

#### CALENDAR 2024

#### **MARCH**

Hot Cross Bun morning tea Tue 26

Last day of term 1
3.20pm dismissal

#### **APRIL**

First day of term 2 Mon 15

DRIVE IN MOVIE NIGHT Thu 18

#### From the Principal

#### BUILDING UPDATE

As mentioned earlier, the new building being constructed by ARC3 will be the same as originally planned by our architects. The images in today's newsletter give a clear indication of what the final facility will look like.

We have saved the old KG school sign from the bus shelter that was demolished earlier this week so we can reinstall it as part of the new development.

#### DRIVE-IN - THURSDAY 18TH APRIL 'WONKA'

The children have voted for the film 'Wonka' to be screened at our Drive-in next term. The children's excitement is building as we near the end of term. We are keen to see if the new timeslot is a better option for future years.

Please take a moment to read through the Fundraising messages included in our weekly newsletters. We do rely on the support of our parent community to complete all the tasks which contribute to making this our biggest annual fundraising event.

#### WEBSITE

Our school website is regularly being updated so if you haven't used it recently, please check it out. We value parent feedback so if you feel there is any additional information we could use to improve the website please let us know.

#### **TERM TWO DANCE PROGRAM**

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The whole school dance program will take place next term, culminating in a whole school community dance session on Monday June 3rd at 9:15am. Parents are always welcome so practices your best dance moves and be ready to join in with our children.

#### **LAST DAY OF TERM**

Please note that the last day of term will be a normal school day, ending at 3:20pm.

Thanks Laurie Murray

#### FUNDRAISING UPDATE

#### **Hot Cross Bun-Special Morning Tea**

**THU 28** 

This Friday 22 March is the last day to put in your orders for the special morning tea which will be on 26 March. Place orders and pay through XUNO.

#### **Drive In Movie Night**

Please bring in any hamper donations and leave at the office by end of term.

- P-2 Pamper/Self Care items
- 3-6 Foodie wine/dine items

Let us know if you have any sponsorship/advertising or silent auction donation contacts!

#### PARENT HELPERS ON THE DRIVE IN MOVIE NIGHT

We need many parent helpers to make the night a success!

Sign up to help run some of the stalls on the night as well as set up and pack down- this involves serving food/drinks, supervising grade 5/6 stall, and taking payment (cash and eftpos). EASY!

We want to ensure that no one gets stuck working the stalls for hours and that everyone can enjoy the night. The more volunteers we have the less time people have to spend volunteering at the stalls. Get a group of friends together and sign up for the same time/stall!

Please click on the following web link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet- you will be able to see the tasks, times and who else has signed up to volunteer at that time:

#### volun teersignup.org/EYWKR

To sign up, just follow the instructions on the page. It only takes a few seconds to do.

Thank you for volunteering!

CONTACT US

Address: 10 Graham Rd, Kangaroo Ground, 3097 Phone: 9712 0292 kangaroo.ground.ps@education.vic.gov.au www.kangaroogroundps.vic.edu.au Out of School Hours Care (OSHC): 9712 0124 / 0419 893 272 kgpsoshc@bigpond.com











SCHOOL LEADERS
Lila, Cody, Sammy and Darcy





ENVIRONMENT LEADERS

Gemma and Indigo

PERFORMING ARTS LEADERS
Sienna and Amelie

Sports LEADERS
Holly and Leo

### values of the week



Back - Thea, Easton, Greta, Gemma, Isaac, Bailey, Riley and Lyla Front - Christian, Hazel, Jack, Holly and Cailen

# EVERYONE BELONGS

March 21st, 2024



OUR YEAR 1/2 STUDENTS PERFORMED
'TABA NABA', A TORRES STRAIT ISLAND
SONG IN THE LANGUAGE OF MERIAM MIR.
THIS SONG IS ALL ABOUT TAKING A TRIP
TO THE REEF AND EXPLORING THE OCEAN.
THEY WERE ACCOMPANIED BY OUR
PERFORMING ARTS LEADERS SIENNA AND
AMELIE ON THE UKULELE.





### First Aid



#### ST JOHNS AMBULANCE VISIT

Today, Renee and the team from St John's Ambulance visited our school to teach students about first aid. It was a fantastic learning opportunity for everyone. The presentation covered topics such as defibrillators, their usage, the recovery position, and emergency procedures.

### WHAT THE STUDENTS THOUGHT:

- I've never done CPR on a dummy, so it was great to learn how to do CPR.
- I learnt how to press the dummy and remembered what to do in an emergency.
- It was great to have a refresher on the safety dab.
- It refreshed my mind on some of what to do and expanded my knowledge.















### New Hours for 2025

3 YO Kinder: Mon & Wed 8.30am - 4pm 4 YO Kinder: Tue & Thu 8.30am - 4pm

- ✓ Same AMAZING, dedicated and nurturing staff
- ✓ Same beautiful grounds
- Outstanding program
- ✓ Welcoming & caring community
- ✓ Come for a visit stay for a play







#### **Enquire TODAY:**

E: research.kin@kindergarten.vic.gov.au B: 9437 1834





#### **CALLING ALL 5-9 YEAR OLDS**

Registrations are now open for Auskick at Panton Hill in 2024
Dates: Saturday April 20 – July 28
Time: 8.30 – 9.30am
Location: Panton Hill Oval
Want to try, but not sure?
Come and check it out on Saturday April 20, 8.30am.





### Supporting your Anxious VCE Student

Tuesday 26 March, 7-8.30pm (online) With Dr Emma-Rose Parsons from Spectrum House



















#### **BE A SEARCHER IN 2024**

As a family club, in the heart of Research, we aim to provide a fun, safe and positive environment for new team members born in years 2010, 2014, 2015 and 2016.

> Learn new skills in a positive team environment for any ability.

Get in touch at registrations@researchjuniorfc.com.au

### NILLUMBIK YOUTH **AUTUMN SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM**







#### Wednesday 3 April 4pm-6pm **Edendale Community Environment Farm**

Join us at Edendale Farm for a movie night to watch 'Youth on Strike!' and talk about how young people are taking climate action. There will also be activities, pizza and information about volunteering opportunities and ways to take action in your community.

Free and for young people aged 12-25 \*Registration Required







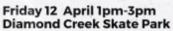
### DIGITALISE YOUR DRAWING



#### Monday 8 April 10am-12pm **Hurstbridge Hub**

Join the Nillumbik Shire Youth Team and learn how to get your creative and artistic idea from paper to the computer. It'll be **free entry** and snacks are provided.

For young people aged 12-18 \*Registration Required



Join the Nillumbik Shire Youth Team & the Y for a skate, scoot & BMX workshop. It'll be free entry with street art activities, music, and free lunch

For young people aged 12-25
\*Registrations required to participate in workshop







For more information and to register for the sessions above scan the QR code or visit: nillumbikyouth.vic.gov.au/School-Holidays

Contact us:



youth@nillumbik.vic.gov.au



0428 891 320



@nillumbikyouth





#### **Diamond Creek**

Drama for Kids - 7-11yrs 9 April 9:30am-12:30pm

Under the sea! Art for Kids - 7-11yrs 11 April 10am-11:30am

#### **Panton Hill**

Polymer Clay Earrings -10-16yrs 9 April 10am -12:30pm

9433 3744 or online



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**LIVING & LEARNING NILLUMBIK** 



livinglearningnillumbik.vic.gov.au





1 DAY \$45

> 2 DAYS \$80

8 & 9 APRIL



THE HOLIDAY PROGRAM IS OPEN TO ALL CHILDREN AT ALL SKILLS LEVELS (NOT JUST COACHING STUDENTS)

### SCHEDULE:

RED BALL
MONDAY 8TH & TUESDAY 9TH APRIL 9AM-12PM

ORANGE BALL
MONDAY 8TH & TUESDAY 9TH APRIL 12:30PM3:30PM

GREEN BALL/BEGINNER COMP MONDAY 8TH & TUESDAY 9TH APRIL 12:30PM-3:30PM

#### TO REGISTER:

KATIE ON 0407 071 599 JACK ON 0416 070 651 OR

EMAIL: KATIEMCGREGORTENNIS@GMAIL.COM

#### DAY INCLUDES:

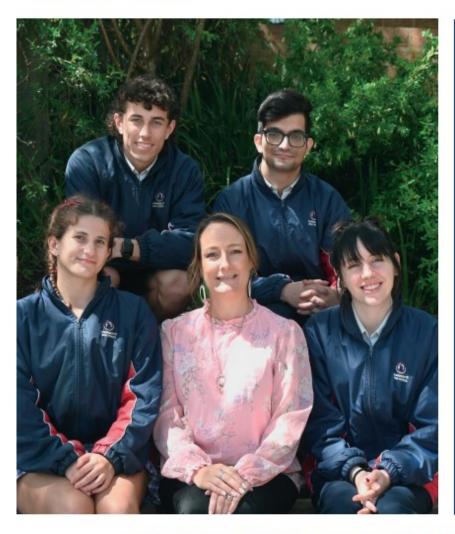
- FUN GAMES
- MATCH PLAY
- TROPHIES AND OTHER PRIZES TO BE WON!!!

OFFICIAL DELIVERER OF TENNIS
HOT SHOTS PROGRAM.
TENNIS HOT SHOTS IS A MODIFIED
PROGRAM DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN
AGED 4-12YEARS OF AGE. USING
MODIFIED EQUIPMENT SUCH AS
SMALLER RACQUETS, LOW
COMPRESSION BALLS AND
MODIFIED COURT SIZES TO ASSIST
IN THE TEACHING OF TENNIS TO
JUNIORS.



### **DISCOVERY NIGHT**

### **MONDAY 25 MARCH**



### DISCOVER THE DIFFERENCE

TOURS 5.30 PM - 8.00 PM

> FAMILY BBQ 5.30 PM

PRINCIPAL ADDRESS
7.00 PM

#### **EXCELLENCE | INTEGRITY | RESPECT**

SCHOOL TOURS FRIDAY 9.15 AM

CALL 9844 2749





### "LITTLE CHEFS" Cooking Classes

Wednesday, 10th April 2024

10-IIam

II:30-12:30pm

1:00-2:00pm

**AGES 3-12** 

\*3-5yr olds need to be joined by a parent



Scan QR code to book your spot!

(Hurry limited spots available!)

Fun Child Friendly Recipes



\$50 PER CHILD

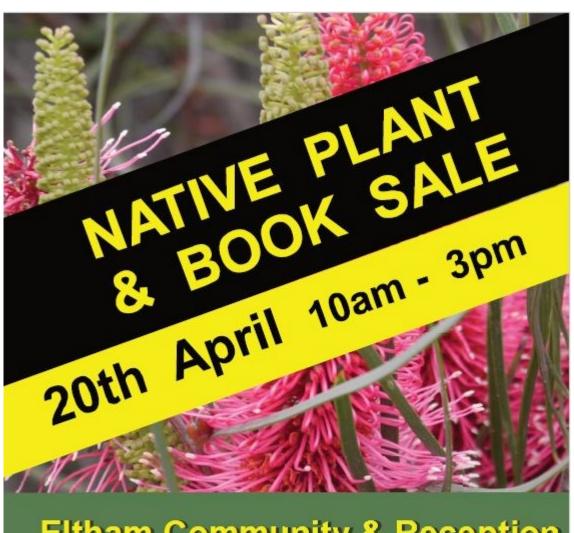


Macleod Community Hall 7 Birdwood Ave, Macleod

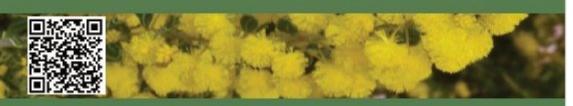
WWW.BEWELLNOURISHMENT.COM

0427 733 485

admin@bewellnourishment.com



Eltham Community & Reception Centre 801 Main Road, Eltham



Organised by Australian Plants SocietyYarra Yarra Group Inc. No. A0039676Y



**NEVER PLAYED?** 

WANT TO START OR RESTART?

WANT TO FIND A NEW CLUB OR A NEW COMPETITION?

**ALL WELCOME** 

MEET OUR NEW COACHES and BOOK IN COACHING SESSIONS FOR NEXT TERM

SIMON WATSON &

JOANNE LIMMER
(FORMER AUSSIE WORLD NO. 1 JUNIOR)

BOTH LOCAL COACHES WITH EXCELLENT CREDS AND A GENUINE INTEREST IN GROWING TENNIS IN OUR LOCAL AREA. (PHONE 0408 821322)

\*\*\*\*\*\* JUNIORS WANTED \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

WE ARE AT 45-49 CHALLENGER ST, DIAMOND CREEK, RIGHT NEXT TO THE CAMPBELL STREET RESERVE. (Enter VIA Campbell St)

WE HAVE 6 SYNTHETIC GRASS COURTS, ALL ON THE ONE LEVEL, ALL VIEWABLE FROM THE CLUBHOUSE.

NOTE: TENNIS IS TRULY A 'NON CONTACT' SPORT (NO TACKLING, NO PUSHING OR SHOVING). A SPORT THAT SPANS A PLAYING LIFE OF (ESTIMATE) BETWEEN 4 AND 84 YEARS OF AGE.

CONTACT US IF YOUR INTERESTED IN FINDING OUT MORE ABOUT UC TENNIS CLUB, DIAMOND CREEK,

VISIT OUR WEBSITE: UCTENNISCLUB.COM.AU
PHONE: HEATHER HARTWIG – 0438 530671

EMAIL: INFO@UCTENNISCLUB.COM.AU



### KIDS CHECK-UP AND CLEAN

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### \$95 for Private Patients



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\*children 13 and under.