



# The Parkmore Pulse

## Important Dates

### NOVEMBER

**1ST-3RD** YEAR 3/4 CAMP PORTSEA

**7TH** MELBOURNE CUP DAY

**8TH** CURRICULUM DAY - **NO SCHOOL**

**9TH** TRANSITION - MARVELLOUS MATH

9.30-11.30

**10TH** ASSEMBLY

**13TH-17TH** YEAR 5/6 CAMP

COOLAMATONG

**15TH** TRANSITION-TECHNOLOGY TIME

11.30-1.00

**16TH** HOOPTIME YEAR F-2

**20TH** SCHOOL COUNCIL

**21ST** OXFAM CHOIR PERFORMANCE

**22ND** TRANSITION-ART PLAY 9.30-11.00

**23RD** YEAR F-2 EXCURSION

**24TH** ASSEMBLY

**29TH** TRANSITION - WHY IS IT SO? 11.30-

1.00PM

### DECEMBER

**4TH-15TH** SWIMMING PROGRAM

**8TH** ASSEMBLY

**8TH-9TH** YEAR 2 SLEEPOVER

**11TH** YEAR 6 GRADUATION DINNER

**12TH** YEAR 6 TRANSITION DAY

**18TH** WHOLE SCHOOL EXCURSION - ACMI

**18TH** SCHOOL COUNCIL

**19TH** YEAR 6 GRADUATION ASSEMBLY

**21ST** CHRISTMAS CONCERT

**22ND** LAST DAY OF SCHOOL 2017

### CURRICULUM DAYS

NOVEMBER 8TH

### TERM DATES

17 JULY - 22 SEPTEMBER

9 OCTOBER - 22 DECEMBER

## From the Principal

### Moonlight Cinema

Our first ever Moonlight Cinema event last Saturday was a great success. Despite grey skies in the morning the afternoon improved with occasional sunny breaks!

A great turn out enjoyed yummy food, fun games and competitions and talented musicians performing a variety of musical styles. There are so many people to thank; it really took a village to bring it all together. I am so grateful for every member of our school community that contributed – from baking cupcakes to constructing and bumping out stages to writing risk assessment documents. There is so much that goes in to a single 5 hour event and planning started way back in February. We will hold a whole school assembly on November 10 to celebrate the event and I hope to see you all there. I would like to particularly thank (and I am very aware of the risk of forgetting someone) the following families: Gunther, Lowe, Tattersfield, Crawford-Davies, Codling, Plaw, VanDerNol and Hodges families.



### Mr McIntosh named in this year's 'Who's who in education'

We are very proud to announce Prep/One Teacher, Simon McIntosh has been recognised for his achievements in education and has made it on to the Educator Magazine's 'Hot List' for 2017. In the year 'Mr Mac' has been at Parkmore Primary he has made significant contribution to the whole school's teaching and learning program through his leadership of maths. Please go to: [www.educatoronline.au](http://www.educatoronline.au) to read the article on Simon's work.

# Principal's Comments

## Sport Achievements

Parkmore Primary has achieved some magnificent sporting results this week. On Monday Leigh competed at State finals for high jump and finished 7th overall. On Wednesday the Parkmore Pacers competed in the regional finals finishing on top of the ladder and narrowly losing the grand final by one point! We are so proud of these significant achievements and most of all the courage and humility demonstrated by all finalists.



## Holiday Program at Parkmore

This week you will have received a flyer with further information on the Big Childcare Holiday Program at Parkmore. Please refer to details on the flyer for more information.



In partnership,

Saraid Doherty  
**PRINCIPAL**

*“Individually, we are one drop. Together, we are an Ocean.”*  
~ Ryunosuke Satoro ~





# School Captains Report

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### Moonlight Cinema

Saturday was our Moonlight cinema and it was a great success! There was pick a stick, lucky jars, live music by the Vermont Secondary College and the choir, lots of food stalls, cricket, tennis and netball clinics, raffles and so much more. Everyone enjoyed the night and the movie worked really well! We really appreciated all the help from our sponsors and whole school community, it wouldn't have been able to happen without you!



# Home Group 1/2A

## F/1A Report

### Parkmore Embarks On Whole School Friday Mathematics

As part of Parkmore's drive to meet the needs of all students in the teaching of Mathematics and to create opportunities for teachers to provide activities for students that encourage increased depth and breadth of understanding, the Parkmore PS Maths team has created 'Whole School Maths' sessions. Sessions take place every Friday and see students from various levels with similar learning needs take part in deep thinking, longer term maths activities. Students have been challenged by 'low floor, high ceiling' activities including;

- How high can you possibly count using only your hands (Hint: the answer is much larger than 10).
- Cracking the unbreakable code
- Discovering 'Pascal's Triangle'
- & Creating the very tricky '9 Colour Cube'.

Parkmore PS intends to develop and extend this program in 2018 as a way of extending our students' understandings in Mathematics and creating a culture of curiosity and fun while learning about numbers.





# Performing Arts Report

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## REPORT MOONLIGHT CINEMA

We are still winding down after the incredible performances from our Moonlight Cinema. The Performing Arts presented five live music acts which played throughout the event with students from Parkmore and the Forest Hill community performing a range of brilliant music. We had performances from violin, keyboard, guitar, saxophone, the Parkmore PS choir and local band NOXIA.



"I've was at John Farnham's Last tour! But the Moonlight Cinema, now that was something else!"

The students had an opportunity to perform on a professional stage with sound and lighting helping their beautiful music carry across the event. In amongst the performances was a flash mob dance where every member of Parkmore performed on the basketball courts to 'Uptown Funk'. All in all, it was inspiring to see so many up and coming performers strutting their stuff on the big stage. Well done everyone and a special mention to **Jade Canavan, Marcus Tattersfield and Hannah Campbell** for their invaluable help!

Mr. B



# Sports Report

PARKMORE PS

# SPORTS REPORT

STATE FINALS & HOOPTIME REGIONAL FINALS

## LEIGH FANARTSIZ

Leigh Fanartzis competed at Lakeside Stadium on 30th November for the State Finals in High Jump. The day had a very typical Melbourne feel about it, with the sun coming out and burning those not prepared enough to pack an umbrella and tent, and then pouring down on us when the High Jump finals were under way. He represented Parkmore in fine form coming equal 7th in the state for 11yrs High Jump. Jumping a 1.36m to qualify and a 1.33m on the day, I think we can all agree his consistent effort and determination in sports is inspiring. Great effort Leigh!



## PARKMORE PACERS - REGIONAL FINAL

On November 1st the Parkmore Pacers competed at the Regional Hooptime Finals. The team played some fantastic basketball proceeding to the Grand Finals with 3 wins and a draw. Coached by Adrienne Baucke and Bernadette Manfre the team were ready for the Grand Final. The Grand Final match was a nail biter with the teams being one point apart by the last siren. This time round we came up one point short, but to be a finalist in the Regional Final is a huge achievement for the Pacers and their show of sportsmanship and teamwork had them stand out amongst other teams. They met both Sam Short and Tohi Smith-Milner from Melbourne United Basketball. A huge congratulations to the team. Well done!



Mr. B

# Library



## Thank you for voting in the YABBA Book Awards

### **Parkmore's top votes are:**

**Picture Story** – Do Not Open This Book

**Fiction for Younger Readers** – Hotdog!

**Fiction for Older Readers** – The 78-Story Treehouse

**YABBA will announce winners shortly, so keep your eyes posted**



**Christmas craft and activities in the Library at lunchtime Tuesdays**

# Library



## Welcome to the Premiers' Reading Challenge

Inspiring children and young people to read more books



# WELL DONE!

Certificates have been distributed to students that have completed the 2017 challenge

**SPECIAL MENTION** to the following students for being Premier Reading Challenge Champions

F1A – Tyler Batt

F1B – Lucas Golomb

2A – Bella Hodges

34A – Bela Walker

34B – Justin Kang

56A – Faith Codling

56B – Vishant Saini



# Birthdays, Student of the Week & Rosters

## November Birthdays

2 Mia L  
14 Jasper S  
16 Felix S  
20 Owen H  
21 Violet A  
23 Chloe T  
24 Jarvis B  
25 Audrey W  
25 Jadia C  
30 Elka K



## Student of the Week

F/1 A - Owen H for **Teamwork**

F/1 B - Jade G for **Love of Learning**

2 A - Violet A for **Zest**

3/4 A - Maddie G for **Judgement**

3/4 B - Jack T for **Creativity**

5/6 A - Matthew C for **Zest**

5/6 B - Mia L for **Kindness**

Performing Arts - Caitlin P for **Perseverance**

L.O.T.E - Liam K for **Kindness**

Visual Arts - Chloe H for **Love of Learning**

Physical Education - Lucas G for **Bravery**

## Canteen Roster

### NOVEMBER

3rd Erin O

10th Shannyn V

17th Melissa P

24th Deb K

**Courage:** Honesty, Bravery, Perseverance, Zest

**Temperance:** Forgiveness, Humility, Prudence, Self-Regulation

**Humanity:** Kindness, love, Social Intelligence

**Justice:** Fairness, Leadership, Teamwork

**Transcendence:** Appreciation of beauty & Excellence, Gratitude, Hope, Humour, Spirituality

**Wisdom & Knowledge:** Creativity, Curiosity, Judgement, Love of Learning, Perspective

*Moonlight Cinema &  
Twilight Market*

*Thank You!*  
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**FLETCHERS**

**Parkmore Primary Moonlight Cinema & Twilight Market**



# *Moonlight Cinema & Twilight Market*

## *Thank You!*

*Parkmore Primary School says a big thank you to the following business and community organisations for their donations, donations in kind and support of our school.*

- Nunawading Toy Library
- Girl Guides Australia Victoria
- 5ETS Tennis Club Vermont South
- Vermont Secondary College
- Cheeky Freckles Facepainting
- Nunawading Cricket Club
- OMS - Online Music Solutions
- Parkmore Netball Club

*Thank you to the following organisations and businesses for their donations of prizes for raffles, stalls and games.*

- Aryzta - Passion for good food
- Maroondah Leisure
- Wisteria Cards and Gifts
- Hairhouse Warehouse
- This and That Community Store Brentford Square
- Step Into Life - Group Outdoor Personal Training
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- Temptations - Vermont South
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- Mitre 10
- INTREPID13
- Lunar Drive In
- Dymocks

# Community Noticeboard



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Seniors – Andrew Siebel 0402 260 545 or [info@nunawadingcc.com.au](mailto:info@nunawadingcc.com.au)

Nunawading clubrooms at Mahoneys Reserve, Mahoneys Rd, Forest Hill

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



## **FOSTER CARERS NEEDED**

If you have thought about foster care, please get in touch and ask the questions you have always wanted to.

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Email: [info@keyassets.com.au](mailto:info@keyassets.com.au)

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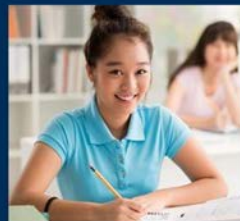
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