

SLEIGH PARK THE AMSLEIGH BUZZ



Term 3

Issue 5

Week 9

Thursday Sept 13, 2018

DIARY DATES SEPTEMBER

Friday 21st

Last Day of Term 3 – finish at 2.30pm

Footy Supporters' Day – wear your footy colours

OCTOBER

Monday 8th

First Day Term 4

TUESDAYS ARE NUDE FOOD DAYS

WEDNESDAY IS SCHOOL BANKING
DAY

DUE BY DATES:

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 19th

Production DVD/USB orders due

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ACTING PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

School Production - 'A Test of Time'



Our school production for 2018 was a great success and I'd like to offer my sincere congratulations to everyone involved. Our students performed wonderfully, showing great excitement and enthusiasm all throughout the process of learning their songs and dances, through to their actual performances over the two nights.

One thing that really shines through in the production is the level of passion and dedication shown by staff and parents to support the success of this event. There is something very special about the way our community works together to ensure the success of the show. We really are very lucky to have such a fabulous school community!

I also know that it's these highly engaging learning experiences that students often remember as a highlight of their school life. However, it's not all just about fun, as we have some very clear goals to foster interpersonal skills in cooperation, teamwork and persistence, whilst also supporting the development of high levels of confidence in performance. It's hard to measure such things but we know they will be vital in student's future lives.

Thanks once again to Miss Hayes and Mrs Kennedy for writing, directing and producing such a great learning experience for our students. Thank you to our teaching and support staff for their hard work in supporting and preparing students. Thank you to the many parents who supported the event in so many ways including making costumes and props, setting up chairs, transporting sets, helping with the canteen, car parking, raffle tickets and of course coming along to the performances. I hope you enjoyed it as much as I did!

If you would like to order a DVD or USB recording of the show, please go to www.trybooking.com/417239 for credit card payments, or fill in a form at the office for cash payments. (Payments due by Wednesday 19th September).

Sun Smart

Whilst the weather has not heated up yet, we are advised that UV levels are already on the rise. Ultraviolet (UV) radiation is invisible so it can't be seen or felt physically. UV radiation can be high even on cool and overcast days. This means we can't rely on clear skies or high temperatures to determine when we need to protect ourselves from the sun. The UV Index is reported daily by the Bureau of Meteorology. The alert identifies times during the day when the UV level is 3 or above and sun protection is needed.

The Cancer Council recommend a combination of sun protection measures:

- 1. Slip on some sun-protective clothing that covers as much skin as possible.
- 2. Slop on broad spectrum, water resistant SPF30+ (or higher) sunscreen. Put it on 20 minutes before you go outdoors and every two hours afterwards. Sunscreen should never be used to extend the time you spend in the sun.
- 3. Slap on a hat broad brim or legionnaire style to protect your face, head, neck and ears.
- 4. Seek shade.
- 5. Slide on some sunglasses make sure they meet Australian Standards.

Our Sun Smart Policy specifies that all students must wear a sun smart hat whenever they are outdoors at school. Please support our Sun Smart policy by providing a 'sun smart' hat for your child.

School Holidays

We finish at **2.30pm** on **Friday 21st September** as we break for the Term 3 school holidays. As this is our final edition of the Buzz for term 3, I want to wish everyone at happy and safe holiday. I hope that both students and staff get a chance to rest up in preparation for another busy term of learning. Hard to believe it is nearly the end of Term 3! Take care.

2018 Amsleigh Park Primary Year book

Preparations are underway for the 2018 year book. Many families chose to pre order and pay for their 2018 year book as part of the 2018 parent contributions (2018 school fees). If you haven't done this and would like one, please ensure payment is made by **Friday 19th October**, to ensure your family doesn't miss out on this wonderful memento and record of our year's learning.

School Pick Up and Drop Off

We all want our students to arrive at school and home again safely each day. To ensure this is the case, please note that a teacher is on **yard duty from 8:45am** each morning before school **and until 3.45pm afterschool** each afternoon. If students cannot be dropped off or collected within these hours, please ensure they attend Out Of School Hours Care. If you are unavoidably delayed in the afternoon, please support our practice of having students **wait inside the school building**, at the office for collection, and understand we **cannot leave students to wait unattended**, outside of the school grounds. Thanks for your support in ensuring we maintain student safety.

Footy Supporters Day

Next Friday the 21st September, the last day of term, is Footy Supporters Day at Amsleigh Park PS. Students have the option of wearing their footy colours on this day. It can be a favourite soccer team, AFL team or rugby team. This is <u>not</u> a fundraiser, rather the SRC have organised this day to celebrate footy finals season.

Uniform Shop – New hours and help wanted

Our Uniform Shop opening hours will change as of term 4. The new opening times will be Monday afternoons from 3:30-4:00pm and Wednesday mornings from 8:30am-9:00am. We are also looking for some uniform shop volunteers, who could spare half an hour per week. If you could assist on Monday afternoons or Wednesday mornings, we would greatly appreciate your help! Please contact the office if you are able to help out.



NEW UNIFORM SHOP TIMES

As of **Monday 8th October 2018** the uniform shop will be open at the following times:

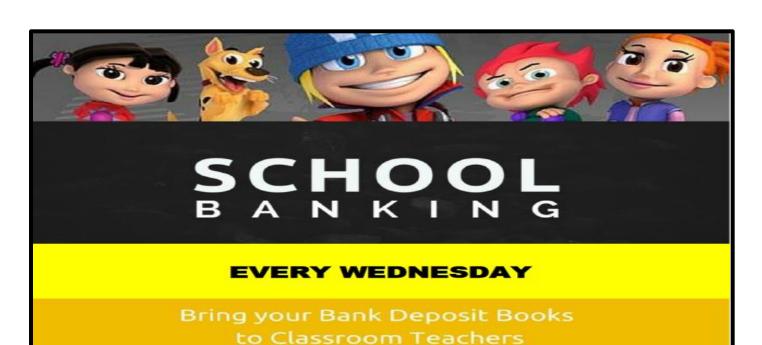
Monday 3.30pm – 4.00pm Wednesday 8.45am – 9.30am



We are searching for volunteers who can spare half an hour per week to assist in the uniform shop.

If you are able to help out on Monday afternoons or Wednesday mornings, please contact the General Office.

Your help would be greatly appreciated. Thank You.





APPS CANTEEN



The Canteen is open each Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

▶ The Canteen is CLOSED on Tuesdays ◀

Lunch orders are **NOT** available on Tuesdays

Current Menu/Pricelist is available on the school website – www.amsleigh.vic.edu.au

CANTEEN HELPERS ROSTER				
SEPTEMBER				
	Friday 15 th - Sharon & Tarsh			
Thursday 20 th – TBA	Friday 21 st - Patrice			

We're always happy to have new people join our team of Canteen Helpers.

If you would like to volunteer on Thursdays or Fridays, please contact Dia on 0418 536 154.

(Volunteers must hold a current Working With Children card)

Thank you.

APPS UNIFORM SHOP

Located next to the General Office

OPENING HOURS FOR TERM 3 2018

TUESDAY & THURSDAY AFTERNOON - 3:30PM - 4:00PM WEDNESDAY MORNINGS - 8;45AM - 9:30AM

(Copy of the approved uniform list is available at the Uniform Shop, the General Office and on our website www.amsleigh.vic.edu.au)

For any other queries, or to source second hand items, please visit the Uniform Shop during the above opening hours.

A huge thank you to the families who donate second hand uniforms back to the school.

We really appreciate the supply of good quality items to offer for sale at reduced prices.

Joanne & Kath

SUMMER ITEMS NOW AVAILABLE

ITEM	SIZES	PRICE
Summer Dress	4 - 16	\$23.00 each
Cotton/Lycra Bike Shorts	4 - 16	\$12.00 pair
Boy Leg Briefs	4-6, 8-10, 12-14	\$11.00 pair
Short Sleeve Panelled Polo	4-16	\$26.00 each
SurfT-Shirt	4 - 16	\$15.00 each
Shorts - Cotton Rugby (unisex)	4 - 16	\$15.00 pair
Shorts - Gabardine Zip Pocket	4 - 16	\$17.00 pair
Slouch Hat	Small, Medium, Large, Extra Large	\$10.00 each

DEAR PARENT

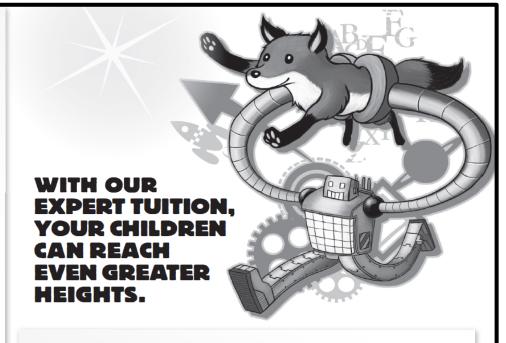
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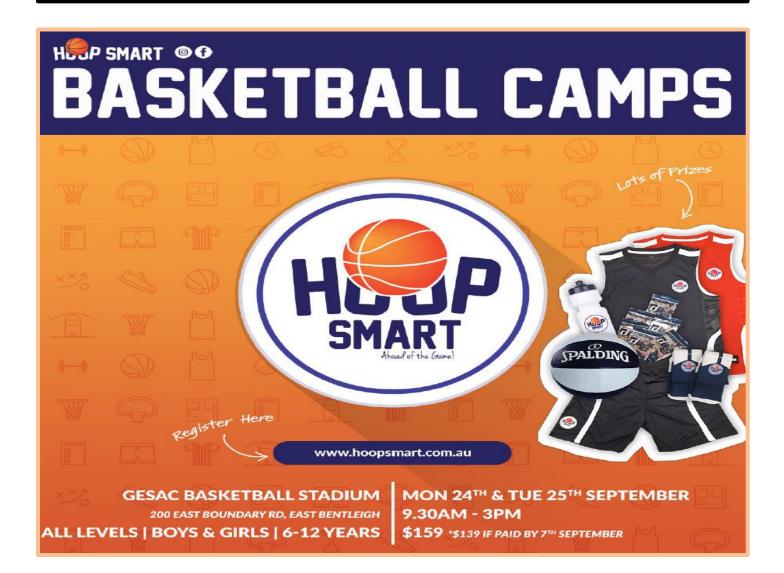
Kind regards,
Rachael Mathews

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Amsleigh Park PS - Term 3 2018 Planner

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1 Monday 16 th July	16 School Resumes for Term 3	17	18 Divisional Soccer final - boys	19 Divisional Soccer final - Girls	20
WEEK 2 Monday 23 rd July	23 LIFE EDUCATION —	24	25 Divisional Netball School Council Dinner	26	27 Grade 1/2 Walking Excursion to Reg Harris Reserve
WEEK 3 Monday 30 th July	30 NUDE FOOD Week	31 ICAS English Competition	1 Prep Teddy Bears Hospital Incursion	2	3 Grade 3/4 Melbourne Zoo Excursion
WEEK 4 Monday 6 th Aug	6	7 German Poetry Competition	8 100 Days of Prep Celebration	9	10 House Athletics
WEEK 5 Monday 13 th Aug	13 Curriculum Day Student Free Day	14 ICA Maths Competition	15	16 House Athletics (Alternate)	17
WEEK 6 Monday 20 th Aug	20 School Council Grade 5 camp —	21	22	23	24
WEEK 7 Monday 27 th Aug	27 District Athletics	28	29 Mothers for Father' Day Australian Girls Choir Visit	30 Fathers' Day Stall	31
WEEK 8 Monday 3 rd Sep	3	4	5 5/6 Incursion - Economics	6	7
WEEK 9 Monday 10 th Sep	10	11 School Production	12 School Production	13	14
WEEK 10 Monday 17 Sep	17 School Council	18	19	20	21 Last Day – Term 3 2.30pm finish