



# No: 20/20 NEWSLETTER 15<sup>th</sup> JULY 2020



# Learner Profile:



Inquirers, Knowledgeable, Thinkers, Communicators,  
Principled, Open minded, Caring, Risk Takers,  
Balanced and Reflective



Our school is working on our new strategic plan  
**‘Challenge 2023’**

Dear Parents and Students,

## Welcome to the start of Term 3

I hope this note finds everyone safe and well.

### Information regarding Term 3 from DET:

As noted in my recent COMPASS post (& information in the media) all schools in the Metro area have returned to a remote learning program.

Teachers will continue to provide support and the learning plan via COMPASS and GOOGLE classrooms.

Some other notes-

- a. We will continue to provide access for video chat via Webex and / or Google meets – look for teacher invites to these online chats
- b. We are obliged to mark the roll each day and ‘attendance’ is based on your check in with the teacher each morning – if you need to vary the plan for the day send a message to the teacher. We want to keep in touch and support our families during this period of remote learning.
- c. **ON SITE Attendance:**

### All students will be learning from home, except for students in the following categories

\*Students enrolled in Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE) or Victorian Certificate of Applied Learning (VCAL) programs and those students enrolled in specialist schools

\*Children on days when they are not able to be supervised at home and no other arrangements can be made. This will be available for children of parents who cannot work from home,

\*Any student with a disability and vulnerable children.

**NOTE** – any parent unable to provide supervision at home may seek permission for on-site attendance – form must be submitted by 4.00pm each Thursday

**Please contact me if you have any questions**



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Our teaching team will provide an opportunity to collect necessary books (e.g. writer's notebook) this week – please contact the school if you do not receive this information for the pick-up time. IT equipment borrowing– we are aware that some families benefited during term 2 and we are able to loan a netbook / iPad during this period of remote learning. Please contact the school and make arrangements to collect from school on the day(s) allocated.

## OSHC – Out of School Hours Care

Our OSHC program will operate from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July – normal hours of operation each – please note the Government subsidy for free childcare has ended and parents are responsible for payment. Please confirm your bookings with Selina.



### Staffing news:



Congratulations to Karen Donders – Karen will take up a new role at Emerald Secondary College from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July.

Karen has a long association with our school – a parent during her 4 children's schooling at Maccy, as a teacher aide supporting kids, families and colleagues and in our office area. We wish Karen all the best for her new role and thank her for her wonderful care and support for everyone in our school community.

Ms Marissa Cashmore is taking some leave (a day per week) to support / coach schools in maths education – we wish Marissa all the best in this work during Term 3.

Ms Karla Taylor will be joining 3/4C each Friday and is looking forward to working with Rosie and the team at Level 3 & 4.



## School Council:



*Rescheduled meeting* Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July commencing  
at **7.00pm.**

**NOTE – this meeting will remain as a Webex meeting**

Please contact a member of SC for any items of business for our meetings.

During this challenging time and having spent some months in shutdown and now managing the transition to school, work etc.– please know that we are here to support you and your family.

As a school team we use

## **EVERYONE, EVERYDAY**

Take the time to check in with folk in our community – in your family – in our school and continue to be the supportive Maccy community we care about so much.

Kind regards & have a great week!

*John Chiswell*

Principal

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where we endeavour to nurture curiosity and bestow a life-long love of  
learning*

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**A very Happy Birthday to the following Staff and  
Students who will be celebrating in the coming week.**



**LINDA FRASER  
PIPER B  
SEBASTIAN  
AND**

