



*A Rich Past,  
Present & Future*

# NEWSLETTER

Friday 30th August, 2019  
Term 3: Week 7



## DIARY DATES

### **Monday 2nd September**

4/5 Market Day

### **Wednesday 4th September**

Life Ed parent session 9am

### **Wed & Thurs. 4/5th Sept.**

Life Education Van visit

### **Friday 6th September**

District Athletics

Final Storytime

### **Thursday 12th September**

Division Athletics—Willinda park

### **Friday 13th September**

Panton Hill's Got Talent

### **Tuesday 17th September**

TheirCare OSHC meeting 6pm

### **Wednesday 18th September**

Kaboom Sports

### **Friday 20th September**

Footy Dress-up Day

Last day Term 3 — **2:30pm**  
dismissal



## **Principal's Report**

### **CAR PARK PROTOCOL**

There is some cause for concern at the moment about the driver behaviour seen in our carpark and surrounding roads recently.

We ask everyone to please observe the 40km speed limit around the beginning and end of the school day. Please also enter our carpark slowly and observe our walking pace speed limit.

Cars are to be backed in to parking spaces to mitigate the risk of an accident when leaving and we ask that the area in front of and between our statues is kept clear at all times.

As a result of these concerns, I have contacted our local mayor Karen Egan to discuss the possibility of installing flashing 40km signs to act as a greater visual reminder for motorists.

### **LIFE ED VAN**

Our annual visitors, Harold the Giraffe and Shy (who is a person, not a giraffe) will be rolling in next week in the Life Ed Van to talk to all of our students about various aspects of health from the human body to cybersafety.

I have had a few conversations recently with parents who would like a greater understanding of what is covered in these sessions.

There is a parent session scheduled for

**Wednesday the 4th September** to answer any questions parents may have. This session will be held in the van at **9:00am.**

### **GRADE 4/5 MARKET STALL**

Next Monday, the Grade 4/5's will be holding a market day stall. All items will be priced between 50cents and \$2:00. All money raised will be put towards resources for the classroom.

### **ATHLETICS CARNIVAL**

We will be sending a team of Grade 4-6 PHPS athletes along to the Athletics Carnival at Willinda Park next Friday. Of course, parents are more than welcome to come along and cheer on our team on the day.

### **FATHER'S DAY**

We wish all of our PHPS Dads a very happy Father's Day on Sunday. We hope that you enjoy your presents and get spoilt! Our fundraising team had initially organised to hold a stall at the St Andrews Market to sell off left over stock. Unfortunately this has been cancelled. Thankyou to the parents who had volunteered to help.



*We hope all our wonderful dads  
have a lovely day on Sunday.*

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## PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

It has been perfect weather to curl up with a good book and read, read, read. Well done to the vast majority of our students who have done just that and completed the Premier's Reading Challenge and many who have read well over the term. The challenge finishes on Friday the 6th of September so don't forget to add the books you've read to the prc site.

## TIGER PAW CLINIC WITH THE GRADE 5/6'S

On Wednesday the 28<sup>th</sup>, the grade 5/6s went on an excursion to our second clinic with Tiger Paw in Eltham. Steve Morris was our first presenter who taught us about bouncing back by using the five keys to happiness; kindness, gratitude, exercise, mindfulness and positivity. Steve Morris is currently the VFL captain for Richmond and a past AFL player so he had many interesting stories to tell us about his career and how he needed to bounce back and have resilience. We also learnt about cultural diversity, inclusiveness and how to create respectful relationships from the other presenters Tahlia and Jordan. Thankyou to Mr Hurst for organising the clinic for us where we have learnt many important skills about physical activity, nutrition, resilience and respectful relationships

By Tayla Lemire and Charlie Tomming



## Value Award Winners



## Congratulations to:

**Isaac Baldwin, Jaxon McLaughlin,  
Van Hayes and Charlie Tomming**

Yesterday I went to the best place I've been before! And that place was calm. My imagination came true for once. Just to myself. Nobody but me is in that place. On one cloud, there's a peaceful place where you can calm down. Nothing can stop you, only....yourself. Your attitude, you make the choices, nothing can stop me.

Written by Bella Ferguson-McLellan.

## TOPICS OF DISCUSSION AT SCHOOL COUNCIL

26/8/19

- Arborist safety report and consequences re the gums near the music room.
- Boys toilets – Urinal upgrade.
- The speed at which some parents enter and leave the carpark is a safety concern.
- OSHC is now under 'TheirCare'. Their service is now running all of OSHC. An information session will be organised to inform parents of the new running system.
- Lunch orders are now with Smiths Gully General Store. This decision was an agreed arrangement by Panton Hill Store.
- For the review, 'Highlights' of our school were discussed.

## SCHOOL COUNCIL 2019

POSITION	NOMINATION
President	Jason Ditcham
Vice President	Carolyn Spratling
Secretary	Anne Howard
Treasurer	Cathryn Baldwin

SUB COMMITTEE	MEMBERS	MEETING TIMES
Buildings and Grounds	Kylie Richards, Carolyn Spratling, Colin Smith, Tanya White	Friday 8.30am prior to School Council
Finance and Fundraising & Uniform Shop	Kylie Richards, Jason Ditcham, Alison Tovey, Margaret Bozik	Monday 6.30pm prior to School Council
OSHC	Alison Tovey, Cathryn Baldwin, Kylie Richards, Jason Ditcham	Monday 6.00pm prior to School Council
Curriculum and Review	Anne Howard, Kylie Richards, Maya Lingard, Zoe Payne, Margaret Bozik	As required





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Panton Hill Primary School



### About the program

**TheiCare** provides a stimulating and safe environment for all children and an environment where children come and enjoy their time in their program. During sessions children develop life skills, friendships, confidence and creativity through play.

**Panton Hill Primary School** has partnered with **TheiCare** to provide quality care, flexibility and commitment to deliver on our promise to your school community. We would like to welcome you to a Parent Information Evening on **September 17, 2019** at **6pm in the Staff Room** so we can explain our registration and booking process and we can answer all your questions.





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## Sustainable House Day

Sunday 15 September 10am-4pm

Eltham, Hurstbridge, Panton Hill, St Andrews

Visit open houses in Nillumbik for ideas and inspiration for sustainable living. Cost: Gold coin donation

[www.cleanenergynillumbik.org.au](http://www.cleanenergynillumbik.org.au)

## Speed Date a Sustainability Expert

Sunday 13 October 2pm-4pm

Edendale Community Environment Farm

Free advice from the experts in solar, energy efficiency and sustainability.

Book your 20 minute appointments now.

<http://sdse.ata.org.au>



## Come and Play Junior cricket at



Want to play cricket in a fun, family-friendly atmosphere?

We need Under 12 players for the 2019-20 season!

Contact Callum O'Connor 0407 338 948



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