



Woody Yaloak Primary School SCARSDALE CAMPUS

"ACHIEVING TOGETHER"

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2021 Term Dates

- 28th Jan - 1st April
- 19th Apr - 25th Jun
- 12th July - 17th Sep
- 4th Oct - 17th Dec

For Your Diary 2021

OCTOBER

- Tue 12th & Wed 13th
- Grade 3 & Grade 4 attend school

- Thu 14th & Fri 15th
- Grade 5 & Grade 6 attend school

- Tue 19th & Wed 20th
- Grade 3 & Grade 4 attend school

- Thu 21st & Fri 22nd
- Grade 5 & Grade 6 attend school

- Tuesday 26th
- Grades 3 to 6 return to school full time

QR CODES AND RECORD KEEPING (SERVICES VICTORIA QR CODE APP)

A friendly reminder for all parents / carers that enter the campus building must scan the QR Services Victoria QR Code that are placed at all campus entry points. Thanks in advance.

CHECK-IN NOW



Woody Yaloak Primary School...



Unable to scan? Download the Service Victoria app and use code:

QQT ME4

Learn more at service.vic.gov.au/check-in

- 1 Scan code with the Service Victoria app or your phone camera
- 2 Enter your first name and phone number
- 3 Look for the tick. You're now checked in.

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WYPS Scarsdale Campus was formed on the lands of the Wadawarrung people of the Kulin Nation. We pay our respects to their elders, past, present and emerging. We also acknowledge the First Nations people throughout Victoria.

Campus Head Report

WOADY KID OF THE MONTH

SEPTEMBER 2021



Jake A

A huge congratulations to Jake for being our Woody Kid of the Month for September! Jake is a highly valued class member who always contributes to class discussions and willingly helps his class mates when needed. Jake consistently displays our Woody values of respect, responsibility and excellence every day. Jake works hard on all of his class tasks and shows resilience when faced with a challenge. Well done Jake!

Congratulations!

WELCOME BACK

We are so happy to have ALL of our students returning face to face over the coming week. We thank parents/carers for keeping up-to-date with all of the communications so that our students have opportunities to be back at school and working in their classrooms with their dedicated teachers.

Thank you also to the staff that have been working with modified timetables, working with onsite and offsite students and still aiming to achieve our 2021 school goals.

WELCOME BACK!

SCHOOL HATS DISCOUNTED PRICE \$7.50

A reminder that school hats are compulsory and must be worn by all students in term four when outside. Given the advice to be outdoors as much as possible to minimise the risk of COVID transmission, it is essential that all students have a uniform hat at school every day. Please contact the office to arrange purchase if a new school hat is required. Due to change of uniform colour from royal blue to navy blue we will be clearing our current stock of broad brimmed hats and selling at a discounted price of \$7.50.



"IT'S COOL TO BE AT SCHOOL"

OLLIE ONLINE

During this week, students in the junior classes will be involved in a free incursion that will be presented digitally by Inform & Empower. Through their program called Ollie Online, they teach junior students some vital lessons to promote online safety. This 45-minute program complements the work done in classrooms regarding cyber safety and is a timely reminder while many students are spending a lot of time in digital settings during lockdowns. Remember to ask your child what they learnt from Ollie Online and how it can keep them stay safe online.

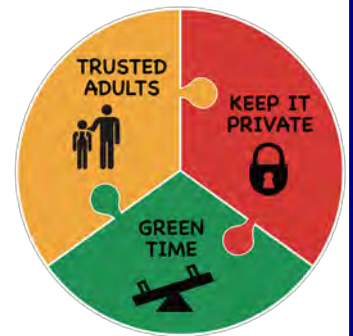
Ollie Online



OLLIE ONLINE LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Students will:

- Understand that the internet is a technology that connects devices and people around the world
- Make comparisons between offline safety and online safety
- Identify who is a trusted adult
- Consider situations when they need to speak to a trusted adult
- Recognize the kind of information that is private
- Understand that they should not give out private information on the internet
- Understand the balance for screen time & green time
- Make connections to their own interests and what their preferred green time activities are



ZOOPER DOOPERS

This term our student will be selling Zooper Doopers every lunch time. They cost 50c each and the money is used for other student leadership projects around our campus. Zooper Dooper sales begins tomorrow.

SOLAR PANEL INSTALLATION

Mr. Pohlner and the School Council have been working with a company to arrange solar panels for each campus. They were installed at the Scarsdale campus late last term and after a final inspection, they will be turned on to generate power for the school and local grid. It's fantastic that we are all working together to source renewable energy and utilise our facilities for such projects!



SCARSDALE BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club is a great way for our students to enjoy a healthy breakfast and enjoy some socialisation with their peers. Beginning tomorrow, our wonderful staff are running breakfast club each Wednesday in the staffroom between 8.15am-8.45am. Students from all year levels are welcome. We thank Food Bank for their ongoing support.



Thank you to the mystery people who recently replanted the garden bed and repaired the goal post, we really appreciate it. The garden bed looks fantastic and the students have enjoyed having shots for goal again.

Thank You



CAFS SUPPORT

We have formed a partnership with a representative from CAFS (Child and Family Services) in Ballarat to support our families across the whole school. Olivia will be working from our Smythesdale campus each Monday and can be contacted for questions or support. She can assist families to engage with other agencies such as The Orange Door, Headspace etc. If you would like to meet with Olivia or get her to call you please contact me at school.



2022 ENROLMENTS NOW BEING TAKEN!

Shortly we will be starting to make staffing arrangements and class structures for the 2022 school year. If you are planning to enrol your child for 2022 or know of someone who is, please contact Peta at the office for an enrolment pack. Campus tours can be arranged by making an appointment.

SHOP LUNCHES / PIE WARMERS

Just a friendly reminder that we have switched our shop lunch / food warmer day. Shop lunches (from Rustic Edge in Smythesdale) are available on Tuesdays and our Food Warmer is available on Thursdays.

**TERM DATES****UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER**

Friday 15th October- Ollie Online (Junior class virtual incursion)
 Monday 18th October- School Council Meeting
 Thursday 28th Oct - Police in Schools incursion Grade 5/6 students - TBC
 Tuesday 2nd Nov - Melbourne Cup Day - Public Holiday
 Friday 5th November- Casual Clothes Day
 Monday 15th November - School Council
 Friday 19th November – Woody Walkathon
 Thursday 25th November - 2022 Transition morning - 9am-11am
 Friday 26th November- Woody Walkathon back-up day
 Wednesday 1st Dec - School Council Meeting / Dinner
 Friday 3rd December - Casual Clothes Day
 Friday 3rd December - Senior Students Bike Ride (Scarsdale to Haddon)
 Tuesday 7th December - Statewide Transition Day
 Wednesday 8th Dec – Scarsdale Campus presentation evening
 Tuesday 14th December - Grade 6 Graduation (Held at the Scarsdale Campus)
 Thursday 16th December - Last day of term for students. Normal 3:30pm finish.
 Fri 17th December - Curriculum Day - no students onsite

Eamon Johnson
Scarsdale Campus Head

COMMUNITY NEWS

**COOKIE DOUGH FUNDRAISER**

The Smythesdale P&F have organised a whole school Cookie Dough fundraiser. Each child will bring home a brochure with details to set up an online fundraising account which can be shared with family and friends so that the whole activity is contact free. Please support this fun fundraising activity to support your students at the Smythesdale campus. **Orders will be closing on MONDAY 1st NOVEMBER** with delivery planned for week beginning Monday 15th November.

WELCOME TO MARS



The Program

Students participate in an **online** 6 week **Mars** themed STEM program. The program will consist of six 1-hour sessions, delivered via WebEx, focusing on fun and engaging **Science, Technology, Engineering** and **Mathematics** activities. The program will commence on Thursday 28th at 4:30pm.

The Aim of the Phoenix STEM Club

- To improve **knowledge** among students and enhancing their **interest** in STEM.
- To generate excitement among students about their **future** and the **opportunities** at Phoenix P-12 Community College.
- To provide an **authentic** and **interesting** pathway for students to access the STEM fields at Phoenix P-12 Community College.

Expectations of students

- Attend all the scheduled Phoenix College STEM Club Sessions.
- Follow the directions of Phoenix P-12 Community College staff.
- Adhere to and model the values of Phoenix P-12 Community College in all interactions.
- Demonstrate respectful and safe use of ICT equipment.

Application Process

- Expressions of interest applications to be completed using the form below (scan QR code) by the **20th of October**.
- Information webinar session for parents will be held on the **22nd of October at 4:30PM**.
- For further information please contact James Nichols at the college via email james.nichols@education.vic.gov.au or phone **5329 3293**



Scan the QR code to register your interest using the application form or visit the webpage below:

<https://forms.office.com/r/cAK7uyzEcV>

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