



MACARTHUR PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Office Hours 2008

Monday - Friday

8:00am - 9:00am

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1:00pm - 4:00pm

Term Dates 2008

Term 2

7 April – 27 June

Term 3

14 July – 19 September

Term 4

6 October – 19 December

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From the Principal's Desk

Building Update

Our building project is moving ahead with the new classroom and office area due for completion this week. The painting is being completed and we will be having the classroom carpet cleaned on Friday. We plan to have students back in their new room by Monday of next week.

Today the frame arrived for the new library so work is happening now on stage two of the building. Tomorrow we are hoping to pack up and move all books from the old library so if anyone has any boxes to store books please drop them in to school. The remainder of the new classroom will then be painted on Friday. Anyone who can assist with cleaning, packing or painting over the next couple of days

please let Sharna know. Help gratefully received.

Life Saving Victoria

Students in grades 4,5 and 6 have had a visit from Life Saving Victoria today. Students participated in a very "hands on" workshop on how to respond and deal with emergency situations. This was well received by students and involved basic resuscitation techniques.

Water Catchment Model

Today all students have attended a session on water awareness at Macarthur Hall. This included viewing a working model on water catchment and was organised by Glenelg Hopkins Catchment Management Authority.

Curriculum Day

Next Friday June 6th will be a pupil free day. Teachers will all be attending a professional development day at Casterton with other district staff looking at using ICT in the curriculum. This day has been organised by Jacinta Mulder as part of her ICT leadership role in the district.

Queens Birthday Holiday

A reminder that Monday June 9th is a public holiday for the Queens Birthday. This will mean a long weekend for families at the end of next week.

Lynn Lyles



Baimbridge College Tour



Baimbridge College invites prospective students and their parents to visit the college on Friday 30th May.

The college is holding a tour with the Principal from 9.45am – 10.45am.

Come to see the school in operation.

Find out more about the programs and facilities available to your child as a student of Baimbridge College.

Tours are by appointment only.

Please ring 5572 2788 to book your place.

Hawkesdale Macarthur
Football Netball Club Inc

Canteen

Please note that, at this date, there are a number of days when the canteen will not be operating. When canteen volunteer helpers 'Working With Children' checks have been cleared, names may be added to these days.

Canteen Duty Term 2:

June Mon 2 Andrea Drendel
Wed 4 Leonie Dyson
Fri 6 Sandra Addinsall

Mon 9 Public Holiday
Wed 11 Julie Watson
Fri 13 Narelle Cassidy

Uniform Purchases

A reminder: All uniform enquiries should be made through either Leonie Dyson or Caroline Malseed.

It is normal practice that it is a purchase/cash arrangement, unless otherwise discussed.

Note for Under 16 and Under 12 Footballers

Dear Junior Footballers & parents,

Just a note to let you know of a change in playing times for Under 16 and Under 12 football for the match against SMW Rovers— this week at Mininera. Due to quite a few of the U16 boys arriving back on Saturday morning from their week long Tasmania Trip, we have been able to negotiate with SMW Rovers for a change of football times.

12 & Under - 10:15am and Under 16 - 10:45 am

We hope this doesn't cause too much inconvenience (we are aware that some families will have to leave a lot earlier than usual - but it's just for one game)

If you have any problems or queries please feel free to contact either David Gow (Under 16 Coach) or Andrew Gow (Under 12 Coach). Thank you for your co-operation. Frank Huglin

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25	26	27	28 - Gr3-6 Life Saving Vic - Water Catchmnt@Hall	29 Art	30 - Zone X country	31
June 1	2 -LL - Geelong	3 -SL PD Admin Hamilton a.m.	4	5 MARC	6 - Curriculum Day	7
8	9 Queen's b/d Holiday	10	11	12 Art - LL Prin Meet Warrn	13	14
15	16 - JM PD Hamiltn	17	18	19 MARC - LL GRASS meetg Hamilton	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 End of Term	28

PD Professional Development
Conf Conference
SC - School Council

LL Lynn Lyles
JM Jacinta Mulder
SC Shama Cunningham
JW Jan Wilson
SM Suzy Millard
JT Jullie Timms
SL Sylvia Luke