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Ivanhoe Primary School Newsletter

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From the Principal

Dear Ivanhoe Primary School Community,

Our School Vision is scaffolded by the values of confidence, independence, persistence, resilience and respect.

Resilience

How do you help your child to calm down or manage their feelings when upset?

Here are some practical tips:

- firstly accept that it is normal and healthy for your child to experience negative emotions.
- provide your child with words to describe his/her own feelings as well as your own feelings (I see you are feeling..., I amthat you did....., what do you think we/you can do to make this better?).
- teach your child to say to themselves “calm down” and take three breaths before doing something he/she finds frightening or when he/she is angry or upset.
- discuss with your child the importance of finding an adult to talk to when he/she is feelings upset or down. This could be a family member or a teacher (or the principal)
- teach your child to think of all the positives when he or she gets upset or angry (especially when a friend or peer calls them a name.)
- explain that if they are excluded from a game by a group of people they can find something fun to do with others. (The situation is never too bad, that it cannot be resolved.)

An important thing to remember is to encourage communication without exacerbating the issue. Make an appointment to see the class teacher as there is often two sides to every story.



Researching ANZAC Year 6SR

ANZAC Day Service at Ivanhoe Primary School (Monday 24th April 9am – 10am) all welcome. Gold coin collection on Friday 21st April

This year we will hold a formal service to commemorate those who served in conflicts around the world. There will be moving performances by the School Choir, the Police Pipes and Drums Band and the Last Post will be performed once again by Dmitri Cherkasski. Wreaths will be placed in front of our home made cenotaph by the school captains and our special guest Anthony Carbines MP State member for Ivanhoe.

We invite all our families and friends to attend this commemoration. Students who have family permission are encouraged to wear the service medals of their relatives.

This service is a formal, sombre event to be held in silence. There will be speeches by School Captains who will be following standard practice and procedures of the R.S.L. and education policies.

The service will conclude with a minute's silence and the playing of the Last Post.

Each class has created a moving display including pictures, diagrams and a wall of student made poppies. The Box Hill R.S.L. is also providing a display of memorabilia. Families are welcome to stay after the service to view the displays.

The gold coin donation will be used to partly fund the musicians and to give a generous donation to Legacy. We sincerely hope that you can join us for this important event.

YARD SUPERVISION

Supervision of students before and after school is provided at the following times: **8.45 am to 9.00 am** and **3.30 pm to 3.45 pm**.

Outside these times supervision and / or collection of students is the responsibility of parents / guardians. For the safety of students parent support for these times is sought.

Parents who need to drop their child at school before 8.45 am should consider using the Before School Care program.

DIARY

April 21
April 24
April 25

April 28
April 30
May 3
May 4
May 4
May 6
May 10
May 12

Winter Sport Commences
ANZAC Day Service 9am
ANZAC Day Public Holiday (NO SCHOOL)
Curriculum day (NO SCHOOL)
Yr 6 Working bee 9am till 12pm
Chess Tournament Multi purpose room
Group Photos
Foundation Fire Ed 11:10am
Mad Hatters Ball!
Grade 6 Immigration Museum
Foundation Fire Ed 11:10am

Curriculum Day and OHSC - 28th April

Have you booked? The program needs a minimum of 25 bookings to run.
If you haven't please phone OHSC direct to reserve your place.

2016 Annual Report

An extraordinary meeting of School Council is scheduled for 26th April at 7.30pm in the MPR / Innovation Centre for the presentation of the 2016 Annual Report. This document will be available on the school website and published on the Victorian Registration and Qualifications Authority (VRQA) State Register in June.

2017 IPS Mad Hatters Ball

The IPS Masquerade Ball is on Saturday May 6th. It promises to be a great night.
If you have not already booked it's not too late to organise a table of 8 – 10 or join a table. Tickets are available from the school office. Socialise with other families and staff informally. Susan and I hope to see you there.

Section B - Parent Funded Essential Classroom Requisites request on COMPASS

Section B - Parent Funded Essential Classroom Requisites is a fundamental component of the school's overall funding and without it many resources and facilities would not exist at the school. This amount includes a parent co-contribution towards the employment of a first aid / sick bay officer as well as a mandatory school charge for items. This also includes classroom books, scientific instruments, computer printing, software and various developmental learning materials and associated resources that enhance the curriculum and learning program.

Families that still have outstanding Section B payments needing to be paid will find details under "My News" on their Compass Home Page (Web browser NOT APP). Look for a Course Confirmation/School Payments heading.

Other works around the school

The holiday period saw a new rubberised surface put on the Foundation play area and a window replacing the roller door of the "old canteen".
Less noticeable but no less important was the movement of the photocopier and teacher resources from the print room (the room on the right as you come in to the main building off Waterdale Rd) to outside the "Harry Potter" room. Why?
Individual music tuition will utilise the "old canteen"/new music room and the "old print room"/shared space allowing the "multipurpose room MPR" Innovation Centre to be timetabled for class and group activities.

Working Bee – Year 6

Calling all families of Year 6! The Yr 6 Working Bee is on Sunday 30th of April from 9am until 12pm.
Not only do we get a lot done in terms of improving the school for the students it is also a social activity where you get to chat with your work. This is possibly the last opportunity you will have to contribute on this level so please come along. Steve McKay is mc-ing the event and there is lots to be done.

IPS Mission:

Ivanhoe Primary School provides a positive, vibrant and inspiring environment where students are valued and encouraged to succeed in becoming life-long learners.
We cannot do it alone and we thank you for your support.

Mark Kent
Principal

Strategies for parents as referred to in the DET website:

<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/bullystoppers/Pages/parentchild.aspx>

Talk to your child about the tips and advice offered on the student section of this website (<https://kidshelpline.com.au/>)

Give them the Kids Helpline telephone number 1800 55 1800 to use if they ask to talk to someone other than the school, or you don't feel able to support them.

CHILD SAFETY: Protecting children from abuse is our responsibility.

Ivanhoe Primary is committed to safety and wellbeing of all children and young people. This will be the primary focus of our care and decision-making.

Ivanhoe Primary has zero tolerance for child abuse.

Ivanhoe Primary is committed to providing a child safe environment where children and young people are safe and feel safe, and their voices are heard about decisions that affect their lives. Particular attention will be paid to the cultural safety of Aboriginal children and children from culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds, as well as the safety of children with a disability.

Every person involved in Ivanhoe Primary has a responsibility to understand the important and specific role he/she plays individually and collectively to ensure that the wellbeing and safety of all children and

STALL HOLDERS INFORMATION NIGHT – MAY 10th, 2017

Hi IPS Community

Twilight Fair Preparations have started.

As you already know from the previous newsletter every class needs to organise a stall and we would like to thank all the parent's who have volunteered to manage a stall for their class so far. There are still a few classes who have yet to nominate for a stall and an email will be forwarded to those class representatives to assist them with ideas,



We will run a [Twilight Fair Information Night on May 10th](#) to educate stall holders and any other parents who wish to help out with preparations.

The Fair Committee gives a special “shout out” to our community members to [start preserving fruits and creating craft items for our market stalls](#).

To make the Fair Great, takes a team, and we'd love you to be on that team with us!

Fair Coordinator – Tracey Cox Stalls Coordinator – Cathryn Atkinson





[Contact - - ivanhoeps.vic.edu.au/contact](http://ivanhoeps.vic.edu.au/contact) (select twilight fair convenor in the contact box.)

TURN ON PUSH NOTIFICATIONS FOR COMPASS



Your Compass App now has PUSH NOTIFICATIONS. Please enable this option on the App as we are beginning to use this option to notify you of important events.

This is how you can enable push notifications on most devices:

-  Please go to **SETTINGS**
-  Scroll down to the **COMPASS APP** icon
-  Click on **NOTIFICATIONS**
-  **ALLOW** Notifications (needs to be green)

COMPASS APP

If you are having trouble finding the compass app the links are below for IOS and Android.

<https://itunes.apple.com/au/app/compass-school-manager/id778415974?mt=8> - IOS App Store

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.jdlf.compass&hl=en> - Android Play Store

LIBRARY FUND

Parents are invited to make a tax deductible donation to the 2017 Ivanhoe Primary School Library Fund. The Library Fund is used exclusively for the purchase of books, library equipment and some reading material software for use by the students in our Library.

Payment Options

Cash or cheque only as EFTPOS cannot be used for the Library Fund donation

Direct Deposit BSB 063 141
Account Number 10148059
Account Name: Ivanhoe Primary School
Library Fund.

Your support and generosity is sought to contribute to the Library Fund. Once your payment has been received you will be issued with an official school receipt.

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE FEES

The fee schedule for each child per session is:

Before School Care - \$13.50.

After School Care - \$16.50

Early Finish:

1.30pm—3.30pm \$16.50.

1.30 pm—6.00 pm \$30.00

Curriculum Day:

Half Day \$30.00. Full Day \$50.00

IVANHOE PRIMARY SCHOOL OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

24-Hour answering machine
service:

9499-5226

Email: iposhc@optusnet.com.au

FIRST AID ROOM LAUNDRY ROSTER

Thank you to those parents who have volunteered for the roster. A roster has been drawn up and sent home.

Each Friday afternoon the beds need to be stripped and remade. The sheets and pillow cases are to be laundered over the weekend and returned to the First Aid room or office on Monday.

THIS WEEK'S ROSTER:
Friday 21st April 2017

Gurpreet Kaur

SCHOOL FEES, SCHOOL CAMP & STRINGS FEES

We encourage families wishing to pay off any of the above items to please contact the school office where we can arrange for these payments to be set up on your COMPASS web browser.

PH: 9499 1880

TENNIS PROGRAM.

Term 1 tennis program will re commence Monday April 24. We have tennis on May 1 as part of term 1.

TERM 2 will commence Monday May 8. Looking forward to seeing everyone on Monday. All enquires call Russell 0408365636. Thanks. Tennis in Stages.



Chess Club Term 2

Are you interested in playing Chess?

If you would like your child to continue chess or start to learn chess in Term 2, please contact the office.

Begin date: Tuesday 2nd May (third week of term)

Finish date: Tuesday 20th June (8week program)

There will be a Tournament held on the 3rd of May at the school. Details to follow.



The Lunchtime Club is collecting plastic lids from bottles and containers for an art project. Please help us by dropping off your clean lids in the labelled box near the office window.



Victorian Interschools Snowsports Championships

Tomorrow, Friday 21st April Ivanhoe PS plays Ivanhoe East Primary School in an away competition of Tee Ball, Netball, and Football. Netball will be at Ivanhoe East Primary School. Tee Ball will be at Chelsworth Park. Football Will be at Ivanhoe Park. Good luck to all teams.



ANZAC Service Monday 24th April

As you may be aware there will be a special ANZAC service this coming Monday. The School Choir, Police Pipes and Drums and Trumpeter Dmitri Cherkasski will give moving performances. A gold coin collection tomorrow will go towards the musicians and their organisations as well as a generous donation to Legacy.

I am pleased to announce that at very short notice our Member for the State Parliament Anthony Carbines will also attend the service. Two students will assist Anthony to lay a wreath. There will also be a display by the Box Hill R.S.L. as well as displays created by our students.

This service is to be held in silence as a mark of respect to those who served in armed conflicts.

Everyone is welcome and after the service please stay for a while and enjoy the displays.

Coming Attractions:

Night of Music@ Ivanhoe Girls' Grammar
Saturday, May 20th at 7.30pm
All Orchestra and Choir students will perform
Ticket note and information to be sent home soon.

Orchestra and Choir Uniform

Long Black Pants,
Long Sleeve White Shirt
Black Footwear.

Yours in Music,
Marie Morrow

LOST PROPERTY

Parents are urged to check the lost property area, near the office, as often as possible.

Any unnamed, non school items will be sent to charity.

Unnamed school clothing will be recycled through the Second Uniform Shop.

L.O.L!

Why do little brothers chew with their mouths open?

"Flies have to live somewhere."



Ivanhoe Primary School

Music



Learn music

here at school

Come and join in the fun of learning to play keyboard, guitar, here at Ivanhoe Primary School.

Creative Music for Schools conducts a music program here at school each week.

Small group classes or one-to-one lessons of up to 30 minutes give children an excellent grounding in music where they will learn to read music and play their chosen instrument.

Tuition costs from \$16.20 per lesson and enrolments are now being accepted for limited places in term 2, 2017.

Interested parents should call Sharon during office hours on 9818 2333 or email sharon@creativemusic.com.au

 **Creative Music**
www.creativemusic.com.au



Term 2 Strings Fees

There has been a small increase in the fees for this terms strings lessons.

The pricing is as follows:

Individual lessons	\$303
Extra timed lessons	\$454.50
Orchestra	\$47.50
Corelli Strings	\$47.50
Grade 2 Strings	\$155.50
Cello Hire	\$38
Violin Hire	\$33
Double Bass Hire	\$38

They are now on compass and are available to be paid. We have calculate the total to which fees are applicable to your students therefore you are only having to make one payment instead of multiple.

I.P.S. Choir – Thursdays 2.40 – 3.30pm

Please return permission notes.

I.P.S. Orchestra – Wednesdays 7.50am – 8.55am

Grade Two Strings - Mondays and Thursday
8.20am – 9am

Grade Three Corelli Strings - Friday 8.05am – 8.55am

CANTEEN NEWS TERM 2 2017

CANTEEN ROSTER

Friday April 21	9.00—11.30am	VACANT
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	10.30—1.50pm	Kelly Toghill
	11.30am—1.50pm	Prue Vermiglio
Monday April 24	9.00—11.30am	VACANT
	11.30am—1.50pm	VACANT
Tuesday April 25 ANZAC DAY NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	
Wednesday April 26	9.00—11.30am	VACANT
	11.30am—1.50pm	VACANT
Thursday April 27	9.00—11.30am	Nicole Herford
	11.30am—1.50pm	VACANT
Friday April 28 Curriculum Day	NO SCHOOL	

VOLUNTEERS

NEEDED Please think about helping Jenny in the canteen.....even if it is just occasionally. Canteen Manager: Jenny Ross, Ph: 9499 1880

Canteen contact number:
9am—2.30pm
9499 1880
Ring the school and we can transfer you to the canteen.

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

Items in Community News are subject to space availability. The school does not accept responsibility for any goods or services advertised in this newsletter

Babysitting

Do you want to go out for dinner with friends, get to a gym class, yoga and need **someone to care for your children?** I can do yummy meals too!

I am a local in Ivanhoe, responsible, calm and patient with children.

I am "Working with children" and Police Checked for my day job (Crossing supervisor in Waterdale Road). I am flexible and happy to meet your children first. Please call 0448 036 417 Yvonne du Plessis :)



A Fun way of learning another language from the ages of 2-12 at
Ivanhoe Primary School

Lesson Times: French Thursday 3.45—4.45pm

Visit our Facebook page for more details.

<https://www.facebook.com/LCFFunLanguages/>

ENROL NOW at www.lcclubs.com.au or email us for more information at support@lcclubs.com.au

REGISTER TODAY

www.myschoolconnect.com.au/ivanhoe

**Canteen Online
Ordering ONLY**



Ever wanted your very own recipe to be on a menu so lots of people could try it?

Do you have an idea that could become the Ivanhoe Primary **Sandwich Of The Month**???

The canteen is running an exciting competition, and you can all take part!

Each month enter your ideas for a great sandwich and we'll pick a winner! Each month's winner will go on the canteen menu for that month, allowing students to order the monthly winner.

At the end of the year the sandwich that was most popular throughout the year will win **Sandwich Of The Year**!!!! This sandwich will become a permanent fixture on the canteen menu in 2018, and the inventor will win a groovy trophy!

We want you to be creative, but healthy, and definitely tasty!! What would you want to eat in your sandwich? What protein? What veggies? Any spreads? Do you prefer a type of bread? (no nuts though!)

Entries can be placed in the box at the canteen, and the monthly winners will be announced at assembly. (make sure to put your name and class on the entry!)

You'll have 2 weeks to get your first entries in when Term 2 begins if you think you have the May **Sandwich of the Month** – you have the holidays to think about it!

