



NEWSLETTER 18th August 2023 Issue 20

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

"I'd like to acknowledge the traditional owners of the land upon which we meet today, the Gunai Kurnai land and pay my respects to elders past, present and emerging as well as any Aboriginal people here with us today"

Dates to Remember

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
14 Aug	15 Aug 1/2 RM swimming	16 Aug 1/2 RM swimming Lowanna Transition Day Grade 6 ONLY Students normal drop off & pickup from NEPS	17 Aug 1/2 RM swimming	18 Aug 1/2 RM swimming 5/6 Basketball NAIDOC Assembly 2.30pm All community welcome Canteen closed Today only
21 Aug Last day for Krispy Kreme Orders	22 Aug 1/2 DE Swimming Last day for Footy Day Orders	23 Aug 1/2 DE Swimming Free Books at the rotunda until Friday	24 Aug 1/2 DE Swimming Free Books at the rotunda until Friday	25 Aug 1/2 DE Swimming Free books BOOK WEEK Dress up & Parade
28 Aug 1/2 RB swimming note home	29 Aug 1/2 DE Swimming	30 Aug 1/2 DE Swimming	31 Aug 1/2 DE Swimming Footy Day	1 Sep 1/2 DE Swimming
4 Sept Dental forms last day	5 Sept 1/2 RB Swimming Krispy Kreme Delivery 3.15pm	6 Sep 1/2 RB Swimming	7 Sep 1/2 RB Swimming	8 Sep 1/2 RB Swimming PJ Day Gold coin donation
11	12 1/2 RB Swimming	13 Prep Melbourne Zoo Excursion	14 1/2 RB Swimming R U OK DAY Wear Yellow	15 End Term 3 1.15pm Dismissal No buses Out of uniform
Term 3 Holidays Friday 15 th September – Sunday 1 st October. Term 4 begins Monday 2 nd October. HATS are required for Term 4				
October 2 Term 4 begins HATS HATS HATS !	3 Prep PF swimming	4 Prep PF swimming	5 Prep PF swimming	6 Prep PF swimming

A word from the school:

This week has been a busy week with our Grade 6 heading off to Lowanna to attend transition day. The students were exposed to life at a big school following a year 7 programme for the day. Subjects covered were woodwork food technology science etc. The students were treated to a lunchtime music performance from Lowanna students. We can proudly say our grade 6 students represented the school as fantastic ambassadors. Well done grade 6 cohort.

Book week next week is an exciting time for our school. We are fortunate to have Robert from the Moe Lions club setting up a **free I repeat FREE book stall** at our rotunda Wed-Friday. All students can grab a book or 2 or 3 and go in the draw to win a Fabulous prize as well. The week will conclude with a dress up parade on **Friday at 9.00 am** in the undercover area weather permitting, or in the gym. All parents carers etc are welcome to see the fantastic costumes and smiling faces.

Could all parents carers etc please remind their students to please use the school crossings. A few students have been cutting through ovals paddocks etc rather than the school crossings and then crossing roads not at patrolled intersections.

Finally a big thank you to Russell Broadbent for replacing our Aboriginal flag. We greatly appreciate this donation to the school.

Have a great week families and carers its week 6 already and only 4 more weeks to go !!!!

Thanks NEPS Team

Students of the week

Positive Behaviours Recognition



Volunteers

If you (or someone you know) would like to volunteer at NEPS please contact your child's teacher or me via Julie.skee@education.vic.gov.au. ALL volunteers will need a current working with children's check.

2023 Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey:

WE WANT OUR PARENTS / CAREGIVERS / GUARDIANS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!

The Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey will be open from **Monday 7 August to Friday 8 September 2023**. Parent / Caregiver / Guardian's who have been randomly selected will be sent out a survey link.

The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **20 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the survey period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones. The online survey will be available in English and 10 other languages including Arabic, Greek, Hakha Chin, Hindi, Japanese, Punjabi, Simplified Chinese, Somali, Turkish, and Vietnamese.

Please contact the school office if you would like more information.

Green n Gold

This week saw our mighty Matildas get through to the semifinals and our students were encouraged to wear green & gold on Wednesday. This day was supported fantastically given the very short notice. Well done students staff & the Matildas.





Krispy Kreme Fundraiser

NEPS is once again having a Krispy Kreme fundraiser. Order forms were sent home with the youngest in the family.

There are 4 options available to choose from:

- Original Glazed Dozen \$24
- Fundraiser Assorted Dozen \$32.
- Chocolate Delight Dozen \$32
- Strawberry Delight Dozen \$32

Money and forms are due back no later than **Monday 21st August.**

Sorry no late orders can be accepted. Spare forms will be available from the stand in the office foyer.

Delivery will be **Tuesday 5th September in the library at 3.15pm.**

			
\$24.00	\$32.00	\$32.00	\$32.00
Fundraising Original Glazed Dozen	Fundraising Assorted Dozen	Chocolate Delight Dozen	Strawberry Delight Dozen

School Dental Initiative




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FILL IN FORM


The dental health van is visiting our school to actively find and prevent dental decay early! Please fill and return this form to school.
- 2

THE VISIT

Students can receive a full check-up, preventative and general dental care at school. If your child needs further treatment, you will be called for consent.
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NO OUT OF POCKET COSTS

The ADH Dental Initiative is funded by Australian Dental Health and the Child Dental Benefits Schedule. If your child is not Medicare eligible, ADHV will provide a **FREE** Dental Health Screening and tooth strengthening fluoride remineralisation.



Health - Education - Community

School Dental Initiative

I am excited to let you know we have the dental van returning to NEPS on the week of **16th of October 2023.**

Every student has received a form. Please fill in & return to your student's class teacher. This opportunity is available to every student. Spare forms available at the office. Forms due back 4th September



Upcoming dates

Friday 25th August: Book Week Dress up & Parade

Thursday 31st August: Footy Day Special Lunch (last day for orders 22.8.23)
& come dressed in team colours

Tuesday 5th September: Krispy Kreme pick up from Library at 3:15pm
(last day for orders 21.8.23)

Friday 8th September: PJ Day (gold coin donation)

Wednesday 13th September: Prep Excursion - Melbourne Zoo (please see
compass event)

Thursday 14th September: R U OK Day - Wear Yellow Day

**Friday 15th September: End of Term 3, 1:15pm Dismissal, No Buses & out of
uniform**



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This weeks winners are **RED** house

Congratulations to all students in **Red** house
Well done !!!!

N.E.P.S. CANTTEEN MENU



Term 3 2023

LUNCH ORDER DAYS THURSDAY & FRIDAY

HOT FOOD

CHICKEN SCHNITZEL BURGER	☺	\$6.50
CHICKEN STRIP BURGERS	☺	\$6.50
Note: All burgers served on a multi-grain roll with lettuce, tomato, cheese & mayo.		
CHICKEN NUGGETS	☺	\$1.00
LASAGNE	☺	\$4.50
MAC & CHEESE	☺ (V)	\$4.50
SPAGHETTI	☺	\$4.50
WARM CHICKEN ROLL	☺	\$4.00
(with gravy or mayo or cheese)		
HOT DOG	☺	\$3.00
Little Boys No buns	each	\$1.00
MINI HOT DOG	☺	\$2.00
FANTASTIC NOODLES	☺	\$2.50
(Chicken only)		
4 & 20 PIES	☺	\$5.00
4 & 20 SAUSAGE ROLL	☺	\$4.00
PIZZAS		
Ham and Pineapple	☺	\$3.80
Cheese and Bacon	☺	\$3.80
VEGETARIAN MENU		
Hot Dog	☺	\$3.50
Shrek Head (Salad roll)	☺	\$5.50
SAUCES/ DRESSINGS		
Tomato Sauce, 40 cents each		

ROLLS

MA NOOK chicken & salad(regular)	☺	\$6.50
Note: Rolls are multi-grain with lettuce, tomato, avocado, cheese, grated carrot & chicken.		
CHICKEN SUB, chicken, lettuce, mayo	☺	\$4.00

WRAPS

Mini Chicken Wrap *Lettuce & Mayo	☺	\$3.00
Mini Chicken Salad Wrap	☺	\$3.50
*Lettuce, tomato, cheese & mayo		
NEW ! Chicken & salad bowl	☺	\$6.00
TERM 1 & 4 Only		

TOASTED SANDWICHES

Cheese	☺	\$1.50
Ham and Cheese	☺	\$2.00
GLUTEN FREE Menu		
Cheese Toasty	GF	\$2.00
Cheese & Ham Toasty	GF	\$2.50
Nuggets	GF	\$1.50
Manook Sandwich	GF	\$6.50
Spaghetti	GF	\$5.00

DRINKS

CHOCOLATE MILK	☺	\$2.00
STRAWBERRY MILK	☺	\$2.00
FRUIT JUICE BOX	☺	\$1.50
<i>Orange or Apple</i>		

Minke Ice Drinks

Small size only	☺	\$2.50
Assorted flavours available		

ICECREAMS

Frozen Yoghurt – assorted flavours	\$2.50
Mini Calippo – Raspberry	\$1.50
Icy Poles - Lemonade	\$1.50
Frozen Fruit Skewers	\$1.00
Purchase only from Canteen over the counter. CAN be ordered in lunch orders.	

SNACKS

BUTTER POP CORN	☺	0.50c
HOT MILK in Winter		\$1.50
ONLY Terms 2 & 3		

NEPS Canteen Healthy Eating Guide

Green ☺ = Always
Amber ☺ = Sometimes
Vegetarian V
Gluten Free GF

Remember to put your

Name
Room number on your order

Parents Please Note: If your child writes out their own lunch order, please check they have added up the cost of their order correctly and they have written their name and room number on the order.
Students: Lunch orders are to be placed in the blue box in the classroom by 8.45am. Failure to do so may result in you only receiving a sandwich.