

Wandin North Primary School WEEKLY NEWS : Monday 23rd November 2020

Dates for your Diary :

• Thursday 12th, 19th & 26th November and 3rd December - Fizzics Science Shows Incursion

Gr 3/4.

- **Tuesday 24**th **November** Prep Transition 'Teddy Bears Picnic' Groups of 10 students from 9:15am as listed on the email sent to the '2021 Preps' families last week.
- Friday 27th November Prep 'Little Night In' 2:30pm 5:30pm.
 Free Dress Day Spots & Stripes Gold Coin Donation (Sponsor Child).
- Monday 7th December School Council.
- Tuesday 8th December Prep Transition 9:15 11:00am (subject to COVID-19 restrictions).
- Friday 18th December Last day Term 4 1:30pm Dismissal.

Noteworthy :

• WORKING BEE: A massive THANK YOU to the Busst family – Rachael, Ash, Adam, and Grandpa Rod Busst – for their hard work on Saturday in cleaning up our school grounds. They manage to achieve a number of much needed gardening and maintenance tasks including :

Pruned the front entry and side entry. Pruned around sandpit paths. Fixed edging around the playground.

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Blew leaves around the prep building.

Pruned ramp way as you walk in and front of the brick wall. Fixed wood panels on the stairway both sides.

Sand back into the sandpit.

Cut down branches hanging over fences.

Pruned back any shrubs coming through fences.







Any other families wishing to assist with keeping the school grounds in good order are asked to contact the school office on 5964 4570.

• **REMINDER TO PARENTS** : *Please keep to your allocated drop-off and pick-up times and locations in the interest of ensuring a COVID-19 safe environment.*

* **Parents to park in marked parking spaces and walk their children to the gate** and students to walk into grounds independently.

* **Staggered drop off times** - Families with the Surname starting at A to K will be encouraged to drop off their child/ren at 8.45am. Families with the Surnames L to Z to drop off their child/ren at 9.00am. Rolls are to be marked at 9.15am.

* **Staggered pick-up times** - Families with the Surname starting at A to K will be encouraged to pick up their child/ren at 3.15pm and families with the Surnames L to Z to pick up their child/ren at 3.30pm. Staff will be out supervising the students to their designated exit gate.

- * Students in Prep M, Prep S, 1C, 1J, 5/6A, 5/6L and 5/6S will exit at the front gate.
- * Students in 1S, 2B, 2G, 2S, 3/4A, 3/4B, 3/4H and 3/4M will be exit at the east side gate.

* Siblings in multiple year levels - children will be picked up according to the youngest in the family. Eg : a family who has a child in Prep S and Grade 2G, the will exit from the front entrance gate.

* Parents/carers are to only enter the school grounds when essential to do so with prior notification and authority has been given from a staff member. Initial contact to the school is by phone or email where appropriate instead of face to face.

* Parents/carers do not to linger while picking up or dropping off children.

LUNCH ORDERS : Mr K's has advised that lunch orders are still in full swing for our students still to enjoy!
 Please ensure your lunch orders are given to your child's school teacher by 9.15am on each Tuesday for delivery on Thursday. We do apologise, but we cannot accept late lunch orders after this time.
 <u>Please do not send lunch orders directly to Mr K's</u>. We can appreciate the hard impact the current situation has had on local businesses, so please if you can, order a lunch order and show Mara and the team at Mr K's, how much we appreciate their support to the school and community! Thank you!



EXTEND OSHC AT WANDIN :

Enrol in Out of Hours School Care – Enrolling is quick and easy! Simply set up your own account online via <u>LookedAfter:https://www.lookedafter.com/</u>

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 <u>extend.com.au</u>