

Upcoming Dates:

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
15/4 First Day Term 2	16/4	17/4	18/4	19/4 Pupil Free Day
22/4	23/4	24/4	25/4 Anzac Day	26/4 Swimming
29/4	30/4	1/5	2/5	3/5 Swimming
6/5	7/5 Mothers Day High Tea	8/5 School Camp	9/5 School Camp	10/5 School Camp

Important reminders:

Friday 19th April: Pupil Free Day - No students at school

Friday 3rd May: Camp forms and Money must be back by today

Wednesday 8th May to Friday 10th May: SCHOOL CAMP - BALLARAT

Our School Vision



Hamilton Parklands School's vision is to prepare young people to become active, engaged, and responsible citizens of the local communities.

We provide learning experiences that allow our students to reach their full potential, socially, emotionally, and academically.

At Hamilton Parklands School we provide a positive culture, which is a safe, inclusive and stimulating environment for all.

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the first week of term two. This term is going to be a long one and filled with an assortment of activities, learning and the highlight for most will be their camp experience. The weather has turned cold quickly and while the buildings are lovely and warm, the kids need jumpers and jackets for outside please.

This week we have a pupil free day on Friday, while staff from a few schools join us at Hamilton Parklands School to participate in a training day. We will be exploring some of the behaviour management techniques that are highly recommended and will support staff and students to create a calm and inviting place to work and learn.

The following week is another day off with the ANZAC Day public holiday. There are no more days off then until June and the Monarch's birthday public holiday. With a long term, the weather getting cold, and kids huddled inside, there are bound to be some coughs and colds circulating. Please keep your child home while they are coughing, and noses are running to help us all stay as well as possible as we head into the winter months. Covid is also doing the rounds again, and tests are available from school for a little while.

School camp is coming up quickly, and I said I would send out notes at the end of last term. My apologies, we got very busy, and the notes got forgotten. Notes are going out today. Camp will be on May 8th to May 10th, and we are off to Ballarat. There are a couple of students who aren't going on camp, so they will be coming to school and participating in lessons with me.

There is no swimming this week, with the day off on Friday, so swimming will start next Friday April 26th. Please make sure your child's gear comes to school each week, as we have no spares at school.

It is Mothers' Day on May 12th this year, and we would love to hold another High Tea for the significant person in each of our students' lives. Invitations will go out in as soon as possible to invite you to a High Tea on Tuesday May 7th so keep an eye open. Last year's High Tea was a huge success and the kids were really pleased to have a special person here for the afternoon. There is lots of information coming to you in coming days, so please send notes back promptly. Have a fabulous term and call if you have questions, or something to share.

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General News:

Pupil Free Day:

Don't Forget

Friday 19th April 2024

No students to attend school as all staff will be undertaking professional learning on this day.

Camp Forms and Information:

All camp forms and information has been sent home in a separate envelope today. Please make sure you read all the information carefully.

If you have not seen the forms, please give the school a call as soon as possible, we know that things sometimes don't always make it home.

All forms and full payment must be received by the office by Friday 3rd May 2024 for your child to attend, as final numbers will be confirmed on this day.

Any questions or queries please do not hesitate to give the school a call.



The school will be collecting the plastic bread tags as a recycling project this year. Please read the flyer attached to the newsletter.

What can I do?

It is easy... save your bread tags for a while and then send them into school. Ask your friends and family etc to help as well.

The school will then send them to Robe SA and they will be recycled. All funds raised from this project will be used to supply wheelchairs in Africa.

This is such a simple, easy way to make a difference to the life of someone else, lets all get on board with this project.

MOTHERS DAY HIGH TEA

Tuesday 7th May 2024

in the Multipurpose Room

1.45pm



Pop this event into your calendar and keep your
eyes open for your personal invitation