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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

School Calendar

A copy of the school calendar for Term 1 is attached to this week's newsletter. This calendar will also be placed on the school website and any changes/updates will be communicated to parents.

Assemblies

This year there will be no separate Infants and Primary Assemblies on Fridays however a whole school Assembly will be held three times a term with special assemblies including Harmony Day, NAIDOC Week, ANZAC Day and other significant events. Classes will be running the assembly and these classes are promoted in the calendar. This will provide parents and carers notification in advance when their child's class will be presenting and organising the assembly. This term 3/4H, 3/4K and 3/4T will be leading assemblies. Assemblies will commence at 2pm.

Information Sessions

On Wednesday 12 and Thursday 13 February we will be holding information sessions for all parents and carers regarding stage events and classroom programs and practices. These evenings are designed to provide information and parents are encouraged to make individual meetings at an alternate time regarding indepth, individual discussions regarding their child.

This year all parents and carers will meet in the hall before moving to their child's classroom for specific information presented by their teacher. Specific times of each class is below:

Wednesday 12 February		Thursday 13 February	
5-5.45pm	Kinder inc. K/1B	5 – 5.45pm	Year 1 & 2
5.15-6pm	Year 3 & 4	5.15-6pm	Year 5 & 6 inc. 4/5S

Please note these sessions are for parents and carers only. Children are able to attend if parents and carers are unable to find suitable care however there will be no supervision provided by staff.

P&C

The first P&C meeting for 2020 will be held on Tuesday 11 February at 7.00pm in the staffroom. Current members and new families to the school are warmly invited to attend monthly meetings. I encourage all community members to become involved in supporting their local school.

Peter Graham
Acting Principal

COMING EVENTS

TERM 1 2020

WEEK 3

Monday 10 February

School Swimming Carnival
Peninsula Leisure Centre
Woy Woy

Tuesday 11 February

P&C Meeting 7:00pm
Staffroom

Wednesday 12 February

Information Evening
Kindergarten including
K/1B - 5:00pm
Stage 2 - 5:15pm

Thursday 13 February

Information Evening
Stage 1 - 5:00pm
Stage 3 including 4/5S -
5:15pm

Friday 14 February

Whole School Assembly
3/4H

WEEK 5

Thursday 27 February

Narara Valley High School
Taster Lessons 9:00am

Friday 28 February

Whole School Assembly
3/4T



STAFFING 2020**Executive**

Acting Principal
Assistant Principals

Peter Graham
Amy Anderson and Kellie McCabe - K-2
Chad Wootton (relieving) Stage 2
Michelle Stone – Stage 3

Class Teachers

KK	Kerrie Koopman
KB	Ric Boreland
K/1B	Karen Bulloch
1HA	Sarah Hollingsworth (Mon-Tue) Amy Anderson (Wed-Fri)
1/2HM	Kellie McCabe (Mon-Tue + alternate Wed) Ana Horncastle (alternate Wed-Fri)
2T	Luke Tosevic
2P	Susan Pratt
3/4H	Jessica Harpur
3/4K	Brad Keyes
3/4T	Sarah Tomlinson
4/5S	Maclain Smith
5/6S	Michelle Stone
5/6T	Tara Turner
5/6B	Natalie Betteridge
K/6L	Charlotte Long
K/6G	Christine Paff – Glenvale Satellite Class

School Librarian

Vanessa McCarthy (Mon-Thu)

Learning and Support/EALD

Amanda Harrington
Marg Suaning
Fiona Curtis
Sarah Byrne

RFF**Counsellors**

Mark Fisher
Tim Bowden

School Administration Manager
School Administration Officers
School Learning Support Officers

Nicole Dorratt
Carol Murch, Tania Caldwell
Greg Humphries, Natacha Tragaris, Claudia Rodwell, Makenzie Doratt, Jaz Rodwell, Kurt Russell
Glenn Harris

General Assistant

Valley View PS Calendar 2020 – TERM 1



Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
Wk 1 Jan/Feb	27 Australia Day Public Holiday	28 Staff Return (SDD)	29 Students Return	30	31	1 / 2
Wk 2 Feb	3	4 Newsletter	5	6	7	8 / 9
Wk 3 Feb	10 Swimming Carnival	11 P&C Meeting 7pm-8:30pm	12 Parent information Night	13 Parent Information Night	14 Whole School Assembly 3-4H	15 / 16
Wk 4 Feb	17	18 Newsletter	19	20	21	22 / 23
Wk 5 Feb/Mar	24	25	26	27 NVHS Taster Lessons	28 Whole School Assembly 3/4T	29 / 1 P&C Trivia Night
Wk 6 Mar	2	3 Newsletter	4	5 PBL Rewards NVHS Parent Information Night	6 BWPSSA Swimming	7 / 8
Wk 7 Mar	9	10 P&C AGM 7pm – 8:30pm	11	12	13 CAPA Auditions NVHS 9am-3pm	14 / 15
Wk 8 Mar	16 Parent Teacher Interviews	17 Newsletter Parent Teacher Interview	18 Parent Teacher Interviews	19 Parent Teacher Interviews	20 Whole School Assembly – Harmony Day 3/4K	21 / 22
Wk 9 Mar	23	24	25 STEP Testing NVHS 9am-3pm	26	27 North Sydney Swimming Carnival	28 / 29
Wk 10 Mar/Apr	30	31 Newsletter	1	2 Athletics Carnival	3	4 / 5
Wk 11 Apr	6 PSSA Swimming Carnival	7 PSSA Swimming Carnival	8 Easter Hat Parade 9:15am- 10am	9	10 Good Friday	11 / 12



Guidelines for Approaching our School***A parent and community guide for seeking information and expressing concerns.***

From time to time parents or other members of the school community may need to approach the school in order to:

- Discuss the progress or wellbeing of their own child
- Express concern about actions of other students
- Enquire about school policy or practice

These procedures will help solve problems as soon as possible so that a safe and harmonious school environment is maintained. The best results will always flow from people working together.

CONCERN	APPROPRIATE ACTION
The academic progress of your own child	Directly contact the child's teacher either by note, by phone or in person to arrange a mutually suitable time to discuss any concerns.
The wellbeing of your own child	* For minor issues directly contact your child's teacher to clarify information * For more serious concerns, contact the office. State nature of concern and arrange a suitable time to talk with class teacher or appropriate staff member. * To convey information about change of address, telephone number, emergency contact, custody details, health issues and other related issues please contact the office.
Actions of other students	Contact the class teacher for a classroom problem. Contact the class teacher or the Stage Assistant Principal or the Principal (in that order) for playground problems. At no time should a parent approach a child other than their own child to address an issue at school.
School policy or practice	Contact the office. State nature of concern and make an appointment to see the Principal.
Queries in relation to all school related sport	Contact the office. State nature of concern and make an appointment to see the organising teacher.

These guidelines aim to:

- provide a guide in order that concerns are dealt with in an open and fair manner
- ensure that the rights of students, parents and staff are respected and upheld
- support sensitivity and confidentiality
- help reach an agreed solution

Trying to talk to teachers when they are preparing for their teaching day, managing children or engaged in another conversation is not fair on you or your child.

We want to give every parent our full attention at the appropriate time.



FLAG DUTY

Students on flag duty:

Week 3— Beth Fryirs, Liz Bourke

Week 4—Anae Clark, Bella Kirk



BOOK PACKS 2020

The cost of the book packs for 2020 are below:-

Early Stage 1—\$45.00

Stage 1—\$55.00

Stage 2—\$55.00

Stage 3—\$55.00

Book packs will be available from the office on the first day back at school. Payment by parent online payment or cash. All children are expected to have paid for their book packs by Week 5.

Nicole Dorratt—School Administration Manager



TRAINING BAND

Dear Parents,

The Central Coast Music Conservatorium is still taking enrolments for the VVPS Training Band. If your child is interested in joining for 2020 please go to their website <https://centralcoastconservatorium.com.au/> and fill out an enrolment form. If you have any questions feel free to give them a call. Payment Plans are also offered to students and their families.



The gift of Music and learning a new instrument can be lots of fun.

P&C NEWS

Welcome to VVPS 2020

Welcome back to returning families and welcome to our new families. Thank you to everyone who attended and helped at our 'Tea and Tissues' yesterday. It was a lovely chance to welcome everyone to VVPS 2020.

We will have many things on this year with Valley View celebrating 40 years of educating the lucky children of our wonderful Central Coast. We'd love to have you along to help with the planning and execution of events that will take place this year. We invite you to attend our first P&C meeting for 2020 on Tuesday 11 February at 7:00pm in the staffroom. Our Facebook page is a great way to stay up to date with events at the school. I'd encourage everyone to like 'The P&C for Valley View Public School' page on Facebook for fast updates as well as the school Facebook page.

Easter

We are beginning to plan for our Easter Raffles. We will be sending raffle tickets and requests for donations in the coming days. This fun event cannot take place without generous donations from the school community. Thank you in advance for your help with keeping this tradition going.

Trivia Night- Saturday 29 February

The P&C is planning a trivia night to begin our year of celebrations and to welcome our new and existing parents and care-givers. We will be providing more details regarding this event as they are locked in.

School Banking- Tuesday Week 3

Tuesday of Week 3 is our first day for 2020 School Banking. We encourage you to make the most of this service. It is a great practice to get your child in the mindset of saving with the added bonuses of the P&C receiving a monetary donation from the Commonwealth Bank (at no cost to you) as well as students being able to gain points with each deposit towards their own rewards.

Bakers Delight and Breakfast Club

Thank you to Bakers Delight for their support throughout 2019. We look forward to continuing our great relationship with this locally owned, family run small business found at Wyoming Village Shopping Centre. We would love more volunteers to help run our Breakfast Club. We will be providing details soon of when this service will be up and running.

Appendix 5- Volunteer Requirement

Volunteers will need to fill in this form for this year. This applies to those who are a close relative of a student at the school (parent, grandparent or sibling). Please fill in an Appendix #5 before volunteering. Bring 100 points of ID, have a quick chat with our hard working office staff, and you'll be ready to volunteer for 2020.

Uniform Shop- Fridays 8:30-9:30am- uniformvvpc@gmail.com

We will be open Fridays 8:30-9:30am. Thank you to Fleur who is transforming the Uniform Shop and bringing with her amazing ideas as our Uniform Shop Coordinator.

Dates for the diary:

more to come, dates subject to change, please see the P&C Facebook page for updates

School Banking: Tuesday 11 February

P&C Meeting: Tuesday 11 February 7pm, School Staffroom (all welcome)

School Trivia Night: proposed date of 29 February

P&C AGM: Tuesday 10 March 7pm, School Staffroom (all welcome)

Sincerely,
Shannon Osmond
P&C President
presidentvvpc@gmail.com



CANTEEN NEWS

Canteen days are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Hours are 8.30am to 1:50pm.

Orders can be placed at the canteen from 8:30am to 9:00am.



Welcome to the Canteen in 2020!!

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- Caesar Salad
- Lunch packs and snack packs
- Snap stix ice blocks
- Toasted Pizza wraps.

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Check the website and newsletter for the New Menu.

breakfast	
Hot Milo	1.50
Toasted ham & cheese wrap	2.00
Homemade pikelets	0.50
Waffle with syrup	0.50
Muffin of the week	1.00
Juice cup	1.50
Piece of seasonal fruit	0.50
Up & Go (chocolate or vanilla)	2.50
Fruit cup	1.50

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Rebecca Van Drempt
Canteen Supervisor

UNIFORM SHOP

Email: uniformvvp@gmail.com Uniform Shop Opening Hours Friday 8:30am—9:30am

Uniform Shop, located at the Cottage near the COLA. Please be aware that lost property is going to be sorted every 2 weeks due to hygiene concerns. Please clearly label all items your child brings to school. Lost property is located outside the Uniform Shop.





CANTEEN MENU

WED, THU & FRI
8.30am – 1.50pm



drinks



Water small	1.00
Water large	2.00
Nippy (chocolate)	2.50
Juice cup	1.50
Orchid juice (apple & blackcurrant)	2.30
Up & Go (vanilla or chocolate)	2.50
Fruit Smoothie	3.00
Milkshakes (assorted flavours)	SML 1.50 LGE 2.50

snacks



Popcorn	CM 1.00
Chips (red rock sea salt)	1.30
Grain Waves (sour cream and Chives)	1.30
Jelly	CM 0.50
Piece of fruit	CM 0.50
Apple slinky	CM 0.50
Fruit cup seasonal	CM 1.50
Boiled egg	CM 1.00
Carrot sticks	CM 0.50
Hummus & Carrot	CM 1.00
Hummus & rice crackers	CM 1.00
Pikelets	CM 0.50

frozen treats

Mini frozen ice cups (assorted flavours)	0.20
Bulla mini frozen yoghurts	1.00
Frozen milkshake pops	0.50
Quelch Fruit sticks	1.00
Chocolate Mony	1.00
Snap-stix (assorted flavours)	1.00
Blizzard frozen drinks	2.00
Frozen fruit (seasonal)	0.50

OVER the counter

Hot chips (Friday only)	CM 1.00
Cup of pasta (with napolitana sauce)	CM 1.00
Garlic bread slice	CM 0.20
Boiled egg	CM 1.00
Cheese & crackers	CM 1.00
Muffin of the week	CM 1.00
Snack packs (dips and assorted snacks)	CM 3.00



party packs



Please place orders at canteen at least 3 days prior.

All packs include a choice of:

- or Quelch icy poles
 - or jelly cups
- for the birthday child and classmates

Party Pack 1 – Quelch icy poles 12.00

Party Pack 2 – Jelly cups 12.00



- Lunch orders must be placed by 9am
- Children to collect cold items from canteen
- Lunch bags supplied for 10c

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sandwiches



Vegemite	1.50
Jam	1.50
Honey	1.50
Cheese	V 2.00
Cheese & tomato	V 2.50
Ham, cheese & tomato	V 3.00
Egg & lettuce	3.00
Salad (lettuce, tomato, carrot, cucumber, beetroot, cheese)	4.00
Meat (lite ham or shredded chicken)	2.00
Extras: tomato or BBQ sauce portion	0.20
wrap or gluten free bread	GF 1.00
Salad Box – Caesar or garden	4.50

All sandwiches can be made with white or wholemeal bread

burgers



Beef burger with salad	CM 6.00
Grilled Chicken burger with salad	CM 6.00
Vegetarian patty with salad	V 5.50
Cheese burger (beef, cheese, sauce)	CM 4.00
Plain burger (beef patty on roll)	CM 3.50

All burgers served on Bakere Delight rolls
Salad = cheese, lettuce, tomato, cucumber, carrot, beetroot

meal deals

Salad sandwich and small water	V 4.50
Beef burrito, small milkshake & fruit	5.50
Plain burger & small water	4.00
Ham/pineapple pizza, small water & fruit	4.00
Cheese toasted sandwich and large milkshake	V 4.50
LUNCH PACK – sandwich, small water, popcorn, cheese and rice crackers & apple	5.00



hot food



Lasagna	CM 4.00
Macaroni & cheese	V CM 3.00
Butter chicken with rice (term 2 & 3 only)	CM 4.00
Pasta bolognese	CM 3.50
Chicken tenders	1.50
Chicken nuggets	0.80
Chicken nuggets – gluten free	GF 0.90
Pie	LF 3.50
Sausage roll	LF 2.50
Toasted Pizza Wrap (Ham and Pineapple)	2.50

PIZZAS

Cheese pizza	V CM 2.00
Garlic pizza	V CM 2.00
Ham & pineapple pizza	CM 2.50

JAFFLES

Cheese jaffle	V CM 2.00
Ham & cheese jaffle	CM 2.50
Baked bean jaffle	V CM 2.00

All jaffles can be made with white or wholemeal bread

BURRITOS

Beef (+ tomato, lettuce, cheese)	CM 4.00
Shredded chicken (+ tomato, lettuce, cheese)	CM 4.00
Vegetarian (+ bean, rice, salad)	V CM 3.50

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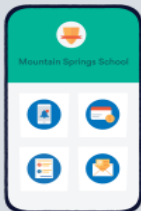
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Bakers Delight
We're for real.
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To register and make bookings, visit www.campaustralia.com.au or Customer Care Team on 1300 105 343. The team are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (except National Public Holidays).

Camp Australia – Valley View Public School service phone number: **0411 298 277**

Before Care Times: 6:30am-9:00am

After Care Times: 3:00pm-6:30pm

We look forward to caring for your children

Notes issued this week:

No notes went home last week.

All notes are now on the school website at valleyview-schools.nsw.edu.au and on the App

