

## OFFICE UPDATE

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

### Term 1, Week 11

Monday:

- Nude Food Monday

Tuesday:

- Canteen countersales open

Wednesday:

- Good Learners Day

Thursday:

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Friday:

- Canteen Closed
- Easter Raffle Drawn
- **2.30pm School finishes**
- Term 1 ends

**See last page for upcoming dates**

#### Easter Raffle Drawn

Friday 8th April



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## School Administration

### Working with Children Check & Vaccination Status

**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>

**All volunteers and helpers in school must** also be triple vaccinated. This is a Department of Education requirement.

You will be asked by the office staff to produce evidence of both current working with children card and triple vaccination before helping at school.

### SRC News

Congratulations to the new SRC (School Representative Council) members:



Prep S: Cleo R    Lewis H  
 Prep B: Harriet M    Rachael M  
 1/2C: Olivia L    Mitchel D.R  
 1/2O: Aston B    Mia D  
 3/4K: Finn H    Elisha Mc  
 4/5O: Natasha R    William Mc  
 5/6W - Mia H    Theo S



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### PFC News

#### Easter Raffle

To purchase tickets for our Easter Raffle please visit [Trybooking.com](https://www.trybooking.com/BYGRY) (please note that Trybooking do charge a small booking fee) <https://www.trybooking.com/BYGRY>

We are seeking **donations** from the school community to put 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 past years some families have chosen to donate gift cards which just adds to the prize pool. It's up to you. Please take donations to the school office. Thank you to those families who have already donated—the collection is growing—keep them coming in.

We would like to thank the following businesses for their generosity with donating vouchers:

*Skaterz, Nillumbik Estate, Webb's Research Butchery, Miner's Gold, Micky's Mind Body and Micky's Fitness*

#### Term 1 Special Lunch

Thank you to the PFC for putting together our Sushi special lunch today. The students (and staff) really enjoyed themselves. And thank you to the helpers for packing the bags.

### Canteen News

Next Canteen Dates:

Countersales **Tuesday 5 April** Lunch Orders & Countersales **Term 2 ....**

Please note that the canteen is always closed on the last day of term.

### OSHClub News

#### What's been happening...

Every Monday at OshClub, we've been running our 'Junior MasterChef Club' very successfully. This week, children enjoyed baking and decorating Cupcakes. They preferably chose to use single coloured icing and excitedly put their plates together for a photo!

We've been offering both indoor and outdoor activities. They've been so creative with recycled box crafts, drawings, and paintings. Moreover, some children have come up with interesting constructions using resources available at the service such as 'Frog in a pond', 'Tall towers' and 'Lego house'. They are still playing 'Uno' towards the end of the day with the educators and enjoy deep and meaningful conversations around the table.

Outside, mostly they've been playing either at the 'Top Court', 'Big kids' or right outside the OshClub room. They mostly play around the Sandpit, basketball court or simply ball games together. On some occasion, they've been playing group games such as 'Floor Is Lava', 'Chinese Whispers', and 'Musical Statues'.

#### FUN FACT

Supattra has now perfected her skills in making 'Slime' and we will be using her skills quite a lot the following week!



## Community News:



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RESEARCH TENNIS CLUB

**SPECIAL OFFER!!**  
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## ENROL NOW FOR 2023

### RESEARCH PRESCHOOL

Now accepting enrolments for our 3 and 4 year programs  
Extended hours available.

PH: 9437 1834

[research.kin@kindergarten.vic.gov.au](mailto:research.kin@kindergarten.vic.gov.au)



## Balance Gymnastics

Over the Easter break, Balance Gymnastics and Fitness Centre will be running a gymnastics Holiday programme from Monday 11th April to Friday 22nd April 2022. These classes will be run by our qualified staff and they will be on the floor at all times to supervise. Children will learn the fundamentals of gymnastics and these classes are suitable for children from 2-5 years of age. Children 3 and under need to have parent supervision. Bookings preferred, this will help guarantee you a place. \$20 per child Structured & \$15 Free Play

We are also running a gymnastics Holiday programme for primary school aged children from 5-12 years of age. These classes are a combination of structured and non structured but supervised, children are able to choose their activities. Parents will not be allowed on the floor with the children and bookings preferred, this will help guarantee you a place. \$25 per child Structured & \$20 Free Play

For details of times and costs please visit our website

<https://test.balancegymnastics.com>



ELTHAM WOODS Pre School

Come and meet our dedicated educators and explore the beautiful natural surrounds of Eltham Woods Pre School at our

## Family Open Day

10am - 12pm  
Saturday, 7th May

3 & 4 Year Old Programs  
Full Day 4 Year Old Programs  
Extended Care Option Available

At Eltham Woods, we believe that each child is a unique learner, who contributes their own individual skills, knowledge and abilities. Our educators and families work together as a community to foster our children's learning and development.

50A Frank Street, Eltham  
For more information, please call (03) 7019 8193  
[elthamwoods@kindergarten.vic.gov.au](mailto:elthamwoods@kindergarten.vic.gov.au)

## Community News:



### FOOTY IS BACK

**Research Junior Football Club is looking for new players for its Under 9's and 10's**

**REGISTRATION SPECIAL OFFER HAS BEEN EXTENDED\***

**'2 for 1' REGISTRATION DEAL - ALL U9'S & 10'S JOIN WITH A FRIEND & REGISTER BEFORE ROUND 1 (3rd APRIL) , GET ONE FREE**

and a free pair of footy shorts & Auskick registration each !

enquiries - [secretary@researchjuniorfc.com.au](mailto:secretary@researchjuniorfc.com.au) or 0418 862 103

[www.researchjuniorfc.com.au](http://www.researchjuniorfc.com.au)

\*Offer ends 3 April 2022 - excludes NFNL & Medic levies; payable as a rebate



**Footy is back** and we have had a really encouraging response to our special offer for Under 9's and 10's.

With the AFL now back on tv and practice matches starting, we want to see as many kids active again and playing footy so we have decided to extend our special offer of '2 registrations for the price of 1' with some added benefits too.

So, bring a friend or a 'relo' and come on down and join our mighty Searchers in our Under 9's and 10's.

Welcome enquiries for other teams as well.



**Would your 5 to 10 year old like to learn netball?**

Come and join our NetSetGo starter program 4.30pm Thursdays, 28 April to 9 June, on the outdoor courts at Manningham Templestowe Leisure Centre in Templestowe



\$110 registration includes NetSetGo pack, insurance and a Panthers coach

**FOR INFORMATION & REGISTRATION**

[www.panthersjuniornetballclub/net-set-go](http://www.panthersjuniornetballclub/net-set-go)

## OPEN DAY

**Thursday 28 April**



**Eltham High School**



### Open Morning

Tours commence at 9.15am

### Information Evening

Presentation commencing at 7pm

For all details see

[www.elthamhs.vic.edu.au](http://www.elthamhs.vic.edu.au)

### BOOKINGS REQUIRED

<https://www.trybooking.com/BYLZC>

**Weekly tours available commencing at 9.30am**

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL – 9430 5111



### Community News:



## Neighbourhood Character Strategy

Tell us about the character of Nillumbik's residential neighbourhoods to help develop a new Neighbourhood Character Strategy

Council is working on a new Neighbourhood Character Strategy for the Shire and we want your input into what is important to neighbourhood character in our residential areas, including in rural townships.

An initial round of community engagement is open until **11.59pm on Sunday 8 May**.

You can provide your input by:

- Attending one of our pop-up engagement stalls
- Completing a short survey or making a submission.

#### How to get involved

View details of the project, including pop-up sessions, watch a virtual walking tour video, and complete a survey (or make a submission) by scanning the QR code below or visiting Participate Nillumbik at [participate.nillumbik.vic.gov.au/neighbourhood-character-strategy](https://participate.nillumbik.vic.gov.au/neighbourhood-character-strategy)

You can also email [strategic.planning@nillumbik.vic.gov.au](mailto:strategic.planning@nillumbik.vic.gov.au) or call Council on 9433 3111.





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Upcoming dates: *\*(Covid restrictions permitting)*

<b>April</b>	
Wednesday 6th	• Good Learners Day
Friday 8th	• Easter Raffle Drawn
Friday 8th	• Canteen Closed (last day of term)
Friday 8th	• <b>2.30pm Term 1 Ends</b>
Monday 25th	• ANZAC Day — no school
Tuesday 26th	• First day of Term 2
<b>May</b>	
Friday 13th	• School Photos
Wednesday 18th	• District Cross County
Friday 20th	• Curriculum Day - No students at school
Wednesday 25th	• Book Fair begins
<b>June</b>	
June 13th	• Queens Birthday—no school
June 24th	• Last day of Term 2 2.30pm finish
<b>July</b>	
Monday 11	• First day of Term 3
Monday 25th	• Yrs 1—2 Balance Gym starts
<b>August</b>	
Friday 19th	• Curriculum Day—no students at school
Friday 19th	• RPS 133rd Birthday
Wednes 31st—Fri 2nd Sept	• Yrs 3—6 Camp
<b>September</b>	
Thursday 8th	• Alteration to school day— PST Interviews (Students attend interviews only)
Friday 16th	• Last day of Term 3 2.30pm finish
<b>October</b>	
Monday 3rd	• First day of Term 4
Friday 13th	• Yrs 3 & 4 Balance Gym begins (tbc)
Monday 31st	• Curriculum Day—no students at school
<b>November</b>	
Tuesday 1st	• Melbourne Cup Day - no school
<b>December</b>	
Tuesday 20th	• Last day of school year and Term 4 <b>1.30pm</b>

