

## Wandin North Primary School

# WEEKLY NEWS : Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2018

### Dates for your Diary :

- **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December** - Harvest Market Meeting 9:00am.  
- School Council 7:00pm.
- **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December** - Prep Transition #5 9:15 - 11:00am.  
- **Christmas Family Night. 5:30pm - Picnic Tea / 6:00pm - Concert commences. (Back-up: Tuesday 18th). Smoke, Alcohol and Pet Free.**
- **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December** - Final lunch orders for the year. (No lunch orders accepted in the last week of the year).
- **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December** - Melbourne Zoo Excursion Preps.
- **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December - Major Assembly at 9.00am :** Presentation of awards for our Academic, Rotary, Young Leaders and Most Improved for the year. We will also be announcing the 2019 School and House Captains.
- **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December** - Grade 6 Graduation.
- **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December - Last day Term 4 Dismissal 1:30pm.**

### 2019 :

- **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January** - Working Bee #1.
- **Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January** - Uniform Shop Open 10:00am - 2:00pm.  
- Teachers resume.
- **Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January** - Students resume Grades 1— 6.
- **Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January** - Preps commence.
- **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> February - 6th March** - No Preps at school.
- **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February** - Harvest Market Meeting 9:00am
- **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February** - School Council.

### Noteworthy :

- **PASSTAB UPDATES :** In accordance with our school's Emergency Management procedures, the Passtab security sign-in system will be updated over the Christmas holidays, before students return in 2019. **New information will be required by all parents, volunteers and visitors, even if you have already have previously entered your details and set up a quickpin.** We ask that you re-submit your information and re-enter your existing quickpin at the start of the year. Please ensure that you have your Working With Children Check number available. Once your quickpin is recreated you will not need to go through this process again.

Please allow extra time for this process to be undertaken by coming in during the day or a few minutes earlier to avoid a queue at the office. Please see the office staff for assistance if needed. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

- **WANTED - PLASTIC LIDS** : We are seeking plastic lids of all colours and sizes to create a school mural for next year. Could you please start collecting and bring them in to the class teacher or the Artroom.
- **2019 SCHOOL FEES** : There is a discounted rate of \$260 per student if paid by 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019 (after this date it will be \$280 per student). Please ensure if paying by direct deposit, you use the unique family identification code located on the back page of your fees notice. This is to ensure the correct student is marked off with the payment.

Upon payment, book packs will be distributed to classrooms directly via your child's class teacher. This means once you have paid, there is nothing more to do!

If you have any queries, please see Rachael in the office.

- **HARVEST MARKET** : Please start collecting the following items for next year's Harvest Market - small toys suitable for the Lucky Stars stall, toys for the Toy Stall, plastic containers suitable for the Cake Stall and empty/filled jars (all sizes), plus filler items for the Mystery Bottle Stall.

**MEETING DATES** : Mondays - 9:00am

2019 : 4th February / 18th February / 25th February / 4th March & (Tuesday) 12th March

- **WORKING BEE** : Thank you to Craig McEvoy, Mel Smith, Nick Syme and the Van Dreumel, Piper, Roberts and Wray families for their efforts at yesterday's working bee. We truly appreciate your contribution – Well done!

**Future Working Bees** : The 2019 Working Bee Roster will be sent home via students tomorrow.

1. Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> January 9:00am - 12:00pm	Paisley Thomas Lyn O'Regan	Akers Gale Sargeant (Chloe) Reid/Schultz
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**OH&S** : To ensure the safety of our volunteers, an OH&S briefing is conducted at each working bee. Please read the "Volunteer Induction Handbook" posted on our school's website :

<http://www.wandinorthps.vic.edu.au/parent-involvement/>

- **EXTEND OSHC AT WANDIN** :

**Operating Hours:** 6:30am - 6.00pm **Day Fee:** \$70.00 (before any CCS has been applied).

**How To Book:** Please register and book online via [LookedAfter](#).

Kind Regards,  
Extend Support

**Enrol in Out of Hours School Care** – Enrolling is quick and easy! Simply set up your own account online via [LookedAfter:https://www.lookedafter.com/](https://www.lookedafter.com/)

Please note it is a Government regulation that all children must be enrolled BEFORE attending an Extend service. For information on operating hours and fees for your school, visit your OSHC venue, the school website or [extend.com.au](http://extend.com.au)

**Extend Squad Summer Holiday Program** - has officially launched and is live for all families to commence bookings for the summer holiday period.

Extend's school holiday programs are a fantastic opportunity for your child to do fun and engaging activities with friends. Book 14 days in advance to receive the early bird rate. Bookings now open!

Find your local Extend Squad: [extend.com.au](http://extend.com.au)

