



Ardtornish Newsletter

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Diary Dates

March

- 20th – Harmony Week, Governing Council 7pm
- 24th – Assembly 2.10pm
- 28th – Athletics Carnival
- 31st – Pupil Free Day

April

- 7th – Good Friday
- 10th – Easter Monday
- 11th – Hockey Carnival
- 14th – Last Day of Term 1, 2.00pm Dismissal

May

- 1st - Term 2 Begins
- 9th - AFL Max Camp Rm's 17/18
- 10th - AFL Max Camp Rm's 17/18, School Photos Class, FACE Meeting 7pm
- 11th - School Photos Groups, Finance Meeting 3.15pm

Road Crossing Monitors

Wed 15th Mar – Tue 21st Mar
Phoenix H, Adi A, Cameron D

Wed 22nd Mar – Tue 28th Mar
Zahra O, Mikaela B, Isla G

Wed 29th Mar – Tue 4th Apr
Amelia M, Sienna H, Rhea V

Please arrive by 8.25am

Kerr Wins Sports Day 2023



Pictured – Front: Cameron D, Sovereign H, Franklin F Back: Eli J, Zac H, Ella P Natalie S, Erin F, Mikaela B

Final Scores: **Kerr 268** **Angus 221** **Newman 206** **Tolley 200**

Thursday 9th March was a fun filled day. Students and families joined in the spirit of the occasion and dressed in team colours to bring a sense of joy and celebration to the proceedings as the Team Captains and Vice Captains encouraged students to join in team chants and play with enthusiasm, fairness and positive sporting skills. Thanks to everyone for participating so well, especially family members who supported the day as visitors or helpful volunteers.

Tips for Parents to help their Children with Maths

Parents can support their child's maths development at home in a variety of ways without being a 'maths teacher.' To encourage your child:

- 1. Make maths fun:** Incorporate maths into everyday activities, such as cooking, shopping, and games. This will help children see the practical side of maths and make it more interesting.
- 2. Practice regularly:** Encourage your child to practice maths regularly using online resources, or games. There are sites your child's teacher recommends. Regular practice will help build their maths skills and confidence.
- 3. Provide a quiet and organised workspace:** Ensure that your child has a quiet and organised space to work on maths problems. This will help them stay focused and minimize distractions.
- 4. Use visuals:** Use visuals such as diagrams, graphs, and pictures to help your child understand maths concepts. This can make abstract concepts more concrete and easier to comprehend.
- 5. Ask questions:** Ask your child questions about their maths homework or concepts they are learning in class. This will help them think critically and develop a deeper understanding of maths.
- 6. Encourage questions:** Encourage your child to ask questions about maths. This will help them clarify their understanding of concepts and overcome any difficulties they may be experiencing.
- 7. Celebrate progress:** Celebrate your child's progress in maths. This can be done through small rewards or praise for their hard work and achievements.

Remember that every child learns at a different pace, so it is important to be patient and provide support that matches their level of understanding.

Pupil Free Day – Friday 31st March

CANTEEN ROSTER

Tuesday 21 st	Jenni F
Wednesday 22 nd	Jenni F, Robyn C
Thursday 23 rd	Jenni F, Kristin
Friday 24 th	Jenni, Lisa M, Tui M
Tuesday 28 th	Jenni F
Wednesday 29 th	Jenni F, Katherine W
Thursday 30 th	Jenni F, Deneise P
Friday 31 st	PUPIL FREE DAY



Can you help in the canteen?

The canteen are looking for volunteers to help on Thursday's & Friday's. If you are able to spare anytime please contact Michele Smale in the canteen or the front office on 82648099.

Ardtornish Primary School

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Parent/Teacher Interviews **face-to-face** for our school will be held in

Week 9 and Week 10
Monday 27 March – Thursday 6 April.

Visit the website below for bookings and timeslots. Please book as soon as possible.

For parents that do not have internet access, bookings can be made at the front office.

Face-to-face interviews are strictly 10 minutes and spaces are limited.

We need to adhere to COVID-19 regulations. If you are in isolation or in quarantine, please contact us to make alternative arrangements. We can arrange for a telephone interview or organise a new interview time with your teacher.

PLEASE NOTE: Your child's class teacher will let you know if they are inviting your child to also attend.

Go to www.schoolinterviews.com.au and follow these simple instructions.

Simply enter the code and press "Go"



Enter your details



Select the teacher you wish to see



Select the appointment times that suit your family best



When you click **FINISH**, your interview timetable will be emailed to you automatically. If you do not receive your email immediately – **Check your junk mail folder AND make sure you have spelled your email address correctly**

You can return to www.schoolinterviews.com.au at any time, and change your interviews.

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Please support FACE Kytons Fundraiser, money to go towards oval refurbishment. All orders must be placed via QKR! - there is a dedicated Kytons menu. Orders close Wednesday 22nd March for delivery 30th March. Orders can be collected from the Canteen from 2:45pm on Thursday 30th March.

NOTE: If we raise a minimum of \$250 there is a prize for the family who raise the most amount of money - please check out the Image Gallery.

Ardtornish Choir

The APS Festival choir combined with students from Modbury West, Modbury, East Para and Ingle Farm East for a big rehearsal.

We had about 100 voices singing. It sounded great. Also visiting us was Cathy Lange the Assistant Director of Music from the Festival of Music



Tracey's Care Column



Hi everyone,

I am so happy and privileged to be back at Ardtornish supporting the school community and working alongside the wellbeing team Nat Hall and Deb Pryor.

As many of you know, I love my work and I have a genuine care and compassion for all people, no matter what their beliefs, background or situation. The health and wellbeing of people, especially children, is very important to me.

I am available to listen, encourage and support in a safe confidential space with no judgement.

I can help with advocacy, provide resources and referrals, and connect you with government, community and business organisations.

If you have any questions or I can be of any assistance to you or your family please phone 8264 8099, or email tracey.cooper17@schools.sa.edu.au or drop in and say hello. I look forward to meeting you. I am usually available on

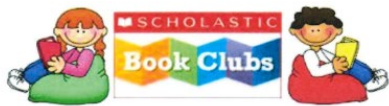
Tuesday's 8.30am – 2.30pm & Thursday's 10.00am – 4.00pm

I look forward to meeting you.

Tracey Cooper
Pastoral Care Worker

Instrumental Music

Our Instrumental Music lessons are going really well. Here are our new brass students learning trombone and trumpet.



Issue 2
Closes
Tuesday 4pm
28th March

LOOP only orders

15% of every purchase on Book Club goes back to your school in Scholastic Rewards to buy valuable educational resources that benefit your child.

- Place your Book Club order
- Your school earns Scholastic Rewards
- Your school redeems Scholastic Rewards for additional school or classroom resources

BOOK NOW @ HOPE VALLEY CHURCH 1263 GRAND JUNCTION ROAD \$5 PER CHILD

Kids Club

31 MARCH 2023

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DINNER | DEVOTION | DESSERT
31 MARCH @ 5PM

31 MARCH 5 - 7 PM HOPE VALLEY CHURCH FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL KIDS

JUNIOR PLAYERS NEEDED

DO YOU HAVE A CHILD AGED 5 TO 16 YEARS OLD?

ARE THEY INTERESTED IN AUSSIE RULES?

EAGER TO MAKE FRIENDS, HAVE FUN AND LEARN NEW SKILLS?

HOUGHTON FOOTBALL CLUB IS THE PLACE TO BE !

IF YOU OR ANYONE YOU KNOW IS INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT US.
EMAIL - HDFCJUNIORS@GMAIL.COM
PHONE - 0408 807 655

Reminder – Please watch your speed when driving around school and the school crossing, be mindful of children around the school zone.

Michele and Jenni would like to say a big thankyou to all of those who have gave some of their time to help on Friday morning last week, and to all the old and new volunteers who came and helped in the canteen on Sports Day. We appreciate you very much!

PLEASE UPDATE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WITH THE FRONT OFFICE IF ANYTHING HAS CHANGED



HOME/RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS?



MOBILE NUMBERS?



EMAIL ADDRESSES?



EMERGENCY CONTACTS?



FAMILY INFORMATION?

SPORTS DAY PHOTOS

