



# Harcourt Valley Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2020

## Diary Dates

Note: below details may change

### July

Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	2.30pm to 4.30pm - Parent Teacher Interviews 10 minutes via Telephone
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	2.30pm to 4.45pm - Parent Teacher Interviews 10 minutes via Telephone
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Mrs Turner's class only	3.45pm to 5.00pm - Parent Teacher Interviews 10 minutes via Telephone Mrs Turner's class only
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 5/6 students – P4P, permission forms sent home

### August

Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	School Council Meeting 7pm
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Science Week
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Book Week

### Parent - Teacher Telephone Interviews

<https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/book/step1?z=TWFhVf>

Event Code:  
mgyp6

### Permission Forms Due

Grade 5/6 P4P permission forms due by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2020

### Flexibuzz – decommissioned

See Principal report for latest information

## Principal's Report

### Commencement of Term 3

Welcome back to Term 3! I hope everyone has had an opportunity to have some form of a break over the school holiday period.

Whilst we still have the same restrictions on access to the school site, requesting parents do not enter the school grounds unless it is for an essential reason, I would like to thank families for helping support students make a smooth transition back to school during these challenging times.

Please find attached a letter explaining our arrangements for the commencement of Term 3.

### General Health Advice

Whilst we are encouraging everyone to have strong hygiene practices at school, to reduce the risk of transmission of coronavirus (COVID-19) it is important that if your child is unwell, they remain at home and not return to school until their symptoms resolve.

The current information from the Department of Education and Training advises that if you, your child, or a family member develops symptoms of a fever, chills or sweats, cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, runny nose, loss of smell or taste, you should get tested at a coronavirus (COVID-19) testing facility and stay home.

You are most welcome to contact me if you require further clarification regarding this matter.

### **Parent /Teacher Interviews via Phone**

Please note that parent/teacher interviews are scheduled for next week via phone providing the opportunity to discuss your child's mid-year report.

The scheduled days are: Monday 20th July, Wednesday 22nd July and Thursday 23rd July (Mrs Turner's class only). When booking, you will be requested to add your preferred contact number allowing staff to contact the nominated phone number. Bookings can be made on the link below:

<https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/book/step1?z=TWFhVf>

**Event Code – mgyp6**

### **Student Uniform Policy**

A reminder to families that all students are expected to adhere to our school uniform policy.

Listed below is the link to the school uniform policy:

[https://www.hvps.vic.edu.au/uploaded\\_files/media/student\\_dress\\_code\\_policy\\_september\\_2019.pdf](https://www.hvps.vic.edu.au/uploaded_files/media/student_dress_code_policy_september_2019.pdf)

It has also come to my attention that numerous students are wearing jewellery at school.

Please note that stud earrings and sleepers worn in the ears are deemed acceptable jewellery.

### **FlexiBuzz**

Due to us receiving very late notice regarding FlexiBuzz being decommissioned, we are currently seeking an alternative communication device.

Please do not provide any personal information to any other social media platform until further notice.

### **Electronic Newsletter**

With our strong sustainability focus, weekly newsletters will be sent out electronically to nominated email accounts. If you require a hardcopy of the newsletter, please advise reception.

Have a good weekend!

Andrew

## **School Uniform**

Families that are in need of new or 2<sup>nd</sup> hand uniform please email or ring the school office to order.

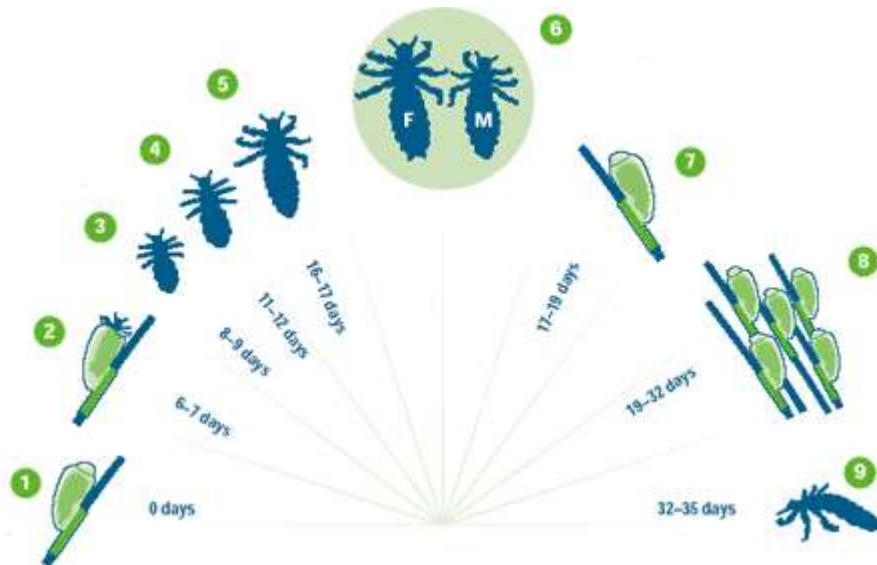


Payment is required prior to sending home uniforms with students.

## **School Bank Account Details:**

Account Name:  
Harcourt Valley Primary School  
BSB: 063 509  
Account Number: 1004 2656  
Reference: eg: Surname/(Fees,or Uniform)

## **Head Lice**



Can all families please check their children's hair for lice each day and if necessary treat as soon as possible.

For further advice please visit the following website.

<https://www2.health.vic.gov.au/public-health/infectious-diseases/head-lice>

Health regulations requires that where a child has head lice, that child should not return to school until the day after appropriate treatment has started. Please note, this refers only to those children who have live head lice and does not refer to head lice eggs.

## Community News



### WHERE

Harcourt Recreational Reserve  
Binghams Road  
Harcourt, Victoria 3453

### WHEN

Thursday  
4:00pm-5:30pm  
Duration: 75 mins  
Season: 16/07/2020

### PRICE

\$85

**CONTACTS - Mark Dorian** 0409011104 [mail@capitallocksmiths.com.au](mailto:mail@capitallocksmiths.com.au)  
<http://harcourtfnc.com>

### ●●ATTENTION JUNIOR NETBALLERS ●●

The HFNC will be running a NetSetGO program this year and we would love for you to join. NetSetGO creates an enjoyable, safe and positive learning experience for junior netballers to continue participating in future years. This weekly program is a great way to keep kids active, physically and socially, with the fun of sport and games.

Register via the link below.

<https://netball.resultsvault.com/common/pages/reg/welcome.aspx?id=89097&type=6&save=0&entityid=45055>

A promotional poster for 'START PLAYING' netball. The top half features the text 'START PLAYING' in large white letters on a yellow background. Below this, smaller text reads: 'MAKE FRIENDS, BURN ENERGY AND LEARN THE NETBALL SKILLS. PLAY SUNSHINY NETBALLING AT YOUR LOCAL CENTRE.' The middle section shows a group of four young girls in green and white netball uniforms running on a field. The bottom section contains event details: 'HARCOURT NETBALL CLUB', 'WEDNESDAY'S 4PM', '22ND JULY 2020', and 'JANE 0409514296'. There is also a small Netball Australia logo in the bottom right corner.

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