



CHAPMAN VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter #4

May 13th, 2020

Dates to Remember

Term 2
2020

Monday June 1

WA Day holiday

Monday June 8

Board Meeting 6pm

TO BE CONFIRMED

Friday July 3

End of Term 2

School Vision:

We are currently reviewing our VISION statement so that it reflects our current practises, beliefs and values at our school and to be memorable. We would like to have a purpose added to our School Business Plan for the next planning period.

Dear Parents and Community,

Ni hao.

Thank goodness this newsletter has completely different news to the last newsletter. We do apologise for the newsletter coming out a couple of days late this week, we have had a very busy week.

THANKYOU AND GRATITUDE

I would like to publicly acknowledge how grateful I am to our whole school community. They say crisis or tragedy unite and strengthen people, and I certainly felt that during the COVID-19 pandemic. In particular I would like to thank our school staff who went above and beyond their duties as support staff and teachers. It seemed every day for six weeks we were being asked to change, clarify, do something extra and our staff responded in a positive manner and just got on with the job. I can not thank them all enough as I certainly felt a sense of calm in our school, which I feel flowed through to our children. The crisis certainly has made all people look at different ways of approaching our way of life and maybe we may make some changes to our daily lives to being more grounded. I know I certainly relished having more time at home with my family and have become used to staying home, which I would love to continue doing.

COVID-19

As we are now at the end of week three it seems our school and community are getting back to normal. The Minister's announcement yesterday of all children back to school as from Monday, except for medical reasons, will see even more normality from next week. Schools are a safe place to be as we are being guided by the most recent and up to date health advice from the AHPPC.

At school we are promoting good hygiene practises including handwashing with soap multiple times a day, use of sanitiser, coughing and sneezing into elbows and limited contact. We are still asking parents and carers to remain off school grounds. If you need to drop something off or pick up your child please ring us and we can arrange a staff member to meet you at a gate. Thank you to everybody for being vigilant with this request.

We have received funding from DoE, increasing our cleaning schedule to have a cleaner onsite, all day, everyday.

PREORDERS FOR UNIFORMS

Some of our uniform stock is low or sold out, and in future we will only be carrying minimal stock. We are introducing a pre-order system and will be placing an order with our supplier shortly. If you are requiring uniforms please fill in the order form in this newsletter and return to the school before 1st June, 2020

COMMUNICATION

Thank you to all the parents who have downloaded and are using the SCHOOL STAR APP. It is very user friendly and is proving very easy for us at school to send a quick notification out to parents. Please remember there is a message tab on the home screen of the app that you can use to notify us of anything that we need to know about your child or their education including absences. Deb has the webpage for this app opened all day and can see messages straight away.

READING LOGS

Please continue to read with your children and record nights read in the reading log. When they have achieved a milestone please let us know by sending a photo or uploading a message and photo on seesaw. Our End of Term goal is 100. We need your children to be reading at least five nights during the week. They earn a raindrop of Positive Behaviour for this achievement.

Jo Luxton –Principal

SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES

Voluntary contributions and charges are now OVERdue. These can be paid at the School Office or directly into the school bank account (listed below). Please contact the school office if you would like to arrange a payment plan.



Chapman Valley Primary School

BSB: 066512

Account: 00902486

Mobile devices School Policy

Just a reminder that as part of a School Behaviour Management Plan we do not permit students to bring mobile devices to school. Mobile devices can be an educational distraction at school in students bags outside the classroom and we would not like them to get broken or damaged in transit or at school in the bag.



Second Hand Uniforms Available

We have an abundance of second hand school uniforms. Please feel free to come and have a look and take what your child needs. We ask for a gold coin donation for these items. We are grateful to the past parents and students who donate these to the good use and fortune for other students.





Positive Behaviour

AREAS	KINDNESS TO OURSELVES	KINDNESS TO OTHERS	KINDNESS TO THE ENVIRONMENT
Classrooms	<p>We are organised and ready to learn</p> <p>Strive to achieve to the best of your ability</p> <p>Stay on task, finish work</p>	<p>Push your chair in when you leave the table</p> <p>Help others keep their workspace tidy</p> <p>Put your hand up to speak</p> <p>We respectfully avoid touching others and being in their personal space</p>	<p>Put your own rubbish in the bin</p> <p>Be respectful to school equipment</p>
Outside Areas	<p>We wear our hats to be sun smart</p> <p>When climbing we use 3 points of contact</p> <p>We get prepared for class on the 3 minute whistle</p> <p>We stay inside our school's safe boundaries</p> <p>Sit to eat our own food</p> <p>Ask to leave before playing</p>	<p>We walk along walkways and around corners</p> <p>We play on grassed areas with running games</p> <p>We play safely and consider others</p> <p>We help others when they are hurt or need assistance</p> <p>Take turns with equipment</p>	<p>Put rubbish in the correct bins</p> <p>We care for our flora and fauna</p> <p>We pick up rubbish if we see it</p>
Transitions	<p>We have our equipment ready for our next class</p>	<p>We walk to the next class quietly</p> <p>We line up and wait for the teacher to enter a classroom</p>	<p>We carry our rubbish to the provided bins</p> <p>We eat our lunch in the lunch area and ask to leave</p>
Toilets	<p>We wash our hands after toileting</p> <p>We close the door to the toilet when using</p>	<p>We use the toilets appropriately</p> <p>We use the toilet paper and hand towels responsibly</p>	<p>We respectfully use the toilet areas and leave it tidy</p> <p>We leave doors unlocked after use</p> <p>We swiftly leave the toileting areas after use</p> <p>The entrance door stays open</p>
Special events Excursions/ Community/ assembly	<p>We stay with our group</p> <p>We act with pride to represent our school</p> <p>We actively participate</p>	<p>We sit in our seat with our seatbelt on</p> <p>We support our peers</p> <p>We show respect to our school guests</p> <p>Celebrate others successes</p> <p>Board bus safely</p> <p>Follow venues rules and expectations</p> <p>Demonstrate appropriate behaviour on the bus</p> <p>Be a good audience</p> <p>We immediately respond to muster signal / whistle</p>	<p>Take our rubbish when we leave</p> <p>We are responsible for our own equipment</p>
Whole School	<p>We wear our school uniform and appropriate footwear</p> <p>We are responsible for our own actions</p> <p>We use five star listening</p> <p>We cooperate with others</p> <p>Attend school</p> <p>Be punctual</p> <p>Be organised, bring back forms</p> <p>We use technology appropriately and carefully</p> <p>Follow adult instruction straight away</p> <p>Ask for help when its needed</p>	<p>We move politely through work spaces</p> <p>We respect other people's property</p> <p>We line up and wait for the teacher to enter a classroom</p> <p>We interact positively with others</p> <p>Be a good sport</p> <p>Use manners; please and thank you, excuse me, sorry I'm late, knocking on the door</p> <p>Return borrowed items</p> <p>Use kind words</p> <p>Respond appropriately when spoken to</p> <p>Pick up lost property</p> <p>Celebrate others successes</p> <p>Accept differences</p>	<p>We use resources, like paper and water, wisely</p> <p>We use the snake procedure</p> <p>We complete our jobs</p> <p>Return equipment and leave area tidy</p> <p>We are responsible for our own rubbish</p>



Chaplain's Chat



RETURNING TO SCHOOL

Helping your child with worry and stress

Your child may be feeling a bit worried about returning to school. Here are some tips to help them get back into it.

Get back into a routine: set bed times, help your child to pack their bag or choose their lunch, and lay out their uniform.

TALK WITH YOUR CHILDREN ABOUT HOW THEY ARE FEELING. LISTEN AND REASSURE THEM. TALK ABOUT COVID-19. AND ANSWER THEIR QUESTIONS AS HONESTLY AS POSSIBLE. THIS MAY HELP TO ADDRESS THEIR FEARS AND REDUCE ANXIETY.

Lots of detail can be calming: talk them through their day: where you will drop them off and pick them up.

Leave them quickly – even if they're upset, even if you're upset.

Teachers can manage your child once they are at school. Most children recover quickly once they're back in the class.

Remind them what they can do and what the school is doing to keep them safe:

- Washing/sanitising hands before eating
- Washing hands after using toilet
- Try not to touch their face or other people.
- School is being cleaned well everyday.

"When little people are overwhelmed by big emotions, it's our job to share our calm, not to join their chaos."

—L.R. Knost

Reflect on how you are feeling. Kids pick up on their parent's emotions very easily. Modelling calm behaviour and tone of voice can really help.

Remind them what they like about school:

- Their teacher
- Playing with friends
- A subject they enjoy.

KEEP SENDING YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL: AVOIDING SITUATIONS THAT MAKE US FEEL WORRIED CAN MAKE THE WORRY WORSE NEXT TIME.

PRAISE BRAVE BEHAVIOUR: TELL YOUR CHILD HOW PROUD YOU ARE THEY WENT TO SCHOOL AND ASK THEM WHAT GOOD THINGS HAPPENED AT SCHOOL.

Marissa Stacey, School Psychologist (provisional)



ATTENDANCE

Thank you to all the parents who continually let us know when their student is absent from school and give us the reason. We have all of our children back at school now. Thankyou to everyone who helped out during COVID-19 times for keeping our students safe.

However if your child is unwell please let the school office know or send us a message on the School Star app.

We have had two days this week with 100% attendance, which is really exciting. HOWEVER it is important that if your child displays any signs of sickness that you keep them home.





SCHOOL NEWS



PETER'S CHAP CHAT #0220

"Friends are those rare people who ask how we are and then wait to hear the answer."
Ed Cunningham

Another warm, friendly & slightly moist 'G'day!' from your Chaplain, Peter...recognize the beagle?

One of the main topics of concern that I come across as I interact with adults and children revolves around the topic of FRIENDSHIP. We are all called to be sociable and the better we get along with each other the better our society can become for everyone.

So, is there something wrong with you or your child if you are struggling socially? For some it seems to be as simple as breathing whereas for others to connect socially is a source of stress and anxiety. Be assured...it is not a character flaw! It simply means that some of us who feel socially awkward need to be up-skilled...so how can this be done?

1. Focus on your strengths...what do you do well?
2. What is the actual problem(s)...is it small talk or sharing?
3. Broaden your horizon...perhaps the problem is the particular peer group, so provide opportunities outside of the present environment.
4. What does a good friend look like...similar likes, kindness, listening?

More next time, remember, I am on site at school each **alternate Tuesday**...I look forward to chatting further with you!

Peter Hanrahan, Chapman Valley PS Chaplain



Our School Creed

This is our school
Let peace dwell here
Let the rooms be full of contentment
Let Love abide here
Love of one another
Love of mankind, and
Love of Life itself
Let us remember
That as many hands build a house
So many hearts make a school

REPORT ALL SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY AROUND THE SCHOOL

If you happen to see anything that looks suspicious around our school, please contact the Northampton Police Station on 99347600 or

Jo Luxton on 0429 977 603.

Please ensure you take note of vehicle number plates and other details should we need to assist police with their enquiries.



IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE CALENDAR

We have not included a planner for term 2 as we are so unsure of any forward planning due to the COVID-19.

***BAKE SALE IGA 1st AUGUST**

***WINTER CARNIVAL 19th JUNE**

***NCVISSA CROSS COUNTRY 7th AUGUST**

***CHUNA PICNIC SPORTS 11th SEPTEMBER**

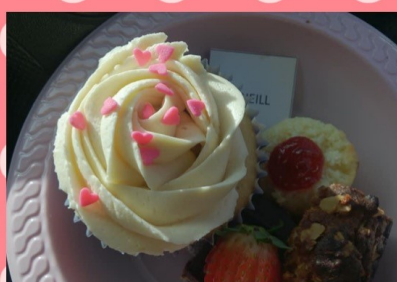
***CV SHOW 5th SEPTEMBER**

***NCVISSA ATHLETICS 18th SEPTEMBER**

***YEAR 6 GRAD DINNER 11th DECEMBER**



Junior Room News

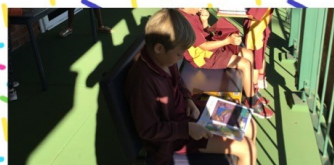


McChappy Drive Through

It was such a nice event on Friday when we had the Mothers' Day Morning Tea replacement in the form of a McChappy drive through. The kiddies loved serving their mums and making a plate and cuppa. Such a great gesture and we raised \$51 for our efforts. The plan is to have another one next month and open it to the whole community.



Around our school



We have been having so much fun in and around our school. SO many things happening around the school.

The kiddies have been playing basketball, learning to umpire as well as developing their skills.

Other kiddies have been making the most of sand play and making new huts, which are very impressive. Some other kiddies have been using the playground equipment especially the large hammock. The Kindys have been using the musical wall in the Zen garden.

So much fun in our little school.

TERM 2 CALENDAR 2020							
Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
4	May 18 Chaplain in	May 19	May 20	May 21	May 22 Junior Library Wheelie Day	May 23	May 24
5	May 25	May 26	May 27	May 28 Senior Library	May 29 Junior Library Wheelie Day	May 30	May 31
6	June 1 WA Day holiday	June 2	June 3 Young Writers Yr 6 TO BE CONFIRMED	June 4 Senior Library	June 5 Junior Library Wheelie Day	June 6	June 7
7	June 8 Board Meeting 6pm TO BE CONFIRMED	June 9	June 10	June 11 Senior Library	June 12 Junior Library Wheelie Day	June 13	June 14
8	June 15 Chaplain in	June 16	June 17	June 18 Senior Library NAIDOC DAY @ Yuna TO BE CONFIRMED	June 19 Junior Library NCVISA Winter Carnival TO BE CONFIRMED	June 20	June 21
9	June 22	June 23	June 24	June 25 Senior Library	June 26 Junior Library Wheelie Day	June 27	June 28
10	June 29 Chaplain in	June 30	July 1	July 2	July 3 EOT ASSEMBLY TO BE CONFIRMED HAPPY CHAPPY DAY	July 4	July 5
Hol	July 6	July 7	July 8	July 9	July 10	July 11	July 12
Hol	July 13	July 14	July 15	July 16	July 17	July 18	July 19

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Uniform Order Form 2020

Size	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	Total Units	Price	Sub total
Shirt (Paneled)									\$24.00	
Short	x		x						\$10.00	
Skort									\$10.00	
Tracksuit Pants									\$22.00	
Jumper									\$25.00	
Zip Jacket									\$25.00	
Hat									\$15.00	
Name									Total owing	\$
Paid by:	Cash	Cheque	EFT	Date:						
Bank Details Chapman Valley Primary School BSB: 06 6512 Account: 00902486								Office Signature:		



Please note that as a 'sun smart' school, the wide brim hats are part of our uniform. Caps and bucket hats are not recommended 'sun smart' hats.

