



CHRISTMAS HILLS
PRIMARY SCHOOL

WHERE LEARNING IS AN ADVENTURE

Message from Marcelle

I can't believe we are heading towards the end of Term 1! What a busy term it has been.

Next Tuesday we are very excited to be heading off to the Traffic School Excursion in Kew. We will be leaving school at 12.15pm and returning approximately 3.30pm. Please ensure your child is wearing school uniform and brings a water bottle, hat and snack. We will be having an early lunch before we leave. A huge thank you to Svetlana and Jodie for all their hard work organizing this excursion. We are looking forward to a wonderful afternoon of learning and fun.



Bush School has continued to be a highlight for the students. Over the last couple of weeks they have had a wonderful time with Adam and Mel participating in so many fun learning activities such as cooking classes, exploring our school environment and learning how to whittle. Bush School will continue to be on Wednesday afternoon until the end of this term.

Term One
17th March, 2023

Important Dates for Term 1

15th March - 24th NAPLAN

21st March - Traffic School -
whole school excursion

28th March—AFL Incursion

4th April—AFL Incursion

6th April - Last day of Term 1 -
2.30 dismissal

Dates to

Remember

Term 1 - Monday 30 January
2023 - Thursday 6 April
2023

Term 2 - Monday 24 April 2023
- Friday 23 June 2023

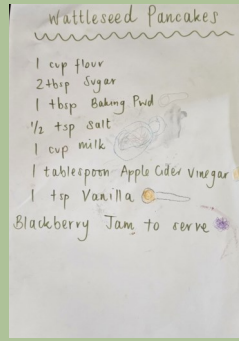
Term 3 - Monday 10 July 2023 -
Friday 15 September 2023

Term 4 - Monday 2 October
2023 - Wednesday

20 December 2023



Bush School Photos



The Inquiry focus this term has been 'Underground'. Students in Quip Quip and Bunjil have been exploring how plants grow, designing worm and ant farms as well as exploring fossils and rocks. On Monday we will have a visit from an Archaeologist who will share her knowledge on archaeology in Australia. Students will then continue researching an area of their interest around the Inquiry topic and then sharing their knowledge with a museum style presentation in the last week of school.

Showing our school values of Respect, Sharing, Caring, Persistence, Inquisitiveness and Honesty has continued to be a focus with students working together to create a CHIRPS tree. Students are filling this tree with leaves that relate to each value. Every leaf added is for the whole school. In the last week of the term, we will be celebrating filling the tree with some special activities organized with the help of our school leaders.

Have a wonderful weekend!



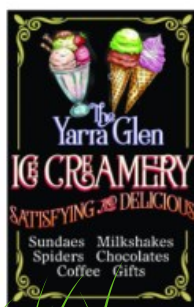


Thank You

Christmas Hills Primary School
would like to thank the following organisations
for supporting our 2023 School Fair



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ARE YOU 8-13 YEARS OLD?

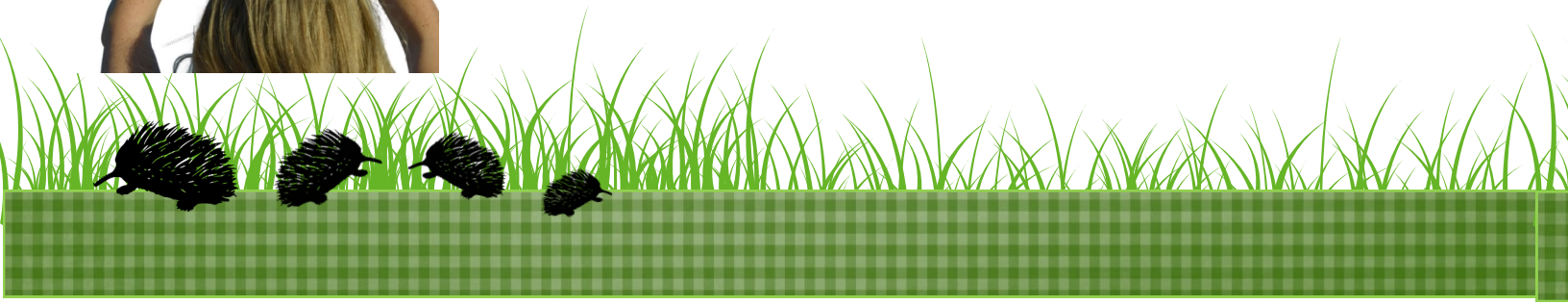
**DO YOU WANT A GUARANTEED
GAME OF FOOTY EVERY WEEK?**

**DO YOU WANT TO PLAY IN A FUN ENVIRONMENT AND
IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS?**

**If you answered “yes” then contact
Panton Hill Junior Football Netball Club**

e. phjfc.president@gmail.com

m. Chris 0422 604 988



Upcoming Dates Term 1



21st February - 2nd March -
Sommers Camp . Grade 6 only

22nd February -Sugarloaf
Sailing

2nd March - School Photos

5th March - Autumn School
Fair

8th March - Small School
Swimming Carnival

10th March - Curriculum Day

13th March - Labour Day

15th March - 24th March -
NAPLAN

21st March - Whole school
traffic school excursion

6th April - Last Day Of Term 1 -
2.30 Dismissal



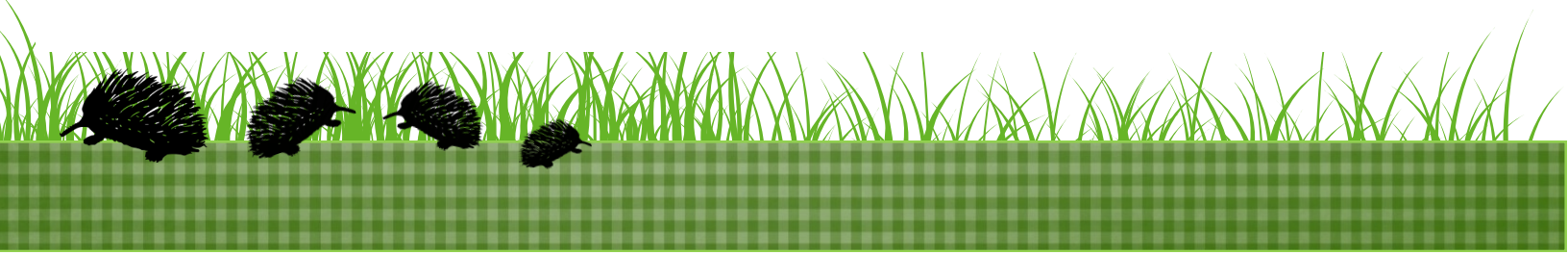
Exciting Activities coming up

Wednesday after school -
Chicken Club

Private music lessons continue
Tuesdays during school.

Private tennis lessons
Wednesdays during school.

Lunch orders from Dark Horse
are continuing this term.



OPEN FARM DAY

Farming on the Fringe

**Saturday
18 March
10am-4pm**

**Edendale Farm
30 Gastons Road Eltham**

Farms and businesses across the region will be on site showcasing their products and services.

On the day you can:

- Meet local farmers, sample and purchase produce
- Meet farm animals
- Enjoy entertainment on the day including face painting and live music.

For an overview of the day's workshops and activities and a list of businesses and organisations involved on the day visit:

nillumbik.vic.gov.au/open-farm-day

**Free
Family
Event**





DARK HORSE



CHPS LUNCH ORDER MENU

Salad Roll \$6.00

Ham and Cheese Toastie \$5.00

Fresh Sandwich \$5.00

Ham and Cheese \$5.00

Vegemite \$5.00

Jam \$5.00

Nuggets and Chips \$6.00

Cheese Burger and Chips \$6.00

Chips \$3.00

Party Pies and Sausage rolls \$1.50 each

Hot Dog with Cheese \$3.50

Hot Dog no Cheese \$3.00

Chocolate or Strawberry Milk \$2.80

Prima Apple juice \$2.50

Water \$2.00

LUNCH ORDERS EVERY WEDNESDAY

**PLEASE WRITE YOUR ORDER AND CHILD'S NAME ON A BROWN PAPER BAG AND
ENCLOSE CORRECT MONEY.**

LUNCH ORDERS ARE DUE TO THE OFFICE NO LATER THAN 3PM TUESDAYS



Call us to arrange a tour
9730 1238
0499 205 083

1409 Eltham-Yarra Glen Rd,
Christmas Hills, Vic 3775
Christmas.hills.ps@education.vic.gov.au



Child Name _____

Menu

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Salad Roll | \$6.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ham and Cheese Toastie | \$5.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fresh Sandwich | \$5.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ham and Cheese | \$5.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vegemite | \$5.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jam | \$5.00 |
| | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nuggets and Chips | \$6.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cheese Burger and Chips | \$6.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chips | \$3.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Party Pies | \$1.50 each |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sausage rolls | \$1.50 each |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hot Dog with Cheese | \$3.50 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hot Dog no Cheese | \$3.00 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Chocolate Milk | \$2.80 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Strawberry Milk | \$2.80 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prima Apple juice | \$2.50 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water | \$2.00 |

Please Enclosed Correct Money

Total \$ _____

Easter School Holiday Activities

PANTON HILL NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

Mosaic Pot Decorating

Come along to our fun and creative school holiday program suitable for 5-12 yr olds.

Tues 18 April 10am-11am \$10

Bush Magic craft workshop

This activity is open to children aged 6 to 10 years

Wed 19 April 10am - 11am \$16



18 Bishops Rd
Panton Hill



Neighbourhood Houses
The heart of our community



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LIVING & LEARNING
NILLUMBIK



Caring Honesty Inquisitiveness



Christmas Hills Primary School

At CHPS we show our CHIRPS by...

Yard	Transitions	Classes	Toilets	Excursions
Hear calm, polite and friendly voices	Calm, organised	Be mindful of personal space	Good hygiene	Be good role models
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
See people caring for each other		Respectful listening		Be mindful of the general public
Respect nature				Move in an orderly, calm manner

Sharing Persistence Respect

SCHOOL UNIFORM

C.H.P.S



UNIFORM PRICES

- Polo shirt size 6,8,12,14- \$15
- Polo shirt - Adult S,M, L - \$21.50
- Wide brim hat - \$15
- Communication satchel - \$15
- Child vest - \$17.90 Adult 21.20
- Blue gingham dress- \$18
- Grade six top - \$46