

# **MODBURY SCHOOL P-6 | NEWSLETTER**

**TERM 1 WEEK 9** 

# Important Reminders: Public Holidays - Friday 7th April and Monday 10th April 2023

# From the Wellbeing Leader's Desk

# Dear families,

It is hard to believe we are already finishing week 9! The last two weeks have been full of wonderful learning and collaboration, and the upcoming weeks are set to be just as busy.

This week staff have enjoyed meeting with families during Learning Conversations. It has provided an excellent opportunity to share each student's successes and strengths, and to discuss their learning goals moving forward. We truly value the input families provide in helping us to meet the needs of each learner at Modbury School P-6. If you were unable to attend a Learning Conversation this week, we encourage you to reach out and make a time to meet with your child's teacher.

The past two weeks have also seen our students in Years 3 and 5 complete NAPLAN. We congratulate the students involved on their courage and positive attitudes going into these assessments and thank the students in other year levels who displayed flexibility and resilience when their normal routine was disrupted during the session times. NAPLAN is a huge undertaking for both students and staff, and we thank all the teachers and co-educators who worked tirelessly to set the students up for success.

# SWIMMING:

In weeks 10 and 11 our students will be involved in swimming lessons. Students will be walking to and from the venue with the support of staff and will be responsible for dressing/undressing themselves before and after lessons. We ask that all of their belongings are clearly named- items tend to go missing during swimming lessons, and they are more easily returned when labelled.

Please see the swimming timetable in the following pages and pay special attention to your child's lesson time and the items they need to bring.

While swimming lessons can be an incredibly exciting time for many students, they can be a time of uncertainty for others. Please feel free to speak to a member of staff if your child has any concerns about these lessons.

Finally, on behalf of all staff members at Modbury, I would like to wish each of our families a safe and happy Easter next week. We have already started hearing about some exciting plans from the students involving camping, travel, and family gatherings; and we hope that however you are planning to spend the break, you and your family enjoy a well-deserved rest.

Please also remember the last day of Term 1 Friday 14th April is an early, 2:05pm finish.

Sheíla Flavel Wellbeing Leader





# **Modbury School P-6 - Finance Information**

# Dear families,

School Fee notices have been sent home with your child and are due for payment before the end of Term 1, **Friday April 14** 2023.

If you have submitted a School Card Form, please do not pay your fees until you have received your notification of acceptance/refusal.

If you feel you may be eligible for School Card, and have not yet completed an online application or a hard copy form, **please contact the school as soon as possible.** 

# CHROMEBOOKS

For families paying by instalments - the **second instalment** is due before the endo of Term 1, Friday 14th April 2023. Students will **not** be able to take their Chromebooks home **in Week 11 or over the holidays**, if the payment is not made. If you require any additional information please talk to Liz in finance or Kym at the front desk on 82642027.

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Our final coffee and chat for term 1 is Thursday April 6 at 9am in our outdoor STEM space. I would like to thank all the families that have joined me this term for our fortnightly coffee and chat sessions. It has been a wonderful opportunity to get to know you and hear valuable suggestions on how we can continue to improve.

I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible next Thursday, so we can celebrate our term. Coffee chats will continue in Term 2, every 2nd Thursday on even weeks at 9am.

Warmest regards,

Michelle Parkes









Lessons for children in Reception to Year 5 will run between Monday 03 April and Thursday 13 April 2023 this term. (No lessons Good Friday or Easter Monday)

Session times will be as follows: (students leave school 30 mins before lesson starts and return to school approx. 30 mins after it finishes)

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Lesson 1	Class	Lesson 2	Class	Lesson 3	Class		
10:30am	Room 9	12:30 -	Room 6	1:15pm-	Room11		
- 12:00	Room 14 (yr	1:15pm	Room 7	2:00pm			
	5 only)						
Week 10 THURSDAY 6 <sup>th</sup> April – Changes to times. Please read carefully							
Lesson 1	Class	Lesson 2	Class	Lesson 3	Class	Lesson 4	Class
9:30-	Room 8	10:45 -	Room 6	11:30-	Room 11	12:45-	Room 9
10:45	Room 12	11:30	Room 7	12:15		2:00pm	Room14
		earlier		earlier		later time	
		time		time			

# Week 10: Classes from Monday 3rd April – Wednesday 5th April (3days)

Week 11: Classes from Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> April to Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> April (3 days)

Lesson Time	Class	
12:30 -2:00pm	Rm 8	
	Rm12	

Parents are welcome to walk to and from the lessons with their child. Parents must attend if your child requires help to change. Please let the class teacher know if you want to walk to and from the centre with the class.

Any child that leaves the centre early, must be signed out with the

# What to Bring...

All students should come to school with their bathers on under their school uniform, they need to wear closed in shoes for the walk. They also need these things:

- Towel
- Underwear for after lesson
- Change of clothes (just in case)
- Drink bottle named
- Hat
- Goggles (optional)
- Thongs for around pool (optional), closed shoes for walking
- Spare plastic bag for wet clothes
- Recess/lunch/extra snack in a spare bag to take to lesson if it falls in break time (class teachers will share information regarding this)



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# Fees for OSHC and Vacation Care 2023 April Vac Care Bookings now OPEN

Before School Care -\$16

After School Care-\$27

Student Free Day /Vacation Care Days in day \$61

Incursion & excursions \$66

All quoted fees are before CCS % (Government Subsidy)

# Please Note: charges will apply if the following cancellation procedures are not followed:

48 hours cancelation policy for in days for Vac and SFD or charge will occur

for Excursions and incursions 72 hours

If child/ren are sick on the day of the booking (emergency cancellation) a doctor's note will need to be provided for booking to be deleted and no fees charged. (This is due to staffing and costs of the day).

# Please call Nicola Evans on 83963148 or 0423023537 for bookings or information



North-East Schools Zone

# Find your way to adventure

Orienteering is a unique sport that teaches life skills like navigation and fitness with the fun challenge of finding the fastest route between checkpoints on a map

### For Students of all Ages

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**AFTER-SCHOOL** 

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# What do you need to bring?

- No special equipment required we provide everything.
- Wear comfortable clothing suitable for outdoors walking or running.
- Interested students from nearby schools are welcome to register and attend.

Note to Parents: This is a FREE activity run entirely by volunteers from Orienteering SA. We welcome parents to stay and to take part in the activities. Please arrange transport for your children to and from The Heights, Brunel Drive, Modbury Heights.

# The Heights School @ Modbury

When? Tuesdays: 2nd, 9th, 16th and 23rd May-3.30PM-5PM

To find out more or register your child's interest, please contact Erica Diment: neschoolorienteering@sa.orienteering.asn.au





# TEA TREE GULLY NETBALL CLUB



Is your little one our next netball superstar?!

NetSetGo is Australia's official starter program for girls and boys aged 5 to 7. It's a chance to learn the netball basics and make some friends. NetSetGo is divided up into three tiers: Net, Set and GO. Where you start, depends on your age and netball experience. Through skill-based activities, minor *games*, dance and modified matches, NetSetGo provides a positive and fun introduction to playing netball. Each participant receives a pack which includes a netball and a t-shirt, which can be personalised.

Tea Tree Gully Netball Club is excited that Net Set Go registrations are open for Winter 2023

Starting 3rd May for GUARANTEED 10 weeks - 5.30 - 6.30pm - (Sports Voucher Accepted)- \$120

Please feel free to pass on to family / friends / work colleagues.

https://www.playhq.com/netball-australia/register/382b85

TTGNC—THE PLACE TO BE IN '23	Gullies TEA TREE GULLY NETBALL CLUB				
ARE YOU READY TO NET SET	7 GO WITH US???				
DATE SCHOOL TERM 2—3rd May (guaranteed 0 weeks)					
	<b>TME</b> 5.30—6.20 pm				
LOCATION: TTGNC Courts - Brand New 'BLUE' Courts @					
Banksia Park Sporting Hub, Elizabeth Street					
COST: \$120.00— this also includes special Suncorp Net Set Go Pack					
(T/shirt & Ball) (Sports Voucher accepted)					
REGISTRATION LINK: https://www.playhq.com/netball-australia/register/382b85					
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