



# CHEL TENHAM EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday November 29, 2019

## SCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION FOR STUDENT ABSENCES:

Sentral parent portal: <http://sentral.cheltenhameast.vic.edu.au/portal>

Flexibuzz App, Answering machine - 9584 7240; email [cheltenham.east.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:cheltenham.east.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au)

Please contact us each day your child is absent giving child's name, grade, reason & date of absence

### For your Diary

#### 2019

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|--------|-----|----|---|--|
| Tues   | Dec | 3  | - | Swimming make-up lesson F-4                              |
| Wed    | Dec | 4  | - | Teachers' Breakfast 7.30 am                              |
| Thurs  | Dec | 5  | - | Whole School Multicultural Day                           |
| Thurs  | Dec | 5  | - | Instrumental students Music Café 6.00 pm                 |
| Friday | Dec | 6  | - | Grade 6 Bike Hike  |
| Friday | Dec | 6  | - | School Disco (see flyer inside)                          |
| Tues   | Dec | 10 | - | Year 6 Transition Day                                    |
| Tues   | Dec | 10 | - | Foundation 2020 9.15-10.30am "I am ready for school now" |
| Wed    | Dec | 11 | - | Parent Helpers' Morning Tea                              |
| Tues   | Dec | 17 | - | Grade 6 Graduation                                       |
| Wed    | Dec | 18 | - | Meet the Teacher (for 2020) and Class parties            |
| Friday | Dec | 20 | - | Last day of term 4 – early dismissal 1.00 pm             |

#### 2020

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|-------|-----|----|---|---|
| Tues  | Jan | 28 | - | Teaching staff commence (no students at school) |
| Wed   | Jan | 29 | - | Grades 1-6 commence at 9.00 am                  |
| Thurs | Jan | 30 | - | Foundation students commence 9.00 am            |

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

### Our School Vision

"Cheltenham East students are empowered learners who are flexible thinkers with the skills and knowledge to respond critically to their world."

### Parents' Committee 2020

The Parents' Committee had their Annual General Meeting last Monday night and elected office bearers for 2020. I am pleased to announce that Linda Donaldson will continue in the role of President with Jodie Marsh and Samantha May as co Vice Presidents. Shelley Mead has agreed once more to take on the duties of Secretary.

The role of Treasurer has again been taken on by Sue Chase our Business Manager who has done an amazing amount of work for the Parents' Committee to ensure all of the finance processes are followed.

I officially thanked the outgoing committee for another very successful year, with special thanks to Linda Donaldson for taking on the role of President during 2019 and doing such an amazing job. Linda is always up at the school giving up her valuable time and ensuring the kids are getting the best of everything. Thank you also to Jodie Marsh for all of her great work as Vice President. She has ensured the special food days have been run throughout the year and along with a small committee of helpers have provided a variety of food for the children to choose from.

Thank you also to our Secretary Shelley Mead who has done a power of work behind the scenes to ensure the school is getting the full benefits from our fundraising efforts. These ladies have been the driving force behind all that the committee have accomplished this year.

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I would also like to acknowledge all the hard work of the office staff - Sue, Belinda and Robyn who do an amazing job liaising with the Parents' Committee. We are so very grateful for all their help.

### Library Books

Library books need to be returned as soon as possible. Ms Douth who is in charge of the library has the daunting task of checking that all library books are returned by the end of the year. Let's make it as easy as possible for her, by returning books quickly please! A massive thank you to one of our amazing parent volunteers Lisa Sciortino who comes each week and does a lot of work in the library to help out. We appreciate it.



### Oz Child

A huge thank you goes out to families who have already donated to the Oz Child appeal. Many of these children don't get to experience a Christmas with presents, family and friends and by donating you will guarantee many more families will be able to enjoy Christmas a little more.

### Bike Ed

The Year 5's will be riding to Kingston Heath Park as the culmination to their Bike Ed skills program. They have been practising hard on their bike skills and learning about the rules of the road in preparation for this ride. Thank you to the parents who have come in and dedicated some of their valuable time to help train the children up. The year 6's will complete an On Road Test in preparation for their Bike Hike on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.

### Safe Driving

It is really important that all parents take care with their driving around the school areas. It has been noted that some parents are dropping children off across the road and telling them to run across the road. There is going to be an accident if this practice continues. Please ensure your children are using the crossings provided to cross the road safely.

The staff car park is not to be used for car parking by parents under any circumstances as vehicle movement poses a risk, especially to small children who are difficult for drivers to see. We appreciate your help in keeping everyone safe whilst on school grounds.

### Sun Smart Uniform

As we are a sun smart school Term 4 is hats on for all children once again. If your child has lost their hat please make sure that it is either found or replaced through the Primary School Wear uniform shop. Any children without an approved school hat will be directed to a shaded area during recess and lunchtimes. Children also need to be wearing an approved school uniform to school as per the school uniform policy.

### End of Year Celebrations

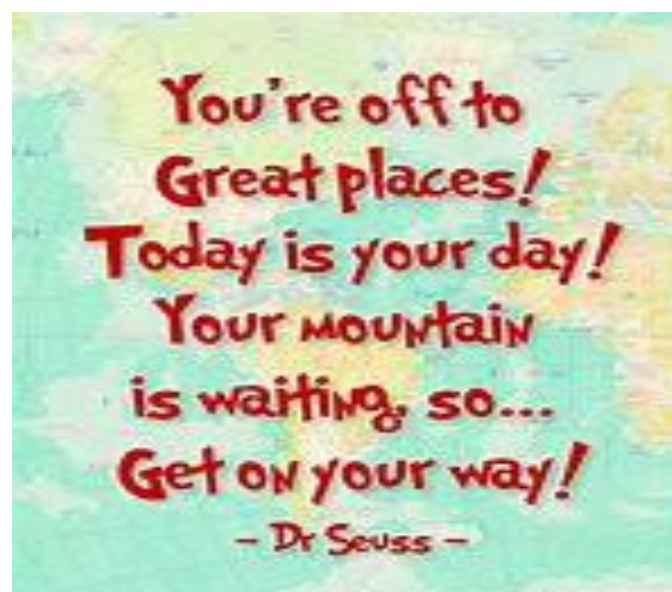
As we near the end of the year, we will celebrate with a series of special events.

These include (but are not limited to):

- Wednesday December 11<sup>th</sup> at 10.40am: Thank-you Morning Tea for parents and organisations who have assisted the school throughout the year.
- Tuesday December 17<sup>th</sup>: Grade 6 Graduation Ceremony.
- Meet the Teacher for the children and Class Parties 18<sup>th</sup> December.
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> of December last day of school.

I am sure everyone is looking forward to these events in particular.

### Thought for the Week



**WAYNE BACH**  
PRINCIPAL

## CEPS KIDS ARE FRIENDLY KIDS



This term we are working on **RESPONSIBILITY**  
and next week we are looking at

### ***Being Positive***

Being Positive is a great attitude to have. People enjoy being around positive people. Positive people do things. They take chances, they try their best, they don't give up and they make the most of every situation. They enjoy most of what they do and help others have a good time as well.

Certainly at times we need to look at the bad or the dangerous side of things and take them into consideration when making our decisions, but don't get carried away with all the bad things. Enjoy the situations you are in and try to look at them positively, even when they are difficult.

If nothing else a tough situation will help you learn about how well you cope with hard times, and you might be able to plan better for next time.

## ***OZ CHILD WISHING TREE APPEAL 2019***

Thank you for the gifts so far for the Oz Child wishing tree.

Please do go to the class teacher if you would like your child to choose a gift tag at the Wishing Tree, located opposite the staffroom.

Alternatively, you may collect a tag or tags with your child. Please bring the unwrapped gifts back to school as soon as possible and before Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.



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# CEPS KIDS ARE FRIENDLY KIDS

## Awards for displaying Responsibility



### ***Sentral parent portal:***

***Is your child going to be away, on holidays or late?***

**<http://sentral.cheltenhameast.vic.edu.au/portal>**

If you access the parent portal, you won't need to phone the absence line, nor do you need to tell the teacher.

You can enter expected late arrivals due to doctor and dental appointments or other circumstances, afternoon appointments, upcoming holidays, day absences when your child is unwell, etc.

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# ***RISK TAKER AWARDS***



Name	Year Level	Award for...
Marty B.	F	Showing persistence in Maths Groups and giving tasks a go even when you are unsure. All your hard work is paying off and you are getting so good at counting! You are a Maths superstar!
Levi G.	1	Performing confidently up on stage during 1DR's assembly item. Well done!
Alessio C.	2	Challenging yourself in your narrative writing. Well done!
Bonnie C.	3	Always having the courage to ask questions when she is unsure and being willing to contribute ideas to class discussions.
Amelia G.	4	Stepping out of her comfort zone and being willing to share her ideas with the class.
Lewis A.	5	Rising to the challenge of writing your own version of the 'In Flanders Fields' poem and creating an exceptional piece with powerful words.
Nathan L.	6	Being creative with ideas and vocabulary when writing a half minute horror.
Claire N. Yr 5	Music	Persevering with her ukulele strumming and showing great improvement.
Zach A. Yr 4	Italian	Trying to improve his Italian by always participating in oral language activities.
Gemma K. Yr 2	P.E.	Trying new skills and being prepared to keep practising as well as helping others.

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Guess What!!

It's ALMOST CHRISTMAS!

... and our last Special Food Day of the year!

ON THE 11<sup>th</sup> OF DECEMBER WE WILL BE PROVIDING A

CHOICE OF THE FOLLOWING FOR YOUR LUNCH:

Option one (\$4)

- Hot dog in hot dog bun with sauce

Option two (\$3)

- Steamed Dim Sims x 4

Option three (\$4)

- Ivan's party pies x 4

Option four (\$4)

- Ivan's sausage rolls x 4

Add a ginger bread man for \$1.20 to get into the Christmas spirit!

Orders to be in by Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> of December at 4pm

(NO late orders taken sorry!) - Easily done through QKR!

ORDER NOW SO YOU DON'T FORGET!

Any questions or requirements please email Jodie Marsh on [jodienmarsh@gmail.com](mailto:jodienmarsh@gmail.com),

before 5<sup>th</sup> December.

## CHELTENHAM EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL DISCO

**When:** Friday 6th December 2019

**Where:** School Hall

**Time:** Foundation to Year 2 - 5.30 pm to 6.45 pm  
Years 3 to 6 - 7 pm to 8.30 pm

**Cost:** \$5.00 per child

Includes entry: Zooper Dooper or Smoove's icy-pole (optional) and a glowstick. Prizes to be won on the night!

***NO MOBILE PHONES – IF YOU DO REQUIRE A PHONE PLEASE LEAVE IT IN YOUR BAG OR HAND IT TO ONE OF THE PARENTS COMMITTEE HELPERS AT THE FRONT DOOR FOR SAFE KEEPING.***

- Ensure children eat prior to/after attending the disco. No food is allowed in the hall.
- BRING A NAMED WATER BOTTLE FOR YOUR CHILD PLEASE!
- CEPS discos are for the school aged children only.
- Parents are welcome to stay – SORRY NO TODDLERS.

A responsible adult **MUST** stay in the hall with any child who may require anaphylactic medication during the disco.  
Asthmatics must bring their own puffers and be responsible for administering them.

Children must not be at the hall before the starting times and must be picked up from inside the hall promptly at the end time by an adult. Entry to the disco will be via the back door closest to Silver Street. Pick up will be at the front door closest to the stage.

The Junior disco will have some lights on, lowered music levels & parents are welcome to stay. Please see the Parent Committee helpers on the night for any queries; they will be wearing school aprons.

Please pay via QKR prior to Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December. If anyone is having any difficulty paying via QKR please contact office. **Tickets will be given out to children on the Friday before the disco.**




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## CEPS INSTRUMENTAL STUDENTS





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FROM AGE 4 TO ADULT



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**Junior Group Coaching**

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- Green Ball 10-13yrs
- Yellow Ball 13-17yrs

Squad Coaching  
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Birthday Parties  
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Adult Group Coaching

**ALL EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED**

**FREE RACQUET!**

Mention this promotion to receive a FREE Junior Tennis Racquet (RRP \$35) for new enrolments for a full term aged 4-13yrs

**HOLIDAY PROGRAM**

**Mon 20<sup>th</sup> January to Thur 23<sup>rd</sup> January**  
9:30am till 12pm  
\$140 for the 4 days  
or \$40 per day  
Enrolments close Wed 15<sup>th</sup> January



**MENTONE**  
Monday, Tuesday,  
Friday & Sunday



**CHELTENHAM**  
Monday, Wednesday,  
Thursday & Sunday



Call 0409 426 917 to enrol or book in at  
**[www.exceltennis.com.au](http://www.exceltennis.com.au)**

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# CHELSEA

TERM 1 ENROLMENTS OPEN NOW!

## SELF ESTEEM & RESILIENCE PROGRAM & EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM FOR TEENS



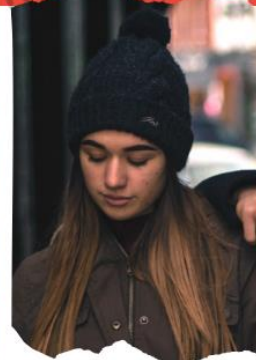
TINIES  
4-6 YEARS



IN-BETWEENS  
7-9 YEARS



TWEENS  
10-12 YEARS



TEENS  
12- 18 YEARS

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Find out the true Christmas story!

**@ CHELTENHAM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
8 Park Rd. Cheltenham VIC 3192

Sessions: Tue 03 Dec/Fri 06 Dec and Tue 10 Dec  
4:00 - 5:30PM

★ Music! Crafts! Games! Light Refreshments!  
Lots of fun!

★ All welcome, whatever your tradition!

RSVP: [andrea.roslyn@gmail.com](mailto:andrea.roslyn@gmail.com)  
[zita.leqin.zhou@gmail.com](mailto:zita.leqin.zhou@gmail.com)

or call Roslyn at 0414 918 663  
Zita at 0432 676 656

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Please take care and be aware when driving to and from school on Wednesday



## LETTER OF NOTIFICATION

**REF NO. 94142**

Dear Resident,

Please be advised that Power works will be conducted in your area.

Access will be restricted, so please minimise traffic flow or allow extra time for your commute to avoid disappointment.

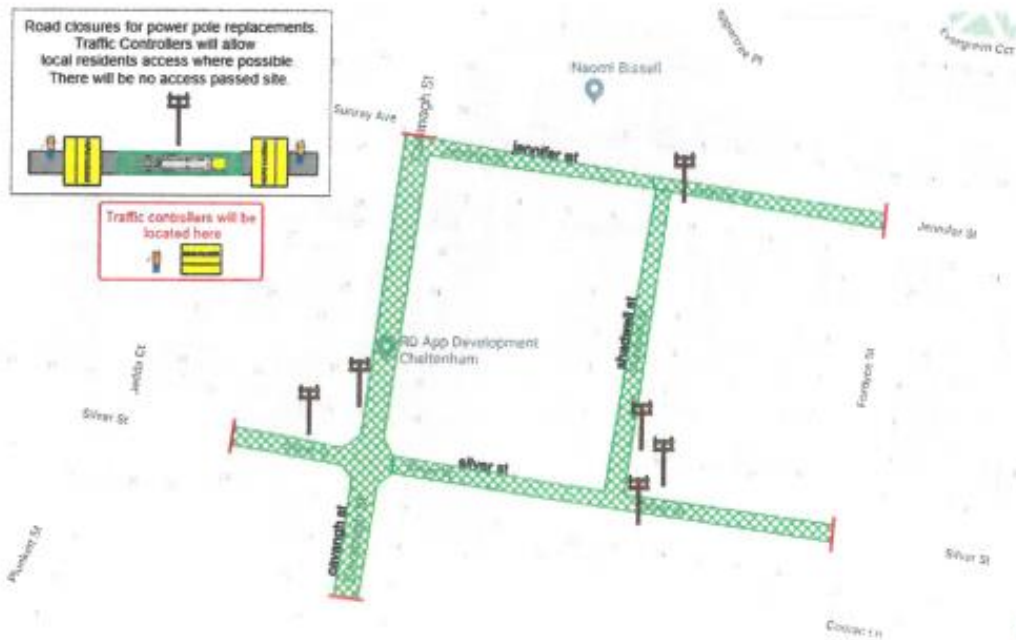
The traffic management will be implemented by Australian Traffic Control with Traffic Controllers onsite to assist with local access and pedestrian movements around the worksite.

We apologise for any inconvenience these works may cause. We hope that the delivery of this notice will assist you to plan ahead.

The map attached will provide you with further information.

**WHEN:** **Wednesday, 4 December 2019** – between 7:30am and 4:00pm.

**WHERE:** Silver st, Cavanagh st, Jennifer st & Shadwell st, Cheltenham



Kind regards,

ATC Planning Department  
03 9739 5880

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SINGING  
DRAMA  
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- Science exp.
- Teamwork
- Games

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Sandringham College

HIGHETT

13th & 14th  
**JANUARY 2020**  
(2 day program)

9:00am – 5:00pm  
\* 8:30am drop off option

For more info and bookings, call  
1300 13 03 13



## Trevor Bowen

### Supporting your community


One of the area's most trusted and well-known agents, Trevor Bowen has built a career on local knowledge, local connections and a love of his local area.

A resident of Cheltenham's Golden Triangle for more than 20 years, Trevor has raised a family, become part of the community and built his financial security on the real estate of the area.

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