

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Hi Everyone,

This week we congratulate those students who have been appointed to the very important positions of **School Leaders**. The students who have been elected as leaders of our school will be excellent role-models for all our students throughout year. Congratulations to those who have been selected for these special positions and I look forward to working with them all. Our School Captains, House Captains and Junior School Councillors will have the opportunity to attend **the GRIP Leadership Conference** in the city on **Tuesday May 25th** to help build their knowledge and skills.

School Captains	Abbie D	Maeve B	Nathan F	Zeynap A
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Class Name	Junior School Council	Class Captain	Class Captain
oBM		Greyson A	Mahween H
oMS		Harper B	Kai E
oNJ		Josh S	Olivia M
1EA	Ava K	Kayden L	Eva F
1MR	Mia K	Max D	Ameila M
1/2B	Georgia K	Perri S	Ava M
2CC	Madinah K	Lily B	Bilal B
2SS	Kimi Y	Flynn J	Billie H
3JT	Mikaela O	Jerusha R	Archer G
3JB	Olivia D	Matthew G	Loyal E
3/4C	Lana M	Nina D	Jasmine F
4TC	Madison C	Kerem B	Violet O
4KV	William G	Sarah S	Zak C
5TC	Eddie H	Khadija R	Coby B
5AC	Levi M	Heidi K	Zac G
5CN	Mohamad E	Rachel M	Matthew M

	Cuthbert	Frasier	Bradman	Newcombe
House Captain	Tammy E	Jake D	Ben C	Koby S
House Captain	Ryan H	Scarlett O	Jordan K	Mia B
Vice-Captain	Bilal B	Isaiah A	Laibah K	Tajhan T
Vice-Captain	Jazmine A	Sara A	Josh C	Jeremiah S

Junior School Council President	President: Rayanne F
Junior School Council Secretary	Secretary: Gisele W
Junior School Council Treasurer	Treasurer: Meena A

School Council

At the closing of the School Council nominations at 4:00pm on Thursday 18th February 2021, the school received one parent nomination and two staff nominations. Our parent representatives on School Council are: Matthew Dawson, Andrew Cliff, Phillip Harris, Ben Hart and Michael Mawal. Staff members on School Council are: Belinda Karlsson, Suzy Black, Laura Culleton, Ange Cetin and Scott Woolcock. If any parent is interested in joining School Council, please contact me on 93386083 by 4:00pm on Tuesday 2nd March 2021. The first meeting of the new School Council will be on Tuesday 9th March at 6:30pm.

School Photos

School photos will take place on **Tuesday 30th March**. If you wish to have class photos and/or sibling photos please order online at www.advancedlife.com.au. Individual and sibling envelopes are also available from the front office. If you are ordering photos online, please contact the office for the school photo code.

Welcome to 2021

Due to current restrictions we are unable to reschedule another date for our Welcome 2021 evening, however our teaching teams will record their Information Presentations and distribute the links to the presentations online. You will have the opportunity to clarify any questions or wonderings with teams during a Q & A session on **Wednesday 10th March**-5:00pm-5:30pm. More information about the Information Presentations will be posted to parents / carers on Compass shortly.



Updated Mask Restrictions

People aged 12 and over must wear a fitted face mask when in public indoor spaces unless there is a lawful reason not to. Children under 12 years of age, students at primary school or students attending an OHSC program are not required to wear face masks. School staff are not required to wear face masks while teaching or caring, but those who wish to do so, can. Staff must wear face masks in indoor areas of the school when not teaching or caring. All visitors to school sites must also wear masks when indoors. Visitors on site for longer than 15 minutes must sign in at the office. This includes all staff, parents and external visitors to the school.

Foundation 2022

We have had many enquiries about enrolments for **2022**. If you know someone who lives in Gladstone Park and is interested in our school, please ask them to telephone the school office to book a place on one of our tours. If you already have children at our school and have a Foundation student for next year, please make sure you come and collect the enrolment pack so we can add you to our list!!

Dates of Foundation Tours 2022:

Wednesday 17th March at 6:00pm

Thursday 6th May at 10:00am

Wednesday 19th May at 6:00pm

Late Arrivals

It has been pleasing to note a reduction in the number of students arriving late to school each day. Arriving on time is extremely important for a number of reasons:

Anxiety

Students who arrive late often feel anxious as they know the school day has commenced and they have to walk into the classroom when everyone has started. This anxiety can reduce their capacity to learn until they settle.

Missed Opportunities

At the start of each day, teachers' welcome students and go through the agenda for the day. This allows students to make the transition from home to school and prepares them for a day of learning. Often important information is communicated to students at this time. It is vital that students feel part of the class team which is established at this time.

Development of Habits

Punctuality is a habit and an important life skill and the foundation for this habit is developed when children are young. Children need to know that being 'on time' is important, shows respect and allows them to make the most of opportunities.

HARMONY DAY

Gladstone Views Primary School will be celebrating Harmony Day on **Wednesday 17th March**. Students can dress up in orange or wear cultural clothing on the day. There will be fun activities throughout the day including a colouring in competition for each year level with prizes. (Please see attached flyer for more information)

Harmony Day is about celebrating these differences and learning about new cultures.



Junior Rebuild- a couple more photos of the re-build:



NAPLAN

Information for parents and carers for Naplan 2021 was sent home this week to all Year 3 and 5 students. The information sheet explains why students do Naplan, what Naplan assesses, how you can support your child and other questions you may have. Students will complete tests in Writing, Reading, Conventions of language and Numeracy over a 2-week period from the Tuesday 11th May – Friday 21st May.

Immersion at Gladstone Park Secondary College



Gladstone Park Secondary College is very excited to be able to offer a Select Entry Language Immersion Program!

It is the first secondary school in Victoria to offer Italian utilising this methodology. Language Immersion is the most effective form of bilingual education as it enables students to learn a language through content, leading to a more engaging and effective process of language acquisition.

How it works...

Immersion students at Gladstone Park Secondary College experience the full breadth of the curriculum offered at our college while studying Mathematics, History and Geography in Italian from Year 7 to Year 9. During the Italian language classes students learn new vocabulary and grammar that will facilitate their understanding of the abovementioned subjects. In Year 10, Language Immersion students will have the choice to study Year 11 LOTE Italian, and will have the choice to study an additional VCE subject. In Year 11, Immersion students, study Year 12 Italian. By the completion of Year 12, Immersion students will have a great range of VCE subjects from which their ATAR is then calculated.

In the next few weeks...

Year 7 Immersion students and Immersion staff will be visiting your Primary School to give a small presentation and answer any questions. In the meantime please save the date... **Wednesday 5th May** ... for our annual **Immersion Celebration Night**. We hope to see you there for a night of fun, celebration and everything Italian.

Year 1 & 2 excursion to Melbourne Zoo

We are so excited for the Year 1 & 2 excursion to Melbourne Zoo on Thursday 11th March. We are participating in a program that allows students to become 'Wild Explorers' for the day, learning about what makes animals special and how they can care for animals and their homes.

By the end of their adventure into the wild, students will understand how special our animals are, how to care for them, the environment and how they can contribute to a sustainable future.



FUNDRAISING

The school Council fundraising committee is having a Bunnings Sausage Sizzle on:

Saturday, 13th March at Bunnings Broadmeadows,

9:00am-4:00pm

We would love your support on the day. If you are able to volunteer some of your time it would be greatly appreciated. You can volunteer for ONE hour or for as MANY hours as you you're able too. If you can't volunteer, but would still like to support the day, please feel free to donate any of the following: soft drink cans, water, napkins, tomato sauce, mustard, rubber gloves or bread.

Hope to see you all at Bunnings (Broadmeadows) on Saturday 13th March, 2021.



Have a great weekend!

Belinda Karlsson

Acting Principal

School Diary Dates 2021

Public Holiday -Labour Day-Monday 8th March 2021

School Council Meeting-Tuesday 9th March 2021 (6:30pm)

Information Presentations- Wednesday 10th March-5:00pm-5:30pm

Year 1/2 Excursion- Melbourne Zoo-Thursday 11th March 2021

Broadmeadows District 5/6 Inter-School Sport Gala day – Friday 12th March 2021

Harmony Day- Wednesday 17th March

Foundation Tour 2022-Wednesday 17th March (6:00pm-7:00pm)

Year 3/4 Excursion-Werribee Zoo-Thursday 18th March

Year 5/6 Excursion-Sovereign Hill- Thursday 18th March

Bunnings Fundraiser-Saturday 13th March 2021 (9:00am-4:00pm)

School Photos-Tuesday 30th March 2021

GRIP Leadership Conference -Tuesday 25th May 2021

Curriculum Days 2021

Numeracy- Michael Ymer-Friday 23rd April 2021

Student Led Conferences-students only attend for the 3-way conference-Wednesday 23rd June 2021

Staff First Aid-Level-Monday 1st November 2021



GLADSTONE VIEWS PRIMARY SCHOOL

CANTEEN PRICE LIST

March 2021

Parents can use the QKR app for ordering lunch on the day (until 9am) or in advance.
OR please place your order on a brown paper bag with the correct money inside. If you are unable to send correct money, make sure your child looks for change in his or her bag.

Please write clearly on your bag **NAME AND ROOM NUMBER**.

GREEN FOOD CHOICES: Healthy, wholesome, eat every day

AMBER FOOD CHOICES: Select more carefully, have less often than Green Food Choice.

GREEN FOOD CHOICES	
Sandwiches – wholemeal OR white, fresh or toasted	\$
Vegemite	\$2.00
Honey	\$2.00
Cheese	\$2.50
Cheese and lettuce	\$2.80
Cheese and tomato	\$2.80
Ham	\$3.00
Ham and cheese	\$3.50
Ham, cheese and tomato	\$3.80
Roast Chicken	\$4.50
Tuna	\$3.80
Egg	\$3.80
Egg, lettuce & Mayonaise	\$4.50
Salad (lettuce ,tomato, beetroot, cucumber, carrot)	\$4.50
Salad with egg	\$5.50
Salad with cheese	\$5.00
Salad with ham	\$5.00
Salad with Roast chicken	\$5.50
Salad with tuna	\$5.50
NOTE:	
Sandwiches as per price list OR	
Bread rolls extra	\$0.80
Large Wraps extra	\$1.10
Salad Plate or Bowl	
Salad Bowl (Students)	\$4.50
Salad Plate (Staff)	\$5.50
Extras for all above choices;	
Sweet Chili Tender	\$1.00
Roast Chicken or Tuna	\$1.00
Ham	\$0.50
Cheese	\$0.50 each or boiled Egg \$1.00

Dressings	
Caesar, French or Mayonnaise	\$0.30
Hot Food	
Corn on the cob with/without butter	\$1.80
Boiled Egg	\$1.50
Cheesymite scroll, puff pastry with vegemite and cheese	\$2.50
Spaghetti Bolognese	\$4.60
Beef Lasagne	\$4.60
Macaroni & Cheese	\$4.60
Other Items	
Cheese Portions	\$0.40
Sakata Cracker (each)	\$0.10
Fruit	
Apple, orange, banana, large watermelon slice or grapes	\$1.00
Fruit Salad Cups	\$1.60

AMBER FOOD CHOICES

Hot Food	
Tomato Sauce	30 cents
Sweet Chilli Chicken Tender (only)	\$2.00
Hot dog (on own)	\$1.60
Hot dog in bread	\$2.50
Hot dog in roll	\$3.00
Pie	\$3.50
Halal Pie ^{*(H)}	\$4.50
Party pie	\$1.20
Jumbo sausage roll	\$3.00
Pizza - Ham & Pineapple	\$4.00
- Margarita ^{*(H)}	\$4.00
Steamed Dim Sims	\$1.10
Soya Sauce	\$0.30
Sweet chilli tenders in long roll or wrap, with lettuce and mayonnaise	\$4.50
Chicken Breast Nuggets ^{*(H)}	\$1.10
Bumper Banger (sausage roll in a bread roll)	\$3.50
Drinks	
Orange Juice – Harvey Fresh (250ml)	\$2.00
Apple and Blackcurrant Juice - Harvey Fresh (250ml)	\$2.00
Apple Juice - Harvey Fresh (250ml)	\$2.00
Chocolate Milk – Oak Flavoured (250ml)	\$2.00
Strawberry Milk- Oak Flavoured (250ml)	\$2.00
Water (350ml)	\$1.50
Treats	
Delites; Salt & Vinegar, Sour Cream & Chives, or Sweet Chilli	\$0.50
Large Banana Bread Slice	\$1.50
Mammee Noodle: Barbeque & Chicken	\$0.50
Popcorn 30g: Sea Salt, Cheddar Cheese, Lightly Salted & Sweet	\$1.00
Frozen Treats	
Frozen Yoghurt Strawberry or Mango	\$2.00
Minion Icy Blast	\$1.50
Icy twist or Callipo	\$1.00
Paddle Pops, Chocolate, Rainbow, Banana	\$1.50
Cyclone Icy pole	\$2.00
Vanilla Ice Cream Dixie Cup	\$1.50
Slushies	\$2.00
*^(H) - denotes Halal	
All items / prices subject to change	