



NEWSLETTER

29th February 2024

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Dear Parents,

Thank you to everyone for such a smooth start to our 2024 school year and welcome to a leap year (note the date)! It has been wonderful to see the children settling into their learning communities and growing strong relationships with their teachers and peers. Congratulations to our newest 'Hartwellians', our Preps and new students, who have transitioned beautifully at school. I hope all our new families are beginning to feel settled and welcomed into our community.

MOVIE NIGHT

What fabulous weather we had last Saturday for our first community/fundraising event of the year! It was wonderful to see so many of our families come along to share the event, to meet, or reconnect. My thanks to all our volunteers who assisted with serving drinks and food, general tidying and ensuring the night was a success. A special thank you to Kevin Shih, our event organizer and his family who I know supported the movie night. We really appreciate everyone helping with these special activities. My thanks also to Katie Cooper who came along and provided the opportunity to purchase second hand uniform.

INFORMATION EVENINGS/PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS TERM 1

Thank you for your participation in our first information evenings for the year. We hope that you found these useful and that they have assisted with general organization for each year level. My thanks to the teachers who ran these events. ***Shortly, we will be sending an invitation to families to book a time for a face-to-face parent/teacher meeting.*** The information will be sent out via SENTRAL. Positive parent/teacher partnerships are the foundation of student success and I encourage you to make the time to attend as it supports your child/children with their learning for the rest of the year.

2024 Dates to Remember

Term 1		
	March	
Monday	4 - 8	Year 6 Camp
Monday	11	Public Holiday-no school
Wednesday	20 - 21	School Photos
Thursday	28	End of Term 1 2.30 finish
	April	
Monday	15	Term 2 commences
Friday	26	Curriculum Day
Monday	29/4 - 9/5	Year 2 Swimming
	May	
Wednesday	1-3	Year 5 Camp
Monday	13/5 - 23/5	Year 1 Swimming
Monday	27/5 - 6/6	Year 4 Swimming begins
	June	
Monday	10	Public Holiday-no school
Tuesday	11/6 - 20/6	Year 3 Swimming
Tuesday	25	Year 6 Production
Friday	28	End of Term 2 2.30 finish

SCHOOL ORGANISATION – reminders!

Thank you so much for supporting our '[Ten to 9, Be On Time](#)' initiative. We are seeing calm, well-prepared children begin their learning program each morning, please keep up the great work!

Late Arrival/Early Departure - Please be aware that children are not allowed to sign themselves in or out during the school day. It is a legal requirement that parents come into the school office to complete the register and this certainly assists us with ensuring the children are safe at all times. It is also worth considering the timing of an early departure, please avoid recess and lunchtime, it is very difficult to find

children when they are playing (you can find the times in the information handbook that was sent earlier this term). Thank you for your support with these matters.

YEAR BOOK 2024

Each year our school produces a year book as a memento for the year. We have a brand new year book committee led by Amanda Tey and Liesl Chuah. To assist them they are looking for some parents who have a professional type camera and would be happy to take photos at various events throughout the year. If you can help please contact the school office.

Finally, next week our Year 6 students and ten staff will be heading to Canberra for their Year 6 camp program. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students as they visit many interesting places over the week to extend their knowledge of history, geography, civics and citizenship and of course leadership and government. Thank you to those staff attending, I hope everyone has an amazing week.

REMINDERS:

- Term 1 is a hat-wearing term
- End of Term 1: Thursday 28th March at 2.30pm

ATTACHED:

Boroondara Bike Lane information – Highfield Road



.Lisa Banks
Principal

UNIFORM SHOP - SPARTAN SCHOOL WORLD

Please contact Spartan for all uniform supplies.

Store Address: 66 Essex Road, Mt Waverley 3149

Telephone: 1800 815 557

Email: onlineorders@spartanss.com.au

Website:

<https://www.spartanschoolworld.com.au/collections/hartwell-primary-school>

SECOND-HAND UNIFORM SHOP

Please note the Second Hand Uniform Shop will be open on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month at 8.30am-9.15am.

THE GREEN CANTEEN (TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS only)

Please direct all recess and lunch queries to The Green Canteen:

Phone 0432 393 064

email: thegreencanteenau@gmail.com

Orders can be placed until 9am each Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Hartwell Prayer Group

At HPS we have a group of parents who meet together regularly to pray for our school community and share in Christian fellowship. We have a prayer meeting coming up on Monday 18th March at 2.15pm. If you would like more details please contact Jess Steer (0438 515 703), Basma George (0414 194 977) or Amanda Tey (0410 550 848).

ADVERTISING PAGE

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Dates
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- Bulleen
- Canterbury
- Doncaster
- Kew

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admin@australiansportscamps.com.au

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HOLIDAY CLINICS

PROGRAMS

Blue and Red programs - \$45

(3yo - 8yo)

9am to 11am and have the option to do play and stay- 11am - 1pm \$25.

*Stay and play must be booked in conjunction with the 9-11am program

Orange, Green and Teen - \$70

(8yo - 16yo)

9am to 1pm.



Scan QR code for more information and bookings.



Offered at Burwood TC, Deepdene TC and North Kew TC

Apr: 2nd - 5th @ BTC, NKTC

Apr: 8th - 12th @ BTC, DTC

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www.toptenn.com.au

info@toptenn.com.au

03 9830 6618

9th & 10th April
@ The Burwood Tennis Club

TOPTENN OPEN

SCAN THE QR CODE TO ENTER!

Toptenn Opens are a fantastic competition experience for Orange (8-10yo), and Green (10-12yo) stage players. Coaches supervise singles and doubles matches to help students learn and experience match play in a fun and friendly way. Entry fee is \$40.

Orange Open - 9th Apr 1:30 - 3:30pm | Green Open - 10th Apr 1:30 - 3:30pm

Email admin@s4sacademy.com.au to book your spot in a free trial session on Wednesday 6th March.



**BEFORE & AFTER
SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

Monday @ 3:30pm - 4:30pm

Wednesday @ 7:45am - 8:45am

Ages 5-12

Hartwell Primary School

Visit www.s4sacademy.com.au to secure your spot!

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**AUDITION for the
Australian Youth
Choir 2024**



Enrolments for 2024 are now open to boys and girls from 8 years of age.



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- Singing
- Musicianship; choral repertoire
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- Self-esteem
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Weekly rehearsals in Canterbury during school Term with concerts included in the year.

AUDITION NOW FOR 2024

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EMAIL: office2@niypaa.com.au
OR
CALL: 98362877 (please leave a message for a return call)

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**Saturday
2nd
MARCH**



ITALIAN -FESTA-

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TO
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REGISTER AT www.siena.vic.edu.au/fun-run

Re: On-road bike lanes - Highfield Road, Camberwell

We are writing to inform you of our plans to install safer intersection treatments along Highfield Road (between Hunter Road and Toorak Road) in Camberwell. This is an action we committed to deliver from our Boroondara Bicycle Strategy 2022.

Our aim is to improve safety by creating separation between bicycle riders and motor vehicles. Doing so will support more people to move around our city safely and sustainably.

Works are expected to be carried out before the end of June 2024. Below is a summary of the upgrades planned for this section of Highfield Road to improve safety for bicycle riders and motor vehicle drivers.

Highfield Road T-intersections (between Hunter Road and Toorak Road)

Along this section of road, we are installing:

- green painted bicycle lane treatments at all intersecting roads
- edge line markings that provide vibration and warning when driven over on the approach and departure side of intersections
- extensions to the existing 'No Stopping' zone – extending to 20 metres on the Highfield Road approaches to the T-intersections.

The 'No Stopping' zone will result in the loss of 1 to 2 on-street car parking spaces at an intersection. Access to properties will be maintained.

