

Greenhills is **G.R.E.A.T.**
 Grit, Respect, Effort, Adventure, Teamwork
Term 1 - Week 10, 1st April 2021

FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ GREENHILLS 2021

Monday 19 th April	TERM 2 STARTS
Wednesday 21 st April	House Cross Country (Years 3-6)
Sunday 25 th April	ANZAC DAY
Tuesday 27 th April	6pm Education & Communications Meeting 7pm PA Meeting
Wednesday 28 th April	School Photos
Wednesday 25 th May	7pm Connected Schools Parent Partnership Event An evening with Michael Ymer – Maths Consultant
Thursday 24 th June	Last day of Term 2 Assembly 3pm
Friday 25 th June	Curriculum Day (Pupil Free)

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

Who can believe that we are at the end of Term 1? This term has flown by quickly, but we have had many wonderful experiences and learning opportunities.

I have been very proud of the **effort** our students have put into their learning, and the progress they are making as a result of their **grit** and determination. It is wonderful to see the focus on kindness and the culture of **respect** that we have in our school.

Thank you to our staff for their commitment and dedication to each and every one of our students. I have appreciated the role that **teamwork** has played in ensuring that our school runs smoothly each day.

A big thank you to all of our parents and carers for your support of our school and our students. A positive parent partnership is a valuable relationship in any school!

My highlight this term has been seeing our Preps beginning to blossom into active and **adventurous** learners. They are always so excited, willing to chat, and eager to share their learning. Their enthusiasm and energy is infectious!

We have had a very successful term and I believe we have set the platform for a terrific and productive year ahead.

Happy holidays!

Janine Hough

Assistant Principal

PS: don't forget to encourage your son or daughter to read during the break. ☺



Classroom Representatives



Thank you so much to the following parents who have volunteered to be Classroom Representatives this year:

Prep ND	Sarah Gibson, Jordan Coe & Brooke Munn
Prep SM	Melissa Osborne & Jackie Lacey
Prep BJ	Janelle Browne & Brianna McDonald
Prep BH	Connie Johnston
1 KO	Ebony Killmister
1 LO	Danielle Sousa
1 TS	Anne Thomas
2 TW	Kim Lee
2 BR	Julie Wheeler & Jaclyn Arnott
2 SH	Carolyn Preece
2 SM	Jess Higgins
3/4 H	Sarah Leach
3/4 K	Therese Kennedy
3/4 S	Melissa Cody
3/4 B	Laura Wade
3/4 D	
3/4 M	
5/6 F	Donna Anderson
5/6 E	Sarah Tyrrell
5/6 T	
5/6 R	
5/6 M	Tamara Pennycook

If your child's grade does not have a Class Rep and you would be willing to volunteer, or if you would like to assist the parents listed above, please contact sarah.leach@education.vic.gov.au



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS CELEBRATING
THEIR BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:**

**ISLA K, RUBY L, AVA W, JAMES P, THOMAS R, HANNAH N, JACKSON L, MILLER
H, LILY S, THENUKA W, JAYLA B, EMMA S**

EASTER RAFFLE WINNERS!!

**JONTY R, VINCENT J, ZAC B , JAXON O, ISABELLA B, ZAC B, EVY C,
IVY B, JACOB N, CALLUM O**



Grade 3/4 iPad Program Reminder - Term 1

Grade 3/4 Families,

The commencement of the Grade 3/4 iPad Program in Term 2 is fast approaching.

In preparation for this, we have been adding devices to the school's network.

Please deliver your device to your child's classroom and it will be set up to use at Greenhills. Please ensure your child's device is in a protective case and is clearly labelled with their name and grade.

Due to the high number of iPads being set up, this may take a number of weeks. Your understanding in this matter is appreciated.

Please remember that If your iPad is currently set up and in use, please back up your data, sign out of all Apple accounts and reset the device to factory settings. Please visit the Apple website.



David Symeonidis

Grade 3/4 Teacher

OSHCLUB NEWS

Dear Parents and Guardians,



Move March!

It's the final week of "Moov March"! We've had some great fun learning all kinds of different skills including throwing, catching, running, kicking and hand-eye coordination through various different games! This week all children who participated will receive their Participation Awards and children who have completed 5 or 8 sessions will be awarded exclusive pins! We'd like to congratulate Riley and Izzy Stephens, Jeana Bennett, Patrick Hill and Abigail Parr-Davies for completing the most "Moov March" sessions! They all showed great enthusiasm, team work and skills throughout this month. Well done to everyone who had a go!

We love making use of recycled materials here at Greenhills OSHClub! We recently were given some spare metal baking trays, so we turned them into painted gongs! Many of the children had great fun letting their creativity fly painting their baking tray gong with interesting patterns and colours. Everyone also had great fun striking up a band with their gong and making some noise! We really enjoy making use of recycled materials and always welcome any and all donations to the service. We're always in need of boxes, but anything and everything is greatly appreciated!

Greenhills OSHClub Fees.

As of the beginning of Term 2, there will be a slight increase in the fees for children attending Before-School Care, After-School Care and/or Vacation Care/Pupil Free Days. These changes are before the Child Care Subsidy is applied and are as follows:



Care Type	Fee per session	Fee change after Max. Child Care Subsidy applied ⁽¹⁾
Before School Care	\$18.50	\$0.10
After School Care	\$23.50	\$0.29
Vacation Care	\$62.00	\$0.39

⁽¹⁾ Child Care Subsidy may cover up to 85% of fees, subject to eligibility criteria and personal circumstances.

Any questions regarding these fees or the Child Care Subsidy, please call OSHAccounts on

1300 395 735 or email

oshaccounts@junioradventuresgroup.com.au.

April Vacation Care!

The end of Term 1 is here and that means Vacation Care starts next week! We've got a lot of fun activities planned including sock monkeys, science experiments, pinch pots, pot plants and so much more! We will also be going on our very first excursions to Melbourne Zoo, Melbourne Museum and Skaters Eltham, we're very much looking forward to these days out! We will also be having some fun incursions with Silly Science, Laser Tag, Nerf Warz, and Jamie and Kim's Mobile Zoo! Bookings are now open through the iParent Portal or can be made directly with the service either by emailing greenhills@oshclub.com.au or calling/texting 0437 928 183. Children will need to bring their lunch, morning and afternoon tea and a hat every day of the school holidays! Any questions, please don't hesitate to ask!

Please note, children require a hat at when OSHClub After-School Care from September 1st to April 30th if they wish to go outside. We only have a few spare hats, so please remember to bring one!!

If you need to make a booking, please do so through the iParent Portal. Greenhills OSHClub is open 6:45-9:00am for Before-School Care, 3:00-6:30pm for After-School Care and 6:45am-6:30pm for Vacation Care/Pupil Free Days. If you need to make a late booking, please contact the service on 0437 928 183 or greenhills@oshclub.com.au

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