

NEWSLETTER November 10th 2022 Volume 1 Issue 36

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
7	8	9	10	11 Remembrance Day
14 NEPS has Talent Lunchtime performances begin parents and families welcome	15	16	17	18
21	22 Kinder Prep Transition 9-10.30am	23	24	25 NEPS has Talent Grand Final
28	29 Kinder Prep Transition Parent Information Session 9-10.30am	30	December 1 Donut Day. Out of uniform day Donate towards Xmas raffle	2
5	6 NEPS Community BBQ & Scavenger hunt	7	8 NEPS P-6 Disco during school hours	9 Last day for canteen Xmas Raffle books due back
12 3/4 Apex Park walk 5/6 Battle of the classroom competition	13 State-wide Transition Kinder Prep Transition 9-10.30am Grade 1/2 Class parties Grade 3/4 Scavenger Hunt	14 Grade 3/4 Class Parties Xmas Raffle Drawn	15 Canteen closed Grade 6 Graduation Grade 3/4 Movie	16 Canteen closed Final Assembly For 2022 Farewell to our Grade 6 students
Planning Day NO STUDENTS	End Term 4 1.15pm No buses			

A word from Mrs Skee...

At NEPS we are extremely fortunate enough to have a student population made up of such amazing young individuals. It brings me such great joy when I see them being recognised at whole school assemblies as well as awarding the illustrious STAR of the week POP's fish and chip vouchers. Having said this, there are times when I need to reiterate the school rules and remind students of expected behaviours. In the past few weeks, I have spoken to all of our middle and upper school students regarding these expectations. I am pleased to see so many students calling out behaviour that goes against our school rules. I am also always extremely impressed with the overwhelming support we get from our families who support us to enforce these important whole school rules and work with us to ensure the safe and inclusive operation of the school.



Remembrance Day

This Friday the 11th of November, I will be attending the Remembrance Day service at the Newborough/Yallourn cenotaph with our school captains and vice school captains. Parent/carers of NEPS are more than welcome to meet us there if they have the availability. I hope to have some photos to share of this in next week's newsletter.

Poppies for Remembrance Day



Students we have poppies for sale at the office. They can be purchased at the start of the day.

Poppies are \$2 each, we have a small number of wristbands which are \$3. Please make sure that you have the correct money as we can't give change. Thankyou

We have so many exciting end of year events and activities that are coming up.

These include:

- Out of uniform day (bring something for the Christmas raffle) on Thursday the 1st of December.
- **FREE NEPS** community BBQ and scavenger hunt on Wednesday the 6th of December.
- P-6 Disco (held during school hours) on Thursday the 8th of December.
- Grade 1/2 excursion to Botanical gardens on Friday the 9th of December.
- Grade 5/6 battle of the classrooms competition on Monday the 12th of December.
- 3/4 Walk and picnic (Apex Park) on Monday the 12th of December.
- Grade 1/2 class parties on Tuesday the 13th of December.
- Grade 3/4 Scavenger hunt on Tuesday the 13th of December.
- Grade 3/4 class parties on Wednesday the 14th of December.
- Grade 6 graduation on Thursday the 15th of December.
- Grade 3/4 movie day on Thursday the 15th of December.
- Our final assembly for 2022 Friday 16th December (which includes the final role call for our grade 6 2022 students and a special farewell to our much-loved senior students).

Please continue to keep an eye out on Compass for more specific details as well as on our other communication portals (newsletter and the school Facebook page).

NEPS Auction

Every Thursday during term 4, there is a new great item up for auction so checkout our Facebook page. We would love to thank all of our donors, including Style Lush, Nextra Moe, twenty20 Tapas, Maddy's Takeaway Moe, Merchant Family Butchers, Home Taste Chinese Restaurant, Bottlemart Moe, Australia Post Newborough, Supercheap Auto Moe, Star Easy Moe, TM&H Mitre 10 Moe, Repco Moe and Evolution By Ebony. Please help us to show our appreciation to these amazing businesses by giving them your business! Without them we wouldn't have an auction.

So keep your eyes peeled on our Facebook page every Thursday for your chance to support our school and nab yourself something nice. There will be prizes and incentives for participation, so happy bidding!



SPECIAL DONUT DAY

The canteen will be holding a "Special Donut Day" on **Thursday 1st December** pre ordering is a must.

Forms went home today one per student.

Last Day for orders is Tuesday 22nd November. Spare forms are available from the office and on Compass.

CANTEEN

Parents and families just a reminder that students are able to bring money to school to purchase drinks ice creams etc... from the canteen on Thursdays and Fridays at lunchtime. Students are reminded that they can bring **no more than \$5** to spend and they are not to buy for friends or other people.

The Canteen will be open for icy pole sales from next Monday 14th daily for over the counter sales of icy poles when the temperature is over 25 degrees.



OUT OF UNIFORM DAY donate towards Christmas raffle is coming.

Thursday 1st December we will be holding an Out of Uniform Day. Students need to bring something to donate towards the Christmas raffle and if they do they can come to school with out of school uniform.

There will be plenty of prizes to win.

Books were sent home on Thursday 3rd November with the youngest in the family. Book of 10 tickets \$10.00 and spare books are available from the office.

Bring along something to donate towards the raffle, remember it can be grocery items, Christmas items etc, please remember items must be **NEW and in original packaging** please.

NO out of Date food items.

Please check the labels, no use by dates **before 31st December 2022.**

Tickets to be returned by Friday 9th December, raffle drawn on Wednesday 14th December.

Yellow House wins House Cup



STARS of the WEEK



LOST UNIFORM

Parents we have a large number of school uniform at lost property, please ensure that you make sure that **ALL school clothing has your child's name clearly on it so a quick return can be made.** If you have lost something recently, can you please check lost property in the main building.

Thankyou.

STUDENTS of the WEEK

