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Primary School



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NEWSLETTER No.7- 13th March 2018

Mar 14	Wed	Division Swimming
Mar 16	Fri	Parent Helper Course 2.30pm
Mar 19	Mon	Gr 3/4 Smart Start 9-3.30pm
Mar 22	Thu	Gr 3/4 Healthy Heroes
Mar 23	Fri	CHILWELL FAIR—SAVE THE DATE
Mar 29	Thu	Prep –2 Mini Commonwealth Games 9-11am
Mar 29	Thu	Last Day of Term 1 Dismissal 2.30PM
April 16	Mon	Term 2 commences
Apr 20	Fri	Parent Helper Course 2.30pm
Apr 20	Fri	District Cross Country
Apr 25	Wed	ANZAC Day
May 2-5		Grade 5 Maldon Camp
May 21	Mon	Prep 2019 Information Night 7-8pm
May 22	Tues	Prep 2019 School Tours 9.30-10.30am
May 22	Tues	Chilwell Athletics @ Landy Field
May 24	Thu	Prep 2019 School Tours 2.30-3.30am
May 31	Thu	Curriculum Day—Pupil Free Day
June 14	Thu	School Photo Day
Sept 10	Mon	School Concert (SAVE THE DATE)

Parent Payments.

Thank you to the families who have already paid the Parent Payment. These payments are now overdue. Forms are available from the office or via the website.



COLES SPORTING FOR SCHOOLS VOUCHERS

ARE BEING COLLECTED .



Dear Families,

I hope you have a great long weekend and managed to enjoy some of the warmer weather. It's hard to believe we are already into week 7 and only have a short time until the Fair is here. Some amazing work is being done behind the scenes in preparation for the big event. Thanks those who are involved now, to those who will be jumping in to lend a hand soon and to those who have added their names to rosters already. Chilwell had a strong tradition of making this night enjoyable for all of our community so don't forget to invite as many people as possible! Imagine if they missed out on Chilwell's Got Talent or even worse... not seeing Mr Welsh going down the giant slide!!!

Mr Welsh: Mrs Welsh has organised a surprise for Mr Welsh and taken him away for a little holiday this week. We wish them a safe trip and look forward to seeing him back at School next week.

Preps: Thanks to Sarah and Cathy in Prepland for all your work in assessing the preps. The information they gain from the Wednesday sessions help them target their teaching for your children. Preps will be in full time from now on and I am sure they are ready to take on 5 days per week.

Cross Country: Congrats to Pete for organising perfect weather conditions for the cross country last week. Thanks to the parents and staff who helped out and made the day run so smoothly. I hear it is a close result to see which house won. I'll let Pete announce the result!

Art: Deb Fisher has been doing some amazing things in our Art room which has seen numerous students nominated for awards at the recent Wooden Boat Festival. We had Archie Frost, Scarlett Mapleson and Ted Bain receive awards in various categories. We congratulate all our artists in entering and look forward to seeing our work on display around the community. Thanks to Deb for providing these opportunities.

8:45am: Just a reminder that staff are not on yard duty until 8:45am each morning. We have a great before school care program in the Multi purpose room if you require care from 7:30am. Pop in and see Cheryl to get an account and booking info before the cold weather kicks in.

Parent Teacher Meetings: Thanks to the families who have met with their child's class teacher over the last few weeks. We hope to build relationships and enhance student learning by engaging with families. Your support of, feedback to and work with your kids certainly adds value to their education. Staff will be updating 'I Can' statements in the Sentral portal before the end of term so please have a look over the Easter break at what your child has achieved. Mid year we will also have our Student Lead Conferences (student, parent & teacher) where we set goals for semester two.

Reminder: Staff have regular meetings on Monday (Staff and Curriculum Teams) and then Action Research Team (ARTs) meetings on Wednesday from 3:45pm. If you require a catch up with a staff member it'd be great if it was outside these times to enable staff to engage in their professional learning and planning.

Has anyone heard of HITS? High Impact Teaching Strategies... based on the research of John Hattie, DET has released a top 10 document to help teachers identify strategies that have an effect size of greater than 0.4. (1.0 is the equivalent of 1 years growth) My favourite is Feedback with an effect size of 0.73... I wonder how we (school and home) can provide better quality feedback to our students - your children - and continue to add value to their progress?

Swimming: We wish all our swimmers the best of luck as they head to the Regional Swimming Carnival tomorrow. I am sure Jeff Smith will coach them on strategy and stroke technique and we will hear about some great results later in the week.

Fair

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	Geelong's Gym	The Geelong College
	LaTrobe Health Center	OT Essentials
	Waterfront Health Studio	Scotchmans Hill

Have a great week!
Scott McCumber
 Acting Principal

Happy Birthday !



Mar 14	Giselle N	1RP
Mar 15	Zali C	6JC
Mar 16	Will M Jack P	4JM 6JC
Mar 18	Nash S Zoe J Ava G	3PD 5MA 5MA
Mar 19	Jolea S Frankie G	3PD 4BE
Mar 20	Sylvia C	1RP

Social Service Committee

Dear parents,

Our first initiative as the new Social Service Committee for 2018 is to collect Easter Eggs for the elderly.

This is where we go to the elderly people in our community and present them with an Easter egg. Some of these people have no family anymore and a simple sign like this warms their hearts on Easter Sunday.

If you can bring an Easter egg remember to write a little note with your full name and grade on it. Some of the people receiving eggs like to write a card of thanks.

We will start collecting Easter Eggs from the classrooms this week.

Please contribute to this great cause.

Year 6 Social Service Committee



LIGHTNING PREMIERSHIP

On Wednesday 7th March the Summer Lightning Premiership was in full swing!

We had our Cricketers and Softballers headed to Stead Park to have a fun filled sports day to compete and show their great skills in their chosen sport.

A huge thanks to our parent helpers for scoring the girls cricket, Jamiel Muhor and Dan O'Brien and all the parent supporters that showed up and cheered our teams!

Our girls cricket made it the grand final play off and won through to the next round, congratulations to them. Unfortunately our boys cricket team had one loss which meant they were eliminated. Our girls softball team made it through to their grand final but unfortunately had a narrow loss to be eliminated. It was the same for our boys softball team, a very close final but they were also eliminated. We all had a fabulous day in the warm conditions and we wish our Basketball and Volleyball teams all the best when they battle it out in term 3!



Friday lunch order—Canteen News

Steampocket will again provide lunches on a Friday, there has be an increase of cost to \$6. The options available are listed below – these have changed from last year so please check.

Please place your order option on an envelope with your child's name, grade and \$6.00 and hand into your grade teacher by 9.30 am. on Thursday morning.

Orders are picked up before **3.00 pm. Thursday**– **no late orders will be accepted.** We ask parents not to drop late lunch orders into Steampocket. Lunch is provided on Friday. Each student must have an individual order.

NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Each option \$6.00

OPTION 1	Pulled Chicken Burger, Chocolate Donut & Fruit
OPTION 2	Cheese & Chive Scroll, Hedgehog & Fruit
OPTION 3	Mac & Cheese, Honey Joy & Fruit (CHANGED OPTION)

Canteen Roster. - Fridays – 1.15pm

New Price

\$6

Fri 16 Mar	Amanda Bell
Fri 23 Mar	No Lunch Orders
Fri 30 Mar	No Lunch Orders
Fri 20 Apr	Christie Reid

New Price

\$6

Our You Can Do It focus for term 1 is **GETTING ALONG**

Congratulations to the following students who received an award.

Prep J	Archer Wilson	2OD	Phoebe Edge	4BE	Aisha Kerr
Prep B	Austin Villarosa	2 BH	Vignesh Ram	5MA	Sienna Foaster
1MW	Ella Madise	3 JS	Alex Colquhounm	5NR	Ned McElroy
1RP	James Ilievski	3 PD	Andy McColl	6SW	TBA
1JS	Caden Biddiscombe	4CG	Emma Newman	6JC	Matt Lim
2KH	Will Li	4JM	Sophie Emery		

Congratulations to Hayden Tran for last week's award.

*Our YCDI! Focus for this term is **Getting Along.***

Getting along means being kind to everyone and if someone is sitting on the buddy bench, then you ask them if they are ok.

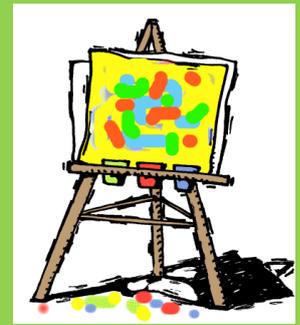
Getting along also means including everyone in your games.

YCDI Committee

Art opportunity

Are you an artist? Are you a drawer? Or maybe you are a painter?

Mrs Fisher has been fishing for some creative people and you might just get hooked. So come and join the art class on Wednesday lunch time. See you there!



Tom Smith

Chilwell P.S. Outside School Hours Care

Term 1 –March 2018

To book or cancel care please call Cheryl on 0417 014 973

REMINDER to all families using this service if you need to cancel a booking you are required to call or text prior to the session to avoid being charged a late/cancellation fee.

Before school care to cancel TEXT or CALL before 7am

After school care to cancel TEXT or CALL before 2pm

After these times a charge will be incurred.

Bookings are essential for both before and after school care.

EFTPOS facility is available – for payments over \$10.00.

Form available at the office or from OSHC.

IMPORTANT!!! School Council encourages families to keep their account in credit.

We issue Weekly Accounts

Thanks – Cheryl & OSHC Staff

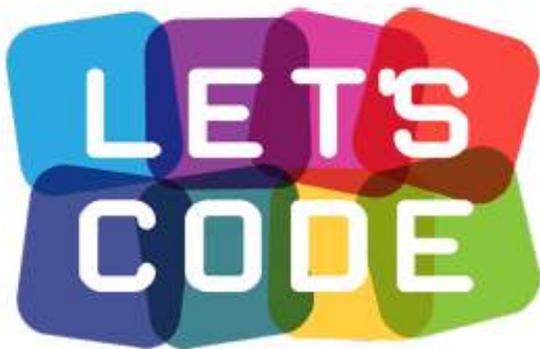
Qkr! is now at Chilwell Primary for Out of School Hours Care



Code
CWPS

The new Qkr! app is now live for our Out of School Hours Care families. Qkr! by MasterCard can be downloaded for free from Apple's app store for iPhones (iPads should download the iPhone app) or from Google Play for Android phones and tablets. After downloading the app and registering, simply scan the QR code on the left using the Qkr! Code scanner or type **CWPS** after tapping the magnifying glass in the top right of the home screen of Qkr!, and then the app will always recognise you as part of Chilwell Primary in future to make payments even easier. You can pay your **Out of School Hours Care Payments** right now using Qkr! To make payments immediately why not download it today and take a look at our school on Qkr! All feedback to the school office is very welcome.

Students in the 5/6 Choir to meet
Miss Robertson in her classroom on
Thursday morning at 8:30am for our first practise.
This will be a weekly, before school commitment.



Reminder to Grades 4-6 students who
are in the 2018 Coding Club for
Semester 1 - You are to meet Miss
Robertson in the **ICT Lab at 2:05pm**
this Thursday.

Please check the names listed and
displayed in your classrooms and on the
Library door.

See you there!
Miss Robertson



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ONLINE ORDERS CLOSE 15TH MARCH

Grade 2 Cosmic Yoga

Every Friday, the Grade 2s participate in Cosmic Yoga as part of our 'Health' Inquiry unit. We watch Jaime, an amazing story-teller who tells stories using yoga poses. It has been a wonderful initiative into our grade level and we will be continuing it throughout the year. Thank you to the Grade 2 parents for allowing children to bring along yoga mats each week. Here are some of the benefits of Cosmic Yoga:



Physical benefits

- Helps develop the right balance of muscle tone and strength throughout the body to support the joints.
- Builds core strength for good posture and overall physical fitness.
- Helps to maintain flexibility and mobility in all joints and muscles. Improves balance, alignment and coordination with practice of postures.
- Helps children develop a positive image of their body and an awareness of how to look after it.

Social and Emotional benefits

- Increases attention span and improves concentration through the story structure, and the inclusion of multiple learning styles: 'visual' through seeing the story and yoga performed, 'auditory' through hearing the instructions and the narrative, and 'kinesthetic' through feeling the body in all postures and connecting emotionally to the story.
- Kids build compassion and empathy for themselves and others through exploring the stories' meanings in a non-competitive environment in class.
- The stories encourage self-expression with the use of imagination and creativity, physical postures and vocal sound effects.
- Encourages joy and a positive outlook with fun stories and a happy experience during their yoga class.

For more information about how Cosmic Yoga can benefit kids, see this link:

<http://www.cosmickids.com/read/how-can-kids-yoga-benefit-my-child/>

Thank you,

Olivia, Brooke and Kim

Grade 2 Teachers





Chilwell Fair - Friday, 23rd March 2018



Prep	Books	Terry Natt
Year 1	Sliders	Jane Miller/Georgie Patterson
Year 2	Hot Dogs & Burgers	Sara Baulch & Rosie Slimmon
Year 3	Bake Stall & Café	Anna Spurling
Year 4	Pizza	Miranda Boddington & Penny Whitehead
Year 5	Spinning Wheel	Yoko Dunlop/Heather Alexander/Cate Paton/ Cindy O'Brien
	Amusements (rides)	Richard Troeth
Year 6	Kids Activities/Entertainment	Rebecca Bain & Jane Muhor

CHILWELL FAIR MANAGER	Jason McLaren
Food Ordering	Kirsty McColl
Electrical / Power	Michael Smith
Promotions & Marketing	Penny Whitehead/Amanda Bennetts
Sponsorship	Amy Keenan/Clare Dowling
Entertainment	Suzie Veitch & Victoria Barton
Live Auction	Kelly Jelenko
Wine Tent	Shaun Sleep/ Simon Witcher
Permits & licences	Gavan Welsh
Social Media/Facebook	Anna Spurling www.facebook.com/ ChilwellFair
Food Safety Supervisor (needs Food Handling Certificate)	
Raffles	Amy Keenan/Clare Dowling

LIVE AUCTION

KEEP A LOOK OUT FOR THE FAIR FLYER EMAILED OUT ON
THURSDAY
FOR THE AMAZING AUCTION ITEMS



Parents of 2019 Year 7 Students
GEELONG & DISTRICT GOVERNMENT SECONDARY SCHOOLS
INFORMATION SESSIONS

SCHOOL	PHONE NO.	DATE
Belmont High School Rotherham Street, Belmont 3216	(03) 5243 5355	Thursday 19th April 5:00pm – 6:30pm: School Tours 6:45pm – 7:30 Information Session – School Gym
Geelong High School Ryrie Street, East Geelong 3219	(03) 5225 4100	Thursday 26th April Flexible information sessions commencing at 4:30pm 5:15 pm, 6:00pm, 6:45pm in the Shenton Theatre
Matthew Flinders Girls Secondary College Little Ryrie Street, Geelong 3220	(03) 4243 0500	Wednesday 14th March 7:00pm – 8:15pm : Information Session - Hall, Myers Street
Oberon High School 12 Pickett Crescent, Belmont 3216	(03) 5243 4444	Tuesday 27th March 5:30pm – 7:00pm : School Tours 7.00pm – 7.45pm : Information Session - Auditorium
Western Heights College Western Heights College Vines Road Hamlyn Heights	(03) 5277 1177	Wednesday 28nd March 6:00pm : Information session followed by school tour

SELECT ENTRY ACCELERATED LEARNING PROGRAM - 2019 Year 7 Intake

Information Evening: Thursday, 15th March 2018

Belmont High School, Yellow Learning Centre 7.00pm

Information booklets and Application Forms are available from Belmont High School, or online at www.bhs.vic.edu.au



SACRED HEART COLLEGE—DISCOVERY DAY

TUESDAY 20 MARCH 2018 4PM

Explore the college from 4pm—6.30pm

Please RSVP attendance at www.shcgeelong.catholic.edu.au



Sacred Heart College
GEEELONG

Community News

GEELONG RAMS Junior Rugby FAMILY DAY

Saturday 17 March 2018 @ 11:30 – 14:00 Flinders Peak Reserve, Hendy Street, Corio
 Coaching clinic, sausage sizzle & fun activities