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Thursday	Staff Conference
30 March	Curriculum Day
Friday	Staff Conference
31 March	Curriculum Day
Tuesday	House Cross
4 April	Country
Thursday	Last day of Term I
6 April	School finishes
Monday	Curriculum Day
24 April	(No school)
Tuesday	Anzac Day Public
25 April	Holiday
Wednesday 26 April	Term 2 commences for students
Thursday	Grade I
27 April	Eureka Skydeck
Thursday 27 April	Grade 2 Mitcham Community Walk
Friday	Foundation
28 April	Create it Incursion
Friday E May	Family Movie Night

round Antonio

Issue 5

Dear Antonio Park Families,

House Cross Country

Excitement is building for our annual House Cross Country event taking place next Tuesday, 4th April. Our students are eagerly anticipating the chance to showcase their running abilities and compete against their peers. We would like to invite all parents to come and support their children and the school by attending this exciting event. The barbecue will be up and running where you can purchase a delicious bacon and egg roll and we will also have a coffee van onsite for the morning. We look forward to seeing you there from 9am.

Harmony Day Celebration

Our Harmony Day celebration last week was a huge success with students from all year levels participating in a variety of activities that promoted inclusivity and cultural diversity. The week culminated in a spectacular display of unity as the whole school gathered on the oval to spell the word "Harmony". This was captured on video and the footage is truly amazing (if you haven't already, visit our social media pages to view). We were thrilled to see all students come together to make this event a huge success.



Staff Conference

While students will be enjoying their curriculum days at the end of this week our teachers are away at our staff conference hearing from expert speaker Glen Pearsall about effective classroom practice, followed by a day of training on the Visible Wellbeing framework. Glen Pearsall will provide valuable insights into how teachers can enhance their classroom practice to create an engaging and effective learning environment for their students. Our teachers will take away practical strategies and ideas that they can implement in their classrooms to improve student learning outcomes.

The Visible Wellbeing framework, which is based on the latest research in positive psychology, provides a holistic Have a great week, approach to wellbeing that considers the social, emotional, and physical aspects of student development. Our teachers had the opportunity to explore this framework and learn how to integrate it into their teaching practice. We believe that investing in the professional development of our

teachers is crucial to providing the best possible education for our students. We are excited to see the positive impact of this conference on the teaching and learning experience at our school.

30 March 2023

Family Movie Night

We are looking forward to our upcoming Family Movie Night Under the Stars, which will take place on Friday, 5th May. This event is open to all families in our school community and we encourage you to come along and enjoy a night of laughter and entertainment. There will be food and drink stalls available on the night, with all proceeds going towards outdoor upgrades including landscaping and seating. So bring your picnic rugs and cushions and join us for an evening of fun, entertainment, and community spirit as we gather together to watch a movie under the stars.

Traffic issues

We continue to deal with weekly traffic issues. Parent education and understanding is key. The school will also run Bike Education for Year 3 and 4 students next term. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Parent Payments

A reminder that the 2023 Parent Contributions are now due for payment through the Compass Portal. Parent contributions are critical to the operation of a school. These fees pay for the books and stationary your child received at the beginning of the year. It also pays for things like digital technology, air conditioners, furniture and many other items NOT funded by the government. Without this support, the school would not have the capacity to provide all the fantastic programs and resources we currently enjoy.

Please follow the link below for the information relating to these contributions. This document explains how important these charges are to our school and how the funds will be distributed.

Parents are offered the option to set up a payment plan to suit your individual needs. Please contact the office if you would like to set this up.

Please click on the following link to proceed with your payment.

https://antoniops-vic.compass.education/Organise/ CourseConf/default.aspx

Carly, Annette and Scott



Our School Values ERRIC Empathy

Responsibility

Resilience

Independence Confidence

Indonesian News

On Tuesday afternoon students from 5/6M met with students from our sister school in Bandung Indonesia to celebrate International Harmony day.

Students greeted each other via zoom and spoke about things that brought them happiness. Congratulations to Elodie, Tayissa, Audrey, Hugo, Jackson S, Siena, Olivia, Ruby, Hannah and Kieran who all articulated themselves really well on the day. We are excited about what lies ahead for the development of relations with our sister school.

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ANTONIO PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

HOUSE CROSS COUNTRY Tuesday 4th April 2023 @ Antonio Park PS & Antonio Park

Students from F-6 are asked to wear house colours and show support for their team.

Students are asked to wear appropriate running shoes for the event. Black school shoes, boots or casual/skate shoes are not appropriate for this type of activity.

Parents and families are encouraged to come along and support the students on the day.

There will be a cofffee van in the driveway, and egg and bacon rolls to purchase in the morning. (Eftpos facilities will be available)

We are looking forward to a fun event!



A reminder to parents who are yet to return Asthma Plans or Medical paperwork to Nicole. Please ensure that all paperwork is handed in to the office asap.

LIVE ONLINE VIA ZOOM

On-demand rewatch available





PARENT & GUARDIAN WEBINAR SERIES 2023



Plan, Prevent, Protect

THURSDAY 16TH FEBRUARY

Learning, connecting and playing online can be positive and safe. Learn how to create a safe online environment at home with practical advice for raising young people in a technology-rich world.



Safety on the Socials

TUESDAY 9TH MAY

Uncover the world of social networking through the lens of a child and teenager. Understand the risks and discover techniques to prepare kids to be safe and responsible on the socials.

Gaming and Your Family

WEDNESDAY 26TH JULY

You can learn a lot through gameplay. Help the young people in your home get the most out of gaming experiences and learn strategies to build healthy gaming habits.



Digital Balance and Wellbeing

TUESDAY 17TH OCTOBER

Technology plays a vital role in our world but it's easy to lose control. Finding a balance is a crucial 21st century skill. Discover simple tools and settings to manage screen time and thrive in a digital world.

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Kiss & Go Zones

Understanding the rules



Kiss & Go Zones are for your child's safety, your convenience and to minimise congestion and confusion.

A Kiss & Go Zone is a short term stopping area which will enable your child to walk between your car and the school, using the safety of the footpath.



Kiss & Go Zone Rules

- Kiss & Go Zones and No Parking zones operate under the same conditions.
- You may stop to drop off or pick up children for a maximum of two minutes.
- Drivers must remain in or within three metres of the vehicle.
- The zone applies only during the hours of operation stated on the No Parking sign.



8 - 930 AM

3 - 4 PM

SCHOOL DAYS

To assist with traffic flow, drivers should remain in the car whilst children get in and out. Children should travel with bags in the car (not in the boot).

Be timely

If your child does not get in or out of the vehicle within two minutes you must leave and re-enter the Kiss & Go Zone.



Child safety

Please ensure children get in or out of the vehicle on the kerb side. The back seat is the safest seat for children to travel in, regardless of the make of the vehicle. Ensure children have their restraints securely fastened before driving off.

Stay in sequence

Drop off or pick up your child close to the top of the zone, as far forward as possible. This allows vehicles following you to enter the zone in an orderly manner.

Driver duty of care

Observe traffic when entering or leaving the zone. Use your indicator to advise when moving into or out of the zone.

No U-turns

Do not do U-turns in busy school zones. They are dangerous and put children at risk.

Kiss & Go Zones need your cooperation to ensure the safety of all children. Please drive carefully around school zones.



Visual Art (Week 8) CONGRATULATIONS 4H

For demonstrating persistence when challenged and kindness towards others. It's been fantastic seeing your grade uplift and support each other. Keep up the excellent effort!

Indonesian (Week 8) CONGRATULATIONS

3K

The Indoensian specialist award for Week 8 was presented to 3K for "Synergising and working together in harmony. The way in which you supported each other to complete the cultural treasure hunt was impressive."





ANTONIO PARK TEAMKIDS

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING

EXPERIMENTS, CRAFT AND CONSTRUCTION!

In the last fortnight children have been busy with a variety of activities on offer at TeamKids, such as trying to make slime and cloud dough, woolcraft turtles and letters, building mansions and making monsters out of pegs!

CURRICULUM DAYS

Thursday (30/3) and Friday (31/3) are curriculum days at Antonio Park. TeamKids will be open Vacation Care hours (7am-6:30pm) both days. Breakfast, morning and afternoon tea are provided. Please remember to bring your own packed lunch, a drink bottle, and a hat if you're coming along. See you there!

AUTUMN HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Bookings are open for the autumn holiday program, places are limited. Excursion and incursion activity dates are beginning to book-out. The full program is available on our website and in the Community Hub.

IMPORTANT DATES C

School Curriculum Days TeamKids open 7am-6:30pm

Holiday Program (begins after Easter break) TeamKids open 7am-6:30pm

🛗 25th APRIL

ANZAC Day Public Holiday TeamKids closed

Service Mobile: 0428 058 632 Office Phone: 1300 035 000

TEAMKIDS CLUBS (Chosen Clubs Term 1 2023

Adventure Club

Scavenger hunts, obstacle courses, and more

Cooking Club

Baking sweet and savoury recipes together.

Art Attack Club

Exercising creative skills through painting, and craft with various materials.

Homework Club

An opportunity for senior students to work in a quiet, supervised space.







Service Email: Office Email:

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KELLY SPORTS

Website:

www.kellysports.com.au

Who can attend: Boys & Girls aged 4 -12 years old.

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What do you need to bring: Appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food for morning tea, lunch and afternoor tea

Food

Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea/lunch/afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12.30pm to 1.30pm each day.

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Programme activities: Programme activities are adapted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers. Programme activities may vary without notice dependent on weather conditions and programme sumbers programme numbers.

Payment details:

Payment is required up-front within 2 hours of your booking. A receipt will be issued when a completed booking is received. All details will be included on the receipt.

Please note: Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Sports accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any lass or damage to his/her property whilst on the programme.





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Soccer

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Daily school tours, **Monday** May 1st – Friday May 5th from 9am – 10.15am. Book: trybooking.com/CFVTF





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