



**NEWSLETTER February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2022 Volume 1 Issue 1**  
**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
<b>Jan 31</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Feb</b>	<b>2</b> Preps Not required	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>7</b> Swimming Trials Grades 3-6 11.00-1.00pm	<b>8</b> <b>Meet the teacher BBQ</b> <b>3.30-5.30pm</b>	<b>9</b> <b>LIFE ED</b> Preps Not required	<b>10</b> <b>Swimming Sports Moe outdoor Pool</b> All students Canteen closed due to swimming sports	<b>11</b> <b>Canteen Open</b> Lunch Orders Commence
<b>14</b> <b>LIFE ED</b>	<b>15</b> <b>LIFE ED</b>	<b>16</b> <b>LIFE ED</b> Preps Not required	<b>17</b> <b>Lunch order Day</b>	<b>18</b> <b>Lunch Order Day</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Preps Not required	<b>24</b> <b>Lunch order Day</b>	<b>25</b> <b>Lunch order Day</b>
<b>28</b> <b>Preps full time</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> March</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> <b>Lunch order Day</b>	<b>4</b> <b>Lunch order Day</b>

**“NEPS Community BBQ” on Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of February from 3.30 to 5.30.** This BBQ will be solely an outdoor event, which will begin in the undercover assembly area with an introduction to our 2022 staff, followed by a BBQ and an opportunity to meet with your child’s teacher(s). We ask that each family brings their own chairs and/or picnic blanket and a gold coin donation (if they are in a position to do so). Of course, to make this event as COVID safe as possible we ask that all those attending wear their masks when they cannot physical distance or when they are eating (unless an exemption is held) and sanitise upon arrival. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible. Please keep an eye out for more information regarding this on COMPASS and our school Facebook page. Unfortunately, this event is dependent on the weather. If the weather is not suitable on the afternoon we will have to cancel and will not be able to reschedule to another day.

**Swimming Sports**



Next Monday **7<sup>th</sup> February** we will have our swimming trials for our **grade 3-6** at the Moe outdoor pool from departing school at 11.00am to 1.00pm.

**THURSDAY 10<sup>th</sup> February** the whole school will go over to the Moe outdoor pool for our swimming sports. Leaving and returning from school by bus. Prep-2’s will be leaving at 10.15pm on the day and returning at lunchtime. Parents will receive: **BLUE swimming permission and medical forms which you to your child’s/children’s classroom teacher by Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February.** Permission notes have been sent home today. *Whilst spectators are welcome, please ensure that you adhere to all pool guidelines and requests*

**Welcome back!**

I am so excited to welcome everyone back to a brand new 2022 school year. I would like to extend a warm welcome to our new prep students, students transferring in from other schools, new families as well as our new staff members. We currently have 339 students enrolled. In coming newsletters I will be introducing you to our new staff members, as well as sharing with you some exciting new things that are happening both in our classrooms as well as around our school. The first exciting activity that we have scheduled for term 1 is a

## BOOK CLUB ONLINE.

Dear Families,

The first issue for Scholastic BOOK CLUB has been sent out this week, we have moved to ordering directly online.

(NO orders will be accepted at the office), once orders are placed online, the books are delivered to your child's classroom.

Ordering can be made via the website:

<https://www.scholastic.com.au/book-club/book-club-home/>

Please see the link below for the parent guide to ordering.

 Book Club

## How to order on **Book Club**



1. Your child will bring home a Book Club catalogue from school

2. Discuss with, and help your child pick the books they would like to read

3. Order online via the Scholastic Australia LOOP website or app and the school will take care of the rest! (LOOP orders are electronically linked to your school in an easy, secure online process)

4. The books are delivered to your child's classroom.



**LOOP** is the easy way for families to order and pay for Book Club.

Log in, or create a new account at [scholastic.com.au/loop](https://www.scholastic.com.au/loop)

1. If you are new to Book Club, follow the Wizard to set up your profile
2. Click the ORDER tab, and select your school and child's class
3. Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
4. Enter the product item number shown on the Book Club catalogue
5. Make payment via credit card.

 SCHOLASTIC

## CANTEEN

The Canteen will be open next **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February for the first day** lunch orders.

**Parents please note:**

Lunch Order days are **Thursday and Fridays only**, and no more than \$5.00 can be brought to school.

Students are also advised they cannot buy for friends.

## CAR PARKING DROP OFF POINTS

Student safety is our number one priority at school, please ensure that you

- Obey the 40km speed limit around the school.
- Be wary of students running out onto the roads as young children can be unpredictable.
- Follow the instructions given by our lollipop people at the school crossings and traffic lights.
- As parents be good role models for crossing roads safely.
- Don't leave children unattended in the cars.

**Preferred Parking:**

- Parallel parking on Old Sale Rd (school side)
- Leisure Centre car park.

**Drop Off :**

- Old Sale Rd opposite school.
- One spot on school side near bus stop.

Please note – if parking in Southwell Avenue, strict parking policies apply. Bylaws officers regularly check that correct parking is adhered to.

If there is a yellow line painted on the kerb, this means no standing or dropping off.

**NO PARKING in Staff Car Park.** With our growing staff numbers (which allows us to support and offer the variety of programs to our students), it is important that ALL staff are able to park on site. It is also important for student safety reasons that **this IS NOT** a drop off area for students. If you require to use the disabled parking spot you will require a disabled sticker, or in special circumstances where you need to park close to the school buildings please notify the office so that special authorization can be arranged.

## NEWSLETTER

Each Thursday our school newsletter is produced and is available on the school website. [www.neps.vic.education.au](http://www.neps.vic.education.au) and via our facebook page and Compass.

All prep grades receive a hard copy of the newsletter weekly.

A limited number of hard copies are available on the stand at the office.

## Blue NOTICES

All notes that need to be returned to the classroom teacher regarding swimming, parent help, permission forms etc **will be BLUE**, so please make sure that you read these notes and return them as soon as possible.

## MEDICAL

### Asthma and Anaphylaxis Action Plan Reminder for 2022

If your child has a medical condition (i.e. asthma, anaphylaxis/allergy, epilepsy) you are required to provide the school with an in-date action plan signed by a medical practitioner. Could you please ensure that you have your child's action plan updated and return a copy, signed by a doctor, to the NEPS Office as soon as possible, these are required at the start of each year or when things change along with any medication and any other device aid i.e. auto-injector device, spacer device. Thank you for your assistance in providing us with the information that we need to support your child whilst they are in our care.



### NYUSC JUNIOR SOCCER

#### 2022 JUNIOR REGISTRATION DAY

**Who:** Mini Roos – U 17 Boys and Girls  
**When:** FRIDAY 11<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2022 – 4.30 – 5.30pm  
**Where:** Burrage Reserve, John Field Drive, Newborough  
**Cost:** Mini Roos \$100(U5 – U11) & Juniors \$120 (U13 – U17)  
**Registration:** In person on 11<sup>th</sup> February 2022  
OR  
Online at: [www.jotform.com/inbox/220307776094862](http://www.jotform.com/inbox/220307776094862)

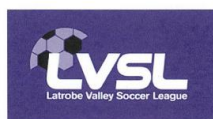


Cash or Card: EFTPOS facilities available

Club apparel will be available to purchase on the day – shorts, socks, hoodies

**\*\*Please note: 2022 Season commences 26<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

**Contact:** Junior Coordinators  
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### What's been happening at TheirCare

Wow! 2022 is here already! We are so excited to be here at Newborough East and can't wait to get to know this beautiful community.

Firstly, I would like to take the time to introduce myself as the new Coordinator here at Newborough East TheirCare.

My name is Jade, I have been in the OSHC industry for just over a year now, but have been working with children for over 4 years. I love arts & crafts, science and board games and can't wait to implement these into the program.

At Theircare, we promote a range of activities from crafts and science to outdoor and cooking activities. Community involvement is also a key factor in our program, we love children and family input on activities as well as feedback in relation to improvement in our service.

As you can see we have already had an incredible start to 2022! The children have loved their first sessions and have especially taken an interest in dodgeball.

Please do not hesitate to drop by the service so we can get to know you all!



Theircare is located in the gym near the playgrounds, we apologise for any confusion.

Theircare encourages the use of masks when collecting your children.

For any information or questions our contact information is:

Email:

[newborougheast@theircare.com.au](mailto:newborougheast@theircare.com.au)

Phone number: 0408 855 889





# N.E.P.S. CANTEN MENU

## Term 1 2022

### HOT FOOD

CHICKEN SCHNITZEL BURGER ☺	\$6.00
CHICKEN STRIP BURGERS ☺	\$6.00
-Sweet Chili	\$6.00
-Plain	
Note: All burgers served on a multi-grain roll with lettuce, tomato, cheese & mayo.	
CHICKEN NUGGET ☺	0.80c
LASAGNE ☺	\$4.50
MAC & CHEESE ☺ (V)	\$4.50
SPAGHETTI ☺	\$4.50
SPINACH & RICOTTA ☺ (V)	\$4.50
CANNELLONI	\$4.00
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)	
MRS MAC PIES ☺	\$4.00
MRS MAC SAUSAGE ROLL ☺	\$3.00
<b>PIZZAS</b>	
Ham and Pineapple ☺	\$3.00
Cheese and Bacon ☺	\$3.00
<b>VEGETARIAN MENU</b>	
Hot Dog ☺	\$3.00
Shrek Head (Salad roll) ☺	\$5.00
<b>SAUCES/ DRESSINGS</b>	
Tomato Sauce, BBQ sauce, all 30 cents each	

### LUNCH ORDER DAYS

#### THURSDAY & FRIDAY

<b>ROLLS</b>	
MA NOOK chicken & salad(regular) ☺	\$6.00
Note: Rolls are multi-grain with lettuce, tomato, avocado, cheese, grated carrot & chicken.	
CHICKEN SUB, chicken, lettuce, mayo ☺	\$4.00
<b>WRAPS</b>	
Mini Chicken Wrap *Lettuce & Mayo ☺	\$3.00
Mini Chicken Salad Wrap ☺	\$3.50
*Lettuce, tomato, cheese & mayo	
<b>NEW!</b> Chicken & salad bowl ☺	\$5.50
<b>TOASTED SANDWICHES</b>	
Cheese ☺	\$1.50
Ham and Cheese ☺	\$2.00
<b>GLUTEN FREE Menu</b>	
Cheese Toasty GF	\$1.50
Cheese & Ham Toasty GF	\$2.00
Nuggets GF	\$0.80
Manook Sandwich GF	\$4.80

**Canteen open for over the counter sales on only in TERMS 1 & 4 on Mon, Tues & Wed.**

### DRINKS

CHOCOLATE MILK ☺	\$1.70
STRAWBERRY MILK ☺	\$1.70
BOTTLE WATER Plain ☺	\$1.00
100% FRUIT JUICE BOX ☺	\$1.40
Orange or Apple	

### Minke Ice Drinks

Small size only ☺	\$2.50
Assorted flavours available	

### ICECREAMS

Frozen Yoghurt – assorted flavours	
Mini Calippo – Raspberry ☺	\$1.50
Icy Poles – Lemonade ☺	\$1.50
Frozen Fruit Skewers ☺	\$1.00

Purchase only from Canteen over the counter. Cannot be ordered in lunch orders.

### SNACKS

BUTTER POP CORN ☺	0.50c
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**NEPS Canteen Healthy Eating Guide**  
 Green ☺ = Always  
 Amber ☺ = Sometimes  
 Vegetarian V  
 Gluten Free GF

**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.