



Manor Lakes
College

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newsletter

No.20 Week Ending Friday 30th June 2017

SUPERVISION IN THE YARD BEGINS AT 8:35 AM AND ENDS AT 3:15 PM

**End of Term 2
Today, Friday 30th June 2017,
1:30pm Dismissal**

**Curriculum Day - No School
Monday 17th July 2017**

**Start of Term 3
Tuesday 18th July 2017**

Grade 2 Fundraising

On Friday 16th June the Grade 2 Team in partnership with our parent/carer helpers hosted a **Sausage Sizzle** fundraiser for families and students. After the families attended the P-2 Assembly, they were provided with the opportunity to purchase a delicious hot sausage in bread and a cold drink from the stall. On behalf of the Grade 2 students and staff, we would like to say thank you to everyone who helped before, during and after the event and all families that made donations. A special mention to our amazing Grade 2 families; in particular Mr Liddy, Mr France, Ms D Strong and Lachlan M's grandmother. All profit made will go the Grade 2 Team learning resources: - maths concrete materials and supplementing our reading supplies. We hope to host more of these events, and we welcome any feedback (contact the college on 9741 4202) for any ideas for future fundraisers.



Free Meningococcal ACWY Vaccine for Years 10,11 & 12 – Term 3 2017

In 2017, the Victorian Secondary School Vaccine Program will offer free meningococcal ACWY vaccine to students in Years 10, 11 and 12. The vaccine provides protection against four strains of meningococcal disease (ACWY) and is administered as a single dose.

Parents/guardians of Year 10, 11 and 12 students should look out for the Meningococcal ACWY Secondary School Vaccine Program consent card coming home from school with your child in Term 3. You need to read the information, complete and return the card regardless of whether your child is being vaccinated at school.

Adolescents are at increased risk of meningococcal disease. Although uncommon, it can become life threatening, very quickly. There are different strains of meningococcal bacteria known by letters of the alphabet, including meningococcal A, B, C, W and Y. In recent years, the meningococcal W strain has increased across Australia, with Victoria experiencing 11 cases to date in 2017 and 48 cases in 2016, compared to 17 cases in 2015, four in 2014 and 1 in 2013. It is now the predominant strain in Victoria.

The Wyndham City Council immunisation service may contact you about the meningococcal ACWY vaccine program. Schools are authorised to provide basic parent/guardian contact details to local councils for this purpose. A letter regarding the Meningococcal ACWY Secondary School Vaccine Program was uploaded as a Compass newsfeed item on 1st June 2017. Parents received notification via the email address on file. This letter was also posted on the Manor Lakes P-12 College Facebook page.

To learn more about meningococcal disease, the meningococcal ACWY vaccine and how you can prepare your child for vaccination, visit betterhealth.vic.gov.au or immunehero.health.vic.gov.au

Prep Healthy Breakfast

Yesterday the Prep students and staff arrived at school ready to have a Healthy Breakfast looking very warm and comfortable wearing their pyjamas. Over the past few weeks, the students have been exploring the Health Curriculum and in particular learning about the food we eat helping us to grow healthy. Sharing a breakfast at school was an authentic opportunity for the learning to be linked directly with a life experience. All students and staff had a wonderful time participating in a variety of integrated Health activities throughout the day. We thank all parents for supporting this event.



Grievance Procedure for Parents/Carers

- Step 1: Make an appointment to meet with the teacher.
- Step 2: If the issue is unresolved, make an appointment with a Sub-school Assistant Principal
Ph. 9741 4202
- Step 3: To reach final resolution you may need to meet with the Assistant Principal on more than one occasion.
- Step 4: Make an appointment with the Principal via the Principal's Executive Assistant.
- Step 5: If you are still dissatisfied phone or write to the Principal.
- Step 6: After steps 1-5, if the matter is not resolved, then the issue can be raised with the Regional Office on 9291- 6500

Prep to Grade 6 End of Semester 1 Summative Reports

As the end of term draws to an end, teachers have been busily preparing your child's semester 1 report for 2017. The report is designed to provide you with a comprehensive account of your child's academic progress along the learning continuum at a point in time. Learning for many children occurs incrementally along the learning continuum however, the rate and pace of learning is not fixed or constant.

We remind parents and carers to log onto **Compass** and read your child's end of semester summative report. This report provides you with an insight into the curriculum areas covered and the learning that has taken place throughout term 1 and term 2.

The written report is one part of a multi layered reporting process. At the Three -Way Conferences next term you child will be able to articulate his/her learning and share work sample as evidence in working towards or achieving their individual goals. This will then set the scene for subsequent goal setting discussions. I invite you to share /read your child's report together and celebrate the achievements of the first semester's learning.

Should you require support or assistance with navigating Compass please speak to your child's teacher or alternatively call the college office (9741 4202) and ask to speak with Rhiannon Porter or myself.

Indonesian Update

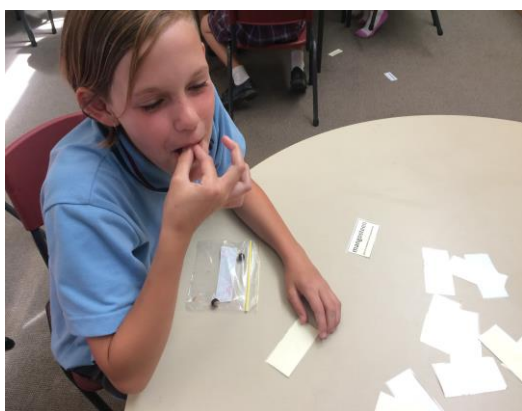
In Term 3, I will be teaching some of the classes from Foundation to Year 6.

Each Year level will be studying a different topic:

Foundation: Introduction to Indonesian:

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| Year 1: | Basic Indonesian |
| Year 2: | Transport |
| Year 3: | Classroom Items |
| Year 4: | Parts of the Body |
| Year 5: | Sports |
| Year 6: | Tropical Fruits and Vegetables |

Students from Year 6 Jess Bok, Year 6 Bonnie and Year 6 Chelsey/Cheryl celebrated the end of the Tropical Fruits topic by tasting some of the exotic fruit for themselves. I was able to find some durian and longan fruits at the Footscray Market. Most of the students were brave enough to try the durian which has been called the "king of fruits" and is said to taste like heaven and smell like hell.



I encourage all Indonesian language students to keep practising their language skills over the holidays. Michael Edwards, the Primary Digital Learning Leader at Manor Lakes College has recommended "5 Favorite iPhone Apps for Learning Indonesian" which can be found using this link: <http://indospired.com/5-favourite-iphone-apps-for-learning-indonesian/>

Please help your child download these Apps for use at home and at school.

Terima kasih dan selamat libur! (Thank you and have a great holiday!)

Peter Osboldstone
Teacher, Primary Language

Art News

Winter Community Fair Art Competition: selected students from Year 7 across Wyndham schools were given the task of designing and making an Igloo to celebrate winter at Pacific Werribee Shopping Centre. The students could make their Igloo's out of any material and in any style, they wished. The Igloo's were displayed at Pacific Werribee and judged by the public over the weekend.

Congratulations to our two teams for taking out 2nd and 3rd prizes:

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| 2nd Prize: | Molley V & Ellinor S | – Clay Igloo |
| 3rd Prize: | Ben R & Hamira H | – Recycled bottle cap Igloo |

A fantastic result for our college.

Cindy Pedrana
Teacher, Art

This Afternoon - End of Term Feast!



Friday After School Feast!

We would like to invite the school community to
celebrate the end of term with the

FACES

(Fundraising and Community Events Group)

for a Sausage Sizzle on the Bonney Basketball Court

Friday 30th June at 1pm

Come and vote on the new logo design for the
FACES group.

Each person who votes will go into the draw to
win a hamper!

Sausages \$2.00
Soft Drinks \$1.50
Donuts \$1.00



All proceeds raised will support the purchase of a snow-cone
machine to be used at future school fundraising events.



Parent Engagement News

A great way for parents to play an active role in their child's learning is to contribute to the school community and help out teachers. This kind of help is always highly valued and appreciated, and it can give parents an understanding of the learning programs and how our school functions as a community.

The Community and Parent Engagement Group - a subcommittee of the Manor Lakes College Council, aims to support teachers and give parents an opportunity to be part of their children's education setting.



FACES (Fundraising and Community Events Group) sits within the group and is the driving force of opportunity for parents, which raise vital funds for school equipment.

More than 1000 families are represented at Manor Lakes College, so imagine what we'd achieve if every family nominated to do 'just one thing' to make the school a better place. If you'd like to join in on the fun, please contact us at: Kristy.Gray@thesmithfamily.com.au or

fundraising@manorlakesp12.vic.edu.au



Parent Engagement News

So far this semester we have worked alongside teachers and other parents to bring fabulous events such as:

Parent Morning Tea
Year 1 & 4 Cake Stall
Year 2 & 6 BBQ
Mothers Day Stall
Easter Raffle
Working Bee

Working Bee

It was a great turn out at the college's first working bee for 2017. With over 30 families helping out, lots of work was completed.

After a job well done, everyone then enjoyed pizza, drinks and a chat.



Working Bee



Another Working Bee will be held next term on Saturday 29th July



Dates To Remember

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| Monday | Every | Breakfast Club, 8:15am – 8:45am (Dalaroo Learning House) |
| Tuesday | Every | Rushford's Uniform Shop, 8:30am – 10:30am (Argyle Administration) |
| Thursday | Every | School Banking |
| Thursday | Every | Rushford's Uniform Shop, 2:00pm – 4:00pm (Argyle Administration) |
| Friday | Every | Breakfast Club, 8:15am – 8:45am (Dalaroo Learning House) |
| Monday | 17 th July | Curriculum Day –No School |
| Tuesday | 18 th July | First Day of Term 3 |
| Tuesday | 18 th July | Selected Students Construction Induction Training (White Card), 9:00am – 3:00pm, (Echo learning House – Manor Lakes College) |
| Wednesday | 19 th July | Western Metro TIS Event, 8:30am – 11:30am, (Victoria University, Footscray) |
| Wednesday | 19 th July | Grade 6 District Tee ball Finals, 9:00am – 11:00pm, (Presidents Park) |
| Thursday | 20 th July | Supported Class – Sandra Travel Training, 9:00am – 3:00pm, (ACMI, Melbourne) |
| Thursday | 20 th July | Supported Class – Jackie Travel Training, 9:00am – 3:00pm, (Pacific Werribee) |
| Friday | 21 st July | Supported Class Georgina – Community Access, 9:00am – 11:30pm, (Pacific Werribee) |
| Monday | 24 th July | VCE/VCAL Information Night 2018, 6:00pm – 7:30pm |
| Monday | 24 th July | Supported Class – Jane Community Access Term 3 Begins, 11:30am – 1:30pm, (Pacific Werribee) |
| Tuesday | 25 th July | Supported Class – Olivia Community Access Term 3 Begins, 11:30am – 1:30pm, (Pacific Werribee) |
| Wednesday | 26 th July | Selected Intermediate Boys AFL Football Western Metropolitan Region Semi Finals, 9:00am – 3:00pm, (Maribyrnong Park & Overland Reserve) |
| Friday | 28 th July | Year 11 Zoo's Influence on You, 9:00am – 3:00pm, (Werribee Open Range Zoo – K Road, Werribee) |
| Friday | 28 th July | Year 11 Jewish Holocaust Centre Excursion, 8:45am – 3:00pm, (Selwyn St, Elsternwick) |

Compass

Can all parents and guardians please make sure that you are regularly logging onto Compass via the website <https://manorlakesp12.vic.jdlf.com.au/>. This is the College's school management program and will provide you access to all aspects of your child's school life. Functions that parents are able to access include viewing and approving absences, proving consent and paying for excursions and incursions, booking parent / teacher interviews, contacting teachers and keeping an eye on important dates via the College community calendars.

All students currently have feedback uploaded for various curriculum areas and learning tasks. Please access your child's learning tasks to view teacher feedback, scoring (if relevant) and your child's reflection on their learning. Please take the opportunity to provide any constructive feedback to your child and/or child's teacher regarding their learning in the particular curriculum area. A reminder that the college is moving away from traditional end of semester reports, although a summation of your child's learning will be available each semester including AusVELS progression points, any other relevant grading's applicable to VCE/VCAL, additional teacher feedback for personal learning and overall achievement in subject area.

Newsletter Sign Up

The college newsletter can be accessed online via the college website: www.manorlakesp12.vic.edu.au. We encourage all families to sign up as an efficient means to receiving the newsletter. The newsletter is one of the main forms of communication within our college community; all news, dates and information are published on a weekly basis

Personal Property

- Students are discouraged from bringing valuable personal property to school (including mobile phones)
- If students choose to bring valuable personal property to school, they do so at their own risk
- The Department and the college do not hold insurance for personal property brought to schools and therefore it will not generally pay for any loss or damage property own risk.

Community News



discover fun and freedom! build confidence!
make friends! challenge yourself!
get active! try new things! test your limits!

Be Prepared...

for new adventure



Scouts Australia is the largest youth development organisation in Australia with over 66,000 members nationwide. No other organisation offers such a diverse range of activities for young people across such a wide range of ages. Scouts Australia is open to young people aged 6 to 25, and to enthusiastic and committed adult volunteers who want to share the adventure!

**YOUR LOCAL
SCOUT GROUP:**

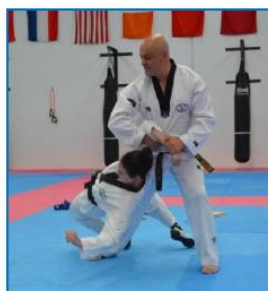
1800 SCOUTS
www.scouts.com.au



CITY WEST TAEKWONDO

POINT COOK

C/- Seabrook Primary School Gym
Point Cook Road, Point Cook
T: 9748 8833 M: 0402 314 900
Instructor: Zack Markovski - 3rd Dan



HOPPERS CROSSING

Club Headquarters
111 Elm Park Drive, Hoppers Crossing
T: 9748 8833 M: 0419 411 211
Head Instructor: Frank De Pasquale - 7th Dan



MANOR LAKES*

C/- Manor Lakes College Gym
Minindee Road, Manor Lakes
T: 9748 8833 M: 0419 598 874
Instructor: Anthony D'Rosario - 4th Dan



Mini Stars Program - Kids (5-7yrs)

Gives confidence to kids.... our exclusive Mini Stars Program starts at 5yrs old and is suitable for young children. This structured program promotes valuable life lessons from early childhood as well as encourages discipline in a fun and friendly learning environment.

Juniors Taekwondo Program - Kids (8-13yrs)

Where leadership is promoted and rewarded.... our Juniors Program focuses largely on student growth and development. We pride ourselves on developing kids to their full potential through positive interaction, engagement and practice. Many of our Juniors are recognised for their distinctive leadership qualities and are rewarded with leadership roles at school and within local community.

**Beginners
2 FREE*
LESSONS**



Werribee Bears Rugby League Club

All Abilities Rugby League Clinic

The Werribee Bears are excited to launch the first Mixed All Abilities Rugby League Tag players team. If you are a boy or girl aged between 11 to 16, and would like to give rugby league a try, the Werribee Bears Rugby League Club would like to invite you to come along to our **Free All Abilities Rugby League Clinic**. Our Clinic is specifically designed to cater for kids and teenagers with special needs.

Event Date: Wednesday 5th July

Event Time: 10.30 am to 11.30am

Location: Haines Drive Reserve Wyndham Vale

For information and to register please contact:

Tiahnee: tiahneepaterson@hotmail.com or

Liza: Liza@thekronks.net

**Strictly limited to 60 participants and
pre-registration is required.**

