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 Springhurst Primary School

# The Slate

Week 3 - Thursday, May 12th

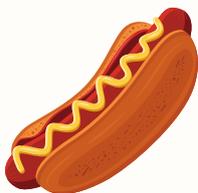
Add these dates to your diary

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- Federal Election  
May 21st
  - Biggest Morning Tea  
May 25th
  - Ms. Turner turns 31  
June 7th
  - Curriculum Day  
June 10th
  - Queen's Birthday holiday  
June 13th

## Reminders



- **Hot Dog forms must be returned by Wednesday.**



## Fortnightly recap

The start of Term Two has been a busy one for staff and students alike.

We've enjoyed an incursion from **Hidden Creatures**, recommenced our love affair with 'cubbies', and worked at solidifying our knowledge of fractions.

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### **Mother's Day**

A big Happy Mother's Day to all of the amazing mothers and grandmothers in our school community.

We hope you enjoyed the goodies that were made for you.

A huge thank you must go to Lisa for organising the cooked treats and goodie boxes.

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### **Covid - 19 update**

Unfortunately, we have endured a few new cases within our school community. We encourage families to test regularly to avoid spreading amongst our staff and students.

If you require more tests, please do not hesitate to get in contact.

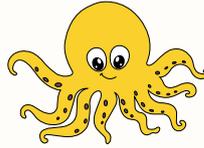


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## HIDDEN CREATURE GALLERY



At Springhurst this week, we had some special guests from the Arena Theatre Company: we were treated to a creative afternoon of digital drama, mashing up art and technology.

The Arena Theatre Company are staging a fun production called the Hidden Creature Gallery which showcases student content through augmented reality.

Our students used iPods to photograph objects, colours and textures from around the school grounds and these were cut and mixed by digital media experts to create some crazy creatures. After being named and given an identity, students added voice and movement to their animated characters.

[Hidden Creatures incursion gallery](#)

[Information flyer link](#)

## Mrs. Walker update

Throughout this week and next week, Mrs. Walker will be absent, on personal leave.

The Junior Room will run as structured as possible throughout this time, however, they will have CRTs on some of the days.

Mrs. Walker will return ASAP, which we look forward to very much.

In the meantime, Jacob will be the main point of contact for all parents and guardians.

He can be found via **email:**  
[jacob.schonafinger@education.vic.edu.au](mailto:jacob.schonafinger@education.vic.edu.au)

or via **phone** - [03 57 265 291](tel:0357265291)

**Thank you for your understanding.**

## Grade Six Shirts

As frustrating as it is, the Grade Six shirts have not yet arrived. Sign Effects have given an update, telling us that they hope to have them available by Friday, May 13th.

Fingers crossed this happens. Apologies for the delay.

## Personal Hygiene

Families are asked to be mindful of students' personal hygiene. While the weather is still warm, can families please be proactive in helping students with this matter?



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## Springhurst Primary School to host polling booth

The school will once again be hosting the Federal Election polling booth. As a fundraiser, we are running a cake stall.

We are asking for families to kindly donate a cake, slice, or biscuits for us to sell on the day.

Plates will be sent home on Tuesday, May 17th and need to be returned by Friday, May 20th.

If you can spare an hour, or two, we would love some help manning the cake stall.



## ART

Our first ART session this term was spent creating a special artwork for a very special person. We hope that these creations remained a surprise!

There are many great things planned in ART this term and we are all looking forward to another great term of making and creating!

- Miss Turner



Australia's  
**Biggest  
Morning  
Tea**

## Biggest Morning Tea

When: Wednesday, May 25th

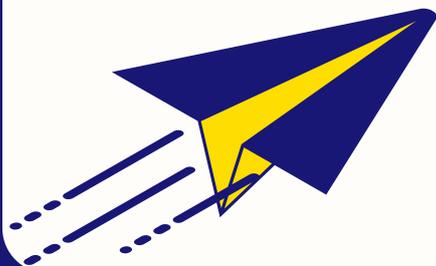
Time: 10am - 11:30am

Where: Springhurst Primary School

Price: Gold Coin Donation

What: Families are to arrive at 10 am for the Paper Plane making/throwing. Parents and guardians are to have morning tea at the conclusion of this

*\*Please bring a plate to share*



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Primary School

### Website:

[www.springhurstps.vic.edu.au](http://www.springhurstps.vic.edu.au)

### Facebook:

[Click here to join our group](#)

## Kid's Council - Pyjama Day

On the first day of Winter, Lisa and the Kid's Council are running a pyjama day.

On the day, students will be able to wear pyjamas and purchase soup and bread for lunch.

The cost will be \$5 with all proceeds going towards the Wangaratta Night Shelter.



## Spelling Challenge

### Try this at home.

- How many words can you make from the letters in 'SPRINGHURST'.
- You can only use the letters that are in the word. For example, S can be used twice, but H only once.
- There are 365 possible answers!

## Maths Challenge

### Try this at home.

### To do with an adult:

- With a parent, roll the dice 4 times each, writing the numbers down as you go. When you have four digits each, work out who owns the largest number. See who wins over 7 attempts

