



Havenlee School – Yarn Up

Newsletter

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From the Principal

COVID-19 Guidelines

I would like to thank everyone for their understanding and support with the new COVID-19 guidelines regarding students who are sick. We appreciate your willingness to keep your children at home when they are sick and to either get a COVID test or a medical certificate when they have flu like symptoms.

End of Term 3 RAP Award

Even though we have not been able to run assemblies this term, students still have been working hard to achieve RAP awards each week. Once again due to the ongoing COVID-19 restrictions we will be having an in-school RAP award party. We will have a morning tea in the western playground area to enable social distancing. We will have party food and drinks for the event and students will have time to play on the equipment. Notes will go home soon about the details for the event for students who are eligible.

Katrina Eyland
Principal Havenlee School

Up and Coming Events

Term 3 Week 8

7 th September	Hydro
8 th September	Hydro
10 th September	Hydro
	R U OK? Day

Term 3 Week 9

14 th September	Hydro
15 th September	Hydro
17 th September	Hydro

Havenlee Café

Myrtle will be running the Havenlee Café every Friday for lunch.

Please send your child's order in their communication book

3 x chicken nuggets	\$1.50
6 x chicken nuggets	\$3.00
1 serve of chips	\$1.00
(with chicken salt)	
Tomato sauce	50c
Barbeque sauce	50c
Chocolate milkshake	\$1.00
Strawberry milkshake	\$1.00

COVID-19 symptoms can include:



fever



sore throat



cough



shortness of breath.

If your child is sick, keep them at home and get them tested for COVID-19.





NSW School Leaver Information Session

Supporting your pathway to post-school life

The National Disability Insurance Agency would like to invite school leavers and their families to attend a virtual information session.

This session will provide an opportunity to hear about supports available through the NDIS to support transition to post-school life and employment. Learn how to prepare for a conversation about your goals and things to consider when choosing the right provider for you.

This session is offered over multiple dates to allow flexibility for attendees. Each session will cover the same content, and will have a maximum capacity of 300 attendees. Sessions will be held via video-conference using Microsoft Teams. Details on how to log into the session will be forwarded to attendees two days prior to the session. If you would like to attend please register via Eventbrite.

For any enquiries regarding this session, please contact events@ndis.gov.au. Please include the session name in the subject line.

Where: Virtual Information Sessions via Microsoft Teams

Dates & Times:

Thursday 3 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)
Monday 7 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)
Thursday 10 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)
Wednesday 16 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)

RSVP: Please register via Eventbrite at <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/new-school-leaver-information-session-tickets-117609880721>

Additional information: Accessibility is important to us. If you have any accessibility, interpreter, live captioning or other requirements, please advise when registering. Please note - we need a minimum of five (5) business days' notice to book Auslan interpreters.



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Beeswax Wraps

Our School to Work program has expanded into Beeswax Wraps. These are an environmentally friendly alternative to single use plastic wrap. You can use beeswax wraps to:

- Wrap sandwiches, fruit, vegetables and cheese
- Cover plates, bowls, cups and jugs
- Keep flies off food
- To wrap a bouquet of flowers
- Make a pouch or snack bag.

You just use the warmth and pressure of your hands to shape and mould them over or around your food or bowl.

Cost: \$4.00 for a SMALL wrap (20cm x 20cm)
\$6.00 MEDIUM (27cm x 30cm or 30cm x 30cm)
\$8.00 LARGE (35cm x 35cm)

We can also revive your well used wraps for \$2.00 per wrap.

Please call the school, email or write in your child's communication book if you would like to purchase a beeswax wrap. They can also be delivered on Wednesdays with our worm wee and castings.



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Douglas is a Guide Dog Puppy in Training (Labrador Retriever) who is currently being fostered by one of the class teachers at Havenlee School. Given the various physical, social, emotional and learning needs of our students, having Douglas in class will provide a perfect opportunity for supporting our students, whilst enhancing his training. The benefits that having Douglas in the classroom will bring to the teaching and learning program will:

- provide comfort, companionship and emotional support to the students (and staff)
- motivate students to complete learning tasks and activities
- motivate students to complete physical tasks
- teach students how to be responsible, respectful and safe around a guide dog

Douglas will be at Havenlee School on Tuesdays and Fridays and is only in Myrtle and Wattle classrooms. Douglas will always be under his carer's supervision and will be redirected or put on his leash when necessary.

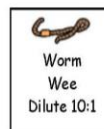
Students and staff at Havenlee School will be introduced to and required to follow the **'Four on the Floor'** safety rule for approaching and interacting with Douglas in the classroom. This means that Douglas must be **calm** and have all four of his paws on the floor, either by sitting or standing, **before** he can be approached and given a pat. Posters will be displayed to remind students of this rule.

Havenlee students and staff **must wait before approaching Douglas** and **must always ask before patting** him.

The students in Myrtle and Wattle have loved having Douglas in the classroom and have been very responsible, respectful and safe when interacting with him.



Havenlee Worm Wee



Havenlee School is operating a school based vermiculture (worm farming) industry to provide our students with authentic "real world" school to work skills.

We would like to supply local businesses and community members with worm wee to fertilise local gardens. We will be delivering our product one day per week in the local area.

If you would like to purchase a 200ml bottle of worm wee for \$2.00 or castings (when available) for \$4.00 per 650ml container which includes delivery, please place your order in one of the following ways:

1. Phone the school on 44213777
2. Email the school at havenlee-s.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Please provide your address and contact number. Payment is required on delivery.

The project involves all our students through our whole school vocational education program.

Thank you for your support.



WHAT WE OFFER

- **HEALTH & WELLBEING** encourages and supports activities physical exercise programs, healthy living education, supported holidays through Afford Getaways and access to Allied Health services.
- **POSITIVE ENCOURAGEMENT** with supportive staff who understand everyone's unique abilities and goals.
- **SOCIALISATION AND FRIENDSHIPS** by enjoying new life experiences with others during programs specifically tailored for individual needs. We also offer weekend social and community outings through Club Afford.
- **SENSORY STIMULATION** to learn and develop using various visual, auditory, touch, smell and taste activities.
- **LIFELONG LEARNING AND INDEPENDENCE** in areas such as road safety awareness, anti-bullying, money skills, social skills, independence around meal time and personal hygiene.
- **SELF EXPRESSION - YOU'RE FREE TO BE YOU!** Our activities allow you to express yourself through creative, imaginative and fun supports.
- **COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION** through visits to parks, shopping centres, places of cultural interest, community events and local clubs.

OUR FACILITIES

- **LARGE, MODERN CENTRE** with spacious areas for programs and skills development, activities and an activity meeting room for functions and gatherings.
- **KITCHEN** for healthy meal preparation and cooking sessions.
- **OUTDOOR AREA** with basketball hoop, swings, play area and close access to the beach.
- **CLIENT COMPUTER ROOM** to access educational programs for enjoyment and learning.
- **TWO (2) WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE VANS** for drop-off and pick-ups and transport to community activities.
- **IDEALLY LOCATED** close to the beach and easily accessible for all client needs.



WE CARE!



WHY CHOOSE
SHOALHAVEN
DAY PROGRAM?

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VISIT OUR SITE

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ACTIVITIES OUR CLIENTS ENJOY

- ART & CRAFT
- BEAUTY
- BOWLING
- COMMUNITY ACCESS
- COOKING & BAKING PROGRAM
- DRAMA THERAPY
- LITERACY & NUMERACY
- MOVIE DAYS
- PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
- SPORTS
- SWIMMING
- SENSORY PROGRAM
- TRAVEL TRAINING
- WORK EXPERIENCE
- OUTINGS & LUNCHEAS
- ZUMBA



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