

JOLIMONT NEWSLETTER Wednesday, 27 October 2021
Excellence Respect Integrity Care
2021 Year to Flourish Term 4 – Resiliency
The Season of Kambarang - October & November

Welcome

We warmly welcome Todd Flematti to our team as the new permanent gardener/handyman and whilst Mrs MacNaughtan is on Long Service Leave, Stacey Daly will be in the office.

Thank you to ECC Parent

A very sincere and heartfelt thank you to all the parents for their hard work and labour during the holiday busy-bee. Old sand was removed and new replaced, play equipment assembled, painting completed and a general tidy-up, meant all the children returned to a fabulous learning environment. Thank you to Mr Jarniki for his time, effort and coordination with this massive project!

Multi-purpose Court Update

Progress with this project is coming along nicely. Several site meetings and a completion date (hopefully) for Term 1 2022.

Book Lists for 2022

This year, book lists are being finalised and this year an online ordering link will be emailed in a Connect notice to parents later in the term.

FUTURE EVENTS

World Teacher Day Friday 29 Oct

This Friday, we are looking forward to celebrating with each other and hope you are able to share in the joy with our staff. Thank you to the P&C and Rooms 1,3 and 4 for organising a delicious morning tea!

Assembly

Our next assembly is this Friday, 29 October, hosted by Mrs Dyer's Year 1 class in Room 4, starting at 2:15pm.

Drama Flourish with Esther Longhurst

Lights, camera, action starts next week! Notes have been sent home and if you have not yet actioned, please return permission note and payment slip to your child's classroom teacher. Lessons start next Monday, 1 November and run for 5 weeks.

Outdoor Classroom Day – Wednesday, 3 November

2021 Colour Run – Friday, 5 November

This exciting event on Friday 5 November will be packed full of fun, colourful powder paint, and a **NEW** obstacle course! The event will take place on the Jolimont Primary Oval from 1:45 - 3:00 pm. Buy your tickets now at <https://events.humanitix.com/jolimont-ps-2021-colour-run>

For more information, please refer to the Parent Information flyer sent home in your child's backpack or email us at jolimontpspandc@gmail.com

World Festivals and Celebrations

Diwali - one of the biggest festivals in India, is a festival of lights that marks the start of the Hindu New Year.

Day of the Dead - celebrated throughout Mexico with extravagant parties and parades, colourful decorations, and elaborate costumes and makeup.

Loi Krathong - is one of the most picturesque sights where small candlelit floats are released into rivers in an act of exchanging the old for the new.

Thanksgiving - is the quintessential fall holiday and is a time of gratitude, quality time with loved ones, and heaps of food.

Bon Om Touk, in Cambodia celebrates the end of the rainy season while also observing a one-of-its-kind natural occurrence

Practicum Students

We are joined by several student teachers who are completing practical placements this term. It is exciting to be developing the teachers of the future and our staff enjoy sharing their expertise and best practice.

Kids with Cancer

This term, Friday 19 November we will raise funds for the Kids with Cancer Foundation with a Crazy Hair Day. This non-for-profit children's charity helps with financial assistance to young families of pre-teen children (12 years old and under) in financial difficulties due to their child being treated for cancer.

RECENT EVENTS

Interm Swimming

Jolimont PS students participated beautifully at Interm Swimming with many comments from the public about our excellent poolside behaviour. It was wonderful to see so many smiling faces at the pool each day. Thank you parents for your support with bathers and towels. There are still some lost goggles at Administration that can be claimed promptly.

Science and Technology Update

Congratulations to the Jolimont PS Tournament of Minds (TOM) STEM team that competed in the International final at ECU in Joondalup. All members of the team put on an amazing performance and should be congratulated on their enthusiasm. Well done Alex, Lacy, Milana, Alexis, Andrew and Marcel for your efforts.

Our Year 5/6 students have been designing and building models that can withstand a natural disaster. They tested their designs using the Tsunami Tester and the Shake Table (Earthquake). Following testing, they made recommendations to improve their designs.

Our Year 2/3 students have been investigating codes and made a Morse code generator out of the Snap Lock Circuit kits. I think these kits may be on quite a few of the students' Christmas lists this year!

Mrs Joanne Turton

Science and Technology Teacher

GENERAL

Squid Game Warning- Netflix

We thought it best to alert you to the fact that some maybe watching the show without your knowledge. The series is based in South Korea and tells the story of a group of debt-ridden strangers who are lured into playing deadly games in the hopes of winning a huge cash prize. Children who are watching this are being exposed to extremely graphic and realistic scenes of violence.

Please see the following link about parental controls for Netflix

<https://www.childnet.com/blog/new-parental-controls-launched-on-netflix>

Keyed Up Music Lessons

Keyed Up Music will be teaching keyboard and guitar group lessons this term after school. Lessons start at \$18.65 for a group of 4 per lesson. If you are interested in your son/daughter learning an instrument, contact Savanna on 6107 8841 or 0479 171 424 or enrol at www.keyedupmusic.com.au/enrolment-form

REMINDERS

Calendar

Please see the Term 4 calendar [here](#).

FROM THE CANTEEN

Please note that prices have increased and have been adjusted on the online canteen system website. We encourage everyone to use the online canteen system - an account can be set up [here](#) and remember to keep details up to date. The canteen menu on the Jolimont PS website will be updated soon, along with hard copies in the office.

Julie, Canteen Manager