

# Newsletter

## GREENMOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL

3 August 2022

*Dear Greenmount families,*

Its been a wild , windy and wet start to the week !

Today our Year six students went on a excursion to Swan View SHS to experience '*a day in the life of high school*'. The students all had a wonderful day. Thanks to the staff at Swan View who facilitated this great opportunity and thanks to Mrs Giles and Mrs Smith who supervised our students today.

### Interschool Sport

This Friday our Senior students will start their Interschool winter sports rounds. This week we are playing against St Anthony's at Greenmount PS. Parents and caregivers are welcome to come along and support our netball, football, soccer and volleyball teams.

In more exciting sporting news we would like to congratulate James Saunders who has been selected to represent Australia in football. He will be competing in Fiji in 2023 !

### Science

Week 5 of this term is Science week. This year we received a grant to purchase new Science resources. Mrs Bremner has been busy choosing and purchasing some incredible items to add to our Science resources. Thank you Mrs Bremner for the time you have put into getting everything organised. Teachers will be able to access all of these new resources soon just in time for Science week.

### Book Fair and Book Week

In Week 6 we will be holding our annual Book fair and Book week dress up. The Fair will run in the Library from Monday 22nd till Thursday 25th, more details to follow. Our Book Week dress up day will

be on Thursday 25th and will take place in the Undercover area at 9.00am. All Parents and caregivers are welcome to join in the fun of the parade.

### Toys and sports equipment at school

Just a reminder we ask students not to bring their own sports equipment and toys to school, this often ends badly with precious belongings getting broken or taken.

### Enrolments for 2023

We are now starting our planning for 2023. If your child/ children are NOT going to be at Greenmount next year, aside from Year 6's, could you please let the office know asap to help us with our planning. Thank you.

*Natalie Astle—Principal*

## RAT TESTS

We have new supplies of 20  
RAT tests for each child at  
GPS.

An adult will need collect  
them from the office



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## Calendar of Events

### TERM 3

Fri 5 Aug	Senior Int School Sport
Fri 12th Aug	Assembly
Fri 12 Aug	Senior Int School Sport
Fri 19 Aug	Constable Care incursion
Fri 19 Aug	Senior Int School Sport
<b>Thur 25 Aug</b>	<b>Book Week Parade</b>
Fri 26th Aug	Assembly
Fri 2 Sep	Senior Int School Sport
Thur 8 Sep	R U ok Day and Safety House sausage Sizzle
Fri 9th Sept	Safety House Assembly
Fri 23rd Sept	Assembly
<b>Fri 23 Sept</b>	<b>Massed Choir</b>
Friday 23rd Sept	Last Day of Term 3

### TERM 4 Significant Dates

Tues 11th Oct	First Day of Term 4
Friday 4th Nov	Assembly
Friday 18th Nov	Assembly
Friday 2nd Dec	Assembly
<b>Wed 7 Dec</b>	<b>Presentation &amp; Graduation</b>

## MERIT AWARDS

Rm 1	Nick Tandy
Rm 2	Avalon Green; Peyton Vossage
Rm 3	Keir Nicoll; Yolande Trumann Chan
Rm 5	Mikayla Clark; Devan Veitch
Rm 6	Adelaide Daly; Samuel Iloh Zoe Muller; Kayley Seery
Rm 7	Emma Davey; April Green; Jade Hanson
Rm 8	Ethan Barker
Rm 9	Daniel Quedley; Theo Schoknecht
Rm 10	Lola Boeser; Marcus Pennington
Rm 12	Chelsea Byng; Benjamin Mackenzie
Rm 14	Hiku Te Aho; Ruby Shaw; Ivy Webb
Rm 15	Grace Agostino; Liam Spinks Savannah Thorburn
Rm 16	Harriet King; Matthew Shearer
Rm 17	Vinnie Notte; Rylee Paterson

## LOST PROPERTY

**There is still a lot of lost property, mostly jumpers and jackets, many have names and are in the cupboard in admin. Those without names will be donated to the uniform shop at the end of week 4.**

**Please come and have a look for your child's belongings.**

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**NAME:** Kayley Amato

**AGE:** 11 **ROOM:** 16

**TEACHER:**

Mrs Voakes

**WHAT I HAVE TO  
OFFER AS A STUDENT  
COUNCILLOR**

I'm a reliable person who is very kind and a great self manager

**WHAT I ENJOY ABOUT SCHOOL**

Art, Music, Sport, math and times tables challenges

**HOBBIES/INTERESTS**

Dancing, singing and designing

**FAMILY AND PETS**

Mother, father, siblings(sisters x 3)



**NAME:** Alex Cassey

**AGE:** 9 **ROOM:** 12

**TEACHER:**

Mr Mansveld

**WHAT I HAVE TO  
OFFER AS A STUDENT  
COUNCILLOR**

I am very kind and love to help

**WHAT I ENJOY ABOUT SCHOOL**

I enjoy sport and art

**HOBBIES/INTERESTS**

I love taking care of ants

**FAMILY AND PETS**

My favourite pet is my mouse Shaz. I have 1 brother, 1 sister and two parents



**NAME:** Jennifer Rotaru

**AGE:** 10 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> **ROOM:** 17

**TEACHER:**

Miss Selfe

**WHAT I HAVE TO  
OFFER AS A STUDENT  
COUNCILLOR**

Being helpful and kind

**WHAT I ENJOY ABOUT SCHOOL**

Art, Music, Japanese

**HOBBIES/INTERESTS**

Art, singing, being shy

**FAMILY AND PETS**

Jemma, Jessica, Josh, Felicia, Miro, Bella our dog



**NAME:** James Saunders

**AGE:** 11 **ROOM:** 15

**TEACHER:**

Mr Giles/ Miss Murphy

**WHAT I HAVE TO  
OFFER AS A STUDENT  
COUNCILLOR**

I'm a self manager

**WHAT I ENJOY ABOUT SCHOOL**

Sport and senior sport

**HOBBIES/INTERESTS**

Football/ AFL, Cricket, swimming and watching sport

**FAMILY AND PETS**

5 siblings and a mum and a dad



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## Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is fully stocked with all winter uniform items, including our Long Sleeved Polo shirts for \$27 each.

Take advantage of Flexischools ordering and have the items delivered directly to your nominated classroom, order by Wednesday 1pm for delivery on Thursday.

Shop Hours: Wednesday mornings 8.15am to 9am and Thursday afternoons 2.30pm to 3.15pm



Size 4 to 14 & Small Adults

## The P&C have been given the opportunity to hold a Bunnings Sausage Sizzle - Save the Date - Saturday 3rd September 2022


The P&C are holding a Sausage Sizzle at Bunnings Midland on **Saturday 3rd September 2022** and we are looking for volunteers to help out with set up, sausage cooking, serving and packup between 7am and 4.30pm.



Complete our online signup sheet at: <https://forms.gle/Y9V35GgSJgsaGR3fA>

## Book Club

Issue 5 Book Club magazines have been sent home with students, orders close on Friday 5th August. Cash orders can be placed in the P&C payment box in the Office or you can order online through LOOP. There is a special promotion at the moment where you can receive up to 3 free books with your order for orders placed through LOOP. \*\* Only available on your first transaction from Issue 5.



**FREE BOOK OFFER!**

We are giving away FREE books on Issue 5 to help you grow your home library!

Receive	When you spend over
1 Free Book	\$30
2 Free Books	\$50
3 Free Books	\$70

## Cards that Count

This year we will be participating in a fundraiser, where students will have the opportunity to turn their artwork into professionally printed greeting cards so they can share their art with family and friends.

Each artwork is processed and available as a pack of 8 cards and 8 envelopes from [www.cardsthatcountcount.com.au](http://www.cardsthatcountcount.com.au)

The packs can be ordered online for \$16. Every pack ordered raises \$5 for the school.

ARTWORK TEMPLATES - Templates have arrived and students will be completing their artwork in class. Each contains a Unique Number to assist with ordering.

KEY DATES: - All artwork needs to be completed by Wednesday 3rd August.

Online ordering information will be sent to parents this term.

**Online ordering will be available 15th August - 2nd September - Cards will be delivered to school Friday 4th November.**

Thank you for your support of this program.

The next P&C Meeting will be held on Tuesday 9th August at 6.30pm in the Staff Room. Please use the Service Entry and park on the basketball courts.

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### GIRL GUIDES IN AUSTRALIA IS...

Community based and meets outside school hours, mostly on a weekly basis during school term. By meeting locally in groups (Units) with their peers, our girls have fun, develop friendships, experience adventure and challenge themselves to try new things by stepping outside of their comfort zone.

They become a member of a small team (Patrol) within their Unit—building a sense of belonging, encouraging teamwork, helping girls to grow in confidence and have a voice. With the support of an amazing team of volunteer female leaders (yes you can be one), we believe we can fulfill our mission:

To empower girls and young women to grow into **confident, self-respecting, responsible** community members.

### BEING PART OF A GLOBAL MOVEMENT...

the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, we have access to cutting edge contemporary projects with a focus on leadership and creating opportunities so "all girls are valued and take action to change the world". There are 10 million Girl Guides and Girl Scouts in 145 countries.

### GIRL GUIDES GO PLACES

The long term benefits are significant. Guides go on to do great things in their local communities and future careers. There's also the chance to travel and participate in worldwide Guide initiatives.

#GirlGuidesGoPlaces.

### WE PROVIDE A UNIQUE GIRLS ONLY SPACE...

Contemporary research shows that girls need girl only activities to develop their potential. In single gender environments girls tend to be more independent and more positive about their gender. In a mixed group, girls often take a subordinate role in physical activities, and may not assert their opinions or compete with boys for leadership positions.



**GIRL GUIDES  
AUSTRALIA**

**GUIDING IS...**  
an intergenerational organisation open to all, so no matter what your age, there is something for you!

**GUIDING PROVIDES...**  
a values based dynamic and flexible non-formal educational program for girls and young women in a fun and supportive girl's only environment.

Girls develop leadership skills and a sense of personal responsibility and a shared purpose to make the world a better place.

**GIRL GUIDES:**

- ✓ Have Fun
- ✓ Make friends
- ✓ Find a place to be themselves
- ✓ Make their own stories
- ✓ Live adventures
- ✓ Change the world!

**GIRL GUIDES AUSTRALIA**

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28th August 22,  
Opening ceremony 11.30am,  
closes at 3pm.



# SVFC's 60th Anniversary Community Fun Day @ Brown Park.



Giant Inflatables, Market Stalls,  
Community Groups, Food trucks, Fun  
games (WIN PRIZES), facepainting and  
airbrush tattoos .

**RAFFLE**  
*lots of prizes*

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