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## News from the Principal

By Taylor Irish

### Thank you

Wow, what a term, a big thank you to the school community for your acceptance and goodwill towards me this semester. I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know all the students, parents, teachers and staff at Chelsea PS. A big thank you to all the staff who have tirelessly worked this term tirelessly to deliver a high-quality curriculum for every student. As I mentioned at assembly last week, I hope you had the opportunity to read through the school reports and celebrate the individual growth and achievements that have been made for your child/children.

I would also like to thank the school council and the and parent community for your input and voice, without your support and collaboration in working together, we wouldn't be able to build a strong learning community – and our students wouldn't be able to reach the learning outcomes they have achieved this semester.

### Lunchtime Activities

This week I have enjoyed being out in the playground at lunchtime watching the many different games, activities, and play happening throughout the school grounds. It never ceases to amaze me how well our students share the space and know who is playing which game as they often intermingle. What has struck me most about the way students at Chelsea PS interact - is the care they show each other. In amongst the obvious "dives" were some more serious falls, and on every occasion, the student who was injured was kindly supported by others. This demonstrates to me the kind, caring, and supportive nature we pride ourselves on at Chelsea PS.

Enjoy a safe and happy holiday!

### Calendar of Events

#### June

##### 28th

School assembly 2pm in the MPR  
End of term—early dismissal 2.30pm

#### July

##### 15th

First day of term 3

##### 18th

Year 5/6 wheel talk incursion

##### 19th, 27th

School assembly 3pm in the MPR

#### August

##### 2nd, 9th, 16th, 24th, 30th

School assembly 3pm in the MPR

##### 5th

National Aboriginal and TSI children's day

##### 30th

Father's Day and Special Friends  
Breakfast  
District Athletics Carnival

#### September

##### 16th

Whole school production rehearsal

##### 19th

Matinee and Evening performances  
at Chelsea Town Hall

#### November

##### 8th

School Fun Run

## News from the Assistant Principal

By Jan Smith



### NAIDOC WEEK

This week across the school we commemorated the early celebrations of NAIDOC week. NAIDOC Week celebrations are held across Australia each July to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC is celebrated not only in Indigenous communities, but by Australians from all walks of life. The week, students had the opportunity to participate in a range of activities to highlight our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community members.

### SCHOOL UNIFORM

We are always very proud of our students and how smart they look in their Chelsea Primary School uniform. Our uniform encourages pride in students' appearance and recognition of themselves as an integral part of our school community. Whilst we appreciate the weather is getting very cold (lots of fun before school with ice this week!), we still expect students to wear approved Chelsea Primary uniform. We encourage coats, scarves and beanies to be worn to and from school and outside at break times on these chilly days. Thank you to our families who have their children in full school uniform.

Just a reminder that fashion accessories such as bright hairclips, bows, stockings, leggings and non-uniform windcheaters and tracksuit pants are not part of our agreed guidelines. Pale blue polo-shirts approved uniform. Our lost property is also overflowing. Named clothing will be are labelled.



### PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

Keep reading over the holidays. We would love to see even more students completing the challenge! Ideas to enjoy books during the holidays.....visit the fabulous Chelsea Library, swap a book with a friend, visit the Op shop for great titles at super prices or have a look on the PRC site for recommended titles.

### PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Chelsea Primary was 'abuzz' with families on Tuesday and Wednesday this week for our parent teacher conferences. A highlight of our Student Voice and Agency focus was our Year 5/6 student led interviews, where students reflected on their learning goal setting with parents.

### INQUIRY

This week our term Inquiry focus of Sustainability concludes. It has been great visiting classrooms this week to see the celebrations of student learning. Creations from recycled materials, experiments in the Kitchen Garden and exploration of Natural Disasters led to some great investigations.



and



### HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Thank you to our community for another students and parents a fabulous break. three holds for us!



fabulous term at Chelsea Primary! I wish our staff, .....Can't wait to see what exciting things Term

## Sports News

By Courtney McDonald

On Tuesday afternoon the 5/6's were lucky enough to have a visit from Sam and Josh from the St Kilda Football club. The players came and spoke to the students about their career, life before making in into the AFL and also fielded any questions students posed. We then got outside in the beautiful sunshine and learnt a few skills and had a kick with the boys! Such a fun afternoon!



### GRADES 3 & 4 - It's your turn! WORKING BEE SUNDAY 14th JULY 9:30am - 11:30am

We all know many hands make light work, and together we could have our school looking fantastic in only a couple of hours.

**Our working bee will focus on:**

**Weeding/pruning**

**General sweep/ tidy and rubbish collecting**

**Cleaning cob webs**

**Clearing gutters and drains**

**Re-mulching Fowler St Garden bed**



We have limited tools available at school, so any rakes, brooms or wheelbarrows, window washing equipment etc that can be brought along for you to use will be much appreciated! Please remember to name each item.

**So get your gloves and spades ready, bring the kids and let's show the community how**



## Earn and Learn Promotion

**32,461 stickers and the final tally will be announced in the coming days.**

A big thank you to everyone who has collected stickers and supported our school in the Woolworths Earn and Learn promotion. Delivery will be later this year or next year depending on stock availability. We will keep you posted.



## SCHOOL FUN RUN

We're excited to be participating in the School Colour-Run this year! Our Colour-Run date will be **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November after school**. We'll be launching the fundraising at the start of Term 3, so make sure to keep your eyes out!



*Entertainment Memberships are sold as a fundraiser through our school. \$70 and the school receives \$14 per book or digital membership.*

Order forms are available at the office with a display book for your reading pleasure. Any questions, please speak to Ledam at the office.

These products are excellent guides to all the things you love to do...dining, attractions, shopping, travel and more!

Filled with up to 50% off or 2-for-1 style offers, they are a great way to discover new favourites and enjoy the value at the same time.

A wholly owned Australian company, Entertainment Publications has been publishing these popular fundraising products for the last 24 years.



# School Holiday Program

1 July to 12 July 2019




**Join us for epic holiday fun!**

Enrolments open now!

**Chelsea Primary School**  
**Southmoor Primary School**

[kingston.vic.gov.au/schoolholidayprogram](http://kingston.vic.gov.au/schoolholidayprogram)



## 1st Chelsea Heights Scout Group



### 1st Chelsea is starting a Joey Mob!

Their opening night will be July 15, at 46 Cannes Ave Bonbeach. They will then meet weekly on Monday nights from 5-6pm.

Joey Scouts are girls and boys aged 5-7. They enjoy adventure, imagination, and being outdoors during their weekly one-hour meeting, and occasional sleepovers and camps.

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## School Holiday Workshops @ Market 3196

279 Wells Road Chelsea Heights 3196

**Tuesday 2nd July 2019**  
**Make your own Miniature Garden**  
10am-12pm or 2pm-4pm—\$25 per child  
Bookings are Essential  
Contact: Elva 0413819972  
Also available for adults if you wish to participate as well...why should all the kids have all the fun!!



Bring your child and let them transform an ordinary pot (similar to above) into a wonderland of living plants, furniture and creatures for just \$25 your child receives the following:

- One Large Planter with pre drilled holes for drainage in Lavender, Bright Green or Turquoise
- Soil
- 3 Living plants
- Stones, Pebbles or Sand (lots to choose from)
- One piece of Furniture
- One creature like a fairy, turtle, ladybird—lots to choose from
- Paint a Rock to add to your Garden or Hide as well



### HIDE AND SEEK ROCKS

Paint rock with your fun creative designs on the front  
Put first name and postcode on the back if you wish  
Hide it locally and take a photo of the hidden rock  
Post photo on FB of the rock along with the name of the parks and suburb it has been hidden  
Finding hidden rocks is so much fun then re-hide and take photos, repost on FB where they are for others to find  
The process begins again. Enjoy and have Fun

There will be other embellishments available to add to the creation refer to website - [www.elitegiftcollection.com.au](http://www.elitegiftcollection.com.au)  
You can browse around Market 3196 while your child makes their miniature garden

Contact Elva on 0413819972  
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Please note there are FB pages available for each state in Australia just search "state"/Rocks eg Vic Rocks

## Football Star Academy Holiday Camp

### Aspendale Primary School. July 1st - 3rd



The Football Star academy holiday camp programs are the perfect way to keeping your child active and playing football during the holidays.

The Football Star Academy FUN holiday camps are designed for children after a more relaxed, fun approach to football. These football (soccer) holiday camps are fun, action packed full of games and player stations. Suitable for both boys and girls and for ages 5-12 years old. No previous football experience required

What you will learn:  
Fun football skill session's | 1v1 development | Game play | Overall football skills.

9:00am - 12:00pm

at: Aspendale Primary School

Holiday Camp Fun Camp | Ages 5 to 12 | Only Half Day 3hrs

1 Day Camp: Monday.....(\$45)

2 Day Camp: Monday, Tuesday.....(\$90)

3 Day Camp: Mon, Tues, Wednesday.....(\$135)

### TO REGISTER

Contact: 0474 868 852  
Email: vic3.football@sportstaracademy.com  
Website: <https://sportstaracademy.com/football>



CREATING A MOVEMENT OF CHANGE FOR TOMORROW'S GRASSROOTS LEADERS

SSAA MORE THAN SPORT AWARDS Voted Best national school aged activity (5-12 years old)

