CHRISTMAS HILLS

Primary School

Newsletter





28th March, 2025 - Term 1 - Week 10



TarraWarra Art Museum Excursion

In our last week of school, we will be heading off on Tuesday (1st April) by bus to the TarraWarra Art Museum. Our students will have the opportunity to view their latest exhibition, "We Are Eagles" and then participate in a drawing workshop afterwards before coming back to school. This excursion provides a very special and unique opportunity for students to view newly commissioned works by 22 artists reflecting on culture, land, and sustainability. This will complement our students' Art program by encouraging reflection and discussion and well as build on their drawing skills.

Principal's Message

What a wonderful term 1 we have all had with so many exciting learning experiences!
We also welcomed this term two new students and their families to our school, Rahni (Grade 2) and Charlie (Grade 4).

Currently, we have a pre-service teacher completing a four-week placement with us. Tanisha, who is a fourth-year student from Swinburne University will be with us up until the end of this term and the first two weeks of term 2. I know the children have really been enjoying having Tanisha in the classroom.













Important Dates Term 1 & 2

- 28th March Yarra Valley Nocturnal Zoo tour
- 1st April Tarrawarra Art Museum tour
- 22nd April 1st day of Term 2
- 25th April ANZAC Day
- 6th May Healesville district athletics carnival

Term Dates

Term 1 - 28th January - 4th April

Term 2 - 22nd April - 4th July

Term 3 - 21st July - 19th September

Term 4 - 6th October - 19th December

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Gymnastics

We will have our last gymnastics session on Thursday (3rd April) before finishing school on Friday (4th April) at 2.00pm.

Parent/Teacher Interviews – Term 2 (Week 2)
We will be organising Parent/Teacher Interviews
next term in week 2. These will be held after school
on Monday 28th April, Tuesday 29th April and
Wednesday 30th April and will run for 10-15
minutes. These meetings will provide an
opportunity for us to touch base about your
child's progress, learning goals and how they have
settled into school. We will be sending out more
information at the start of term 2 so parents can
book in a time.

I would like to thank our wonderful staff and families for a super term. I wish you all a very relaxing and safe holiday and I look forward to seeing you back at school on Monday 28th April.

Maria Parks Principal







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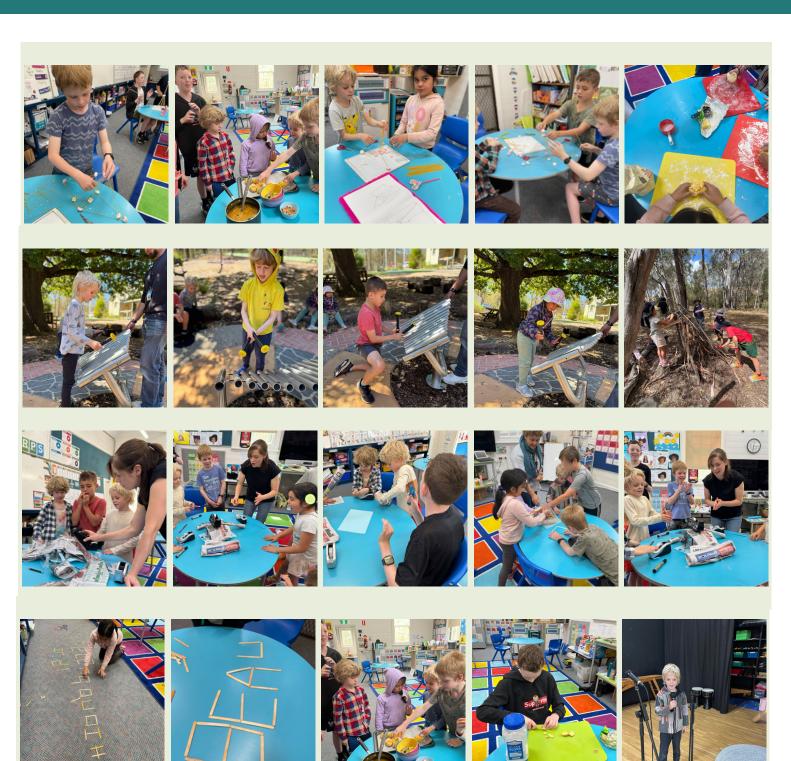
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NEWSLETTER



SCHOOL VALUES

Every child at Christmas Hills Primary School is supported in their social and emotional development in a caring way. We help students build skills in empathy and positive relationships, in a framework centred around our school values of CHIRPS – Caring, Honesty, Inquisitiveness, Respect, Persistence, Sharing.

These school values are built around our emblem, the blue wren, and they were jointly decided by students, staff and parents.



LUNCH ORDERS

We're excited to inform you that we will be continuing to take lunch orders every Wednesday through Dark Horse Café.

Please ensure all lunch orders are placed in the designated box by 3:30 PM on Tuesday, please include the student's name, lunch order details, and <u>exact change</u>.





Caring	Yard	Transitions	Classes	Toilets	Excursions
Honesty	Hear calm, polite and friendly voices	Calm, organised	Be mindful of personal space	Good hygiene	Be good role models
55	See inclusive play with a variety of activities	Enter learning spaces in an orderly manner	Take responsibility for your own learning	Respect others' privacy	Hear calm, polite and friendly voices
Persistence Sharing	See people caring for each other	Respectful of other students	Respectful listening		Be mindful of the general public
,	Respect nature				Move in an orderly, calm manner

SCHOOL UNIFORM

School uniforms are available for purchase at any time from the school office. It is important to ensure your child has their school uniform for school excursions.

Additionally, we are now selling book satchels that help keep home readers secure and easily accessible.



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Gymnastics

With a focus on fun, friendships and fitness, recreational gymnastics classes run Monday and Wednesday afternoons in the gymnasium located at Healesville High School. Our inclusive environment ensures children can learn fundamental gymnastics skills on floor, bars, beam and vault while building

their strength and confidence.

KinderGym

For children aged 18 months to 5 years old, KinderGym engages body and brain through movement in a fun and safe environment. With a foundation in gymnastics and a focus on gross and fine motor skills, you'll see you're childs confidence grow as they jump, balance and swing their way through an hour of fun activity!



A 45min session which introduces our littlest people (aged younger than 18mths) and their caregiver to the benefits of movement, song and dance while embracing social connections!



GYMNASTICS: MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

5 years and above 4-8pm

KINDERGYM: MONDAY - FRIDAY

4 - 5 years old 9:30 - 10:30am

18mth - 3 years old 10:30 - 11:30am BABY & ME: Tuesday 11:45-12:30pm



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