

SEAFORD NORTH NEWSLETTER

School Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide all Seaford North Primary School students with a high quality, challenging, global education which develops compassion and respect. We provide engaging learning opportunities that includes essential knowledge, concepts, skills and attitudes, enabling students to transfer these to new situations necessary in a rapidly changing world.

We are committed to differentiation so that students work at their level and are able to make decisions about their learning in line with the curriculum.

We encourage students to take responsibility with their learning so that they can be purposeful and make a difference to themselves and their world.

LAST DAY OF TERM 1 – 1.30PM FINISH

ISSUE 4

22ND MARCH, 2018

**Dear Parents, Students, Teachers and Friends,
Seaford North Primary School Leadership Positions**

On Monday 19th March our grade 5/6 leaders were presented with their leadership badges by Sonya Kilkenny, State Member for Carrum and the Principal from Patterson River Secondary College along with year 12 School Captains who talked about their leadership journey.

Seaford North PS Captains - Sarah Maguire, Bel Ferra, Kooper Ryan, Will Cowley



SNPS School Captains

House Captains **Red** – Jaz Hillemacher, Cooper Hynes
Gold – Olivia Maguire, Xavier Pravednikov
Blue – Izzy Freeman, Arius Tzelios
Green – Liv Carlson, Noah Peterson



SNPS House Captains

Animal Palace	Ava Smith, Alice Ruan
JSC	Ashlyn Burley, Abbi Taylor, Wilbur Hunter
Mathematics	Declan Molloy, Clover Goldsmith, Keely Blandford
ICT / Digital Technologies	Olivia De Angelis, Izzy Freeman, Rubi Ryan
Visual Arts	Tahlia Black, Cooper Muir, Isobel Wardle
Performing Arts	Heidi McConchie, Isabella Constable-Cowling, Teagan Jones
First Aid	Della Barnard, Oscar McGennissen
English / Library	Swayde Cole, Shae Stocker, Mia McKee
Breakfast Club	Stella Walsh, Ronan Mulholland, Declan Molloy
Environment	Olivia Blandford, Clover Goldsmith, Kris Constable-Cowling, Taite Were, Sonny Evans-Jones
Science	Avi Jackson, Wilbur Hunter
Mandarin	Hayley Hughes, Zoe Roberts-O'Connor

Warm regards,

Lee Murnane



Stars of the Week

COMING EVENTS

MARCH

Thurs 29th Last Day of Term – 1.30pm finish
Assembly 1.00pm.

APRIL

Tues 17th Life Education Parent Information
Session 9am to approx. 9.30am

Tues 17th Life Education program starts
Fri 26th Life Education program finishes.

MAY

Weds 2nd eSmart parent workshop. 7.00pm–
8.00pm

Wed 2nd 3-6 House Cross Country

PERMISSION SLIP RETURNS

Life Education Program Parent Session due back by
Monday 16th April – **Student Permission** form due
back by Wednesday 28th March, 2018

GOOD HOME WANTED!

An ex-school family has a 'Thurmer' upright
piano in good condition. Would need tuning, and
picking up. Please call Sandra 9786 1335 or
text/phone 0422 349 655.

Seaford North Parents Club

Parents and Friends of SNPS – update

Welcoming the new SNPS Parents Club committee

On 13 March a new SNPS
names of the parents and friends
school community great by
We are a very friendly bunch so
about parents club, great ideas, or



Parents Club committee was voted in. Below are the
who have chosen to take an active role in making our
supporting the school and our children's education.
please approach any of us if you have any questions
can volunteer at up and coming events.



Parents & Friends of SNPS - Committee

Caroline Roberts	President, Foundation Representative
Tania Mills	Vice President
Amanda Riley	Treasurer, Communications Coordinator
Jane White	Secretary, School Council Rep, Year 2 Rep
Donna Willis	Fundraising Coordinator (1), Year 3/4 Rep
Natacha Gawthorpe	Fundraising Coordinator (2)
Kate Watson	Social Coordinator
Stuart Thompson	Grounds and Maintenance Coordinator
Renae Knowles	Fundraising & Social sub-committees

Tammi Munro	Fundraising & Social sub-committees
Rachel Masters	Fundraising & Social sub-committees
Kelly Allan	Fundraising sub-committee
Michelle Richard	Social sub-committee
Guy Riley	Year 1 Representative
Lana Nicholson	Year 5/6 Representative

Easter at SNPS

Raffle tickets:

- We have some amazing prizes this year
 - First Prize – Family Skating Pass (2 adults and 2 children (or 1 adult and 3 children) including skate hire from O'Brien Group Arena – Value \$85
 - Second Prize – Family Day Pass (2 Adults & 2 Children) to Moonlit Sanctuary – Value \$56
 - Third Prize – Massage Voucher from BeachBox Physiotherapy – Value \$50 included
 - All 3 hampers are surrounded by Easter egg goodness and other prizes (donations still being gratefully accepted)
- More raffle tickets are available at the office – sell them to your friends, family and neighbours with all proceeds going to the school

Colouring Competition:

- Kids still have time to get their entries in – cost 50 cents to enter and entries close Wednesday 28th March
- There are prizes for the following groups: Foundation – Grade 2, Grades 3/4, Grades 5/6

Easter Bonnet Parade:

- Get Crafty at home or use the "Easter Bonnet Help Guide" available at the office. It contains templates, links and ideas to ensure Easter Bonnet success!
- Prizes will be awarded for the Most Creative, Best Themed and Most Environmentally Friendly (we love recycling)
- Parade will be at Assembly on Thursday 29th March at 1pm – don't miss this Easter Event.

Thank you and money raised!

- Thank you to **Foundation and Buddies Teddy Bear Picnic** BBQ volunteers – Christina, Ricky, Emily, Maddy, Justine & Kate.
- **Grade 3-6 Athletics Day** – we had a bunch of wonderful volunteers help make the day a great success for all the children. Thank you to Renae, Tania, Andrea, Marcelle, Libby, Caroline, Jane, Tonya, Johanna, Sherrie, Fiona, Nadia & Natacha. With their help and the kid's hungry bellies we raised \$654.80 from lunch and canteen orders and \$144 for the Animal Palace through the sale of Zooper Doopers.
- **Family Fun Night** - Thank you to Skye, Irene, Donna, Roger, Mat & Natacha for running the Sausage Sizzle and raising \$529.20 for the school and \$144 for animal palace.

It is so good to see the different people volunteering at each event – many hands make light work.

SNiPS craft group (formerly Wine & Twine) are making some amazing gifts to sell at the Mother's Day stall. There is 4 more Friday craft nights before Mother's day. Bring a friend or make some new friends while you relax, chat, eat cheese and make homemade. Dates and crafts:

- 23 March- Candle making
- 20 April – Voucher Jar
- 27 April – Bath Salts
- 4 May – sewing kit
- 13 May - Mother's Day!!!!!!

Everyone welcome - come to one or come to all - no craft skills needed.
Contact Joanne Korsch via Messenger or email madebysnps@gmail.com for more info and location.



SNPS HOUSE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2018

On Wednesday 21st March, Grade 3-6 students participated in our annual 'House Athletics Carnival' at Riviera Reserve in Seaford. Everyone had a fantastic day and braved the windy weather conditions. It was wonderful to see our students dressed brightly in their house colours, competing with enthusiasm and confidence. As I wandered around each of the events, it was great to see students displaying appreciation for others' effort and achievements. Thank you to all parents, grandparents and friends who came down and supported the children on the day. A very big thank you to everyone who assisted in the running of the event. Without your support we would not be able to provide these events for our students. It is greatly appreciated! Well done to our House Captains this year for selecting and training all students for our relay events!

All houses put in an extraordinary effort with the results being close. Red house placed 4th on 517, Gold house placed 3rd by 1 point on 567, Blue house placed 2nd on 568 and 1st place went to Green house on 609 points. All students should be extremely proud of their efforts on the day!

Stefanie Middleton

Phys. Ed.



First Lesson FREE!*

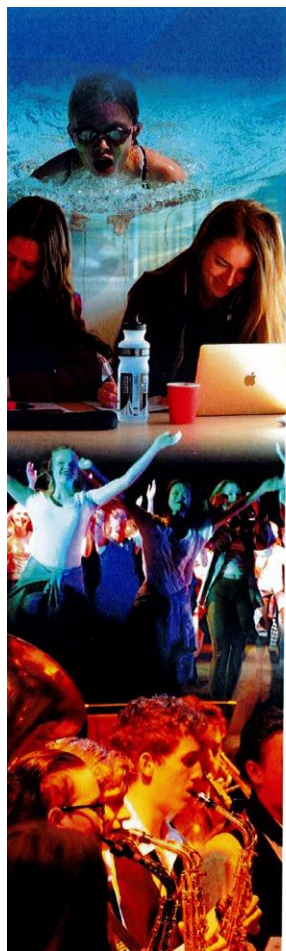
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Open Night

Thursday 15th March - 7pm

EXCEL Academic Testing

Thursday 26th April

Info: www.prsc.vic.edu.au/excelacademic
Register: www.surveymonkey.com/r/excelacademic

EXCEL Sport Testing

Thursday 3rd May 9am - 2.30pm

Info: www.prsc.vic.edu.au/excelsport
Register: www.surveymonkey.com/r/excelsport

Scholarships

Academic / Sport / Leadership
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Info: www.prsc.vic.edu.au/scholarships
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School Tours

Every Thursday 9.45am
Bookings essential

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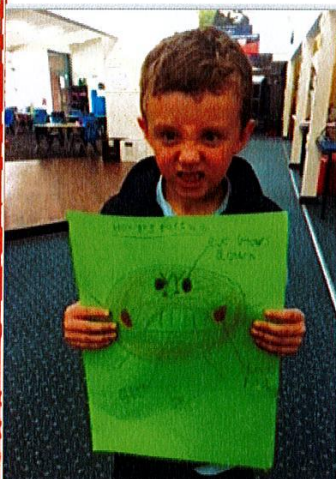
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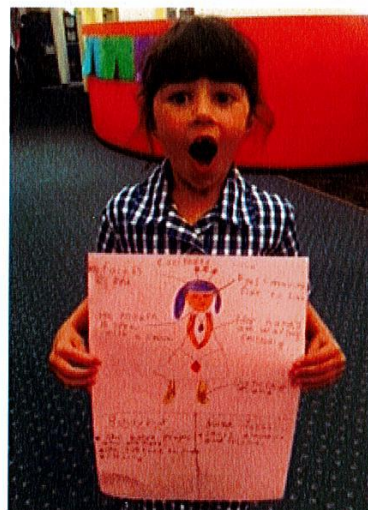
Around the Grounds with Year 1

The Year 1's have just finished their first unit of Inquiry for 2018. We began the year with the transdisciplinary theme, 'How We Express Ourselves'. The students explored the central idea, 'Emotions may influence our behaviour'.



The summative task was to design their own emotion character and label it's features.

They also described the character's behaviour and gave their character some helpful tips on how to make and keep friends.



The students did a wonderful job coming up with their own definitions of many different emotions. They also enjoyed acting these out!



HOLIDAY FUN

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Seaford North Primary School

Hallifax Street SEAFORD VIC 3198

0452 247 689 (07:00 -18:00)

Monday, 02 April

No Program

no program

Monday, 09 April

Plate Creations

Mindfulness Plate Painting We're opening our minds and getting creative by painting our own magnificent mindfulness plates!

incursion

Full Fee: \$78.32

Out of pocket: \$20.51 to \$39.16

Tuesday, 03 April

Food For Thought

Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out more about the activities happening today.

club based

Full Fee: \$61.82

Out of pocket: \$12.26 to \$30.91

Tuesday, 10 April

Amazing Aussie Adventure

Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out more about the activities happening today.

club based

Full Fee: \$61.82

Out of pocket: \$12.26 to \$30.91

Wednesday, 04 April

Home Tweet Home

Bird Themed Building: Today will be a hoot when we build our very own bird mobiles, feeders or houses.

incursion

Full Fee: \$78.32

Out of pocket: \$20.51 to \$39.16

Wednesday, 11 April

Gearing Up For The Games

Get Ready To Game On! Design and decorate your own sports jersey and get ready to wear it for the any sporting occasion!

incursion

Full Fee: \$78.32

Out of pocket: \$20.51 to \$39.16

Thursday, 05 April

Make The Jump at Gravity Zo...

Gravity Zone - Seaford: We'll be bouncing to new heights at Gravity Zone.

excursion

Please arrive at the service by 8:45 am, and wear/pack ...

Full Fee: \$93.82

Out of pocket: \$28.26 to \$46.91

Thursday, 12 April

Game On!

Reach your Personal Best With Fun Outdoor Games Are you ready for a day full of exciting games that put your skills to the test? We are!

incursion

Full Fee: \$79.32

Out of pocket: \$21.01 to \$39.66

Friday, 06 April

Sports Stars

Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out more about the activities happening today.

club based

Full Fee: \$61.82

Out of pocket: \$12.26 to \$30.91

Friday, 13 April

Gems Craft Corner

Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out more about the activities happening today.

club based

Full Fee: \$61.82

Out of pocket: \$12.26 to \$30.91



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Daily Requirements: Children must bring their own healthy snack and lunch (no nut products or food that requires heating please), wet weather gear, art smock and suitable clothing for an active and sunsmart day.

With a
healthy
breakfast &
afternoon
snack