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# HERNE HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

Term 2, Week 2 - 5th May 2020

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to a very different looking Term 2. It was great to have students back at school. Our Year 5/6 girls have inspired the new toilet doors in the Senior Block. I have learned that our senior girls enjoy horses, rainbows, butterflies, dogs, cats and inspirational quotes. We have tried to incorporate all of their ideas into the six doors. Thank you to Midland Signerama for helping the designs become a reality.



In our first week of Term 2, we had 65% and today we are up to 74% of students learning face-to-face and the rest of the school learning at home with our packages. I know that Teachers and Education Assistants have been making contact with those working at home and this will continue as directed by the Department of Education. A review of the current school directives will take place in Week 3. I will keep you informed as we learn more. I want to thank the staff at Herne Hill Primary School for their continued resilience and flexibility dealing with the many challenges they have faced over such a short period of time.

The new pick up and drop off system will continue until further notice. Thank you to school community for adhering to the new "no parent/carer past the gate" regulation. Please be reminded that if you are late, call the office on 92964911 and a staff member will collect the students. It is also a good idea to have an umbrella for the days rain is being forecast.



Chris,  
Year 1  
being  
collected  
by his  
Dad

### OUR VISION

*We aim to be an inclusive, innovative, effective school striving for students to reach their full potential.  
We work together as a school community towards common goals, ensuring students are provided with a safe and supported environment.*

The school has been allocated extra cleaning time to allow for playgrounds, toilets and high touch surfaces to be cleaned throughout the day. Del McAulliffe, Cleaner in Charge, has done an amazing job ensuring that our school is cleaned regularly. The extra cleaning will ensure the playgrounds are cleaned before and after recess, classrooms high touch areas such as doors, benches and keyboards are cleaned twice a day and toilets are cleaned after recess and lunch daily. I would also like to acknowledge the work of our Manager Corporate Services, Karen McCall, who has been working (including during the holidays) on securing enough cleaning supplies for our school – thank you both!

I would also like to remind parents that if your child/children is sick that they stay home until well. This is vital and must be followed by all to ensure that everyone at school is safe.

For those students who are working from home, teachers will provide Week 3 & 4 outline to you via DOJO or email by Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May. The red wheelie bin is outside the office every school day for week 1 & 2 work to be dropped off for assessment.

*Tyler C and Ms Bates during their online learning.*



The basketball court has a couple of areas where it is collecting water. Unfortunately, these areas need levelling before we can have our blue acrylic surface put on. This has delayed the finish of the courts. I will keep you posted on the progress.

Attached with this week's newsletter is a copy of our School Dress Code which has been ratified by the School Council.

If you wish to order uniforms, please call the office so that arrangements can be made for payment and collection. At this stage, no cash is accepted, payment can be made directly to the school account. Banking details as follow:

COMMONWEALTH BANK  
"Herne Hill Primary School"  
BSB 06 6115  
Account # 0090 8649

*(Please be sure to put your name/details in the narration.)*

Thanks again for everyone for your patience and co-operation.

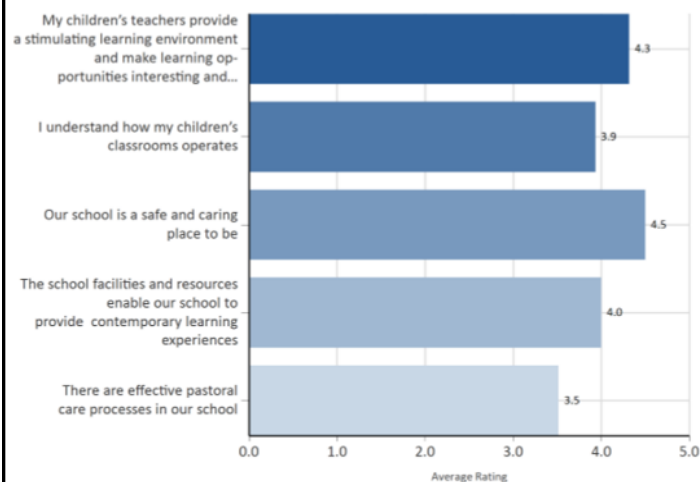
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## Survey Results

Thank you to everyone who took the time to complete HHPS School Culture Survey. Staff and School Council are currently looking at the results to inform future planning. This survey is an important part of our school gaining Independent Public School status. This term, Katalin Madacsi and myself will be presenting to a panel telling our school story and how as an Independent Public School we are striving to improve and how we plan on achieving this. One of the important parts is community engagement and communication. Over the coming terms, I will be sharing the results in newsletters and make the survey available on our website for all to access.

## Pastoral Care



The survey asked about the pastoral care at our school. There was some confusion within our community about the word "pastoral care". This survey was designed by the Education Department and not the term we use at HHPS. We use the term "well-being" and in our School Plan it is focussed under *Priority 4 – Safe, Supportive and Sustainable Environment*.

What are we currently doing at HHPS:

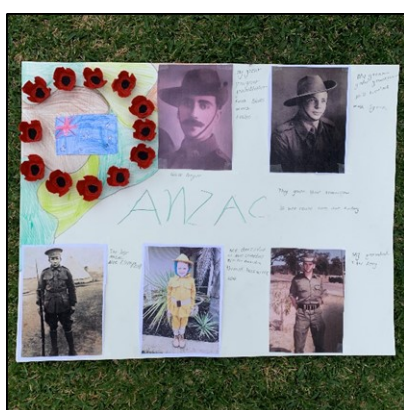
- School Chaplaincy Program
- School Psychologist (fortnightly)
- School Nurse
- BRAVE Program – online anxiety program through Beyond Blue
- Referral to Headspace counselling service
- School Breakfast Programs
- Food hamper access and referrals
- Out of school activities – positive engagement programs in Skipping, Jump Jam, Running Club, Lego Club
- Student Good Standing Policy
- Drumbeat – promoting social & emotional well-being
- School Positive Values Program – Respect, Resilience, Inclusion & Strive for Excellence (these were taken from staff, parent and student feedback)
- Student Values Behaviour Matrix of expected behaviours
- School Green Card system, faction tokens and faction Fridays promoting positive behaviours and merit certificates linked to our values
- Staff well-being program
- School Sustainability Program

## VALUES

*The focus for Week 2 is: RESPECT & Week 3 is: INCLUSION*



# ANZAC Day Competition Winners



## IMPORTANT DATES

Wed. 6th May	Kindy Day
Fri. 8th May	- Kindy Day - Faction Friday
Tue. 12th May	- Kindy Day - <b>P&amp;C Meeting (CANCELLED)</b>
Fri. 15th May	Kindy Day
Tue. 19th May	Kindy Day
Wed. 20th May	Kindy Day

**P&C MEETING WHICH WAS SCHEDULED FOR NEXT TUESDAY (12TH MAY) HAS BEEN POSTPONED. IT WILL BE RE-SCHEDULED TO A LATER DATE.**

**Herne Hill Primary School is a SMOKE FREE zone.**



# CRUNCH & SIP NEWS

## Packed with Goodness.

### Sandwich Builder

Make delicious and healthy sandwiches to go in the lunchbox!

#### Choose most

##### Vegetables

Have them raw, cooked or canned, and aim for a variety of colours and textures.



Tomato



Celery



Cucumber



Carrot



Pumpkin



Beetroot



Corn



Spinach



Capsicum



Mixed greens



Snow peas



Alfalfa sprouts



Mushroom



Avocado



Onion

#### Choose some

##### Breads

Wholegrain, wholemeal and high-fibre white varieties are the best choice. Try something different each time!



Bread roll



Bread



Wrap



Rice cakes



Crackers

##### Meat and meat alternatives

Choose lean and reduced-fat options. Protein is an important part of your child's sandwich.



Chicken



Lean meat



Egg



Reduced-fat cheese



Fish

#### Add a little

##### Tasty spreads

These yummy spreads add excitement to a healthy sandwich.



Hummus



Reduced-fat mayonnaise



Guacamole



Reduced-fat cottage or ricotta cheese



Chutney or salsa