

Friday 10th November, 2023

MEADOWS PS NEWSLETTER

'We are an inclusive and safe learning community that empowers students to achieve their potential and live our values. We are responsible, respectful and resilient.'



DATES TO REMEMBER:

Pupil Free Day

Monday 4th December.
2024 Planning

Grade 6 Graduation Ceremony

Monday 11th December.

Last day of Canteen.

Wednesday 13th December.

5/6 Surf Camp

Wednesday 13th December.
Until
Friday 15th December.

5/6 Funfields Excursion

Monday 18th December.

Whole school picnic at Jack Roper Reserve

Tuesday 19th December.

Dear parents and carers,

The grade 1 /2 children visited the zoo last week and their outstanding behaviour and good manners was noted by the zoo staff. Teachers said they were very proud of how well children listened to the speakers and asked questions. A big thank-you to teachers for organising the excursion.

A reminder to all families that attending school in Victoria is compulsory. It is expected that all children are present at school unless they are ill. Extended absences for illness do require a medical certificate. Please continue to tell the office staff if you are leaving on a family holiday.

Parents can tell school their child is away by:

- Ringing the school office in the morning
- Writing a note on Compass
- Write a note to the teacher when your child returns

We ask parents to assist us with this every time your child is away from school.

Also, for your attention, the school gates do not open until 8.30am on Monday and Friday. On days of Breakfast Club, gates open at 8.15am. The school yard is not supervised by a teacher until 8.50am, and we discourage children being in the school when no teachers are on duty.

letting you know that the last day of trade for the canteen at Meadows PS will be Wednesday 13th December

Leanne Lewis
Principal

DPV Health Presents

The Best Time in History to be a Dad Webinar

By **Jeremy Macvean** from **The Father Hood**

Dads today can be more actively and emotionally involved in their kids' lives than ever before. This has multiple upsides for men, for their children & for their relationships. Are you making the most of the opportunity?

The webinar will explore the benefits and challenges of being a dad in 2023, how to navigate modern fatherhood, & provide inspiration for what these changes can deliver for you & your family.



WEDNESDAY
6 DECEMBER
7PM- 8PM
2023
ONLINE



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RSVP by Wednesday 29th November



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We are super proud of our Grade 1/2 zoologists! They were a credit to our school as they showed our values of respect, responsibility and resilience throughout our excursion to the zoo last Friday. Feedback from the zookeepers was that they rarely have groups who demonstrate such curiosity and ask such insightful questions. It was so exciting to be able to make real life observations of the animals we have been researching! Well done 1/2s!

- Ms Jo