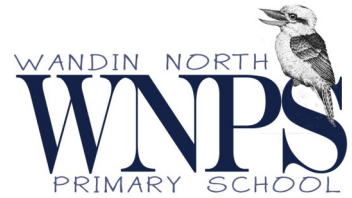


# Wandin North Primary School

## WEEKLY NEWS

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2023



### **Dates For Your Diary :**

- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May - Healesville Sanctuary Excursion Preps
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May - Free Dress Footy Teams Gold Coin—Sponsor Child Footy Pie Lunch Orders
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> June - Melbourne Zoo Excursion Grades 1-2
- Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June - Curriculum Day No Students At School
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June - Monarch's Birthday Public Holiday
- Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June - HEROS Local Excursions To Picnic Hill (# 2)
- Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June - Working Bee #4
- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June - School Council
- Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> - Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June - 3 Way Conferences 3:45pm—8:00pm
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June - Last Day Term 2 2:30pm Dismissal
- Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July - First Day Term 3

### **Noteworthy :**

Dear Parents

Every four years the Department of Education conduct school reviews. Wandin North Primary School's review is in Term 3 this year. The review process dives deep into our learning outcomes, student attitudes towards attending Wandin North and what parents' value about our school.

We invite parents to complete the below form to support the review process.

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1bm1oWAdrGL5MKoLia0qU1g8D5nFVsQ2wVnMSaE\\_xHCI/edit](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1bm1oWAdrGL5MKoLia0qU1g8D5nFVsQ2wVnMSaE_xHCI/edit)

- ♦ **Child Safety And Wellbeing At Wandin North Primary School: Information for families and the school community.** The Victorian Government has announced new [Child Safe Standards](#) to further strengthen child safety across organisations, including schools.

The new standards recognise the critical importance of families and the broader school community in maintaining and promoting child safety and wellbeing.

Wandin North Primary School has reviewed and updated our child safety policies and procedures to ensure they meet the requirements of the new standards. These are available to view on our school website <https://www.wandinorthps.vic.edu.au/newsletters-forms-policies/> and at the school's front office.

We are committed to continuous improvement in our approach to child safety and wellbeing and welcome feedback from families and members of our school community on ways we can further strengthen our child safety policies, procedures and practices.

If you have any suggestions, comments or questions, please contact Mr Paul Bailey or Mr Leigh Hallett.

- ◆ **Open Night** : We had a great turn out to our Open Night last Thursday evening. The activities in the classrooms were very entertaining and enjoyed by all. Thank you to everyone who attended and to staff for all of their hard work putting it together.
  
- ◆ **Updating Family Information** : ‘Family Contact Details & Parent Occupation Confirmation’ forms were sent home last week with the youngest students. Please return completed forms by Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May so that your details can be checked and updated. Thank you for your cooperation.
  
- ◆ **Working Bee Thank You** : Thank you to the Prinsen and Cronkshaw families for your efforts with concreting the slab in preparation for our chicken coop. Well done!
  
- ◆ **Working Bee #4** : Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June 9:00am - 12:00pm  
 Families rostered on are : Craig McEvoy (School Council Representative), Blythman, Buckland, Carter (Alannah), Chiang, Elias, Fisher, Foote, Hume, Iredale, Mollica, Moloney (Chase), Paisley, Pearson, Rainbird, Roberts (Max), Ryan (Eden), Sikhali, U’Ren, Walshe, Webber, Weir and Wroe.  
*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”:*  
<https://www.wandinorthps.vic.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Volunteer-Induction-Handbook.pdf>  
*Further information can be found in WNPS Volunteer Policy which can be found on the school’s website.*

- ◆ **NO NUTS PLEASE** : Some children at this school are allergic to nuts. We urge you to refrain from sending food containing nuts to school.
  
- ◆ **NO SMOKING** : Smoking is NOT PERMITTED at any time on school grounds or the surrounding areas, including the car parks.



- ◆ **TheirCare OSHC at Wandin North Primary School**  
 Enrol in Out of Hours School Care – Enrolling is quick and easy! Simply set up your own account online via [www.theircare.com.au](http://www.theircare.com.au) or call 1300 072 410.

