



ALTONA NORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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June

Monday 17th

School Council

Wednesday 19th

Books in Homes
assembly

Wednesday 26th

Parent/Teacher
Share Time

Friday 28th

Last day of
Term 2
(Footy Day)

July

Monday 15th

Term 3 begins

Monday 22nd

School Council

August

Friday 16th

Student Free Day

September

Monday 9th

School Council

Friday 20th

Last day of Term 3

October

Monday 7th

Term 4 begins

REMINDER: last day of term 2 Friday 28th of June

13/06/2024

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Dear ANPS Families,

What another cold week it has been here in Melbourne! I do hope you have been able to keep warm over the past two weeks, I think we all have been struggling to get out of bed in the morning. It is important for our students to be wearing warmer clothes to school this time of year such as long school pants and school windcheaters or bomber jackets. This time of the year is usually a time of lots of illnesses too, so please think about your child's wellbeing as well as the other students' and staff well-being before sending your child to school if they are unwell. We have had a large amount of students and staff absences recently due to illness.

Books in Homes: Once again we would like to thank Mainfreight for their generous sponsorship, which has provided our students with another 3 books for their own home libraries. We will have a special book giving assembly next Wednesday at 9:15. This assembly involves students receiving their chosen books, meeting representatives from Mainfreight and the choir performing. You are welcome to attend.

Prep 2025: We are still accepting Prep enrolments for the 2025 school year. If you or anyone you know wishes to enrol at Altona North Primary School for the 2025 school year, please do so as soon as possible as numbers are filling up. Our next Prep tours are on Thursday 27th June 9:30am and Wednesday 24th July 9:30am. If you know of any families that would like to attend the tours, please let them know to contact our Office.

Parent/Teacher Share Times: Times for Parent /Teacher Share time will be sent home next Monday so please check your child's bag if they forget to give it to you. We still have many families who did not return their forms requesting a time with their child's teacher. This is an important opportunity for you to discuss your child's progress at school so if you have not requested a time as yet, a time has been allocated for you. If any families are unable to come at the time allocated, please let the office know so another time can be arranged. You can also speak with your child's teacher by phone, if it's too difficult for you to attend in person.

Reports & Portfolios: Reports and Portfolios will go out Friday 21st of June with students except for 5/6 Z, 3/4 L and Prep C. Due to circumstances beyond our control, 5/6 Z, 3/4 L and Prep C reports will be sent home this Friday 14th June.

Soccer X: Sports X will be running their soccer program every Monday from 3:30pm-4:30pm commencing the second week of Term 3, Monday 22nd of July. It is available to students from Prep - Grade 6. This is a privately run program so to register please follow the link on our school website or the QR code. They will also be holding a free demo of the program on **Thursday 18th July from 3:20-4:20pm.**

Late Arrivals: Unfortunately we have far too many children coming into school after the bell. It is important to help your child by getting them to school for an 8:45am start each day. The students' learning begins from when they enter the classroom. If your child is constantly late, then they miss out on valuable learning time.

Glasses for Kids: Glasses for kids have arrived for the students that require them parents will need to collect the glasses from the front office. Please help your child adjust to wearing when they need to as it may take a while for them to get use to wearing them.

Last day of Term Footy Day: The last day of term 2 **Friday 28th of June** will be a Footy Day, children are encouraged to dress in their favourite footy teams colours. Students will finish at 2:30pm so please remember to make arrangements for this earlier dismissal time.

Students Art work: This is a fabulous diorama created by students who did not attend camp last week. The grade 3-6 students who were at school were The last day of term 2 **Friday 28th of June** given the opportunity to be involved in camp-like activities. The students had a lot of fun working as a team designing and creating a school camp scene. I know I have enjoyed looking at it as I enter the office foyer and I have heard a lot of ooohs and aaahs by students and family members who have stopped by to look at it.

Lee Blunt
Acting Principal



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- Children will be split into groups according to age.

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