



NEWSLETTER No. 14

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Friday 21st May 2021

Our Vision Statement: 754 Primary School will maximise opportunities for its students to be resilient learners in an ever changing world.

The Values of 754 revolve around: Resilience, Responsibility and Respect. Our whole school approach of School Wide Positive Behaviour Support, is the Framework to support these values.

May:

Mon 24th: Teaching Staff PD Day
****NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS****

June:

Fri 25th: Last day Term 2

July:

Mon 12th: First day Term 3

754 Community Playgroup:

Every Thursday 9.00am - 10.30am

Breakfast Club:

Every Monday and Thursday 8.15am - 8.45am



School Start Time 8:50am - School Finish Time 3:15pm



Principal's Message

Week 5 Term 2



I hope that everyone is rugging up at the moment as winter is nearing. Just a reminder that the Progress Reports will be going live this afternoon on Compass. This is the first year we have introduced this process and the purpose is to keep all parents informed of their child's academic progress on a more regular basis. Please contact the classroom teacher if you have any questions regarding the reports.

Every now and then we are contacted by parents to inform us of social media issues that arise at home that potentially could be brought into the school. I encourage all parents to closely monitor your child's online activity and be aware that most online social networks are restricted to people that are **13 years and above**. If you would like further information and resources, these can be found at: <https://www.esafety.gov.au> reading at home clipart

Reading at home is a very **important** part of a child's development. It creates a connection between the **home** and school and allows students the opportunity to practice new **reading** skills such as fluency and comprehension. If you need assistance with choosing books for your child then please don't hesitate to contact the classroom teacher.



We held our School Council meeting last night and it was fantastic to have our student leaders in attendance. They reported on the Behaviour Triangle and were able to provide feedback on how it has been working at school. The consistent message was that it has been providing students with a clear and transparent picture of how they are behaving. The Triangle is a major component of our School Wide Positive Behaviour approach at 754 and it is great to see so many students being acknowledged for their amazing effort.

Simon Blake
Principal



There is **never** an occasion when violence is an acceptable behaviour.

754 Community Playgroup:

Our **FREE** 754 Community Playgroup will recommence on Thursday 29th April and will run every Thursday during school terms from 9.00am - 10.30am in our Library. Fruit will be provided for the children as well as tea and coffee for parents. The Playgroup is open to all members of the Bairnsdale community. Please call the school on 5152 4395 if you require further information.



Drop Off and Pick Up:

Just a brief reminder to parents - please do not use the bus zone in McCulloch Street to drop off or pick up your children. We are still seeing parents parking in the bus zone dropping children off in the morning, please be aware that it is a fineable offence to park within the yellow line from 8.00am - 4.00pm. This is for the safety of all our bus travelling students.

Collecting Children:

If you need to collect your children from school for appointments etc. please come to the office and we will call the classroom and have your child sent over. Although parents/carers are allowed back onsite we are still not able to have parents entering the classroom without an appointment. Thank you.

Playground Boat - Free:

Over the next few months we are invigorating some areas of our playground. We would like to be able to rehome the fiberglass boat that is in the junior school playground. If you would like to take the boat please call the school to arrange a time to pop in and have a look.

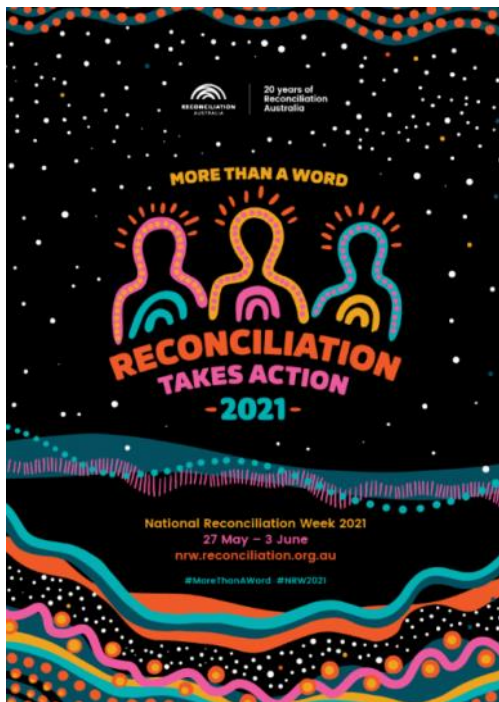


Footy Colours Day:

On Friday 4th June we will be holding a Footy Colours Day at school. Students can wear their favourite footy colours (any code) on the day.

A footy Colours special lunch order form was sent home with all students yesterday, All orders need to be placed by Friday 28th May. Due to ordering purposes late orders cannot be accepted.

Lunch orders will consist of 1 hotdog, a juice box and a small packet chips for \$6.00 The canteen will only be serving Footy Colours lunch orders on Friday 4th June (no other lunch orders will be taken). If you have misplaced a your order form there is one further down in the newsletter.



Reconciliation Week:

In recognition of the upcoming Reconciliation Week from May 27th - June 3rd we will be having a special guest by the name of Kaylene Williamson speak at our assembly on Monday 31st May. We look forward to hearing from Kaylene and what 'Reconciliation' means to her.



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**** Student of the Week Awards ****

Prep A:

1/2 A:

1/2 B:

1/2 C:

3/4 A:

3/4 B:

No Awards This Week - No School On Monday 24th May

3/4 C:

5/6 A:

5/6 B:

5/6 C:



**Canteen is open for lunch orders on
Tuesday to Friday.**

Orders need to be in by 9.15am

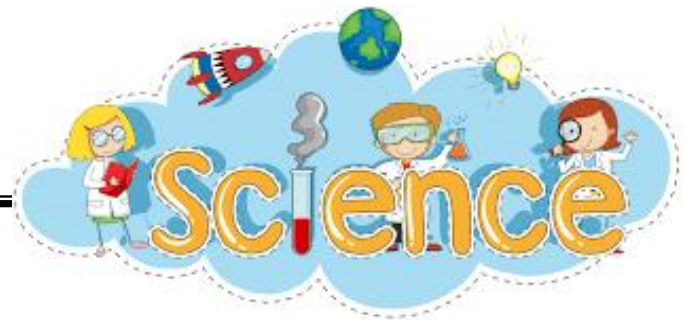
Snacks are available from the canteen during first break,
prices start at \$1.00



**** Specialist Class - Star of the Week ****



No Awards This Week - No School On Monday 24th May



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754 Science Fair Poster Competition

This is an invitation to all 754 students interested in creating to design a

754 Science Fair Poster

The poster will be used to promote our Science Fair to our own school community and to send to other schools to invite them along.

Competition Rules:

- Your finished poster should be A3 size and include words and pictures.
- You can use any medium or approach for your design, for example pencils, ~~textas~~, paints, photographs, cartoons, digital art, words, collage - anything you can do.
- **Your poster must include the following information:**
 - 754 Science Fair
 - Celebrating National Science Week
 - Tuesday 17th August 2021
 - 5pm-7pm in the 754 School Hall
- **Your poster must also include pictures about Science.**
- You can enter as an individual or as a team of students.
- Each student can only submit one individual entry or be part of one team entry.

Just to clear up this rule...

Your work must be your work – no adult help is allowed.

The purpose of this rule is to stop adults from doing the poster for the child.

However, we do want you to: encourage your child, help brainstorm, help draft sentences for them to copy, help with ideas for Science pictures, help research ideas, or generally suggest ways to make their work look awesome. Also please help your child make sure they have all the right and correctly spelt information as described in the rules....

NEW DEADLINE is TUESDAY THE 25TH MAY –

This is because Monday May 24th is a student free day.

- You must deliver your entry to the school office and then fill out a Science Fair Poster Competition Entry Form (available at the office once you submit your entry).

How the competition will work:

- After the deadline, the Shortlisting Panel will meet to decide on three finalists.
- Shortlisting Panel members: Mrs Padula, Miss Backman, Mrs Hawtin, Mrs Clarke, Miss Bell
- The three finalists' posters will be shown to all 754 students in Science Class and each student will vote for their favourite. 754 staff members also have a vote each.
- Votes will be counted by Mrs Padula and Mrs Counsell.
- The poster with the most votes will be the winner.
- In the event of a draw, the Shortlisting panel will decide the winner.

Prizes:

The winner/s will be announced in the School Newsletter and at School Assembly. The winning artist/s will receive a certificate and a Science Kit of their choice to the value of \$75. The two runners up finalists will receive a Science book each to the value of \$20 each. If the winning artwork is a team effort, team members share their prize as a team.

This Week in the Art Room....



Bairnsdale Primary School - 754

324 Main Street, Bairnsdale

Commencing Thurs 29th April 2021

Playgroup

9.00am - 10.30am

Thursday Mornings in the Library



LEARNING THROUGH PLAY

- ✓ Socialise
- ✓ Think creatively
- ✓ Practise real world skills
- ✓ Create positive attitudes towards learning
- ✓ Overcome barriers

Everybody Welcome
Open for kids from birth to
pre-school

Parents, Grandparents, Aunties, Uncles
and Family Friends all Welcome.
Tea/Coffee and Fruit Snacks Provided



Friday 4th June is footy colours day at Bairnsdale Primary School.

Students can wear their favourite footy colours (any code) for a special lunch day.

Lunch will consist of a hot dog in a roll with tomato sauce, juice box and a small packet of chips for a cost of \$6.00 each.

Orders must be placed no later than Friday 28th May. Due to ordering purposes late orders cannot be accepted.

Please note the canteen will only be serving Footy Colours Lunch on Friday 4th June.



Footy Colours Lunch Order - \$6.00

Name: _____

Class: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____

Please return this order and payment to your classroom teacher.



1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching Program

Free ONLINE program for parents of children aged 2 to 12 years

Tired of yelling and nagging?

Resolve difficult behaviour in children aged 2 to 12.

In 5 sessions parents will learn:

- How to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking;
- How to handle challenging behaviours;
- How to use emotion coaching to encourage good behaviour;
- Strategies for encouraging good behaviour;
- How to sort behaviours and choose correct strategies using "The 3 Choices Model".

We'll also work on strategies so you can:

- Strengthen your relationship with your child;
- Strengthen your child's emotional resilience.

Parents will receive:

- **A FREE workbook (valued at \$12) to apply the concepts learnt**
- **A Certificate of Completion**

*Do this highly sought after parenting program
FROM THE COMFORT OF YOUR OWN HOME
-Hurry! Places are limited-*

Where?

Live online delivery
(Please contact for details)

When?

12:00pm – 2:30pm for
5 x Thursdays, starting on
May 27th, 2021

Cost?

FREE

Get in touch

Bookings are essential!

Please contact:

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2021 Canteen Menu



Meals

Drinks & Snacks

Beef Lasagne	\$6 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Bolognese sauce with hidden vegetables and béchamel sauce</i>		
Fried Rice	\$5 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Rice with ham, onion, peas and carrot fried with soy sauce</i>		
Pizza	\$4 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Wholemeal base with your choice of ham, cheese and pineapple</i>		
Salad Sandwich or Wraps	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
with Ham	\$4 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Lettuce, tomato, cheese, beetroot and cucumber on wholemeal bread/wrap</i>		
Sausage Rolls	\$3 ⁻⁵⁰	
Large Sausage Roll		
(Please ask for sauce)		
Chicken Burger	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Chicken burger, cheese, lettuce and mayonnaise</i>		
Nachos	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Corn chips with tomato salsa and cheese</i>		
Toasted Sandwich	\$3 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Your choice of ham, cheese and tomato</i>		
Steamed Dim Sims (ea)	\$1 ⁻⁵⁰	
(Please ask for soy sauce)		
Party Pies	\$1 ⁻⁵⁰	
Party Pasties	\$1 ⁻⁵⁰	
(Please ask for sauce)		
Meat Pies	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
(Please ask for sauce)		

Flavoured Milks	\$2 ⁻⁵⁰	
Chocolate or Strawberry		
Juice Box	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Apple, Orange or Tropical</i>		
Pop Corn	\$1 ⁻⁰⁰	
Fruit Muffins	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Berries with bran and low sugar</i>		
Yoghurt	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>No sugar, low fat</i>		
Fresh Fruit	\$1 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Apple or orange</i>		
Frozen Crunchas	\$1 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Orange or Cola. Made in Australia from fruit concentrate</i>		
Ice Cream in a Cone	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
Chocolate or Vanilla - single serve only		

Foods marked green are healthy food choices. This is guilt-free canteen food, which is low in sugar, salt and fat.

Foods marked amber are foods that should only be eaten in moderation as part of a healthier diet. These foods contain significant levels of salt, sugar and/or fat.

The canteen is endeavouring to improve the quality of food available to students. We are reducing the number of unhealthy manufactured goods. This inevitably increases the labour and time involved in making healthier options.

Volunteer help would be greatly appreciated if parents/caregivers have some time to spare. Even an hour a week we be of help. Please see the School Office or Devon in the Canteen for more details.

Paper Bags (if not provided) - Please add 20c




















Write the lunch order on a clean brown paper bag and remember to include your Child's name and Class. Lunch orders are placed in the basket in the classroom before 9.00am. Late orders may not be accepted.

Remember the Canteen is only open from Tuesday - Friday.

Bairnsdale Primary School (754)

Matrix - SWPBS Expectations

We all come to school to learn!	RESPECT	RESPONSIBLE	RESILIENT
CLASSROOM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use excellent manners Be organized Listen to instructions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Always make positive choices Own your own behaviour Be at line up on time 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be sensible Be brave and persevere Always have a go and try your best Accept the consequences of your behaviours 
CORRIDOR MOVING AROUND THE SCHOOL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walk safely and quietly Close doors gently Know personal space 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Go straight to your destination Wait quietly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wait your turn Be a role model Respond appropriately 
PLAYGROUND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use common sense Own your own behaviour Respect others personal space and property 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enjoy sensible and fair play Plan your play time Pack away equipment Always include others 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solve your own problems Apply common sense Adapt when things don't go your way 
BUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use excellent manners Show a positive attitude Keep the bus clean 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seat belt on Quiet voice Stay seated Own your own behaviour 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Try to solve your own problems Ask for help 
TOILETS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wait your turn Respect others privacy Keep toilets tidy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use the toilets during break times Wash and dry hands Use toilet and sink correctly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solve your own problems Ask for help 
ASSEMBLY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Always clap for achievements Sit look and listen Use excellent manners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep hands feet and objects to yourself 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be pleased for others 