



EDITION 6
30TH APRIL, 2020
TERM 2
REMOTE LEARNING
WEEK 3



Y A A P E E T

RESPECT, HONESTY,

PERSISTENCE,

ACHIEVING PERSONAL BEST

Important events:

2020 DATES:

Please note these dates and events may change if further advice is received from the Government/Health Department and Education Department.

Saturday 25th April—ANZAC DAY



Term 2 Week 3: 27th April—1st May, 2020

**School Council Meeting 7pm via online platform.

Saturday 2nd May: Tree arborist maintenance

Term 2 Week 4: 4TH—8TH May.

Monday 4/5/2020: OHS AUDIT DAY



Sunday 10th May—Mothers Day

Term 2 Week 5: 11th— 15th May.

Victorian Premier—COVID-19 Update in relation to current Stage 3 Restrictions.

****IMPORTANT ADVICE****

DET HAVE NOW BANNED PLAY-GROUND EQUIPMENT AS PART OF THE STAGE 3 RESTRICTIONS—NOTICES ARE DISPLAYED ON BOTH ENTRY DOORS TO SCHOOL.

Thank you for your acceptance and support.

Principal's Message

This week we had our first school council meeting via an online platform. I would like to thank parents who were able to attend using technology that is quite new to them, we are all learning together. We did discuss the possibility of conducting meetings using online platforms in the future, I think this may be a great possibility for school council members if they find it difficult to be onsite due to work or family commitments. I did, however say, that they will miss all our lovely nibbles that we enjoy if we conduct our meetings this way! 'Food for thought!'

I would also like to thank the families for their ongoing support with the working bee (working separately of course) this week. The school grounds are looking fantastic as well as the inside of each school building. We have all worked hard to improve spaces and meet the requirements set out by the DET, OH&S and Workplace standards.

The 2019 Annual Report was presented to school council and has now been endorsed by our School Council President, Gene Fuller. This report will be uploaded to our website for access by all community members.

The DET have provided schools with information regarding the employment for regularly employed Casual Relief Teachers (CRTs) during this period of remote learning. They have set two criteria and if a CRT meets both of those then they are entitled to be employed and receive some remuneration during remote learning. Dianne Phelan met both criteria and has been allocated one day per week at our school. I am pleased that we were able to support this DET initiative and look after all our valuable team members. Dianne has been put in charge of making and laminating maths learning games for our families and school. Each week we will be distributing these games to be used at home during remote learning and they can be used by all family members to enjoy together.

The feedback from our families remains positive during this situation. We are providing extra resources to support them at home in any way we can. We have provided additional resources each week for the use of 'hands-on' learning which has been well received. We have also provided a large amount of materials to make learning at home easier and to ensure there is no out of pocket expenses to our families.

I hope you have a wonderful fortnight and remember we are all in this together and we are all doing very well.

Krista Barnes / Acting Principal

**ANZAC DAY—25TH APRIL 2020
WE WILL REMEMBER THEM - BY THE STUDENTS
OF YAAPEET PS—LEARNING AT HOME**



What an honour it was to see every family showing us their own ANZAC spirit this year.

Thank you to our amazing students for making us all so proud.

COMMUNICATION

School Phone Number:

53957260 / 0417790748

Important Websites for all updates on COVID-19:

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/Pages/default.aspx>

<https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/>

Please do not hesitate to make contact with the school if you are in need for support, we will do our best to support you and connect you to external agencies within our community.

LEARNING FROM HOME—TERM 2

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR AMAZING FAMILIES



Maia loves the bus!

Thank you everyone for sending in some of your 'at home learning' photos including our wonderful staff members .

