



**No Students to attend school on
Monday 6th & Tuesday 7th November**

School Newsletter
Friday 3rd November 2017

Term 4 Diary Dates

Student Banking every Tuesday

November

- 6th Curriculum Day
No Students**
- 7th Melbourne Cup
No Students**
- 14th CASEA - 9am to 11am
- 15th Grade 5/6 Interschool
sports - cricket
- 15th School Council Meeting
7.30pm
- 16th Grade 3/4 Interschool
sports - cricket
- 17th Disco 6.30pm - 8.30pm
- 21st 2018 Prep transition day
9-11am
- 21st CASEA - 9am to 11am
- 21st Grades 3-6 Landcare
excursion
- 21st 2018 Prep Information
Night 7pm
- 21st- Bookfair
23rd
- 24th Oral Health sessions
- 28th CASEA - 9am to 11am
- ### **December**
- 5th CASEA - 9am to 11am
- 8th Supper Dance
- 12th Statewide Transition
2018 Prep 9am to 12pm
- 13th School Council Meeting
7.30pm
- 14th Grade 6 sleepover
- 15th School Choir- C/M Health visit
- 18th Grade 6 graduation/dinner
- 20th Grade P-6 Xmas excursion
- 22nd Final Day of Term 4**

Principal Report

CURRICULUM DAY / MELBOURNE CUP

Please be advised that next Monday 6th November is a student free day and Tuesday 7th November is a public holiday.

2018 CLASSES

For 2018, the decision has been made to increase our classrooms from 4 to 5 classes. The class structure and teachers for the respective grades are listed below.

Prep: Mrs Turner

Grade 1: Mr Walter

Grade 2: To be advised

Grade 3/4: Mrs Victor-Gordon

Grade 5/6: Mr Watkins

If you require further information relating to classes for 2018 please contact the office to make an appointment with me.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

Next Friday 10th November, students will be participating in a short Remembrance Day Service commencing at 10:45 a.m. This service will be held at the school and all school and community members are most welcome to attend.

SCHOOL PROCEDURES FOR THE BUSHFIRE SEASON

Attached to today's newsletter is information relating to school procedures for the bushfire season. If you require further information relating to this topic please feel free to contact me.

SCHOOL COLOURFUL DISCO - Friday 17th November

Our senior students are currently in the process of organising a colourful disco for all students that attend HVPS. The disco will commence at 6:30 and conclude at 8:30 p.m. Students are encouraged to wear snazzy colourful disco clothes to help make the evening a roaring success. A gold coin entry is requested.

FREE DENTAL SCREENING

Bendigo Health is offering free dental sessions at school on Friday 24th November. A part of this voluntary assessment includes a report provided to parents/guardians with findings and recommendations. Attached is a permission form for families interested in their child attending a dental session. Further information can be obtained from Bendigo Health Dental Service on 5454 7994. Permission forms are attached to today's newsletter and are requested to be returned to school no later than Friday 10th November.

Have a terrific weekend!

Andrew Blake

Students of the Week



Grade 1/2:

Shannon: for continuing to build his independence.

Talise: putting in a huge effort to develop her kicking skills.

Grade 3/4:

Jordan: for identifying the need to move away from others to stay focused on his learning.

Julie: for analysing the patterns of commas in specific sentences using lists and speech marks.

Xavier: for the use of self correcting strategies to maintain the meaning of the text.

Luey: for analysing the patterns of commas in specific sentences using lists and speech marks.

Grade 5/6:

Georgia: for her resilience when completing mathematics tasks.

Artist:

Isabelle: the care she takes with her work.

French:

Murray: for demonstrating excellent understanding during speaking and listening activities.

Music:

Angus: for asking questions that helped us learn about compound time.

Working on Words:

Owen: for using his knowledge about syllable types to learn some new syllable types.

Grade 6 dinner- Grade Prep to Grade 5 Parent Request

The Grade 6 dinner has been planned to be a memorable occasion for the Grade 6 students to participate in a special dinner with their Grade 6 peers, two guests and their teachers. To ensure this evening is a success, it would be appreciated if you could assist in some capacity during the evening, please contact me.

The evening has been scheduled for Monday 18th December.

Thanking you in advance!

Andrew Blake

PROTECT

Protecting children & young people
from abuse is our responsibility



School Bank
Account Details:
Account Name:
Harcourt Valley
Primary School
BSB: 063 509
Account Number:
1004 2656
Reference: Surname

Assembly each
Thursday:

9/11/17 - Grade 1
16/11/17 - Grade 2
23/11/17 - Grade 3
30/11/17 - Grade 5
7/12/17 - Grade 6
14/12/17 - Grade 6
21/12/17 - Final

Forms to be returned:

All students:

**Oral Health
screening consent
form due 10/11/17**

Immunisation

Certificates:

**Only families that
received a letter
overdue**

Absence Letters:

**Only families that
received a letter
overdue**

Lunch Orders:

**Weekly orders due
by 9am each
Wednesday.**

Needed
Friday Breakfast Club
Helpers

Contact the school office if you can
assist from 8.20am

