

From the Principal



End of Term Year Level assemblies

At the end of each term, we hold our Year Level assemblies where we celebrate the achievements of students. These assemblies are run by our Year Level House Captains with highlights of events for the term and celebrating positive behaviours and achievements. I have enjoyed

resuming these assemblies face to face with our students and acknowledging all the great things that have occurred this term. One highlight of assemblies was explaining the Teach the Teacher forum held recently. The Teach the Teacher forums are run by students and at our last sessions the focus was on strategies that help students know how they are progressing with their learning.

The students examined our student feedback data from our recent PIVOT surveys and workshopped the session focusing on assessment and feedback during class, giving examples of effective strategies. I would like to congratulate all students who presented and participated and Ella Price for leading this work on student agency at our school.



Harmony Day

We celebrated Harmony Day at school by encouraging students to wear a splash of orange. Harmony Day is an acknowledgement of the contributions of multicultural communities to Australian society. Orange is the colour chosen to represent Harmony Day, as traditionally, orange signifies social communication and meaningful conversations.

Our Wellbeing Team encouraged everyone to start a conversation that celebrates the amazing cultural diversity we have here at Auburn HS. They also

Important Dates

Thu 1 Apr	End of Term 1 School finishes at 1:15pm
Fri 2 Apr	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Mon 19 Apr	Term 2 begins
Thu 22 Apr	Information Evening for prospective 2022 families
Mon 26-Wed 28 Apr	Year 7 Camp
Tue 4 May	Senior Sport Day (SSV)
Sat 8 May	Edutest 11am
Tue 11 May	NAPLAN Reading
Wed 12 May	NAPLAN Writing
Thu 13 May	NAPLAN Language Conventions
Fri 14 May	NAPLAN Numeracy
Sat 15 May	AHS French Specialist Programs Entrance Examination 9:30am
Tue 18 May	Curriculum Day (pupil-free day)
Wed 19-Fri 21 May	Year 9 Camp
Wed 2 Jun	Year 8 Sport Day (SSV)
Wed 3-Thu 10 Jun	Years 10, 11, 12 mid-year exams
Tue 8 Jun	School Council (AGM) onsite 5:30pm
Wed 9 Jun	GAT - all Unit 3/4 VCE students 10am-1:15pm
Wed 9 Jun	eLearning Day for Year 7-10 students
Fri 11 Jun	Assessment and Report Day (student-free day)



 Like us on
Facebook

created a short video where our multilingual students and staff recorded themselves saying "Have a happy Harmony Day" for us to demonstrate the vast variety of languages spoken by our community. Thank you to Leah Rintoule, Student Wellbeing Coordinator, for all her work in organising this great event.



Parent Student Teacher conferences

We had very high participation in our parent, student, teacher conference sessions this term. We held two online sessions and have received positive feedback from staff and parents. The feedback regarded the online sessions running on schedule, with little wait time, and parents having more flexibility to attend and not disrupt their working day. Offering the sessions over two days also provided more available times and flexibility for families. We will be holding our next parent, student, teacher conferences in Term 3 in the same way.

As this is our last newsletter for the term, I would like to wish all families and staff a safe and relaxing break. School will finish at **1.15pm on Thursday 1st April** and we will be returning for Term 2 on **Monday 19th April**.

Maria Karvouni

Principal

Uniform Shop

All new uniform purchases to be made from Dobsons.

Dobsons store is located at:

667 Glenferrie Road
Hawthorn Victoria 3122

Their opening hours are:

Monday to Friday 8:30am – 5:30pm
Saturday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Online purchases can be made at:

http://dobsons.com.au/school_uniform.php

Use the Login : Auburn High School
Password: AUB

Important Dates

Mon 14 Jun	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Fri 25 Jun	End of Term 2 School finishes at 1:15pm
Mon 12 Jul	Term 3 begins
Tue 27 Jul	House music competition
Wed 28-Fri 30 Jul	Year 8 Camp
Tue 10 Aug	School Council (Webex)
Fri Aug 20	House Athletics Competition
Fri Sep 3	Year 7 Sport Day
Mon 6-Fri 10 Sep	School Production Week (tentative)
Tue 7 Sep	School Council (onsite) 5:30pm
Tue 14 Sep	Year 7 vaccinations
Fri 17 Sep	End of Term 3 School finishes at 1:15pm
Mon 4 Oct	Term 4 begins
Mon 1 Nov	eLearning Day
Tue 2 Nov	Public Holiday
Tue 9 Nov	School Council (Webex) 5:30pm
Tue 7 Dec	Orientation Day
Tue 7 Dec	School Council (onsite) 5:30pm
Fri 17 Dec	End of Term 4 School finishes at 1:15pm

Secondhand Uniforms

Secondhand uniforms are sold Monday after school 3:00 pm - 3:45pm and Thursday lunchtime from 1:15 pm - 1:45 pm. To check availability of stock you may email 2handuniform@auburnhs.vic.edu.au. Students only.

We are very happy to accept donations of uniforms as money raised will be put back into our school.

From the Assistant Principal

Winter uniform reminder

A reminder that from next term, all students are required to wear the Winter uniform. It might be a good idea to try on each of the uniform items over the holidays just in case you need to purchase any new pieces from Dobsons.

Our school Uniform Policy is written and endorsed by our School Council. The expectation is that every student wears their uniform correctly as it is a symbol of the high expectations held at Auburn High School. The vast majority of students wear their uniform perfectly every day and it really looks fantastic. It is also a way we show pride in our school and that we are a member of this unique and quite special community.

The Uniform Policy has recently been reviewed and some minor changes endorsed by School Council. A copy of the revised policy document is included in this newsletter for your reference, and is also available under Compass School Documentation and our website.

Building and grounds update

Stage 1 of our building project continues to progress on schedule, and our building team will be working throughout the holidays to install new heating/cooling ductwork in the ceilings, and to finish painting our stairwells and lecture theatre. Please note there will be no school access for students, parents or staff during the holidays to allow this work to progress uninterrupted. We thank all our wonderful students and staff for their patience and cooperation throughout the project, and look forward to the work being completed around June - just in time to try out our new heating for winter!



Our new balustrade fence has been installed in the Student Entry Courtyard and work on the section along the Canteen courtyard will be getting underway over the holidays. Along with the twenty new trees that have been planted, it's really looking lovely. We are very grateful for the generous financial support of our families who have been able to contribute to our Building Fund and Landscaping Fund – we would not be able to carry out these upgrades without you!

Instrumental Music

If your child is considering taking up instrumental music instruction, please contact the office to secure a place in our Term 2 program. Spaces are limited and filling quickly. Lessons available in a range of instruments including voice, guitar, brass, woodwind and percussion.

Wishing everyone a restful, safe and enjoyable holiday break!

Kristie Satilmis
Assistant Principal



INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC LESSONS

voice guitar keyboard drums
bass guitar brass woodwind

Rock Band, Concert Band, Soloists, Guitar Ensemble, Vocal Ensemble

SIGN UP NOW FOR INDIVIDUAL OR SMALL GROUP LESSONS

Contact the Office on 9822 3247 or auburn.hs@edumail.vic.gov.au

French Binational

La Francophonie a travers le monde

Junior Video Competition for Year 5/6 & Year 7/8 students

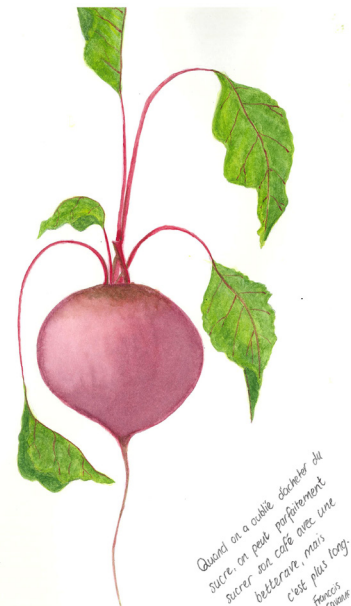
Congratulations to Amélie Crellin (8S) and Charlotte Thoraval (8S) for winning second prize in the Year 7/8 Bilingual Program category of the AFTV Francophonie video competition! Amélie and Charlotte produced a fun and well-researched video on the francophone country, Gabon, where they sang in raps! You can view their amazing video on the [AFTV website](#) and on our AHS Facebook page. Bravo les filles!



Francophonie Week AHS Creative Competition

Congratulations to Lucille Le Vu (8F), Isabel McKenzie-McHarg (7C), Kanya Sangria (7C), and Ms Nola Cefai for their beautiful drawings representing a French idiomatic expression in celebration of Francophonie Week! They each won some delicious French madeleines from *Le Pot de Moutarde*. Bravo mesdemoiselles!

Sophie Oldfield
French teacher



Sport

Go Football

Last weekend, two of our students, Morgane Morin (U17) and Alice Francou (U13), participated in the GO FOOTBALL pre-season 7v7 and 9v9 soccer tournament in Bendigo. We would like to congratulate both girls for their great efforts! Also, well done Alice and the Glen Eira Football Club's Under 13 team who won the Cup final! A fantastic weekend for the girls where their skills, team spirit and sportsmanship were demonstrated in a series of highly intense games.

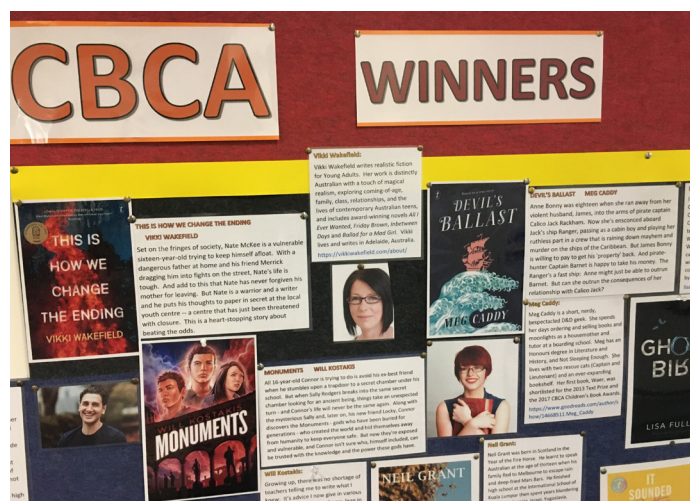


Library news

The library space is almost back to normal after preparing for building works over the course of the January holidays and dealing with minor flooding in part of the library. Furniture has been rearranged providing more wall space for displays. Currently, we have displays on Harmony and Diversity Week and the Children's Book Council of Australia winners of 2020.



Updates include a new Fuji Xerox copier and the choice of three designated spaces for study requiring technology, study without technology, and reading. During lunchtimes, students have the option of participating in five diverse clubs held in the library: the Written Word Book Club, Lego Club, French Grammar Club, Star Wars Club, and Knitting Club. The Written Word Book Club runs from 1:30pm to 2pm Fridays and provides an opportunity for students to discuss books, authors, genres, writing, book to film adaptations, and all things book-related. All students welcome to attend. Bring your favourite book and share what makes it special.





LEARN MORE ABOUT AUBURN HIGH FRENCH BINATIONAL AND FRENCH PARTIAL IMMERSION PROGRAMS AND THE APPLICATION PROCESS

Informative presentation given by our Principal and French Specialist Programs team, followed by a brief Q&A.

- **INFORMATION SESSION FOR CAMBERWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL**
@CPS – Tuesday 23rd March at 9am-9.45am
- **INFORMATION SESSION FOR CAUFIELD JUNIOR COLLEGE**
@CJC – Friday 26th March at 9am-9.45am
- **ONLINE SESSION VIA WEBEX: MONDAY 29TH MARCH AT 5PM**
Register at www.trybooking.com/BOXNO to receive the event link.

French Specialist program examination for prospective Grade 6 applicants will be held Saturday 15th May at 9.30am. Register at www.trybooking.com/BOTQF (closing May 11th).

Auburn High School

aefe
Agence pour l'enseignement français à l'étranger

THE ACADEMY SEAL OF ACCREDITED SCHOOLS

 @AuburnHigh

www.auburnhs.vic.edu.au or phone 9822 3247

AHS French Specialist Programs Entrance Examination for 2022

Students wishing to join either the French Binational Program OR the French Immersion Program in 2022 must sit the entrance examination in 2021.

Examination will take place on Saturday May 15th at 9.30 am at Auburn High.

The examination is conducted in French and aims to assess candidates in both oral / written comprehension and writing against the CEFR A2 junior level.

Registration on <https://www.trybooking.com/BOTQF>, closes on May 11th.



Outperforming the State in growth and achievement.



Auburn
High
School

aefe

Agence pour
l'enseignement français
à l'étranger



INFORMATION EVENING FOR PROSPECTIVE 2022 FAMILIES THURSDAY 22 APRIL

A-K Discovery tours from 5pm, Principal's Address 6pm

L-Z Discovery tours from 6pm, Principal's Address 6.30pm

SELECT ENTRY ACCELERATED LEARNING PROGRAM (SEAL)

SATURDAY 8 MAY Entrance Examination

To apply for our 2022 intake, register online by 30 April

FRENCH SPECIALIST PROGRAMS

SATURDAY 15 MAY Entrance Examination

To apply for our 2022 intake, register online by 11 May



@AuburnHigh

REGISTRATION ESSENTIAL. BOOKINGS NOW OPEN.
auburnhs.vic.edu.au or phone 9822 3247

Feature Artwork



Fred Goode 10A



UNIFORM POLICY

Enrolment into the School is dependent upon students and parents complying with this policy.

Any student wishing to seek exemption from/modification of the uniform is required to make written application to the School Council outlining the grounds of their request and any approved modifications must be purchased from the school uniform supplier.

SUMMER UNIFORM WORN IN TERM 1&4	WINTER UNIFORM WORN IN TERM 2&3
School blazer red with logo	School blazer red with logo
Summer dress worn with white AHS socks with colour trim, black tights not permitted	Winter skirt worn with black tights or black crew length socks
Charcoal grey school trousers or shorts	Charcoal grey school trousers or shorts
School jumper charcoal with logo	School jumper charcoal with logo
White shirt with school stripes (long or short sleeved) with logo	White shirt with school stripes (long or short sleeved) with logo
School tie	School tie
Black crew length socks with trousers	Black crew length socks with trousers
Grey marle school-issue socks with shorts	Grey marle school-issue socks with shorts
Black leather school shoes in traditional/ classic style	Black leather school shoes in traditional/ classic style
Auburn High School backpack	Auburn High School backpack

SPORTS UNIFORM

Red AHS sports top with school logo
Black shorts with school logo
Black school track pants
Non-marking runners
AHS spray jacket (to be worn to PE and inter-school sports only, or if cycling to/ from school)
AHS rugby top (to be worn to PE and inter-school sports only)

APPLICATION

All students must wear the AHS uniform. The uniform is unique to the school and must be purchased through the school nominated uniform supplier or the onsite second-hand uniform shop. Sporting garments from other stores are not permitted to be worn. Students are permitted to wear the Hijab or head scarf in the school colour of red or white. Sports uniform is allowed to be worn on the way home if students have PE/sport during the last session of the day.

It is expected that all **students wear the blazer to and from school** and have it with them for period 1 & 2. The school spray jacket may be worn over the top of the blazer to/from school in inclement weather or if cycling to/ from school, but must be taken off upon arrival and the blazer worn into the school building.

Students are not required to wear the blazer on the way home from school if the temperature is above 30 degrees Celsius, however, it must be worn to school in the morning.

Shirts long and short sleeved must be worn with a tie.

The winter skirt, trousers and shorts must be worn with the shirt and tie.

In extreme heat, the tie may be removed on arrival to school. Students will be notified on the day.

A plain black hat may be worn outdoors in summer.

The summer dress is not permitted to be worn during terms 2 and 3.

Students may carry an umbrella in case of wet weather.

A plain black scarf is allowed in winter.

GENERAL APPEARANCE

It should be noted that students' general appearance, including hairstyle and jewellery, should be appropriate to the school environment and comply with Occupational Health and Safety requirements. Extremes in a student's appearance which contravene this policy are unacceptable. The determination on these matters will be at the discretion of the Administration with students expected to comply with the following guidelines:

- Piercings are to be limited to two small ear piercings
- No other visible jewellery
- No facial piercings
- Hair colour must be close to the students' natural hair colour and no extreme hairstyles allowed
- Facial hair must be neatly groomed
- Long hair (beyond shoulder length) is to be tied back at all times
- Any makeup must be minimal
- Clear nail polish only
- Length of dress and skirt is to be just above the knee
- Shorts to be school issued shorts and of appropriate length
- No visible tattoos

BREACHES OF THE UNIFORM POLICY

Student Responsibilities

Students who are out of uniform will receive a school-based sanction. It is important to note that the school reserves the right to suspend students who are persistently in breach of the uniform policy, or refuse to abide by the staged sanction approach that we put in place. Students who are continually out of uniform or in inappropriate attire, will be sent home to change. Parents will be notified when this occurs.

Parent/ Guardian Responsibilities

- Please ensure your child has the correct uniform from the first day, including school shoes.
- Please ensure your child leaves home wearing the uniform correctly, eg. Black leather school shoes, correct socks, blazer etc.
- In some cases, students may spend time between the homes of both parents. Please ensure that the school uniform is packed including school shoes if this occurs on weekends.
- If you are experiencing financial hardship re purchasing items of uniform, please contact the Student Wellbeing Coordinator on 9822 3247.

Teacher Responsibilities

- All teachers are expected to actively support School Council's policy on the wearing of the uniform and comply with the implementation of the policy.
- All Tutor Group teachers are required to put any transgressions on Compass.

The *Auburn High School Uniform Policy* is available on the school website and Compass. All students need to follow these school guidelines and regulations.

School Council Endorsed

This policy was endorsed by School Council in March 2021

Camps, Sports and Excursions Funding (CSEF)

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the cost of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid Health Care Card with Centrelink, you may be eligible for CSEF.

Please complete the attached form and return to the Office: <http://www.education.vic.gov.au/Documents/about/programs/health/csefapplicationform.pdf>.

We will need to copy your Health Care Card, so please bring it with you.

Further information is available from the following website: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef.

If you applied for the CSEF at AHS in 2020, you do not need to complete an application form for 2021 unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

Applications close 25th June, 2021.

Joanne Hayes
Business Manager



AUBURN HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL ACADEMY

PRESENTED BY CHASE BASKETBALL

ABOUT

Auburn High School in collaboration with Chase Basketball are excited to announce the 2021 launch of the Auburn High School Basketball Academy.

The Auburn High School Basketball Academy is available to interested Auburn High School students from Year 7-12 in 2021. This fee-for-service based program works in conjunction with the Auburn High School extra-curricular program and allows students to earn points toward their Extra-curricular Sport Badge. The Auburn High School Basketball Academy offers mentoring, health and wellbeing components that ensures a rounded and comprehensive sporting pursuits. Participation in the academy will be an important feature of a student's academic journey and will develop pathways, healthy lifestyle habits and friendships that last a lifetime.

Auburn High School Basketball Academy coaches work with athletes to develop a basic skill set that prioritises not only a high basketball IQ but sportsmanship, teamwork, discipline and a strong work ethic. Time management and dedication to goal setting and achievement help develop the foundations for future sporting and academic pursuits.

Annual Fee:

\$1560 (includes tuition, kit and admin. fees)

\$1470 for returning enrolments

For more information:

Email janet@chasebasketball.com.au or contact the school office staff

If you would like to participate in the 2021 Auburn High School Basketball Academy, please return your completed academy registration form. Ask at the office for more info.

We look forward to working with you on your basketball game!



Homestay Hosts Wanted



Local cultural exchange opportunities

Auburn High School has a growing and well supported International Student Program. Homestay hosts of all language backgrounds welcome!

The ideal hosts will be families who want to support our international students by helping them to improve their English, engage them with our Australian culture and treat them as part of their extended families. Hosting international students can bring a rich cross-cultural experience and opportunity for families. Many local families already on board with Auburn High School Homestay Program, over the years have enjoyed and benefited from the diverse cultural and language exchange experience.

If you have a spare room and are willing to take care of a young international student, please contact the International Office (03) 9804 6320 or email International Student Coordinator zhang.jinxin.j@education.vic.gov.au for details of tax-free remuneration and your role as homestay host.

HOMework CENTRE



Do you need some extra assistance with classwork?

A quiet place to do your homework?

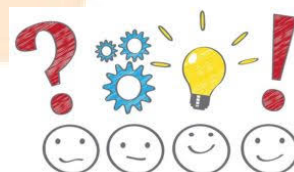
All year levels are encouraged to attend

EVERY TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON



3:10 – 4:10 pm

IN THE LIBRARY



Second-hand Textbook Trading

Parents have the ability to trade second-hand items such as textbooks via the Sustainable School Shop website.

www.sustainableschoolshop.com.au

The link is also accessible via Favourites on Compass. Results from other schools have been excellent - families have enjoyed a very comprehensive and convenient method of buying and selling second-hand items.

The new service is very accessible, it preferences our school first and then provides access to buy and sell items with families attending other schools - many schools use this service so this provides a good range. Access to second-hand textbooks, calculators, stationery, musical equipment, etc is available all year.

- The service does not include uniform. We have an on-site second-hand uniform shop here at school.

For the best results:

- Register on the Sustainable School Shop website
- List your items for sale
- List wanted ads for those items you are looking to buy
- The school's booklists are loaded into the system to make listing ads easy
- The system matches the ads of buyers with sellers and notifies the buyer via email
- Buyers contact sellers and arrange where and when to trade
- Most trading will occur with other parents from our school
- Parents are well supported via Sustainable School Shop's telephone (0438 743 444) and email help lines
- The system is simple and easy to use - If you don't have a computer, internet access or an email address, please call the Sustainable School Shop for assistance
- **You can pre-arrange the transaction and then trade after the texts are not required.**

Families are offered three levels of access:

- Search only - registering/logging-in on the Sustainable School Shop, searching all the 'for sale' ads and gaining the sellers' contact details is free.
- Single items cost \$1.50 to be advertised
- Subscription - an annual subscription costs \$21.95 and is the most anyone will pay. These are taken by families who have many items to advertise.

We hope you will make the most of this opportunity and gain the benefit from recycling your student's school items whilst helping another family within our school community.

Of course, donations of second-hand items such as textbooks, uniform items and (school) laptops are always welcome. Just drop these in at the office, with our thanks.

Buy and Sell

Second-hand **Textbooks**



Simply

- Register on the Sustainable School Shop website
- www.sustainableschoolshop.com.au

Second-hand textbook trading system

- List Wanted & For Sale Ads (Browsers tell each other what they require and what they have to sell).
- The school's booklists are loaded into the system to make the Ad listing process easy, fast and accurate.
- Our Ad Matching service shows you
 - Exactly the right items to buy
 - Who has the most items you need
 - The cheapest items
- Assistance is provided to accurately price items.
- Buyers contact Sellers, and arrange where and when to transact.
- Excellent email and telephone helplines are provided:
0438 743 444

Cost

- Browse and search the for sale ads for free
- Single items can be advertised for \$1.50
- Annual subscriptions \$21.95 (includes Ad Matching)

Also Buy & Sell

- Calculators
- Sporting items
- Musical items
- Electronics & DVD's
- Stationery

Pricing Guide

- | | |
|-------------|-----|
| • Like New | 70% |
| • Excellent | 60% |
| • Very Good | 50% |
| • Good | 40% |

www.sustainableschoolshop.com.au

ABN 55 114 136 211

Helpful tips

- Be patient. Many new items are listed each day
- Listing Wanted and For Sale Ads gets results
- Our unique Ad Matching Service shows you who to transact with, and will save you lots of time
- Be realistic when pricing items
- Telephoning sellers provides a quicker response as many people do not regularly check their emails
- Pre-arrange who to transact with if your items are still being used and write the availability date in your Ad
- Respect other browsers and remember to delist your ad promptly when no longer needed
- Parents/guardians (rather than students) should meet somewhere convenient to transact, don't make special trips and just fit it in to your normal activities

Canteen Menu

Auburn High School

Please tell our friendly staff if you have any dietary requirements

Place Lunch Orders in by recess

Fresh Wraps & Sandwiches

Range between \$4.50 – \$6.50

Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo
Salad
Egg & Lettuce
Ham, Cheese & Tomato
Ham & Salad
Chicken, Avocado & Cheese
Ham & Cheese

Fresh Fruit

Fresh Fruit in Season \$1.00
Fresh Fruit Salad \$4.00
Muesli Cup with Yoghurt \$3.00

Muffins & Slices

Muffins \$4.00
Slices \$3.50
Banana Bread Slice \$3.00

Ice Creams & Icy Poles

Calippos sml \$1.50 lge \$2.50
Paddle Pop Shaky Shake \$3.50
Icy Twist \$1.50
Streets Vanilla Cup \$1.50
Frozen Apple Cup \$1.00
Zoooper Dooper \$1.00

Drinks

Up & Go \$2.50
Daily Orange Juice \$4.00
Mineral Water \$4.00
Mount Franklin Water \$3.00
Big M sml \$2.50 lge \$4.00

Hot Finger Food

Steamed Dims Sims \$1.00
Spring Rolls \$0.50
Nuggets \$0.50
Hash Brown \$1.50
Chicken Tenders \$1.50
Corn Jacks \$2.00
Pastizzis \$2.00
Homemade Sausage Rolls \$2.00
Pizza Subs \$4.00
Wedges \$4.00
Nachos \$4.00

Hot Food

Egg, Bacon & Hashbrown Wraps \$4.50
Sweet Chilli Chicken Tenders Wraps \$4.50
Chicken Burger \$5.00
Jacket Potatoes \$6.00
Chicken Parma Roll \$6.00
Hamburger \$6.00
Veggie Burgers \$5.00

Meals

Fish & Wedges \$6.00
Daily Hot Meal Options \$6.00
- Penne Carbonara
- Vegetarian Noodles
- Butter Chicken with Rice
- Penne Bolognese
- Scallop Potatoes
- Fried Rice
- Beef Lasagne
- Tandoori Chicken with Rice

