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The Parkmore Pulse



Important Dates

JUNE

12TH - KINGS BIRTHDAY - PUBLIC HOLIDAY
14TH - BREAKFAST CLUB 8.15-8.45
16TH - ASSEMBLY - **CANCELLED**
16TH - Y5/6 WINTER SPORT - DAY 1
16TH - FIRE FIGHTER VISIT #2 - PREP
20TH - SCHOOL TOUR
21ST - BREAKFAST CLUB 8.15-8.45
21ST - FINAL ASSEMBLY 2.45PM - **NOTE CHANGE OF DAY**
22ND - Y5/6 WINTER SPORT - DAY 2
22ND - STUDENT LED CONFERENCES 3.45PM TO 6.30PM
23RD - STUDENT LED CONFERENCES 9.00AM - 2.15PM
23RD - NO STUDENTS ON-SITE EXCEPT WHEN ATTENDING STUDENT LED CONFERENCE
24TH - BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE

JULY

10TH - 1ST DAY TERM 3
10TH - INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAM BEGINS
12TH - BREAKFAST CLUB 8.15-8.45AM
12TH - DEAKIN SCIENCE Y4-6
14TH - ASSEMBLY 2.50PM
17TH - DOWNBALL CLINICS (WHOLE SCHOOL)

CURRICULUM DAYS 2023

FRIDAY 23RD - STUDENT LED CONFERENCES - **STUDENTS ON-SITE ONLY WHEN ATTENDING STUDENT LED CONFERENCE**
MONDAY 7TH AUGUST
MONDAY 6TH NOVEMBER - PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE DAY
WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER

2023 TERM DATES

TERM 3:
MONDAY JULY 10 - FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 15
TERM 4:
MONDAY OCTOBER 2 - DECEMBER 20

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS IN 2023

KINGS BIRTHDAY - MONDAY JUNE 12
MELBOURNE CUP - TUESDAY NOVEMBER 7

Principal's Report

Dear Parkmore friends and families,

Thank you all for your ongoing support of our school and of my leadership at Parkmore. It has been an absolute pleasure to lead such a wonderful community over the last two terms, and I look forward to continue to build on the many positive relationships, programs and opportunities for our students, staff and school as I take up the substantive principal role from term three onwards.

OSHC

Many families have been asking about what is happening in this space and I would like to formally thank Bella and the OSHC team for their years of service to our school running the before and after school service for our children and families. CommunityOSH chose not to renew their contract with us, and as such, we have been through a Tenure process supported by our Regional staff and the Department of Education.

I would like to formally welcome Steven Dillon from DH Sports who applied and have been successful in taking up our OSHC program. Our School Council President - Rachel van Ketwich and I met with Steven and his team and discussed the exciting program and opportunities for all our families. The program has fully qualified staff including sports trained staff and have a number of exciting activity events for our children to engage in.

As well as the daily before and afterschool program, families can also sign into specific programs they want their children to participate in. We are also discussing the opportunities for curriculum day programs as well as school holiday programs. Please see the weblink for further details. [Parkmore Primary — DS Sports](#)

The web page is still being built and if you have any questions or wish to sign up early, please contact Naomi Perry - dsinschools@gmail.com

Before school is open from 6.30am – 8.45am

After bell care runs 3.30pm – 6.30pm

Commencing Monday 10th July 2023



OSHC
WHERE FUN IS HAD
FUN - ACTIVE - ENGAGING

Please note that children are not attending OSHC they should not be onsite until 8.45am in the morning. Families wishing to drop their children before 8.45 should enrol their children into before school care for their safety and wellbeing as we do not have staff on duty until 8.45am. When you sign up for before school care, breakfast is provided as well as dinner for after school care.

Principals Report continued...

next School Assembly
Wednesday June 21st 2023
in the MP Room
2.50pm Start
please be seated prior

SWIM PROGRAM

Our annual swim program came and went in a splash! I understand there were many questions about the change in venue and program, but I do hope the benefits can now be seen. As well as the opportunity to travel by bus keeping our children warm and safe, the program itself was an absolute hit with our children and staff.

From the water safety learning activities where our children learnt how to help someone in trouble in the water without putting themselves in danger to the swim stroke improvement technique, It was wonderful to see so many children not only engaged in the learning but having fun. I hope you will all join me in thanking Alison Raebel for her tireless efforts in developing the program.

Alison is also planning on a Senior Swim Carnival Day to select our 2024 swim team towards the end of the year.

STUDENT LED CONFERENCES

It is important that we work with all our families to share our children's learning behaviours and achievements and also set their Term Three learning goals. Student ownership and voice is also important and as such we will be holding Student led Conferences at the end of this term.

This is the opportunity for our children to talk about what they have enjoyed, what they have learnt and what they found challenging. Our teachers will also discuss students learning progress. At the conferences, in collaboration with our children and families, Term Three learning goals will be set with a focus on Literacy, Numeracy and learning behaviours with their Home group teachers. In specialist SLC, the focus will be on a learning goal for improvement within the subject as well as a positive learning behaviour goal.

Student reports will be available on Thursday 15th June and Student Led Conferences can be booked online through our Sentral Portal on Friday 16th of June.

Conference times will be available on Thursday 22nd June 3.45pm – 7.05pm and on Friday 23rd June 9am – 2.20pm. Students only attend school on Friday the 23rd of June with their families to attend their pre-booked SLC times.

On Friday 23rd, there will be no formal classes only Student Led Conferences and children will be required to attend the meeting if you come in on this day for your appointments.

Jodie Doble
PRINCIPAL



PARKMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL
2023 Tours

Term 2 Tours	Term 3 Tours
• Tuesday 16th May 9:30am—10:30am	• Wednesday 19th July 9:30am—10:30am
• Tuesday 30th May 9:30am—10:30am	• Wednesday 2nd August 9:30am—10:30am
• Tuesday 6th June 9:30am—10:30am	• Wednesday 16th August 9:30am—10:30am
• Tuesday 20th June 9:30am—10:30am	• Wednesday 30th August 9:30am—10:30am

Please contact the Office on 9878 5556 to book your tour



PARKMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL
38-54 Jolimont Road
Forest Hill
Vic 3131

School Captains' Report

Week 7- School Captains' Report



Preps have learnt about friends of ten and have practiced their fine motor skills.



1/2A have learned about summarizing texts and the letter sound 'o'.



3/4A have learned about aboriginal history and practiced measuring angles.

2/3A have learned about rounding numbers in maths to solve addition problems.



5/6a and 5/6b have learned how to summarise a text about Eddie Mabo and Cartesian planes in maths.

-Holly and Travis

Class Article - PREP

What's been happening in Prep?



This week we have been learning about Friends of 10 - all the different ways to add numbers to equal 10!

We made rainbows to help us lock these facts into our brains.

Mr. Luu went back to university to continue his studies. We really loved learning from him and we miss him so much!



Pippin - our class mascot - has officially visited every Prep's home.

Here is Pippin rocking out at Taylor's house a few weeks ago. We start sending Pippin around for second turns from Friday.



See you soon! Love from the Preps.

Sport

Term Two

Physical Education News



WHOLE SCHOOL SWIMMING 2023



Parkmore Primary School completed eight days of intensive swimming which included a lesson devoted to Water Safety and a Fun day. Our students loved the opportunity to play in the Wave pool and splash Mrs Raebel on the last day of the program. Monash Aquatic and Recreation Centre put a well structured and professional program together for our students.

A huge THANK YOU to our staff and parent helpers for making this program a huge success.



Sport

Student Achievement

Parkmore Primary School would like to recognise Gabby and Jacob in year 4 for receiving their black belt in Martial Arts last month. Both students put in hours of training and preparation to be ready for their grading. They were tested on their self defence, skill display and sparring. They both broke a wooden board at the end of their grading. Well done Gabby and Jacob for demonstrating the values of excellence, resilience and responsibility in your Martial Arts.



We take great pride in our students achievements both in and out of the school grounds. If you have a special student achievement in a sporting area that you would like to share with our community, please contact Mrs Raebel on Class Dojo.

Sport

**LET'S KEEP
COLLECTING!**



Wellbeing News

BREAKFAST CLUB DATES

for Term 2 2023

June 14th & 21st
at 8.15am

IDEAS FOR A LONG WEEKEND AT HOME

With the long weekend ahead of us I imagine many parents will be looking forward to having a day off. Some families may be fortunate enough to go away for the weekend, but many will be staying home and wondering what to do in light of the increasing living costs. Staying home can be an opportunity to grow your relationships with your children even on a limited budget. Entertaining the children doesn't have to cost money. Here are just a few ideas to try as a way of spending quality time together:

- Art/Craft
- Movie night
- Indoor bowling
- Puzzles
- Board games
- Make up an indoor game
- Build a fort
- Origami
- Bake cupcakes



- Cook a meal
- Make a movie
- Dance competition
- Fashion parade
- Scavenger hunt
- Balloon tennis
- Gardening
- Make paper planes
- Fly a kite

Carolyn Bunston

School Wellbeing Worker

Birthdays



June Birthdays

- 12th - Aiden T
- 14th - Artem R
- 16th - Micah R
- 23rd - Harper C
- 24th - Alexander P
- 26th - Amelia M
- 26th - Sophie M
- 27th - Reuben
- 28th - Cayla T

July Birthdays

- 1st - Hayden M
- 25th - Jason L
- 31st - Will T



Student of the Week

Ava T

LEADERSHIP
PREP

Annika K

LOVE OF LEARNING
1/2A

Gabriella A

HUMILITY
2/3A

Zachary C

CURIOSITY
3/4A

Student of the Week

Well Done

Casey R

LEADERSHIP &
HELPLESSNESS
5/6A

Akshat N

LOVE OF
LEARNING
P.E.

Alicia R

BRAVERY
5/6B

Max F

HUMILITY
L.O.T.E

Gabriella D

LOVE OF
LEARNING
ART

Advertising....

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TERM TWO

WEDNESDAYS 4:15-5:15pm

Start date: Wednesday, 3rd of May

PARKMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL

38 Jolimont Road, Forest Hill

Register at: www.parkmorenetball.org

Enquiries: parkmorenetball@outlook.com

0413 543 349

COME AND PLAY DAY

Want to come along and understand what all the FUN is about? Get a taste of netball before you register and experience skills and drills in a fun, play-based environment. Come & Play for a FREE session on WEDNESDAY, THE 3rd of MAY and WEDNESDAY, the 10th of May. Both sessions start at 4:15pm.

 **PARKMORE NETBALL CLUB**