



EDITHVALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Term 2—Week 2

22 April 2016

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT Mr James Whitla

Welcome back everyone, to term 2 - I hope you had a relaxing time over the Easter break (although it seems like such a long time ago now) and are now ready for what promises to be a very eventful and exciting term.

I was very proud to see our Senior School Student leaders representing our great school so magnificently **at last week's Junior Mayor speeches. The audience** were treated to some excellent speeches from school leaders from many local primary schools on the topic of "How young leaders could help create a better future for young people by demonstrating four key themes: sustainability, equality, empathy and respect."

It was inspiring to listen to the youth of today and their thoughts and plans for our future. A huge thank you and congratulations to Jackson Barratt, Abby Wallace, Ella Sewell and Tom Wilcock for their efforts on this day.

We will be conducting our annual Edithvale Primary School ANZAC Day Commemorative Assembly on Tuesday 26 April, at school. This ceremony gives students, teachers and parents the opportunity to reflect on the ANZAC spirit and the great contribution that so many have made on behalf of all Australians on battlefields and in peacekeeping operations.

This week 5 staff members undertook professional learning on 'Creating High Performing Learning Cultures' as we continue to target and enhance our students' creativity and curiosity. Over the coming weeks and months our entire staff will develop our skills and knowledge on how we can develop students' thinking and problem solving skills by asking Higher Order Questions. It is an exciting time for us all as we get students to analyse and synthesise information from a range of sources and help them to examine and explain alternative solutions to current problems.

NAPLAN testing will be conducted in May from Tuesday 10 - Thursday 12. Students in Years 3 and 5 will complete tests in Language Conventions, Reading, Writing and Number with results to be received in

Term 3. NAPLAN assists the school in gaining an understanding of how our students are progressing, as well as giving us important information that allows us to develop programs and activities that target areas of need.

We are aiming to run our second Curriculum Day for the year on Friday 27 May - the learning focus for teachers is on Teacher Peer Observations and Coaching as well as how to develop and encourage curiosity in our students. Both of these are key **components of our School's Annual Implementation Plan.**



Education Week will be celebrated across the State from 15—21 May and we have a number of different and exciting plans for the week. All classes will participate in some fun maths activities **with 'Professor Maths' and have the opportunity to choose to complete some activities run by staff that aim to cater for students' passions and interests. There will be more information to come, but save Wednesday 18 May in your calendars if you'd like to see a different curriculum being run by the dedicated staff of Edithvale Primary. These sessions will run from 9:00am until 1:30pm and we'd love to see you there.**

During Education Week on Tuesday 17 May and Thursday 19 May there will be Open Learning Sessions for Foundation 2017 parents. These sessions will run from 9.30am until 10.30am.

We have already had many tours with parents and their children who are interested in enrolling in our school for the 2017 school year. If you have a child who is due to begin school next year and you are a current member of our school community, please contact the office to collect an enrolment pack. If you have any specific information or concerns that you need to discuss, please feel free to make an appointment to see me.

This week we welcomed Miss Madison Pearce to our teaching team. Madison joins us as Mrs Amanda Whitla's replacement for the remainder of the year and we are looking forward to working with her.



CANTEEN

Mrs Diane Cameron

Canteen has commenced term 2 with a new menu which was sent out to all families last week and is at the back of this newsletter. There are two new items added to the list and these items are only available on certain days of the week.

- ◆ Fantastic Noodles (Chicken or Beef) \$2.50 - Monday and Tuesday ONLY
- ◆ Hot Chocolate \$1.20 - Monday, Tuesday and Thursday ONLY

For those who order on Qkr, these items are hidden on the unavailable days and for those who order with a paper bag, please remember to order them on the available days only.

The term 2 roster was sent out last term, please let me know if you have not received your roster.

There will be a special lunch day at the end of the term. Details will be sent out towards the end of the term.

All items are currently available, and the canteen still has Tasty Tuesday and Treat Thursday.

Thanks to all my parent helpers who have helped out over the last fortnight. Sometimes it takes a couple of weeks to get back into the swing of things, but we manage to get those orders out on time.

CANTEEN ROSTER—TERM ONE			
Mon 25	Tue 26	Thu 28	Fri 29
ANZAC DAY	Dana Page	Sharon Vanderwyk	Leah Wheatley
Mon 2	Tue 3	Thu 5	Fri 6
Shauna McMillin	Becky Evangelista	Kate Gibbon	Rachel Hepworth

BUNNINGS BBQ

The EPS School Council Fundraising Subcommittee is running its annual sausage sizzle at Bunnings, Keysborough, on Saturday 30 April from 9am to 5pm.

Money raised from this event will go towards various gardening projects around the school. If you sent back the form to help, you will be contacted with times next week.

Everyone is welcome to come and buy a sausage to support our school!

EDI'S MATH'S CORNER

Sudoku is easy to play and the rules are simple. Fill in the blanks so that each row, each column, and each of the nine 3x3 grids contain one instance of each of the numbers 1 through 9.

	6			2	5	7	4	
	4			6			1	
5				7	9	2		
8	3			4		1		
			7				2	
			8				6	
	1	9				4		
6	2	7		8				
							9	

Stay tuned for the answer in the next newsletter!

ROYAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL Mrs Verona Keogh

It's my absolute pleasure to announce that our school raised a total of \$1,099.30 for the Royal Children's Hospital, Good Friday Appeal.

This is an outstanding effort from all families who kindly donated. Whether it was the students donating their pocket money, or families who made generous donations, every little bit counted towards a record total this year for the **Royal Children's Hospital of \$17,455,624.38.**

Thank you again to all the families who donated to the Good Friday Appeal.



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POSITIVE PARENTING

It's challenging being a parent. We receive mixed messages from other parents, family and the media.

So what is the best way to parent our children in a positive way and to feel positive about ourselves as parents?

Positive Parenting will focus on two aspects:

1. how to deal with our children in a respectful, positive, proactive way
2. how to nurture ourselves and not spend our quality time with our children feeling exhausted and guilty.

Parenting is about being in touch with our **children's needs, and treating them with the respect that they deserve.**

ADAVIC is grateful for and acknowledges that this event and associated information resources are supported by the Lord Mayor's Charitable Foundation.

To book, visit www.adavic.org.au or call ADAVIC on 03 9853 8089 from Wed-Friday, 10.30am - 4.00pm.

Presenter: Sally-Anne McCormack

Date: 12 May 2016

Time: 7.30pm – 9.00pm

Cost: \$15 standard fee, \$10 ADAVIC members

Location: Dandenong Civic Centre

[Click here to book online](#)



POSITIVE PARENTING - A BALANCED APPROACH TO RAISING CHILDREN [INFO SESSION]

This workshop will describe and explain the **origins and "red flag" symptoms of Separation Anxiety Disorder**, with reference to formal DSM-5 criteria. Psychological assessment measures and methods will be discussed, including child-friendly play and game oriented materials. Details will be provided of a comprehensive, evidence-based cognitive behavioural treatment program, and will include a workshop outline, references and resources.

Presenter: Ruth Rosalion, Clinical Psychologist

Date: 2 May 2016

Time: 10 am – 3.00 pm

Cost: \$225 standard fee, \$200 ADAVIC members

Location: Knox City Council

[Click here to book online](#)





Did you know that the home is the most common location where children are injured?

Kidsafe Victoria are running a free child injury prevention information session with the Aspendale Gardens Community Service.

The presentation will provide advice and practical solutions that you can use in your own home to help reduce the risk of injury for your children.

**Tuesday 17 May 2016
7.30 – 8.30pm**

- Safely transporting children (choosing and using a suitable child car restraint)
- Burns and scalds
- Drowning and near drowning
- Falls
- Poisoning
- Choking and suffocation
- Dog bites and pet safety
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TICKETS \$25 EACH

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Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge

The Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge is now **OPEN** and we are excited to be participating again this year. The Challenge is open to all Victorian children from birth to Year 10 in recognition of the importance of reading for literacy development.

It is not a competition; but a personal challenge for children to read a set number of books by 9 September 2016.

We encourage all students to take up the Challenge and begin recording PRC books on the Challenge Checklist (available from your class teacher) or record them in the Take Home Reading Record book/ sheet.

Children from **Prep to Year 2** are encouraged to read or 'experience' **30 books** with their parents and teachers. Children from **Year 3 to Year 6** are challenged to read **15 books**.

We are happy to announce that this year **parental consent forms are no longer required** for children to participate in the PRC; unless parents would like their child's name on the online **Honour Roll**. If you would like your child's name to appear on the Honour Roll, please ask your child's class teacher for the form.

All children who meet the Challenge will receive a certificate of achievement signed by the Victorian Premier, Mr Daniel Andrews.

Here is LACHLAN the PRC mascot busy reading his favourite book.



Our **Library** has a special section for all books on the Challenge list. They are marked with the letters PRC on the spine. Please see Mrs Hayes or Mrs Arden for any advice regarding the challenge or book selection.

Happy Reading
E.P.S English team



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Drawing and Sketching

This drawing class is designed to introduce the fundamentals of drawing through a series of structured exercises: line, tone, proportions & contours. Students will be given the opportunity to explore different mediums such as graphite, pencils, charcoal and pen.

Monday: 1.00 - 3.00pm

2 May - 6 June (6 weeks)

Cost: \$75, concession \$65

Materials list supplied upon enrolment.

For further information to enrol, please phone:

Mordialloc Neighbourhood House; 9587 4534

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SATURDAY 30 APRIL
10AM - 1PM

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EDITHVALE PRIMARY SCHOOL—CANTEEN PRICE LIST—TERM 2, 2016

(Effective: Monday 11 April 2016)

Canteen is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. PLEASE NOTE: There is NO canteen on Wednesday

Sandwiches & rolls are available in white, multigrain & wholemeal bread. There is no extra charge for mayonnaise. **TOMATO SAUCE IS 20 CENTS EXTRA.**

ORDERING PROCEDURE: Our preferred method of ordering is via QKR (on your smartphone), however, orders can still be sent in with your child. Write order (please PRINT clearly) on a CLEAN PAPER BAG, with your CHILD'S NAME & CLASS. The paper bag should be large enough to hold all of child's lunch order. PAPER BAGS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE CANTEEN AT A COST OF 10 CENTS EACH (Not required if ordering using QKR).




SALAD BOWLS	WRAPS	HOT FOOD	DRINKS
440ml Container with Lettuce Carrot, Tomato, Cucumber, Beetroot \$3.00 With Egg \$3.60 With Tuna or Ham \$3.60 With Chicken \$3.60	THE FARMERS WRAP Grated cheese, carrot, chicken and mayo \$3.40 THE BEACH WRAP Tuna, carrot, lettuce, tomato and mayo \$3.50 THE EDITHVALE WRAP Chicken, avocado, lettuce and mayo \$3.40 THE WETLANDS WRAP Grated Cheese, Chicken, Lettuce and mayo \$3.40 THE SALAD WRAP Lettuce, carrot, tomato, Cucumber and avocado \$3.00 TOASTIE WRAP Chicken, cheese, avocado, and mayo (toasted) \$3.50	Corn on the cob \$.90 Hot Cheese Roll \$2.40 Hot Chicken Roll \$3.40 Lasagne \$3.00 Pizza-Ham and Pineapple \$3.00 Fried Rice \$3.00 Meat Pie \$3.20 Jumbo Sausage Roll \$2.50 Party Pie \$1.00 Party Sausage Roll \$1.00 Hot Dog \$3.00 Chicken Nugget \$.70 Chicken Schnitzel Roll \$3.80 (Includes Cheese) Spinach & Ricotta Roll \$2.80 Vegetable Pastie \$3.30 Tomato Sauce \$.20	Bottled Water \$1.20 Just Juice (200ml) • Apple \$1.00 • Orange \$1.00 • Apple & Blackcurrant \$1.00 • Paradise Punch \$1.00 Milk: • Chocolate \$1.70 • Strawberry \$1.70 Hot Chocolate \$1.20 (Monday, Tuesday & Thursday only)
SANDWICHES (Rolls & Extra fillings 10c extra) (Toasted .20c extra) Vegemite \$1.50 Cheese and Vegemite \$2.20 Cheese \$2.00 Cheese and Lettuce \$2.30 Tomato \$2.60 Tomato and Lettuce \$2.70 Tomato and Cheese \$2.70 Egg \$2.60 Egg and Lettuce \$2.80 Ham \$3.20 Tuna \$3.30 Salad \$3.80 Ham and Salad \$4.40 Tuna and Salad \$4.50 (Salad consists of cheese, carrot, tomato, beetroot, lettuce, cucumber)	FRUIT AND YOGHURT Fresh Fruit Salad (280ml Container) - Large \$2.40 (100ml container) - Small .80 Plain Yoghurt (100ml) \$1.20 Fruit Salad with Yoghurt (280ml Container) - Large \$3.20 (100ml Container) - Small \$1.60	SPECIAL Monday & Tuesday Only Steamed Dim Sims \$.80 Fantastic Noodles \$2.50 - chicken or beef CAKES Mini Muffins (25gram) • Chocolate of Blueberry \$1.30 • Gingerkids \$1.60	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> MEAL DEAL 3 Items for \$5.00 1 - Wrap or Sandwich with a choice of 3 toppings - Toasted or Untoasted (chicken, tuna, lettuce, avocado, tomato, cheese, cucumber, carrot, beetroot) & 2 - Small Fruit Salad or Yoghurt & 3 - Bottle of Water or Just Juice (choose a flavour from above) </div>
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WINDOW SALE ITEMS ONLY

	Orange ¼s	.20c		
	Vegemite on Toast	.50c		Buttered Popcorn \$1.00c
	Pretzels	.80c		Yoghurt—Plain \$1.20
	Gingerbread Kids	\$1.60		Mini Muffins (25g) • Chocolate Chip • Blueberry \$1.30

EDITHVALE PRIMARY SCHOOL—CALENDAR—TERM 2, 2016

	Week 1 11-15 Apr	Week 2 18-22 Apr	Week 3 25-29 Apr	Week 4 2-6 May	Week 5 9-13 May	Week 6 16-20 May	Week 7 23-27 May	Week 8 30 May-3 Jun	Week 9 6-10 Jun	Week 10 13-17 Jun	Week 11 20-24 Jun
MONDAY	Term 2 Starts	Junior Mayor	Anzac Day No Students			Education Week Professor Maths				Queen's Birthday No Students	
TUESDAY		School Council			Naplan School Council	Professor Maths Foundation 2017 Open Learning Session 9.30-10.30am		Year 4 Camp		School Council	
WEDNESDAY					Naplan			Year 4 Camp	Coach Approach	Year 2 Wetlands Excursion	
THURSDAY				Mothers Day Stall 	Naplan	Foundation 2017 Open Learning Session 9.30-10.30am	Moonlit Sanctuary Excursion Foundation Family Life Year 5-6	Year 4 Camp			
FRIDAY				Mothers Day Breakfast			Curriculum Day No students required at school				Last day of Term 2 Assembly 2pm Early finish 2.30pm
WEEKEND			Bunnings BBQ	Mother's Day							