

# Newsletter

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## Change in Newsletter...

Dear Parents,

Welcome back everyone. I hope you enjoyed the holidays with your children. It is wonderful to hear that everyone is feeling refreshed and students are happy and

eager to be back at school. I am very excited to begin the new school year and look forward to working with the whole school community to ensure the best possible teaching and learning for the students of Albanvale Primary School.

### Newsletter

As Albanvale endeavours to become a more technologically savvy school, this will be our final paper newsletter. We encourage families to update their email addresses with the office so that you can be on our mailing list to receive the newsletter in this environmentally friendly way. Alternatively it can be accessed via our website.

### Preps

We look forward to welcoming our 2018 prep students tomorrow. At present our prep students are undertaking department required assessments; this valuable information will be used by teachers to ensure they are meeting the learning needs of all students.

A reminder to parents that prep students will continue to have Wednesdays off during February.

### Welcome New Staff

We welcome the following new staff to the Albanvale PS Team:

Nicole Koroneos- Grade 5/6K

Damla Osman- 1/2O

Kristy Maisano- Prep M

Amy Garretto- Performing Arts

Jessica Bickham- Student Engagement & Wellbeing

Please make them feel welcome.

### Assembly

The whole school assembly provides an opportunity for the whole school community to meet and share student achievements for the week. We encourage parents to attend.

In 2018 whole school assemblies will be held at **3:00pm on Mondays** in order to maximise teaching and learning time in the timetable.

### Head Lice

We have had a couple of reports of head lice this week. Unfortunately head lice are a part of all schools and are easily transferred from student to student through close contact. We ask that you support us in keeping head lice under control by checking your child's hair each week and treating if necessary. Please refer to the attached pamphlet on how to treat head lice.

### Education Costs

A notice outlining 2018 Education Costs for essential items was sent home to all families in 2017. The fees provide students with the whole year's supply of additional resources not supplied as part of the curriculum e.g. Sports Awareness. A breakdown of the school fees is provided in the notice. It is requested that families return forms with payment as soon as possible. **Parents requiring support with school fees are asked to present at the office in order to organise a payment plan.**

### All families with a current Health Care card - Financial Assistance for Camps, Sports and Excursions

The Victorian Government introduced a fund to assist families with the cost of camps, sports and excursions so that all children are able to access learning opportunities beyond the classroom. Parents with a valid means-tested concession card are eligible to apply for the \$125 annual amount, which is paid directly to the school for the benefit of your child and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child. We will be sending home a letter and application form for families to complete for each child. The forms must be completed and returned to school so that the school can enter the application on line.

Sue Vermezovic  
PRINCIPAL

## IMPORTANT DATES

### **Term 1**

### **School Photos**

Thursday 8th

February

### **Interschool Sports**

Friday 16th Feb

### **Parent Teacher**

### **Interviews**

6th March & 7th  
March

### **Curriculum Day**

March 9th

### **Labour Day**

March 12th



## SUNSMART POLICY

**No Hat!**

**No Play!**

Hats must be worn at all  
times when playing  
outside.

**Our Value in Term 1: Excellence**

**Having high expectations and striving to achieve beyond your personal best**



St Albans Sweet Sounds  
Early Learning Centre

**Enquire about our Before  
& After School Care!**

☎ 9310 8955  
🏠 27-29 Elizabeth Street, St Albans



### **Attendance-Every Day Counts**

Getting to school every day  
and on time every day means:

*You are demonstrating high  
expectations and striving to  
achieve beyond your personal  
best.*

## **Attendance**

Getting to school every day and  
on time every day means:

***You are being 'Responsible' for  
your learning.***

***If your child is not at school by  
9.30am a text message will be  
sent ,***

***requesting you to  
contact the school.***

***On 9367 2197***

## **Lost Property**

We have many items in 'Lost Property'  
without names, therefore we are unable to  
return these to the rightful owners. Please  
clearly label clothing and hats with your  
child's name, to enable us to return them  
as soon as possible.

Please check at 'Lost Property' or the  
office for any other lost items such as  
jewellery.

## ***School Day***

**8.45 - 9.00 students in  
classroom**

**11.00 - 11.30 Recess**

**1.30 - 2.15 Lunch**

**3.15 School Finishes**

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**Term 1 Finishes**

**Thursday 29th March**

## ALBANVALE PRIMARY SCHOOL CANTEEN MENU FOR 2018

🟢 GREEN – EVERYDAY FOODS    🟡 ORANGE – SELECT CAREFULLY FOODS    (H) – HALAL FOOD    (V) – VEGETARIAN FOOD

## EXTRAS

-LUNCH BAGS	\$0.10
-TOASTED	\$0.30
-ROLLS	\$0.70
-TOMATO SAUCE	\$0.30
-SOY SAUCE	\$0.30

**SANDWICH WHITE OR WHOLEMEAL BREAD**

-HAM	\$2.40	🟢
-SALAD (V)	\$4.00	🟢
-VEGEMITE	\$2.00	🟢
-STRAWBERRY JAM	\$2.00	🟢
-CHEESE	\$2.20	🟡

## EXTRA FILLINGS

**\$0.50 EACH**

-TOMATO, LETTUCE, CARROT	
-CUCUMBER, CHEESE	🍏
-ALL SALADS	\$2.20 🍏
-MAYONNAISE	\$0.30 🍏

## SNACKS

-CARROTS STICKS	\$0.60	🍏
-POPCORN VARIETIES	\$1.60	🍏
-JELLY STICKS	\$0.30	🍏
-GO COOKIES	\$1.10	🍏
-VEGIE CRACKERS (GLUTEN FREE)	\$1.30	🍏
-RICE STICKS	\$1.30	🍏
-JJ VARIETIES	\$1.50	🍏
-NOODLE SNACK VARIETIES	\$1.30	🍏

## FROZEN SNACKS

- PINEAPPLE RINGS	0.60	🍏
- ZINGS	\$1.00	🍏
- PADDLE POPS VAR	\$1.80	🍌
CHOCOLATE		
RAINBOW		

-PADDLE POP ICY TWIST	\$1.50	🍷
-CALIPPO VAR		
RASPBERRY PINE	\$1.50	🍷
JUICE CUPS A.B.C	\$1.50	🍷
BULLA FROZEN YOGHURT CUPS	\$2.50	🍷
VANILLA ICE CREAM CUPS	\$2.00	🍷

## JUICES

-APPLE AND BLACKCURRENT	\$2.00	👍
-ORANGE	\$2.00	👍
-APPLE	\$2.00	👍
-WATER 600ML	\$2.00	👍
-SPORTSWATER FOCUS 350ML	\$2.30	👍
-NIPPY MILK-CHOCOLATE	\$2.20	👍
-NIPPY MILK STRAWBERRY	\$2.20	👍
-NIPPY MILK HONEYCOMB	\$2.20	👍

## HOTFOOD

-STEAMED DIM SIMS	\$1.00	👍
- FRIED RICE (V)	\$4.00	👍
-LASAGNA	\$4.00	👍
-SPAGHETTI	\$4.00	👍
-MACORONI CHEESE (V)	\$4.00	👍
-CHICKEN & BARBEQUE PIZZA	\$4.00	👍
-MARGHERITA PIZZA (V)	\$4.00	👍
-FOUR N TWENTY TRAVLLERS PIE	\$4.00	👎
-FOUR N TWENTY PASTIE	\$4.00	👎
-FOUR N TWENTY SAUSAGE ROLL	\$3.40	👎
- SKINLESS HOTDOG PLAIN	\$3.00	👎
- SKINLESS HOTDOG WITH CHEESE	\$3.20	👎
- CORN ON THE COB	\$1.00	👍
- CHICKEN NUGGETS (H) (3 FOR)	\$2.70	👍
- FANTASTIC NOODLE BEEF (H)	\$2.50	👍
- FANTASTIC NOODLE CHICKEN (H)	\$2.50	👍
- PARTY PIES	\$1.20	👍
- CHICKEN STRIP LETTUCE& MAYO (H)	\$5.70	👍
-PASITIZZI <u>RICOTTA</u> ( EACH )	\$1.20	👍
- FISH FINGERS (3 FOR)	\$2.70	👍
-HAM & CHEESE CROISSANT	\$3.50	👎

## A NOTE TO PARENTS

\* In addition a limited selection of food may vary daily, for over the counter purchase at both lunchtime and recess.

\* A sticker will be placed on the child's lunch order to collect their frozen snacks from the canteen to avoid spillages within the class rooms.

\* Please Note that butter will be upon request ONLY.

\*ALL LUNCH ORDERS TO BE PLACED IN PAPER BAGS WITH NO STAPLES OR STICKY TAPE PLEASE.

ALL PRICES ARE GST INCLUSIVE



## PAYMENTS using BPAY or DIRECT DEPOSIT

You can now make all your payments via internet banking for e.g. Camps, excursions, incursions and fees. To assist you with this the office can print out your statement which will have your unique **BPay Reference and Biller Code** and school banking details

After making payments online it is important to let the office know what you have paid for by **returning student payment envelope**

the school with the following details:

**BPay/Direct Deposit on (date)**

**Receipt No.** \_\_\_\_\_

**student:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student ID:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Class:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment for:** \_\_\_\_\_

## VALUES

**Excellence**

Having high expectations and striving to achieve beyond your personal best

**Respect**

Valuing and respecting others' differences and respecting the right to learn

**Responsibility**

Being responsible for your thoughts, words and actions and the consequences that follow

**Collaboration**

Working together to achieve agreed goals

## FREE HOT SHOTS TENNIS LESSON For 4 - 7 year olds

The Free trial lesson for your child will be held at the following time and venue:

Venue: at: Delahey Tennis Club

Goldsmith Ave, Delahey (off King's Road)

Time: **Saturday 10th February 2018 @ 1.15 p.m.**  
or **Sunday 11th February 2018 @ 12.00 p.m.**

To reserve your child's place please contact  
**Geoff Guy on 0418 369 929**



**FREE**  
New  
Racquet with  
enrolment!

## FREE HOT SHOTS Lesson For 8 Years & Over

We have experienced coaches ready to assist you with your introduction to tennis

Free HOT SHOTS Lesson (8 yrs & over): Either **Saturday 10th February 2018 @ 2.15 p.m.**  
or **Sunday 11th February 2018 @ 1.00 p.m.**

# Come and have a Bash!