

OFFICE UPDATE

A school that values Community, Confidence, Ambition and Respect.

Term 1, Week 7

Monday:

- Preps full time at school

Tuesday:

- Canteen countersales open

Wednesday:

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Thursday:

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Friday:

- Canteen Open for lunch orders and countersales

See last page for upcoming dates

Canteen Special Lunch

Friday 1st April



Easter Raffle Drawn

Friday 8th April



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School Administration

School Council 2022

Thank you to the Parent Representatives who nominated for School Council 2022. Congratulations and welcome (back) to Michael Settle, Leonie Akgoz, and we have two new Parent Reps congratulations and welcome to Jackson Belot & Colin Steiner. We thank and wish all the best to our past councillors for their marvellous contribution to School Council.

The School Council AGM, reporting on the 2021 school year will be held at 6.30pm Tuesday 22 March, followed by the first School Council 2022 meeting 7pm.

Accident & Ambulance Cover

Parents and carers are reminded that the school does not provide personal accident insurance or ambulance cover for students. We strongly encourage all parents and carers to have up-to-date ambulance cover. Parents and guardians of students, who do not have student accident insurance/ambulance cover, are responsible for paying the cost of any medical expenses such as ambulance costs if their child is injured or requires an ambulance at school, or whilst participating in a school activity. Parents and carers can purchase insurance policies from commercial insurers.

The Department's Claims for Property Damage and Medical Expenses Policy can be found at: <https://www2.education.vic.gov.au/pal/claims-property-damage-and-medical-expenses/policy>

Working with Children Check

All volunteers and helpers in schools must hold a current Working with Children Check, this check is free and applications can be made via this link. However, if you find that there is a delay or issues you can apply through the Post Office.

<https://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/individuals/applicants/how-to-apply-1>

You will be asked by the office staff to produce your card before helping at school.

PE News

On Friday the 25th February, the Research Primary School Swim Team headed off to Watermarc, Greensborough for the Eltham District Swimming Carnival. Students from Year 3-6 competed in races including freestyle, breaststroke, backstroke and freestyle relay. We are so proud of all the RPS students who attended the carnival and swim trials. They can be very proud of their effort, school spirit and support of one another. Research finished 6th on the day. We are looking forward to taking even more students with us next year so make sure you are practising your swimming strokes and getting ready to try out for next year's team.

A special mention goes to Mia Hurst who qualified for the Division Swimming Carnival by finishing first in the 11 year old backstroke and first in the 11 year old freestyle. In a quick turn around, Mia competed at Division on March 1st. Mia finished first in backstroke and third in freestyle. Mia will now go onto compete in backstroke at the regional level. Good luck and well done Mia. You are a star!

Thank you to all the students who completed in the swimming trials and carnival and thank you to Ms Jocelyn Watts for all of your help. **Mark O'Halloran**



PFC News

Easter Raffle

The PFC is currently planning our Easter Raffle. With COVID and moving forward all tickets will be sold on line via trybooking.com (please note that Trybooking do charge a small booking fee)

We are seeking donations from the school community to put to together an Easter Basket prize for each class (7 baskets). Donations can include food (nut free), Easter items, games and colouring books, pencils anything that inspires Easter but **no alcohol please**. In the past year some families have chosen to donate gift cards which just adds to the prize pool. It's up to you. Please take donations in to the school office.

The PFC is currently approaching local businesses for donations of vouchers, in return we will promote these businesses in communications up to the drawing of the raffle on the 8th April 2022. If you have contacts feel free to let us know.

Details for ticket purchases will be circulated in the next week.

Canteen News

Next Canteen Dates:

Countersales **Tuesday 8 March & 15 March** Lunch Orders & Countersales **Friday 11 March & 25 March**

Special Lunch : Friday 1st April (Watch this space so you don't miss out)

How does your child order lunch or purchase from the canteen?

- Look at the canteen pricelist attached in the COMPASS message.
- Select what your child would like to have for lunch.
- On Friday send your child in with a large brown paper bag — with their order written on the outside and the money contained within.
- Your child places their brown bag into the black lunch tub located in the classroom.
- The classroom monitor will take the tub to the canteen and then collect it again just before the lunch bell (1.20pm).
- At lunch recess play (1.45pm) the shutters to the canteen will be open and your child can line up to purchase countersale items directly.

OSHClub News

At OSHCLUB, we're having heaps of fun every Monday afternoon running our 'Junior Masterchef Club' with our children. This week they got involved in making 'Fruits and Vegetable Faces' as a group activity. The science experiment 'Making Volcano' was mostly popular indoor and 'Scavenger hunt' outdoor. Besides these, children loved playing ball games, cricket, footy, tennis and were out at the 'Big kids' playground' most of the time. They also loved challenging staff members with board games such as 'Guess who?', 'Jenga blocks! and card game 'UNO' and 'Go fish'. Our drawing competition is still going very strong with new themes chosen by children each week. They can't wait until each of their names are up as the winner!



Community News:



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as well as a free pair footy shorts & Auskick registration each!

*Offer ends 15 March 2022 - excludes NFNL & Medic levies; payable as a rebate

COME TRY DAY!
SUNDAY 6 MARCH - 10am to 11:15am
U9's TO U12'S - GIRLS & BOYS
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Performance Details:

All Performances are at the Warrandyte High School Theatre, Alexander Road, Warrandyte.

Friday 1 April 7.00pm Saturday 2 April 2.00pm
Saturday 2 April 5.00pm Sunday 3 April 2.00pm
Friday 8 April 7.00pm Saturday 9 April 2.00pm
Saturday 9 April 5.00pm

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Open Night

Tuesday 22nd March

School Tours 4-6.15pm and 6.45-8pm.

Principal's Address 5pm and 7.15pm.

Booking essential via our website.

Further information:

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**School Tours on
Wednesdays**

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www.warrandytehigh.vic.edu.au

Warrandyte High School has a designated bus parking zone inside the school grounds with school bus services running from North Croydon, Warranwood, Park Orchards, Wonga Park, Research, Kangaroo Ground and Eltham. This is in addition to the regular National Bus service which stops just outside the school.



Research Primary School — The Update

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Upcoming dates: **(Covid restrictions permitting)*

March	
Monday 7th	• Preps full time at school
Friday 11th	• Curriculum Day—No students at school Moved to 20th May
Monday 14th	• Labor Day—no school
Friday 18th	• Good Learners Day
Tuesday 22nd	• 6.30pm School Council AGM, 7pm 2022 School Council
Thursday 31st	• Alteration to school day— PST Interviews (Students attend interviews only)
April	
Friday 1st	• Canteen Special Lunch (no other lunch orders that day)
Friday 8th	• Easter Raffle Drawn
	• Last day of Term 1. 2:30pm finish
Monday 25th	• ANZAC Day — no school
Tuesday 26th	• First day of Term 2
May	
Friday 13th	• School Photos
Friday 20th	• Curriculum Day - No students at school
Wednesday 25th	• Book Fair begins
June	
June 13th	• Queens Birthday—no school
June 24th	• Last day of Term 2 2.30pm finish
July	
Monday 11	• First day of Term 3
August	
Friday 19th	• Curriculum Day—no students at school
Friday 19th	• RPS 133rd Birthday
Wednes 31st—Fri 2nd Sept	• Yrs 3—6 Camp
September	
Thursday 8th	• Alteration to school day— PST Interviews (Students attend interviews only)
Friday 16th	• Last day of Term 3 2.30pm finish
October	
Monday 3rd	• First day of Term 4
Friday 13th	• Yrs 3 & 4 Balance Gym begins (tbc)
Monday 31st	• Curriculum Day—no students at school
November	
Tuesday 1st	• Melbourne Cup Day - no school
December	
Tuesday 20th	• Last day of school year and Term 4 1.30pm