



Havenlee School – Yarn Up

Newsletter

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From the Principal

End of Year Plans

If you are planning to move address and/or leave Havenlee School over the holidays, could you please contact the office as soon as possible. This information will assist us with updating your child's details and organising classes for 2023. The office will be open Monday 19/12 and Tuesday 20/12. Next year the office will open back up on Friday 27/1/23.

End of Term RAP Award Event

We had 18 students who earned enough RAP awards in Term 4 to come to the Principal RAP award party. Everyone got a Christmas goodie bag, did some Christmas craft, played some games and listened to Christmas music.

End of day routine 2023

Next year there will be a change of routine for the afternoons. Before 2:30pm, the kiss and drop area will only be open for pedestrians, deliveries and parents who need to pick up their children early from school. We want to ensure the area is accessible for tradesmen, couriers and emergency vehicles in complex situations. There will be a staff member in the kiss and drop area supporting the implementation of this new routine in the first few weeks of school.

Classes for next Year

I just wanted to let people know that we haven't yet finalised classes for 2023 as some staffing is still up in the air. At this stage will be running 9 out of a possible of 10 classes. Hopefully between now and next year this issue will be resolved.

Therapy at School

In 2023, therapists will not be able to commence therapy at the school until after the PLP meetings in about week 5. However, if your child has Health Care Plans or Physical management plans, the school will be contacting you at the beginning next year to see if any NIDIS therapists could come up early in the term to train any new staff on particular procedures for your child.

As 2022 draws to a close, I would like to thank you for your ongoing support and care over the year.

I hope everyone has a restful, safe and fun Summer holiday!

I look forward to seeing you all again next year.

The students start back on Tuesday 31st January 2023.

**Katrina Eyland
Principal
Havenlee School**



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Up and Coming Events

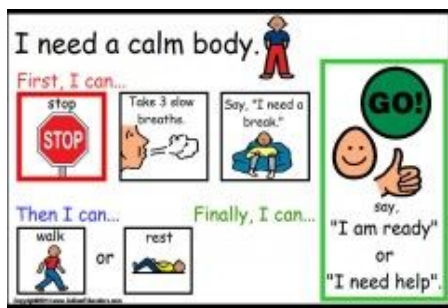
Term 4 Week 11

Monday – Minimal Supervision & Staff Development Day
 Tuesday – Staff Development Day

STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL TUESDAY 31ST JANUARY

Weeks 7-11- Safe ‘Responsible for my body’

In weeks 7-10 of this term the PBL focus is safe and students being responsible for their bodies. Explicit lessons are being taught in classrooms including following a 1,2,3 and complex instruction, waiting for a cue and purposefully acting with the intention of a specific result. This can be demonstrated in classroom activities, sport, work crews, following instructions and using equipment safely e.g. in the playground or using scissors in the classroom. PBL tickets are given out to students being responsible for their bodies.



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Visit from Santa



Chaplains Chat

This year has flown by, it's hard to believe we are at the end.

During Term 4 the students have enjoyed activities like Hydrotherapy where they built-up their confidence in the water, and Skills for Work where students gained valuable experience learning how to be more independent.

But now Christmas and the holidays are just around the corner, recently the Work skills students made some lovely Shortbread - always a favourite at this time of year - so here's a recipe that you might like to try over the break.

Merry Christmas everyone and Happy New Year!

Julie

Easy Shortbread

Ingredients

- 340 g butter (softened)
- 130 g caster sugar (sifted)
- 375 g (3 cups) plain flour all-purpose flour (sifted)

Instructions

Conventional Method

1. Preheat oven to 160 degrees celsius (fan-forced). Line two large flat baking trays with baking paper and set aside.
2. Beat the butter in a large bowl using an electric mixer on medium until smooth (approximately 30 seconds).
3. Slowly add the icing sugar and continue mixing until well combined. Scrape down the sides of the bowl.
4. Add the flour and mix on low speed until combined (please note that the mixture will be crumbly at this stage).
5. Gently knead the dough into a ball (but don't overwork it) and place into the fridge for at least 30 minutes to chill. Roll out to ½-1 cm thick. Use cookie cutters to cut the dough shapes out.
6. Place the shapes onto the prepared trays and bake for 12-15 minutes or until just very lightly golden (do not overcook).
7. Allow to cool on the trays for 10 minutes before transferring to a wire rack to cool completely.





BEACH PATROLS

Daily summer patrols will commence on Saturday, 17 December 2022 at below beaches only:

- Culburra Beach (near Surf Club)
- South Mollmook (near Surf Club)

Additional patrols will commence at Shoalhaven Heads, Crookhaven Heads, Tilbury Cove, Cudmirrah / Berrara, Narrawallee and North Mollmook from Monday 19 December 2022.

From Sea Pools at the beach to poolside in our Centres, it's vitally important to be aware of both yourself and your children when in and around water. For your own safety and the safety of others, ***we strongly recommend swimming at patrolled beaches.***

To make your next trip to the beach safer - ***always swim between the red and yellow flags.***

To check your nearest patrolled beach and live updates, ***scan the QR code*** and visit the Beachsafe website.

