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# Newsletter

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER				
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
23	24	<b>25</b> <b>ANZAC DAY</b>	26 Last day for payment 1/2 RJ swimming	27 Move a thon money & form Due back Last day for Book club orders District Athletics
30	1 <sup>st</sup> May Move a Thon day 11.30-1.00	2	3 1/2 RJ commence Swimming	4
7	8	9 Secondary Awareness Day for 5/6's Musical Rehearsal Principals 3.30-5.00	10 Mother Grandmother night 5.00-7.00pm	11
14 Musical Rehearsal Everyone 2.15-4.15	15	16 Musical Rehearsal Principals 3.30-5.30	17	18 WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY

## Respect for Others

This term we are looking at Respect for Others with key words being: engaging, cooperative, considerate, inclusive and understanding. We encourage all students to show these values in their classrooms and in the yard.

## ANZAC Service

On Tuesday the NEPS School and Vice Captains conducted a ceremony for the whole school around the Gallipoli Oak. The captains shared two poems "In Flanders Fields" written by John McCrae and "We Shall Keep The Faith" by Moina Michael.



I would like to thank all of the NEPS students for conducting themselves in such a respectful manner and the captains for organising and leading the service.

Maddie Ashton, Hannah Green, Brooklyn Ason and Jack Shanks also attended the Newborough/Yallourn ANZAC ceremony on Wednesday to represent our school community.

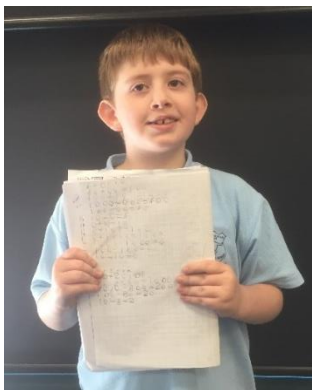


Tegan Bell  
 Acting Assistant Principal

## Student Work

It has been fantastic to see students giving their best effort in learning tasks.

Peter Starkey was able to show me how he worked out fact pyramids this week – keep up the great effort!



## Move-a-thon

Our Move-a-thon will take place on Tuesday the 1st of May, from 11.30-1.00pm.

The move-a-thon is a fundraising activity so we encourage students to seek sponsors to raise money for new playground equipment.

Sponsorship forms were sent home yesterday with students. Students receive prizes depending on how much money they raise.

Extra sponsorship forms are available on the stand in the office foyer. **Sponsorship form and Money are due back to the office tomorrow Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April.**

### RED HOUSE WINS HOUSE CUP



### Respectful Roo Award winners



## STUDENT RESPECT AWARD WINNERS

Prep JC	Anna Riseley	Always being considerate of others and helping pack up
Prep DR	Mieka Johnson	Being respectful and friendly by encouraging your classmates with positive comments
Prep JF	Cailan Hirst	For welcoming our new student and always helping in the classroom
1/2 JH	Owen Hall	Encouraging others by saying "Well done" when his class mates show improvement in their learning
1/2 RJ	Yasmin Dickson	Being friendly and always including others and looking out for new classmates
1/2 PF	Noah Mizzi	For being friendly and always including others. You always put others before yourself.
3/4 LG	Jackson Hilditch	Showing consideration
3/4 MD	Jackson Bird	For encouraging others by saying 'Well done' when his classmates show improvement in their learning.
5/6 BD	Cooper Hanson	Being caring and respectful to everyone in our classroom.
5/6 JK	Blake Holloway	Respecting others rights to share and participate in class discussions
5/6 EA	Indiana Bechaz	Always being willing to include others in groups and games
5/6 KB	Hannah Green	Stepping out of her comfort zone and sharing her writing in class.
SCIENCE	Ainsley Lyons	Working well with others



**BREAKFAST CLUB & DONATIONS WE ARE IN NEED OF**

A reminder to families that breakfast club is available to all students on a Monday and Tuesday at 8am. We start packing up at approximately 8.25am to ensure students are ready to enter their rooms.

We are calling out for donations of **MARGARINE, CREAM CHEESE SPREAD, APPLE JUICE & SIZE LARGE LATEX FREE FOOD HANDLING GLOVES.**

These donations will assist us to keep this program running and providing a nutritious breakfast for your children.

**MOTHER/GRANDMOTHER & STUDENT NIGHT**

A reminder that the Mother/Grandmother and student night will be held on **Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> May from 5-7pm**. There will be a number of fun activities for everyone to participate in. A sausage sizzle will be provided at no cost. The book fair will be open in the library with the opportunity to purchase books while some great prizes from some of Moe's best stores will be raffled. We also have an amazing prize thanks to Mr McKittrick to be raffled, but that is top secret for now. For people who cannot attend the night, raffle tickets for all prizes will be sold at pick up time (from 2.45pm to 3.30pm) near the office on the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday leading up to the event.

An event has been created on Facebook. **Please confirm your attendance by accepting or declining the invite as soon as possible** as we need to know numbers to arrange catering. If you have accepted the invite and a grandparent is attending please comment on the page of the event any additional people attending.

**WELFARE SUPPORT**

NEPS are very committed to supporting their families who are experiencing difficulties in many different areas. If you are finding yourself in a struggle with things and you're concerned about how this may affect your child at school please feel free to speak to myself or Julie Bruce. We can offer you a relaxed place to sit and talk with no judgements. Between Julie and I we have many ideas on how we can support you. These could be referrals, programs or just a talk with some strategies to take home. Paul Fry ☺

**WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY – FRIDAY 18<sup>th</sup> MAY**

**To promote the health benefits of walking, being safe & understanding road safety & their surroundings and to help create regular walking habits at an early age!!**

We are encouraging all students to join in the fun by walking to school on Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> of May 2018. Parents are more than welcome to come along and be a part of this great event.

Staff will be waiting at the gates for our students to arrive, so we can cheer them on for having a go! It's all about creating a fun atmosphere for the kids to enjoy and encourage the children to keep walking and staying healthy! We look forward to seeing the kids arrive ☺

**TUNING INTO KIDS**

Paul will be running the Tuning Into Kids Program this term. The program will be held on Thursday nights from 7-9pm (hours can be negotiated with the group after week one). The program will commence on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May. If you are interested in attending this program please fill out the cut off slip on this newsletter and leave at the offic

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<b>TUNING INTO KIDS</b>
NAME of Parent/s .....
Name of child/ren..... .....
Number of Adults attending.....
Please RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE

**EXCITING ANNOUNCEMENT!!!!**

In 2017 NEPS introduced their Art Therapy Program, which the very talented Darcie White has brought to life. In 2018 we are very proud to announce that **LEGEND HOMES** who are becoming well known for their excellence in building houses, have agreed to sponsor the NEPS Art Therapy Program to assist in keeping the program continuing on into the future.



For every house built by Legend Homes in the Moe/Newborough area including a 15km radius Legend Homes will put **\$500** towards the Art Therapy Program.

This will be an ongoing arrangement as a way for Legend Homes to give to the NEPS community. **SO IF YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS WANTING TO BUILD, SHARE THE MESSAGE AROUND.** This is such an amazing opportunity for NEPS and we greatly appreciate the commitment Legend Homes have shown to students and families of the NEPS community.

### NEPS & LEGEND HOMES –



### A MATCH MADE IN HEAVEN




#### CANTEEN ROSTER

Parents please note the canteen is closed for over the counter sales and re-open again Term 4.

#### TERM 2

Friday	April 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>AM</b> Jude B <b>PM</b> Julie S
Thursday	May 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>AM</b> <b>PM</b> Julie S
Friday	May 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>AM</b> Julie S <b>PM</b> Jude B

Lunch Order days are Thursday and Fridays only, and no more than \$5.00 can be brought to school for over the counter sales (Note; this does not include lunch orders)




## Trafalgar High School

### Year 7 2019

## Information Evening

**7pm, Tuesday 8th, May**  
*Library Central - West Wing*



- View facilities and learning areas at the school.
- Discuss with teachers the work undertaken and the opportunities each learning area provide.
- Make an informed choice regarding secondary school in 2019.

*Further information or enquiries may be directed to Mr. Jack Brown or Ms. Lee Jinks, on 5633 1733*

Principal: Ms. Jane Mersey

## INFORMATION EVENING

**Tuesday 1 May 2018**

Parents of prospective students for 2019 are invited to an Information Evening commencing at 7.00pm in the Auditorium. Enrolment packages will be available on the night.


## SECONDARY AWARENESS DAY

**Wednesday 9 May 2018**

Grade 5 & 6 students from the local Primary Schools are invited to Secondary Awareness Day at Lowanna, where they will get to experience a day in the life of a student at the College.

Further information about this day will be distributed via your Primary School.

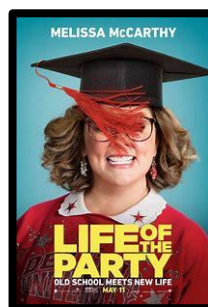
Parents are also invited to participate in tours of the College on the day commencing from the General Office at 10.00am & 2.00pm.



**LOWANNA COLLEGE**  
*Broader Horizons*

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### N.E.P.S Movie Night Fundraiser



## NEPS MOVIE NIGHT FRIDAY 11 MAY 2018

Tickets are available through the NEPS office during school hours. Please leave a mobile contact number when purchasing tickets so you can be texted the time. We expect it to be around 6.30pm but need the cinema to confirm closer to the date.

**CINEMA**

**Victoria Street Warragul**

**TIME: To be confirmed**

**WARRAGUL**

**TICKETS: \$25.00 per person**  
(includes combo deal)

Choose one of the following:  
Small drink & small popcorn; or  
Small drink & choc top ice-cream

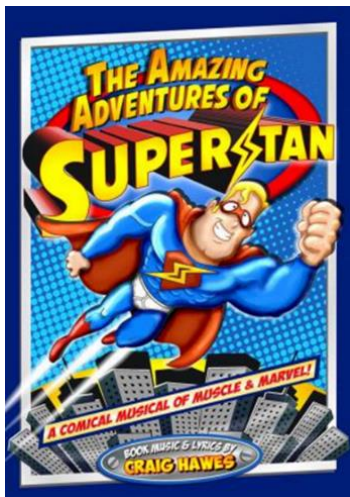
All money due and payable at NEPS office no later than **08/05/2018**

**Collect tickets upon payment (during school hours)**

**If you have any questions contact Kathy on 0412 941 868**

**\*\* Please stay and join us for supper after the movie \*\***

# THE AMAZING ADVENTURES OF SUPERSTAN



Auditions are being held today and tomorrow for those that have indicated that they would like to be a part of this year's musical. Students received a note with the time and day on it.

Students will be told on Tuesday what role they have been given in the musical, either Principal or Chorus.

Rehearsals will commence on **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> next week for Principals from 3.30-5.00pm** (the 5.00pm finish is only for this week) **in the gym.** The following week commencing Monday 14<sup>th</sup> will be **Everybody** and times will be 2.15 - 4.15pm in the gym.

Wednesday will be Principals only and from **3.30-5.30pm.**

Please mark these days in your calendar. More information in next week's newsletter. **THE MUSICAL IS COMING Thursday 30th August.**

## LEGO CLUB

Super proud of Lily, Seth and Tyler. With cooperation, good use of their language and communication skills and a lot of fun, these guys have completed their first project at Lego Club.



## ANZAC DAY eve here at NEPS



## ANZAC DAY

Students from NEPS also were at the ceremony representing their clubs and associations.

