the Picnic/BBQ lunch in McEwen Place.