



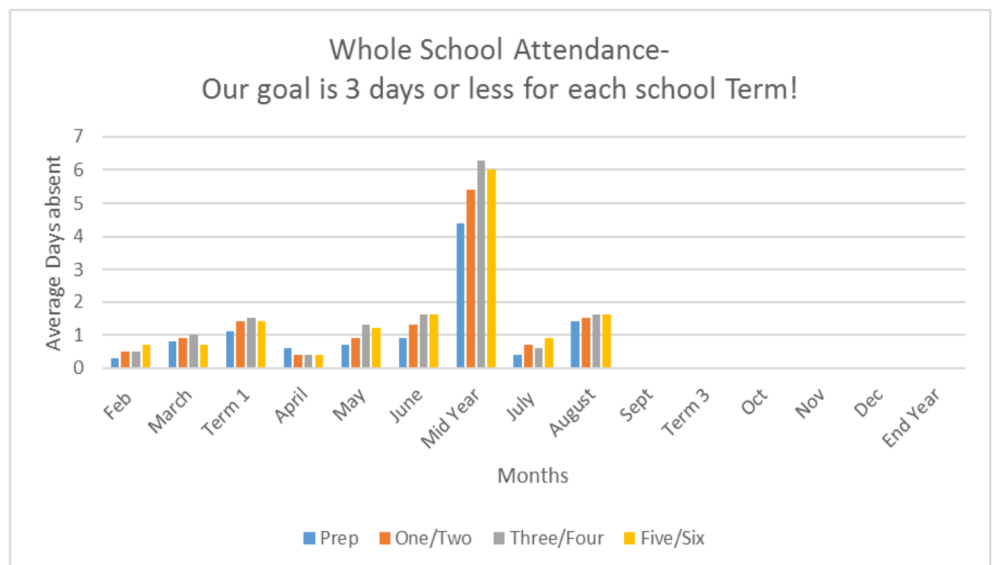
Newsletter - 2018

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From the Principal

Dear Parents & Guardians



We can see from our attendance chart that there is a spike in absenteeism across the school during August. This is due to more illnesses and families electing to take holidays during the school term. We are still tracking well towards our goal of achieving less than 3 days absent, per student, per Term. If your child has been absent for an extended period, regardless of the reason, please ensure that you check in with your child's teacher to discuss the concepts that may have been presented and missed during this period.

We have received our 2018 NAPLAN results and they are excellent. Students in years 3 & 5 achieved strong results across all curriculum areas, which is a wonderful validation of the teaching and learning culture at Wandin North. As I have mentioned previously, these results are the culmination of Prep-2 and 3-6 teaching. It is a celebration across the school for both our dedicated teaching staff and amazing students, who are all aiming high with their learning outcomes.

We received a letter from The Hon James Merlino, Minister of Education, who is promoting a resource for parents, Literacy and Numeracy tips to help your child every day: A guide for parents of children ages 0-12.

Parents are a very significant influence on a child's learning and development and the resource provides parents with fun, inexpensive, accessible and practical activities to help develop literacy and numeracy curiosity and skills.

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Parents can access the online version of the 'tips' from the Department of Education and Training website by searching 'supporting your child's learning'.

Our next Prep transition session is on September the 11th. 2019 Preps are asked to bring along their favourite teddy to enjoy biscuit making, followed by a Teddy Bears Picnic. We look forward to seeing our new Preps next week. A parent/guardian information session will be held in the staffroom covering school administration processes. We encourage any interested families to finalise their enrolment details as our final numbers will assist us in planning the number of Prep grades we will be running.

We send our school communities congratulations to Ebu Maryanto and Jarrod for the safe arrival of their son, Nash. He is absolutely gorgeous and mum and baby are both well.

Yours sincerely,

Dee DeKlijn Principal Wandin North Primary School

Prep Enrolments -Due Now!!

Prep enrolments for 2019 are due now. Please provide the office with your completed enrolment forms and copies of Birth Certificates and Immunisation Reports.

Prep Transition Dates

Prep Transition is being held in Terms 3 and 4 for children starting school in 2019.

**They will take place on the following Tuesdays between 9:15 – 10:15am :
11th September, 9th October, 13th November, 11th December (9:15 - 11:15am).**

We look forward to seeing you at Wandin North Primary School.

Phone Messages To Parents

We are aware that parents are not always able to answer the phone during the day when we try to contact them and where possible we will leave a detail message.

Parents are asked to check their messages if they receive a 'missed call' before they contact the school as a response is not always required.

Payments

Please send ALL PAYMENTS (cheque or correct cash) in envelopes via your child's class.

Include details such as student's name, grade, date, amount and what the payment is for on the front of the envelope. Printed envelopes are available from the office.

Payments can also be made by direct deposit via the following :

Account Name - Wandin North Primary School / BSB - 633 000 / Account Number - 127483352 /
Description Code - eg "Smith—Aquarium Exc "

Please email wandin.north.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au to advise us of your transaction.

A Special Note about ...

ASSEMBLIES ON MONDAY MORNING

Each Friday morning, weather permitting, an assembly is held outside on the central quadrangle.

The following items are announced:

- National Anthem
- Forthcoming events
- Thank you messages to the community
- House Points
- Stars of the Week
- Messages from our Captains (or nominated student)
- Special Presentations (if applicable)

Stars of the Week

Prep A	Miss Allen		CLAUDIA GOODCHILD / BRADLEY HIBGAME / AMELIA JACKSON / WESST SUDHOLZ
Prep B	Miss Burnage	.....	BLAKE FOX / BENJI HENSKENS / JACOB IREDALE / TILLY LODGE
Prep M	Miss Moore		ACASIA NORRIS-O'DONNELL / CASEY ROBERTS / JED LECKIE / ALYSIA TODD
Prep W	Miss Wilcox	.....	OLIVIA BRENT / HARPER CRONKSHAW / NOAH FARROW / STIRLING SCHIPPER
Grade 1/2B	Miss Bell	.....
Grade 1/2G	Mrs Grisold	.....
Grade 1/2L	Miss Leonard	.....
Grade 1/2S	Mrs Smith	.....	MITCHELL RODD / LUCY PANETTA / EVIE NUGENT/ BAANI PANCHHI
Grade 3/4B	Ms Burrows	.....	ISIS DEWHURST-SIBLEY / DARCY LEENEN /TRENT SCOTT / DANNIELLE RIGBY / LACHLAN FRASER
Grade 3/4H	Miss Hoehne	.....	ADA AULICH / MAISON RUNDLE / KRYSTIN TEKLEBURG / DEAGAN GODALY
Grade 3/4S	Miss Wilkinson	.....
Grade 5/6A	Miss Abbruzzese	.....	SAMUEL ROBINSON / LATISHA TUNNECLIFFE / BEN SPERL / NOAH VINCENT / JOAH WEBBER
Grade 5/6L	Mr Langley	.....	RACHEL ASKHAM / ISABELLAH CASTELLANO / MATILDA HINDLE / ZAK MACINTOSH
Grade 5/6S	Mrs Salvitti	.....	KYAH BYNE / TAYLAH COOPER / ALEX HALL / LACHLAN HUDAK / WAYLAND REED / SOPHIE SOUTHALL
GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP	Mrs Gibson	.....
ART	Mrs Attrill Mrs Gibson Ms Kennedy	.....
P.E.	Mr Marikar	.....	WESST SUDHOLZ / BILLIE WELCH / DANNIELLE RIGBY / JOAH WEBBER / MAX ROBERTS / BAANI PANCHHI / COREY SNODGRASS / SAMMY LOVE / ZAHLI HAYNES / BETH VAUGHAN / CHLOE MACINTOSH / MACKENZIE REID

Value Awards

SILVER AWARDS

VIOLET RUSCITTI / STIRLING SCHIPPER / EVA VAN GRASS /
HARPER DOUGLAS / AALIYAH LEARY / HARPER MCKEOWN /
JOSH OLIVER / CHASE GLENN / DARBY MUNRO / ALANA PIPER /
MCKENZI WHEELER / SAMANTHA PETERS / OWEN AULICH /
ZEKE DEWHURST-SIBLEY / SCARLETT HENDERSON / LUCY KILLIN /
LUCY ROBERTS / ALEXAH DE KONING / PHOEBE O'ROURKE /
ANHAD PANCHHI / DYLAN POLLOCK / AVA UPTON / ABBY AKERS /
ISAAC ARMSTRONG / SUMMER DELANY / OLIVE HINDLE /
CRYSTAL HOOD / JEANNE SCORIOT-OSTLER / CAITLIN VAUGHAN /
CHLOE WILSON / ARWEN JOHNS / KRYSTIN TEKLENBURG / EVIE
NUGENT / LEVI TUNNECLIFFE / CHLOE WATKINS / MATILDA HILLS /
WIL ARMSTRONG / ROBBIN VENEMA / ALLY PENROSE

BRONZE AWARDS

BEAU DELANY / MAX ROBERTS / TYLA COOPER / BRAD CAUDWELL
/ TYLA CUMMING / JOEL FREEM / ALEX HALL / MAY MCCONNELL /
HARRY PANETTA / ASTRID MUNRO / CHARLIE AULICH /
AVA BROADLEY / JAYDON DUNCAN / WILL HOILES / MAX DELACY /
CHLOE MACINTOSH / CHARLIE CREED / DEKLAN DIVOLA /
DEAGAN GODALY / COOPER ROWE / OLI ROBINSON / MAISON
DIVOLA / EDIE MEALMAKER / ABBY HARRISON / ASHA BILTON /
ZAC DE JAGER / T'LEIGHA WALKER / TYLER MILDENHALL /
MEGAN BROADLEY / MATILDA HINDLE / LUCA VAN DREUMEL /
CONNOR JEWELL / XAVIER LEONARD / CALEB BROADBENT /
JOSH HOOK / MATTHEW BERRYMAN

Diary Dates

- **Friday 7th September** - Grade 1 Sleepover.
- **Tuesday 11th September** - Prep Transition #2 9:15 - 10:15am.
- **Wednesday 12th September** - Photo Trail Prep-2.
- **Saturday 15th September** - **Shopping Tour - BOOK NOW !!**
- **Sunday 16th September** - Working Bee #9.
- **Tuesday 18th September** - School Council 7:00pm.
- **Wednesday 19th September** - Footy Day. Wear football team colours (gold coin donation to Cancer Council). Special lunch orders – information to be sent home soon.
- **Friday 21st September** - Last Day - Term 3 2:30pm dismissal.
- **Monday 8th October** - First Day - Term 4.
- **Tuesday 9th October** - Prep Transition #3 9:15 - 10:15am.
- **Wednesday 17th - Friday 19th October** - Gr3-4 Camp

A Special Note about ...

LATE PASSES AND ABSENCES –

DET accountability practices insist that every child is marked on the roll each day, both morning and afternoon.

Children must be signed in by their parents and obtain a yellow “late arrival” card from the office before going to the classroom.

Children must also be signed out if they are departing early.

Also, a reminder that **all absences must be accounted for via FlexiBuzz from the parent to the class teacher** explaining what date the child was absent and stating the reason why.

Flexibuzz is a convenient way for parents to notify the school of student absences.

In the interest of every child's safety, we ask for your cooperation.

VISITORS TO SCHOOL –

All visitors, including parent helpers, are required to sign in and collect a ‘VISITOR’ lanyard at the office upon arrival. Please return the lanyard and sign out when



Some children at this school are allergic to nuts. We urge you to refrain from sending food containing nuts to school.

Sports Update

What's happening in PE

Interschool Sports Update:

All Interschool Sports matches have been completed for 2018. I would like to take this opportunity to say a huge congratulations to all of the students involved in our Interschool Sports Program. It has been fantastic to hear about our successes over the course of the tournament, and I believe that this is partly due to the hard work, effort and dedication to our training programs on Monday. I am very proud of each and every student involved and have loved seeing the progress and growth in all of you. Congratulations!!!

In other sports news:

We have some very talented students who've gone to represent our school in a range of sporting disciplines, including horse riding, BMX, archery, netball and basketball to name a few. Last week we wished Deegan Moloney in 3/4 B our best as he went off to the Victorian Schools Cycling Competition in Park Orchards to showcase his talents in the BMX events.

We also have Bonnie and Ollie Kearney who've gone onto represent the school in the Victorian Interschool Snowsport Championships at Mt Buller. The brother and sister duo had amazing results, making it through to Nationals, which will be held on the 3rd September through to the 7th of September in Perisher NSW. This is an amazing achievement, as to make the Nationals you need to get into the top 15 in the State for each event. Please see below their results:

Bonnie's Results:

Skier X – 8th (nationals qualification)

Apline GS 31st

Moguls – 11th (nationals qualification)

Ollie's Results:

Snowboard X – 11th (nationals qualification)

Snowboard GS – 15th (nationals qualification)

I would highly encourage all students at Wandin North PS to wish all of these amazing athletes their best as they go onto bigger and greater things in their chosen sport. If you see Bonnie, Ollie and Deegan at school, please say a huge congratulations on all their success's and give them some encouraging words to show your support.

Upcoming Events:

Wednesday 12th September – F-2 Photo Trail/Tabloid Sports day

Wednesday 19th September – Whole School AFL GALA DAY! (notices to be sent out soon)

Shazan Marikar - PE Coodinator.

PasTab

UPDATE - PASSTAB ELECTRONIC SIGN IN/OUT : You will now need to enter your Working With Children Check card number and also create a "Quick Pin' code. Please ensure that you see the tick after you have submitted your entry. We thank you for your patience and understanding during the changeover process.

REMINDER : PARENTS/GUARDIANS ARE REQUIRED TO SIGN IN/OUT STUDENTS AT THE OFFICE. When signing out students we ask that you remain at the office while your child/ren collect their belongings unless otherwise advised by office staff.

Extend - OSHC



Operating Hours: 6:30 am - 6:00pm
Day Fee: \$70.00 (before any CCR/CCB has been applied).
How To Book: Please register and book online via [LookedAfter](#).

Kind Regards, Extend Support Extend (Australia) Office locations and training centres:
 Melbourne | Sydney | Brisbane | Adelaide | Perth. P: 1300 366 437 F: 1300 849
 438 W: extend.com.au

A Special Note about ...

OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE

Please visit the website

www.wandinnorthps.vic.edu.au/

for :

- Newsletters / Weekly News
- What's On - classroom news
- Working Bee Roster
- Lunch Orders
- Uniform Orders
- Enrolment Form
- Excursion Permission Form
- WWCC Application Link

No Smoking

Smoking is NOT PERMITTED at any time on school grounds or the surrounding areas, including the car parks.

Updating Information & Contact Details

We ask for you to update your address, phone & email contact details, student medical conditions, family living/custody arrangements, emergency contacts and occupation & employment status in accordance with DET requirements. All information is confidential and for school use only.

It is important to have the correct details on our system. Parents are asked to advise the school office in writing any time when any changes occur.

Working Bees

Future Working Bees : 9:00am - 12:00pm Families will be contacted prior to the day.

9. Sunday 16 th September	John Hagen Emma Hoehne Caitlin DeKlijn	Askham Bast Caudwell Emblin Eva Garrett Hibgame Hindle Killin Kitto Knight Love McKeown McLeod Mitchell Nolder Panchhi Ramsauer Rodd Scoriot-Ostler
10. Sunday 14 th October	Teresa Salvitti Paul Bailey Kiera Rankin	Armstrong (Patrick) Busst Calkin Castellano Cincis Clements Dowthwaite Duncan Groiss Haynes Henderson Johnston Kleefsmann Lodge Mealmaker Nayak O'Rourke Reid Robinson Ruscitti Scott
11. Sunday 18 th November	Fiona Berryman Zoe Abbruzzese Melissa Wilkinson	Aulich (Owen) Barnard Bombinski Crowley Fisher Harrison Hills Kirkwood Lampkin Linley Mildenhall Munro (Darby) Norris-O'Donnell Panetta Pearson (Sarah) Roberts (Lucy) Rowe Tanner Wallis Wheeler
12. Sunday 9 th December	Craig McEvoy Mel Smith Nick Syme	Carter Creed De Jager Farrow Henskens/Van Dreumel Jefcott Kearney Norman Penrose Peters Piper Rainbird Roberts (Max) Tunnecliffe Van Graas Walshe Wray