



The Poppet Head

Weekly newsletter of Quarry Hill Primary School
Thursday, February 8th, 2023
Newsletter No. 1

Our Vision:

QHPS students are empowered to be engaged learners. Our community fosters a culture of respect and belonging.

2023 TERM DATES

Term 1 January 30 – April 6
Term 2 April 24 – June 23
Term 3 July 10 – September 15
Term 4 October 2 – December 20

Principal: Jo Menzel

School Council President: Claire Flanagan-Smith

PFA President: Renee Selkrig

~OUR VALUES~

Kind

I understand that everyone is different
I co-operate
I respect myself, others and the environment
I am community minded
I belong

Curious

I am a learner
I seek knowledge
I ask questions
I explore and wonder
I create

Brave

I am honest
I am independent
I have high expectations
I am resilient
I am open to feedback

IMPORTANT DATES

	Time	Details
FEBRUARY		
Wednesday 15 th	All Day	Prep Rest Day
Thursday 16 th	5.00pm – 6.30pm	Welcome Back Picnic Bushland
Friday 17 th	3.30pm	Book Club Due
Monday 20 th	5.45pm	School Council Meeting
Wednesday 22 nd	All Day	Prep Rest Day
Friday 24 th	Appointment only	Teeth on Wheels
Monday 6 th	9.00am	Prep First Full Week of School
MARCH		
Wednesday 1 st	All Day	Curriculum Day- Pupil Free
Friday 3 rd	2.45pm – 3.30pm	Jacinta Allan to present student leadership badges
Monday 13 th	All Day	Labour Day Public Holiday-No School
Wednesday 15 th , 16 th , 17 th	Various times	NAPLAN
Monday 20 th		School Photo Day
Thursday 30 th , 31 st	9.00am	Grade 3 Camp Kookaburra
April		
Thursday 6 th	Various Times 2.30pm	School Cross Country Last Day of Term 1-Early Finish
Friday 7 th	All Day	Good Friday
Monday 24 th	9.00 – 3.30pm	First Day of Term 2
Tuesday 25 th	All Day	Anzac Day Public Holiday- No School
Wednesday 26 th	All Day	School Athletics

Reminders:

- **CSEF**- Do you hold a concession card?
You may be eligible for CSEF. Please see the office.
- **Curriculum contributions** - can be paid at office or via the Compass app.
- **Permission Forms**- Please return your students 2023 Permission forms ASAP to your classroom Teacher.
- **Hats**: Required to be worn until the end of April in accordance with our school policy. Students who do not have a hat will be asked to stay in the undercover areas.



Kind



Curious



Brave

Dear Parents and Carers,
Welcome to the 2023 school Year! A special welcome to our new Quarry Hill families joining us for the first time.

ASSISTANCE REQUIRED

The school would like to spruce up our arbours located at the front of the school with a fresh coat of paint. We are looking for a couple of handy people who could sand back the arbours and then give them a fresh coat of paint. If you can help beautify our front of the school and have the tools of trade to complete this, could you please contact Narelle in the office to arrange a time for this to take place. It can happen at a time to suit you either after school, during school or on a weekend.

Thanking you in advance

Narelle



SCHOOL CAPTAINS AND VICE CAPTAINS FOR 2023

Evie R and Harry J will be the Quarry Hill School Captains this year. They will be ably assisted by Millie W and Asher K who will take on the Vice-Captain roles. Congratulations to these four young people. It is a big commitment to take on leadership roles, and we feel confident that they will do a wonderful job.

HOUSE CAPTAINS

Congratulations are also extended to the following students for obtaining the role of House Captain for 2023:

Peel House – Veronica J & Gabe N

Amer House – Jimi R & Lacey E

Malcolm House – Flynn C & Macy G

Harkness House – Kade S & Ruby G

CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND APPLICATIONS

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you have a valid means-tested concession card, such as a Veterans Affairs Gold Card, Centrelink Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card, or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible. There is also a special consideration category for asylum seeker and refugee families.

Payment amounts this year are \$125 for eligible primary school students. Payments are made direct to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions and sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

If you applied for CSEF through our school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year, unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

If you would like to apply for the first time, please contact the school office on 54433 537 and ask for an application form.

You can also download the form, and find out more about the program and eligibility, on the Department of Education and Training's [Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund web page](#).

Check with the school office if you are unsure, and please return completed forms to the school office as soon as possible.

STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE ARRANGEMENTS

The Education Department does not provide personal accident insurance for students. Parents and guardians are responsible for paying the cost of medical treatment for injured students, including any transport costs, unless the injury is caused by the negligence (carelessness) of a Department or School Council employee or volunteer.

Students' accident insurance policies are available from the private insurance market. These cover a range of medical expenses not covered by Medicare. They can be obtained by parents for individual students.

Parents of students at Quarry Hill Primary School are reminded that Quarry Hill Primary School does not have a whole of school policy.

CLASS ORGANISATION FOR 2023

GRADE	TEACHER	ROOM
PREP	MARIA TZAROS	8
PREP	BONNIE MCINTYRE	9
Grade P/ 1	BRAD SHEPHERD	2
Grade 1	TESS MORCOM	1
Grade 2	MERRYN WALKER / Lauren Clark	6
Grade 2	JANE ST CLAIR	5
Grade 3/4	CLINTON DONOHUE	12
Grade 3/4	SARAH EDWARDS	14
Grade 3/4	LORRAINE BERIMAN	13
Grade 5	TONYA VAN DEURSE / ERICA DEMPSTER	10
Grade 5	JESS TELFORD / ANNE ROCHFORD	11
Grade 6	REBEKAH FRY / TAMIEKA MCERVALE	17
Grade 6	CRAIG HARROP /TAMIEKA MCERVALE	16

Specialist Teachers

Art	Brooke Wilson
Music/ PE	Ross Turner
Chinese	Minyu Xu
Tutor	Erica Dempster
Tutor Term 2	Tova Penno

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Principal Class

Principal

Jo Menzel

Assistant Principal

Anne Rochford

Non-teaching Staff

Business Manager

Narelle Jones

Administration

Amanda Dole

Education Support

Luci Tanashevich

Education Support

Tim Murphy

Education Support

Josh Hawken

Education Support

Sophie Davies

Education Support

Tom Guerra

Welfare Worker

Kerryn Phillips



P.F.A News

We would like to invite you to share a cuppa after school-drop-off on Thursday mornings.

This term the cuppa-time will be held in the peace of the bushland and eco-shed, so please wander down around 9am!

It is an excellent opportunity to make some new friends, reconnect with old ones and to be part of the school community.

All welcome, including pre-schoolers!

SUPERVISION RESPONSIBILITIES BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL

At Quarry Hill Primary School, the school grounds are supervised by staff from 8.45am before school and until 3.45pm after school.

There may be staff in attendance at the school before and after those times but those staff may be involved in tasks such as meetings or lesson preparation. This means that these staff members will not be supervising students.

I know that a number of parents accompany their children to school and wait to see that they are settled. This practice is fine, and is certainly encouraged, as parents are supervising their own children.

Formal before and after school care is available within the school grounds and is operated by OSHClub. Information regarding this program is available from the office, or can be accessed online at

REGISTERING FOR OUT OF HOURS SCHOOL CARE – OSHClub

To help families prepare for the new school year, bookings for Outside School Hours Care are now open for 2023. It is recommended that families register an account with OSHClub and always book in advance.

Parents/guardians must register their child by completing an online enrolment form via the parent portal. It's important that parents/guardians fill out all compulsory enrolment documentation for their child and notify of any medical conditions, illnesses etc., to ensure the health and safety of all children in the program.

Families can register at oshclub.com.au

ANAPHYLAXIS AND ASTHMA

We have several children enrolled who suffer from severe allergies to a variety of things including nuts and nut products, dairy & wheat which can result in them going into anaphylactic shock. Anaphylaxis is the most severe form of allergic reaction and is potentially life threatening. It must be treated as a medical emergency, requiring immediate treatment and urgent medical attention.

At Quarry Hill several strategies are in place to deal with this. We are an Allergy Aware school. Students are encouraged to wash hands before and after eating to minimise the risk of contamination.

Often boxes and packages are sent to school for art construction activities and are very useful. However, do not send any packages for use at school that have contained dairy, wheat, nuts or nut products so that we can minimise the risk of children with allergies coming into contact with products that may cause a reaction.

Action Plans for Anaphylaxis and also for Asthma are required for all children who suffer from either, and must be obtained from the family doctor. Please ensure that your child has an updated plan if they suffer from asthma or are at risk of experiencing anaphylaxis. A copy of this plan must be provided to the school immediately.

ASTHMA ALERT - SPACER USE IN SCHOOLS

A reminder to families of children with asthma of the new policy regarding single person spacer use.

This means that schools are no longer be able to wash, sterilise and re-use spacers and face masks from their asthma emergency kits when assisting students and children with asthma symptoms.

Spacers should always be used when administering reliever 'puffer' medication because:

- Using a spacer with a 'puffer' ensures that more medication reaches the airways.
- Spacers are much easier for children to use than a 'puffer' alone, and allows school and preschool staff to help students/children during an asthma attack, often in an emergency situation.
- Spacers are an essential part of the Asthma First Aid procedure that Victorian schools/preschools are instructed to follow.

Asthma first aid kits should only ever be used as a back-up for when a child with asthma does not have their own spacer available, or if it is a first asthma attack or the cause of breathing difficulty is unknown. If your child requires medication and does not have their own spacer, a cost of \$10.00 will be charged to cover the purchase of the spacer.

Even if your child has mild asthma, it is essential that their medication and spacer (and a compatible face mask if under 5 years old) is always available to school staff. To ensure that a spacer is not left at home, we would recommend that parents/carers purchase a second spacer for their child to have with them at school at all times if possible.

For further information, please contact the Asthma Foundation of Victoria on 1800 645 130 or email

schools@asthma.org.au

PRIVACY REMINDER

Our school collects, uses, discloses and stores student and parent personal information for standard school functions or where permitted by law, as stated in the [Schools' Privacy Policy](#).

Please take time to remind yourself of the school's collection statement, found on our website

<https://www.quarryhillps.vic.edu.au/page/180/School-Policies> For more information about privacy, see: [Schools' Privacy Policy — information for parents](#). This information is also available in ten community languages:

- Amharic
- Arabic
- Dari
- Gujarati
- Mandarin
- Somali
- Sudanese
- Turkish
- Urdu
- Vietnamese

PARKING AROUND THE SCHOOL

Parking Services from the City of Greater Bendigo have contacted our school and requested that the following information be conveyed to our school community.

The illegal parking of vehicles adjacent to our school poses a safety concern to children, pedestrians and other road users. Parents are reminded that it is essential to comply with parking restrictions when dropping off and collecting children from school.

Motorists must not stop in no stopping areas, even briefly, with or without the motor running. They must not stop next to a continuous yellow edge line, on nature strips, too close to school crossings, park over driveways or double park. A number of schools have short term time restricted areas, such as 2 minute pick up drop off. These parking areas are in place to allow for ease of access close to schools and these restrictions must be adhered to. Drivers should also be aware that they cannot perform a U-turn over an unbroken or continuous dividing line.

With regard to children's crossings, the law requires that a driver approaching a children's crossing must drive at a speed at which the driver can, if necessary stop safely before the crossing. Please slow down and take extra care when driving in school zones.

City of Greater Bendigo Parking Officers and Bendigo Police do conduct random patrols throughout the school year at various locations to ensure that motorists are adhering to the Road Rules.

NEWSLETTER ELECTRONICALLY

A reminder to all parents and carers that the newsletter is made available through Compass. The newsletter is also available on our school website. <http://www.quarryhillps.vic.edu.au/>

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARIES: CURRICULUM DAY (PUPIL FREE DAY) – Wednesday 1st March 2023

Our first Curriculum Day is scheduled for Wednesday, March 1st. This day will be used by staff to undertake professional development around better understanding varied economic realities and understanding the hidden rules that govern behaviour. We will be partnering with California Gully Primary School on this day. This will be a pupil free day.

RETURN TO SCHOOL INFORMATION SESSIONS PRESENTED BY BENDIGO COMMUNITY HEALTH

We are very fortunate to be able to partner with Bendigo Community Health to support our families.

On Monday we had the first parent/carer session where Steph and Valerie from BCH facilitated a sharing of ideas on how to support children with identifying feelings and then regulate these emotions, a range of calming strategies that could be tried and finally some practical ideas for teaching our children how important giving consent is and how to teach this.

These sessions are free and there is a second session on Monday Feb 20th. Add it to your calendar. This session will touch a little bit on encouraging children to develop healthy eating habits and be physically active, leading on to managing screen time and cybersafety – areas of parenting that are increasingly challenging so the earlier we work on building strong foundations and expectations in these areas the easier (hopefully 😊) it will be.

All parents are welcome, come along and bring a friend. If you would like more information contact Anne Rochford on 54433537.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

KIND

Freyja G (Room 6)	for her willingness to help keep our school environment tidy!
Sonny C-S (Room 9)	for being a kind friend and helpful member of our class.
Avery S (Room 6)	for using lovely manners and always offering to help her friends in class and playground.
Diane R (Room 17)	for including others during class activities. Well done!
Noah H (Room 8)	for being a caring friend and getting along with other Preps.



CURIOUS

Ava M (Room 6) for starting off grade 2 giving everything her best effort.
Gabe N (Room 17) for starting the year with such a positive attitude. Well done!
Flynn C (Room 16) for making a great start to the school year.
Macy G (Room 16) for making a great start to the school year.
Hamish K (Room 11) for using feedback to improve his writing and work on his goal.
Elliott W (Room 1) for being a maths wizard when working on 'one less'!



BRAVE

Fox C (Room 6) for a wonderful start to his learning at QHPS!
Ava S-D (Room 13) for having a great start to Q.H.P.S
Eleanor J (Room 2) for making a wonderful start to Grade 1 by following new routines with ease.
Isabella S (Room 17) for bravely taking risk in her learning. Well done!
Tristan N (Room 12) for always being open to feedback and having a fantastic start to the year.
Leo M-C (Room 1) for making a terrific start to his Grade 1 year at his new school!



Welcome back from Ferdi

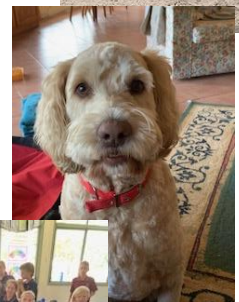


I had a busy but fabulous holiday! I went to the beach, got new sand in my sandpit so I dig there and not in the garden and had doggy play dates.

I have had a haircut and got a new collar and it's back to work for me.

I love my job of helping students and staff with their wellbeing.

I have commenced transitioning back to school this week with visits to the classrooms. I need to re-learn I am not the school pet and not to expect pats from everyone. In preparation the students have been re-learning the expectations that will help me in the classroom and in the yard.



I am looking forward to a great year at QHPS.

Love from Ferdi



TEETH ON WHEELS

Just a reminder that we have Teeth On Wheels visiting our school for dental visits starting on the 24th of February. Please copy the link below to complete your child's consent form.

<https://teethonwheels.com.au/consent-forms/consent-eform/>

Complete your form today and the Teeth On Wheels team will be in contact to schedule your child's appointment and notify you on your eligibility. If you are not eligible, Teeth On Wheels will offer you a special deal of \$99 for the full check-up, clean, fluoride treatment and any x-rays if required (this can be claimed back through your private health insurance).

For any further questions, please contact the Teeth On Wheels team on (03) 9338 1191.

CUT OFF DATE FOR COMPLETING YOUR CHILD'S FORM IS February 23rd.

Please find flyer below.

CYBERSAFE

ESMART TOPIC: FREE WEBINARS FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

Join one of the free webinars for parents and carers.

These live webinars give parents and carers the knowledge, skills and tools to support their children to have safe online experiences.

Term 1 2023 webinars include a broad range of topics that will be delivered by our expert education and training team.

eSafety 101: how eSafety can help you

This 30-minute webinar is designed for parents and carers of young people in primary and secondary school.

It will cover:

- who we are
- what you can report to eSafety
- helpful advice and resources for parents and carers.

Term 1 dates (Australian Eastern Daylight Time)

8 February 12:30 pm to 1:00 pm

21 March 7:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Register: [Link](#)

[Registration \(gotowebinar.com\)](#)

Setting your child up for success online

This 30-minute webinar is designed for parents and carers of young people in primary school.

It will cover:

- age-appropriate expectations and boundaries
- online risks and strategies to keep your children safe
- where to find support for you and your child when things go wrong.

Term 1 dates (Australian Eastern Daylight Time)

8 February 7:30 pm to 8:00 pm

28 February 12:30 pm to 1:00 pm

14 March 12:30 pm to 1:00 pm

Register: [Link](#)

[Registration \(gotowebinar.com\)](#)

Getting the most out of gaming

This 45-minute webinar provides families with strategies for supporting children and young people to have safe, positive experiences when playing games online. It is designed for parents and carers of children aged 7 to 14.

It will cover:

- when gaming can be beneficial and strategies to promote better in-game experiences
- how to keep children safe online – using safety and privacy settings in games and platforms
- strategies to promote more balanced gaming and how to create smoother transitions from game-play to other activities
- the key online risks and where to find help for things like bullying and harassment in games.

Term 1 dates (Australian Eastern Daylight Time)

14 February 12:30 pm to 1:15 pm

14 March 7:30 pm to 8:15 pm

Register: [Link](#)

[Registration \(gotowebinar.com\)](#)

SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB

Issue 1 of Scholastic Book Club is due Friday, February 17th 2023. No late orders will be accepted.

To order the books online and pay with your credit card via the LOOP facility visit

<https://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx>

The LOOP facility eliminates the need to put your credit card number on the order form and/or hand over cash.

For paper copy book orders remember to please include your child's name and classroom number and/or teacher on the top of the form and return to office with correct payment by due date. Thank you.

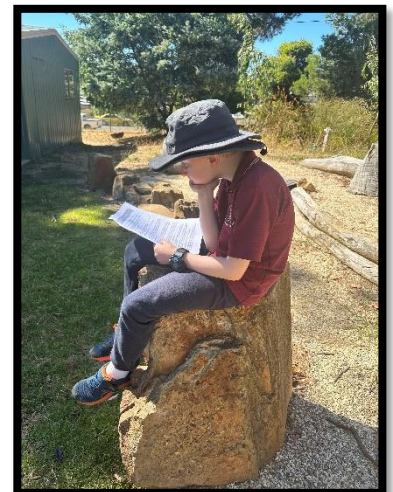
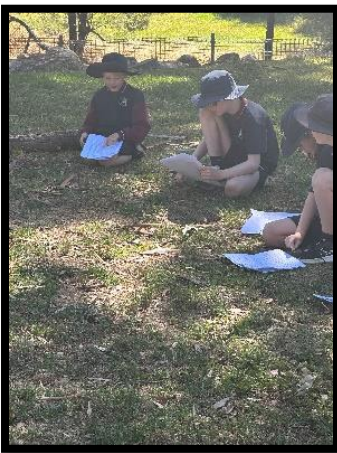
SUNSMART

Hats are now required to be worn when students are outside. Please remind your child to pack their hat and sunscreen in their bag. Hats are normally available for purchase from the office at \$12.00 each but unfortunately are out of stock at present. We will notify the school community as soon as they are back in stock.

[sunsmart.pdf \(quarryhillps.vic.edu.au\)](#)

ROOM 13

The students in Room 13 have been practicing their fluency with 'readers theatre'.



OUR NEW PREPS FOR 2023

Last Thursday was the first full day of school for our Prep students this year. The excitement and anticipation of the children was amazing to witness. For the most part, they settled really well and quickly set about making new friends. Most parents seemed to cope quite well too! An extra hug was required for some, but everyone left fairly composed. It's a big day for everyone involved. Reminded that for the month of February Prep children do not attend school on a Wednesday.



CSEF ELIGIBILITY

Below are the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

Criteria 1 – General eligibility

To be eligible for the fund, a parent or carer of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- on the first day of Term one
 - on the first day of Term two
- a) be a holder of one or more of the eligible financially-means tested cards **OR** be a temporary foster parent, and;
- b) submit an application to the school by the due date.

For the list of eligible financially-means tested cards refer to the CSEF Policy:

<https://www2.education.vic.gov.au/pal/camps-sports-and-excursions-fund/policy>

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with the above.

Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

Special Consideration

A special consideration category exists for

- Families on a bridging visa, temporary protection visa, in community detention or are asylum seeker families
- Students in temporary out of home care arrangements, including statutory kinship care

For more information, see <https://www2.education.vic.gov.au/pal/camps-sports-and-excursions-fund/guidance/eligibility>

Eligibility Date

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/carer concession card being validated successfully with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (30 January 2023) or term two (24 April 2023).

PAYMENT AMOUNTS

CSEF payment amount

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.

- Primary school student rate: \$125 per year.
- Secondary school student rate: \$225 per year.

The CSEF is paid directly to your child's school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For ungraded students, the rate payable is determined by the student's date of birth. For more information, see:

www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/Pages/csef.aspx

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents/carers so please register your interest at the school.

HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

1. Complete the PARENT/CARER DETAILS section.

Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.

If you are claiming as a temporary Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.

If you are seeking special consideration, mark this in the form and provide a copy of the relevant documentation.

2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office as soon as possible. The CSEF program for 2023 closes on the 23 June 2023.



CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM

School Name

School REF ID

Parent/carer details

Surname _____

First name _____

Address _____

Town/suburb _____ State _____ Postcode _____

Contact number _____

Centrelink pensioner concession **OR** Health care card number (CRN)

- - - **OR**

☐ Foster parent under a temporary care order* **OR** ☐ Veterans affairs pensioner (Gold Card)**

*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH).

**Applicants must provide a copy of the Veteran Affairs Gold card

Is this an application for special consideration (no CRN needed)? Yes ☐ No ☐

Student details

Student's surname	Student's first name	Student ID	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Year level

I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

- DFFH will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.
- this consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.
- I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DFFH and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.
- If I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.
- Information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the DFFH and /or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child's school.

Signature of applicant _____ Date ____/____/____



Welcome back to the 2023 season!!!!!!!

Registrations are now open for another fantastic year at Quarry Hill and we welcome all new and existing members to our family friendly club.

This year all registrations, payments and hoodie orders can be done online.

2022 Registration Fees

Under 9s and 10s \$120

Under 12s \$150

NB: A family discount of 10% applies for two or more family members

Quarry Hill Hoodies

Child Size Hoodies \$70

Adult Size Hoodies \$80

Please enter the name you would like on the back of the Hoodie in the text box provided

Registration Afternoon

We are having a registration afternoon on Friday the 24th of February from 3:30pm – 4.30pm at Ken Wust Oval Quarry Hill. We will have devices available to register if required and we will be able to answer any questions.

We will also be having a free boot swap so please bring along any old boots to swap for your current size. Most importantly the children can have a kick and a run around.

To register for the 2023 season please complete the online registration. Online registration is to be completed via Quarry Hill Junior Football Club's page at Play HQ, please find the link below (in the event this link doesn't work, just copy and paste it into your browser).

If you are a returning player please note this is a new system and should match your child's details allowing you to select your child's name providing all information is entered that reflects last year's information

All parents/guardians who will be assisting during the season must also be registered online as a volunteer/team manager or coach. The BJFL has a mandatory rule that all officials must be registered and this can be completed in conjunction with your child/s online registration. All volunteers are welcome

Below is the link to Quarry Hill Junior Football Club's SportsTG web page for online registration:

<https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/c23568>

We are still welcoming any committee members so please let us know if you are interested, it's a great friendly team who are committed to providing the kids a safe and fun place to play football. The workload isn't onerous and we would love some new faces helping out.

We don't want any barriers to prevent the kids from playing football so should any families need support with payment arrangements please do not hesitate to contact Justine confidentially on the below details.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact Leigh Martin on 0400 541 000 , or via email at leigh@martlec.com.au

We are looking forward to another great season in 2023.

GO DEES!

Quarry Hill Junior Football Committee





KELLY SPORTS **SIZZLING SUMMER SPORTS!**
LEARN NEW SPORTS IN TERM 1

Have heaps of fun with your friends while playing a range of dynamic and active sports throughout term 1.

FOR THE LOVE OF SPORTS
25 YEARS

BOOK ONLINE NOW AT
KELLYSPORTS.COM.AU

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

MULTI-SPORT PROGRAMME

Programmes run weekly on one day a week for one hour.

This term we will focus on the following sports:

- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Cricket
- ✓ AFL
- ✓ Netball
- ✓ Athletics

This weekly programme gives children skills and confidence in a fun and enjoyable environment. It also encourages their enthusiasm for sport and the life skills that such involvement brings – giving them confidence to join sports clubs and teams in the future.

For Prep – Grade 6 students.

\$144 FOR A 9 WEEK PROGRAM

Sign up anytime and only pay for the weeks remaining in the term. \$16 per weekly 60 minute session.

School: Quarry Hill Primary School

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Vision Statement

Quarry Hill Primary School students are empowered to be engaged learners. Our community fosters a culture of respect and belonging.

Values

1. Kind

- I understand that everyone is different
- I co-operate
- I respect myself, others and the environment
- I am community minded
- I belong



Kind

2. Curious

- I am a learner
- I seek knowledge
- I ask questions
- I explore and wonder
- I create



Curious

3. Brave

- I am honest
- I am independent
- I have high expectations
- I am resilient
- I am open to feedback



Brave