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Newsletter

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER				
Mon	**Tues**	**Wed**	**Thurs**	**Fri**
Term 4 Begins 8th October **HATS HATS HATS** Prep DR Swimming note home	**9**	**10** **Grade 3/4 Camp**	**11** **Grade 3/4 Camp**	**12** **Grade 3/4 Camp**
15 School Council 5.00pm	**16**	**17** **Last day to pre order wrist bands**	**18 MOE CUP PUBLIC HOLIDAY**	**19**
SUNDAY 21st OCTOBER FETE DAY 10.00am-2.00pm				
22 Last day for Payment for Prep DR swimming	**23**	**24**	**25**	**26 Coles BBQ Moe 10.00-2.00pm**
29	**30**	**31**	**1st November**	**2**

Parent Opinion Survey

This year we had some excellent feedback from parents via our Parent Opinion Survey. 49 people responded to the survey, which was a huge increase from less than 20 in 2017. Your feedback showed that 98% of parents are satisfied with the education that their child receives here at NEPS, but we still need to continue to improve in having high expectations for success and how we manage bullying. Thank you to all the people who completed the online survey and also to those who provided us with written feedback on what we are doing well and how we can continue to improve. I would encourage everyone to complete the survey in 2019.

Maintenance work done during the holidays

You may have noticed the new paint in the foyer and entrance to NEPS. It looks great and we will continue to upgrade the painting in the school. Thanks to Mick Mallia for the work and the office staff for the guidance in colours.

We have also had all the drinking taps in the breezeway replaced so all students can get a drink when needed during the day

Moe and Melbourne Cup both student free

There has been a large amount of confusion about the Cup Days again this year and I have been confused like everyone else. Despite the local community voting in favor of the Melbourne Cup Day Public holiday, the La Trobe City Council have decided that the Moe Cup Day is the public holiday. To try to minimize confusion, NEPS School Council has decided that both Moe and Melbourne Cup Days will be student free, with Moe Cup being a public holiday and Melbourne Cup being Report Writing Day. Hopefully this will simplify a very confused situation!

Book Fair

A huge thank you to our wonderful community for supporting the recent Book Fair held on Father/Grandfather/ Special Person night. We sold over $1600 worth of books which earnt the school approximately $300 in commission which will be used to purchase books for the library and classrooms.
The winners of the vouchers were; Jarryd Clark, Taj Poxon, Kloe Sena and Archie Bergmann.

Just a reminder that School Council is next Monday 15.10.18 at 5pm in the staffroom

Enjoy the week
Matt

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Coles BBQ

Friday 26th October from 10am to 2pm we will be holding another NEPS fundraising BBQ at Coles in Moe. Profits on the day will go towards soccer nets for our soccer goals. So if you are down the street doing a bit of shopping, please call past say hello, and buy $2 a sausage to help support NEPS ☺

FETE UPDATE ONLY 11 SLEEPS TO GO !!!!!

Trash and Treasure donations

Any families who are or have been doing some spring cleaning and have items they would like to rehome please send them to the Artroom. Items need to be clean, in good working condition and have all of the parts.
We will not accept any old encyclopaedias, electronic or large furniture items.

If you have any questions or large items please see Ms Mewett in the Artroom to make sure they are suitable. Thank you.

Cake Stall

If you like to bake and have yet to volunteer to make something for the cake stall please see Ms Mewett in the Artroom asap. Cake stall donations need to be dropped off on Saturday the 20th October between 3-5pm. Food quality trays and stickers need to be on each donation and are available from Ms Mewett.

Ride Wrist bands

Pre purchase ride tickets ($25) are on sale until **WEDNESDAY THE 17th October…**a great way to save $5 per wristband! Spare order forms are available from the stand in the office foyer. Wristbands will be $30 on fete day.

Individual ride tickets are $6.Remember you can pre order for family and friends at the discounted price.

Craft Stall Donations

If there are any craft parent/ grandparents/ friends of NEPS who have any items that they would be willing to donate to the craft stall at out fete we would be most appreciative. They might be: wood or metal work items, sewn pieces, artwork, crochet or knitted items or cards etc.\ Please drop items off to Ms Mewett in the Just a reminder that all items need to be clean and in good condition.If you are not sure what is worth donating please come in and have a chat. We will not accept any old encyclopaedias. Artroom.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Parents please note that the canteen for over the counter sales and reopen again Term 4.
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)
Students are also advised they cannot buy for friends.

Friday 12th October	**AM** Julie Shields **PM** Jude Bergmann
Monday 15th Oct	Kate McDonald
Tuesday 16th Oct	Jen Hutton
Wednesday 17th Oct	Michelle Milovanovic
Thursday 18th Oct	MOE CUP HOLIDAY
Friday 19th Oct	**AM** Julie Shields **PM** Jude Bergmann

N.E.P.S Fete – 21st October 2018

Ride Wrist Band Pre-Order Form

Order your wristbands NOW and save!
All pre-orders need to be returned by Wednesday the 17th October.
Wristbands ordered after this date will be $30.00.

Student Name:	Room Number:	
Parent/Carer Name:		
Contact Number:		
Pre-Ordered Wristbands $25 per person - endless rides!	***Quantity***	***Total***
Wristbands Include: *Music Trip (1.3m minimum height)* Cha Cha *(1.1m minimum height to ride with an adult or 1.2m to ride solo)* Army Combat Challenge *(All ages)* Minions Jumper *(All ages)* Animal Farm *(Fun for all ages)* Pony Rides* *(Fun for all ages)*		
Total		$

Wristbands will be $30 per person on fete day.
Individual Ride and Animal Farm Tickets will be $6.00 each
No refunds, regardless of weather. Rides may be substituted if required.
*** Pony Rides may have weather and rider restrictions.**
Please return order form with the correct money, students name and parent contact details filled in, to the office in an envelope clearly marked "Fete Ride Pre-Order".
Pre-Ordered wristbands will be available for collection on the Fete day.

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Fete Day Volunteers Needed

Newborough East Primary School will be holding a fete on Sunday the 21st of October from 10am -2pm. Funds raised will be used to purchase new junior playground equipment. In order for our fete to be successful we require as many volunteers as possible to assist with the running of stalls throughout the day. Classes all have their own stall to run. We also need people to help with setting up and cleaning up afterwards. If you are able to provide us with a couple of hours assistance we would be most grateful. We will roster people on in 1-2 hour blocks so you can still enjoy fete day. For Health and Safety reasons small children can not accompany you while you are rostered on a stall. Please fill in the form below and return it to the office by Wednesday the 19th of September. We will have a helpers meeting on Wednesday the 12th of October at 2.45pm in the staffroom.

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Helper's Name:_____

Phone No:_____

Child's Name:

_____

Room:_____

I am able to assist:

- ☐ 10am - 12noon
- ☐ 12 noon - 2pm
- ☐ 8am - 10am (setting up)
- ☐ 2pm - 4pm (cleaning up)

The canteen will be operating on this day. Please tick if you are a regular N.E.P.S canteen helper.

Thank you N.E.P.S Fundraising Committee

Cake Stall Donations

Please complete the form below and return it to school by Wednesday the 19th of September. Any questions please contact Kathy Mewett on 0351261399 or pop into the Artroom (Monday-Thursday) during school hours.

Food regulation compliant labels and trays for slices/cakes etc will be sent home with your child(ren) on Tuesday the 9th of October. We usually have 6-8 items per tray. Due to Health regulations we cannot sell any items filled/topped with fresh cream. All donations will need to be clearly labelled with ingredients, storage, use by and numbered (each person donating items will be allocated a number which will need to be written on labels).
Drop off goods to the Staffroom at Newborough East Primary School between 3pm and 5pm on Saturday the 20th October.

Newborough East Primary School Fete, Sunday 21st October 2018

Name:_____

Phone No._____

Child's Name:_____ Room:___

I am able to contribute the following (please tick)
Cakes, slices, biscuits - details

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_____
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Preserves (jam, sauce etc) - details

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_____

Produce (fruit, veg. etc) - details

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Thank you
N.E.P.S Fundraising Committee

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