

NEWSLETTER

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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.

August

Tue 14th: ICAS Maths

Fri 17th: Whole School Athletics

Mon 20th: Book Character Dress Up Day

Tue 28th: Somers Camp (28th Aug - 5th Sept)

Thur 30th: District Athletics

Breakfast Club: Run by the Salvation Army
Monday and Thursday 8.15am - 8.45am

September

Thur 6th: School Disco

Wed 12th: Numeracy Night

Thur 20th: Parent Teacher Interviews
4.00 - 8.00pm

Fri 21st: Parent Teacher Interviews
8.30am - 1.00pm

754 Community Playgroup:
Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

Week 4 Term 3

Hello everyone,

Yesterday we had a wonderful performance from De LA Salle College in Melbourne who happened to be camping on the Banksia Peninsular. They contacted me last term and were keen to come play for us. Your children were very engaged and it was a different way to spend a Tuesday afternoon. We hope they can come back in the future. A big thank you to the staff and students of De La Salle College.

2018
ICAS

Yesterday some of our students from grade 2 to grade 6 sat the University of New South Wales English test. Mr Jeans who conducted the testing in the Library said the students worked hard in the time allowed to complete it and they should all be congratulated on their efforts. Next week the Maths test will be completed Tuesday 14 of August and I would like to wish the students all the best for that assessment.

Next Friday, the 17th of August we will be holding the annual school athletics carnival at Howitt Park. This will include all students, with the Junior School having their own events. The day will consist of 8 athletics events that students will rotate through in a tabloid sports structure. It will be very busy and I am asking parents to remember to pack a drink bottle so students have access water whenever they wish, extra fruit/snacks to eat as they move around the different activities and warm clothes as the weather might be a little cool. We hope to see as many parents and grandparents as possible on the day to support their children.



STOP
BULLYING

Constable Toni Redshaw will be visiting our school on Monday 20th of August to speak to our grade 6 students about bullying. Toni works for the Victorian Police and has a deep knowledge of cyber bullying as well as physical and mental bullying. She will be able to give some insights to the students about the reasons for bullying and the results of it.

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

Following on from Ms Nagle last week with her "Something to Ponder" statement, I have this to ponder. Michael Grose has an online parental advice site, which is very good. One of Michaels mantras is that "Parents and teachers need to make themselves redundant". Meaning we need to try to work ourselves out of being parents and teachers so that our children and students rely less and less on us. I realise that teachers have a finite time with their students, being only one year but parents must also build their children's capacity to manage by themselves. What are you doing to build this capacity in your child?



Yours Sincerely
Warwick Fraser
Assistant Principal

School Absences:

Parents/Carers, please remember to call the school by 9.00am if your child/children are going to be absent this will enable us to mark them accordingly on the roll and save you a phone call from our attendance officer.

New Canteen Menu Term 3:

A new canteen menu has started this term. The new menu is attached to the newsletter as some of the prices have increased.

Jeans for Genes Day:

Thank you to all the students and staff that contributed to Jeans for Genes Day, we raised a total of \$516.00



Somers Camp:

This year Somers Camp runs from Tuesday 28th August to 5th September. Please remember to finalise payment by Friday 24th August. Please contact the office if you are unsure of your balance.

Woolworths Junior Blaster (was Milo Cricket) 5-8 year olds:

Junior Blasters is for kids learning the basic skills of cricket with participants building their skills through fun, game based activities. The activities are designed for small groups to ensure every child gets a go, allowing them to test and learn new skills. Register online at www.playcricket.com.au and search for Meerlieu Cricket Club.



Should kids under the age of thirteen be able to use Facebook?

Think about it... for children it looks like a normal, world-wide and fun social media platform. Facebook seems to lure children with fun games and followers. To me it seems like a thoughtful trap for underage children.

Firstly, the app Facebook was solely intended to be a child-free app for adults. With other social media apps skyrocketing with users all over the world, Facebook had to have updates to gain more users. However, these updates made it exciting with games, and as a child myself, I've realised that games are very luring. Therefore kids want to become users.

Secondly, people that join often find themselves unknowingly giving out personal information by wearing work clothes or school uniform. People who acquire knowledge about you can use it, to find you, to hurt you, to sell it, and to pretend to be your friend with a smiley face.

Thirdly, unfortunately the world is not just full of friendly people. There is an unreasonable amount of false profiles, some pretending to be older, some to be younger. Some profiles don't post anything because they're too busy looking at other profiles, playing games or they don't and won't post because it's a fake account.

Finally, false marketing is also a massive issue because of how of much you can lie online. Of course you can lie to give someone something, get the money then say "Sorry, already sold it." Then you are officially called 'scammed'. But sometimes it's the other way around, because you could grab the item, not pay the original owner and leave.

As you can see: Kids under the age of thirteen should not be using the app Facebook. To kids it looks like fun, but behind the curtains are dangerous things. **By Abbey Rentsch 5/6D**

Grade Five/Six News

SHOCK REPORT!

**Unknown student buys
four fizzy drinks for dinner!**

On a brisk Monday morning at the end of July, eighty three enthusiastic people from 754 Primary School boarded an empty train to travel halfway across the state to a remote town known as Sovereign Hill.

Worldwide pretend pony galloping craze takes over!



Town of Sovereign Hill in action.

Did You Know?

Sovereign Hill is a Gold Rush town that was started in the 1850s?

Celebrity spotting-

Do you know this Girl?



NEW SWPBS BEHAVIOUR MANAGEMENT SYSTEM INTRODUCED.



Rising Stars

Nine persistent students including Frida Moser and Hayden Cooper win the Pizza Lunch Award for hard earned efforts at winning the 'Melbourne Walk Treasure Hunt'.

News Just In!

Mr Hathaway cringes at "3.2.1.Shhhhh!"



McToken Shop



Boarding the Train at 6 am.



Did you know that kids can come and see our Dentists?



Child 0-12 years:

\$0 with health care card or pensioner card

\$33 without health care card or pensioner card

Youth 13-17 years:

\$0 with health care card or pensioner card

The Child Dental Benefits Schedule

The CDBS provides individual benefits for a range of services including examinations, x-rays, cleaning, fissure sealing, fillings, root canals and extractions. Benefits are not available for orthodontic or cosmetic dental work and cannot be paid for any services provided in a hospital.

Eligible children will have access to a benefit cap of \$1,000 over a two calendar year period.

To be eligible a child must be aged between 2-17 years and their family must receive Family Tax Benefit Part A or a relevant Australian Government payment.

Families can check whether their child is eligible for the CDBS by contacting the Department of Human Services.



Student Awards

Prep A: Akaash Nair Umapathi for showing great resilience at school after having a broken leg.

1 / 2 A: Aiden Curtis Well done on your efforts in maths this week. You have really worked hard, even when the work didn't make sense to you. You showed a high level of resilience.

1 / 2 B: Connor Wright for being so resilient at the grade 2 sleep over. During part of the night Connor wasn't keen on staying but he overcame this problem and stayed the night! Super proud of you Connor.

1/2 C: Navaeh Hayes for showing great resilience when participating in the Grade 2 sleepover Well done Navaeh.

3/4 A: Amy Jewitt for being a super resilient person.

3/4 B: Tyler Schlitz for being resilient in class.

3/4 C: Elizabeth Hall for growing in confidence everyday, she isn't afraid to answer questions on the mat and has a positive attitude to her learning.

5/6 A: Boyde Bloomfield for showing resilience at 5/6 Sovereign Hill Camp! You had a fantastic camp as you stepped up to challenges and were flexible. It was great to see you independently exploring Sovereign Hill and continually building your social skills, such as when travelling on public transport with others and navigating Melbourne.

5/6 B: Kodi O'Toole for being a resilient student at Sovereign Hill. You showed interest in all activities, kept your belongings tidy and had a shower. After walking 20km around the city, Kodi injured his wrist. He was very brave for the remainder of the day.

5/6 C:

5/6 D: Milli Carter for having a problem solving approach at camp and trying new ideas.

Canteen News



Canteen Closed on Mondays

Slushies are now available at the canteen.

Volunteers welcome from 9:30am to 10:50am

If interested please see Dan at the canteen or leave your name and number with the office staff.

Please check the menu for new pricing.



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READY. SET. GO!



BAIRNSDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL'S

FREE SCHOOL READY PROGRAM



Best preparing your child for school

- Free of charge
- Every Friday in term 4
- Full day 9.15am to 2.30pm
- Qualified teacher in charge
- Focus on learning



REGISTER TODAY ☎ 5152-4395

Contact Bairnsdale Primary School:

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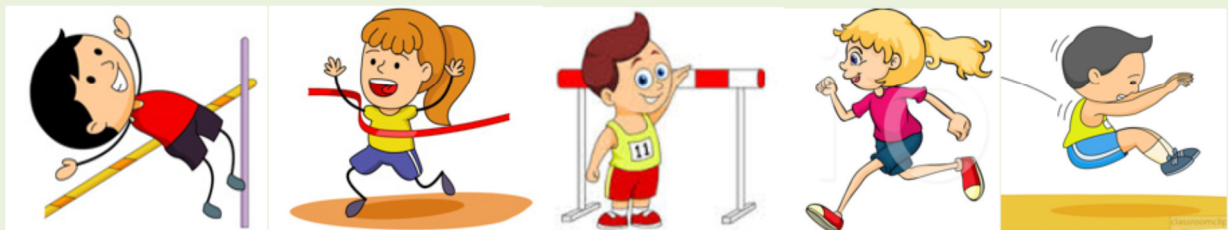


Beanies for sale



\$4.00 each

Whole School Athletics



Friday 17th August

754 Community Playgroup

Come along and have some fun playing together with your child (aged 0 – 5).



Playgroup will take place every Thursday in the Bairnsdale Primary School Hall.

It is free of charge.

Fruit will be provided

Tell your friends, all welcome.

Hope to see you there!

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL
ON 5152-4395 OR CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK!**



Canteen Menu

Open Tuesday to Friday only

Lunch orders must be placed by 9.00am - no late orders please

Hot Food

Steamed Dim Sim	\$1.50 ea
Chicken Strip	\$1.50 ea
Party Pie	\$1.50 ea
Large Sausage Roll.....	\$3.50
Traveller Pie.....	\$4.00
Hot Dog	\$4.00
Chicken Roll with Gravy	\$4.50
Nachos	\$4.00

(Please ask for Sauce)

Pizzas

Ham & Cheese.....	\$4.00
Ham, cheese & Pineapple.....	\$4.00

Burgers /Toasties

Chicken burger (lettuce, cheese, mayo & 2 chicken strips).....	\$3.50
Ham and Cheese Toastie.....	\$3.00

Drinks

Juice

(orange, apple or tropical)	\$1.50
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Flavoured milk

(choc or strawberry).....	\$2.50
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*NO HEATING OF FOOD BROUGHT FROM
HOME, DUE TO "HEALTH REGULATIONS"*

** Add 20c if you don't have your own
paper bag*

Sandwiches

Vegemite.....	\$2.00
Cheese.....	\$2.00
Ham.....	\$2.00
Ham & Cheese.....	\$2.50
Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo.....	\$3.50
Salad Sandwich.....	\$3.00
<i>(cheese, lettuce, tomato, beetroot)</i>	

Snacks

Popcorn (Scoop).....	50c
Apples or Oranges	50c
Biscuit	\$1.00
Fresh muffin.....	\$1.00
Cheese stick.....	\$1.00
Tubs of yoghurt.....	\$2.00

Counter Sales Only - First Break

Cruncha's (frozen orange juice)....	\$1.50
Ice-Cream in a cone.....	\$1.50
Zooper Doopers	\$1.00
Slushy (fruit juice-nat flavouring)...	\$2.00

Our menu is colour coded to make healthy
selection easier



















**GREEN- excellent, healthy choice option, appro-
priate for daily eating

*Orange-good choice

*Red- OK choice, best for occasional eating only

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 

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