



## PRINCIPALS NEWS...

### NAPLAN

Well done to our Year 3 and 5 students participating in Naplan this week. The assessment provides the school with useful information on the progress students are making in English and Mathematics. In addition to this it provides the school with insights on areas for further development. This can be a stressful time for students but so long as they aim to do their best, that's all we ask for.

### READING ASSESSMENTS

Over the next two weeks, our students will be completing the Fountas and Pinnell Reading Assessment. Teachers use the results from this assessment to triangulate the assessments they have conducted throughout the semester. We also use these assessments as a school to view overall student growth and areas for further development. During this time, we will have a considerable amount of Casual Relief Teachers taking classes to ensure the assessments are completed quickly and minimize the disruption to the program.

### YEAR 3/4 CAMP

Plans are underway for this year's 3 / 4 camp. Students will be heading off to [Camp Sunnystones](#) on Monday 22 October and returning Tuesday 23 October. Cost will be approximately \$150 per child. Further detail will be provided when finalized. Families wishing to start making payment can do so at the Office.

### CURRICULUM DAY

We are looking at the next Curriculum Day being on the last day of this term, Friday 29 June, this will be confirmed in next week's newsletter

ENJOY!  
ROBBIE

## SCHOOL NEWS

### LOLLIE DRIVE

Order forms have been sent home this week with the eldest in the family. For those wishing to order please return order and payment by **Friday 1 June**.

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS NOW OVERDUE

If you have not yet returned this year's copy and do not wish to purchase, please return to the office now as they are being returned to the supplier. If you wish to purchase, payment can be made on line or direct to the Office.

### MOTHERS' DAY CRAFTS

Students had lots of fun making special crafts for their mums last week. It was lovely to see them putting so much thought into making their cards and gifts so special. We had woodworking love hearts, folded chatterboxes, photo cupcake flowers and dress up photo boards. Hope all those celebrating Mothers' Day enjoyed receiving them as much as the children enjoyed making them.



### Event Quick View

FRI 18TH MAY  
Excursion - 45A Library Visit

MON 21ST MAY TO FRI 25TH MAY  
EDUCATION WEEK

THU 24TH MAY  
Excursion - Library Visit 2/3's & 34A

MON 28TH MAY  
Excursion - Library Visit - 1A, 12A & 2A

TUE 29TH MAY  
EXCURSION - DIVISION CROSS COUNTRY

WED 6TH JUNE  
LIGHTENING PREM - AFL/NETBALL/T-BALL

MON 11TH JUNE  
QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

TUE 12TH JUNE  
EXCURSION - BIOLAB (YR 5&6)

*Please check the [Event Calendar](#) on the school's web page to keep up to date with what's happening.*

Friday Assembly this week – Community Event – “Story Time”.



### MARVELLOUS MEN'S SHED

Leopold Men's Shed are back, working with Mrs M to help 5/6A and 5/6B create tool boxes, desk caddies, photo frames, bird feeders and stools. This woodworking unit is aimed at fostering students' problem-solving skills as they use hand tools, glue, screws and nails to follow step-by-step instructions to successfully create their projects. We've all been very impressed with the students' cooperative group work and their respect for safety. Well done! And a big thanks to Tom and Ken!



### LOVE A WORM LUNCHTIME

Our Gardening Gurus have been working hard to keep our worms healthy and ensure they feel loved. Our compost is keeping our worm farms fed and their worm juice continues to help our gardens grow. Love it!

### CANTEEN ROSTER 1.50 – 2.20p.m.

May 25th- Sally Marange, **Alisha Marhad**.

June 1st - Sally Marange, Alisha Marhad, Jodie Armstrong.

June 8th- Brodie Marsland, Marina Todorovic.

June 15th- Jtandral Tingiri, Caity Rollinson.

June 22nd- Alisha Marhad, **Emma Hosking**.



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*Extend's school holiday programs are a fantastic opportunity for your child to do fun and engaging activities with friends. Book 14 days in advance to receive the early bird rate.*

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# THE DAD CONFERENCE



## GUEST SPEAKERS:

- **Danny 'Spud' Frawley** (AFL player, coach and media personality): Overcoming anxiety, depression and a nervous breakdown
- **Craig Harper** (exercise scientist, radio and TV presenter, corporate speaker): Creating a high performance life
- **Jason Cunningham** (finance expert on The Living Room): How to get financially fit
- **Michael Nagel** (Assoc. Professor, author, public speaker): What makes them tick? Why our children do what they do.
- **Marty Wilson** (Australian comic of the year, author): What I wish I knew about fatherhood
- **Chris Appleford** (personal trainer and nutrition coach): 10 tips for getting your gut under control

## CONFERENCE DETAILS

DATE	Sunday 27 May
TIME	9.00am to 3.30pm
LOCATION	Deakin University, Waterfront Campus, Geelong
TICKETS	Early Bird \$77 (\$97 full price) Bring a mate \$137 (\$177 full price) Bring a crew (10 tickets) \$617 (\$777 full price) 10% of all profits are donated to the EJ Whitten Foundation
WEBSITE	<a href="http://www.dadconference.com">www.dadconference.com</a>



## 22<sup>ND</sup> MAY, 2018 INFORMATION NIGHT AND TOURS

FOR PROSPECTIVE FAMILIES AND SERVICE PROVIDERS

You are invited to see and learn more about the educational opportunities for eligible students with disabilities (IQ Under 50) at Geelong's newest SPECIAL DEVELOPMENT SCHOOL.

Please register your attendance for a TOUR or the INFORMATION SESSION at the school office by Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2018.



Facing the Future Together

School Tours  
5:00 – 6:00pm

Information Session  
6:00 – 7:30pm

World-Class Facilities

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Hamlyn Views School  
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(03) 5231 1055

[Hamlyn.views.school@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:Hamlyn.views.school@edumail.vic.gov.au)

[www.hamlynviews.com.au](http://www.hamlynviews.com.au)

## St Albans Park Kindergarten Open Day 2018

43 - 53 Homestead Drive, St Albans Park PH 03 5248 4539

Thursday 24th May, 2018  
10am - 12pm  
Educators and Parents will be on hand to welcome you and your child

PH 03 5248 4539  
EMAIL [st.albans.park.kin@kindergarten.vic.gov.au](mailto:st.albans.park.kin@kindergarten.vic.gov.au)

Register online to enrol your child:  
[bcyf.org.au](http://bcyf.org.au)

Barwon child, youth & family

We offer 3 and 4 year old Early Childhood Programs

## Seasons for Growth Parent Program: Supporting your child following separation or divorce ...

provides an opportunity for you to reflect on the experience of separation or divorce from your child's perspective, and to explore ideas and strategies that might help you support your child/ren through the changes happening in your family.

Seasons for Growth Parent Program: Supporting your child following separation or divorce is a small group program for 5-12 parents. It will be held over 2 x 2 hour OR 1 x 4 hour session/s and is for parents only.

Date/s:	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup> June or Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup> June
Venue:	Geelong Family Relationship Centre
Time:	Tuesdays 6pm - 8pm Wednesdays 10am - 12pm
Cost:	\$30.00



For more information or to express your interest in taking part in the Seasons for Growth Parent Program, please contact:

**FAMILY RELATIONSHIP CENTRE**  
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