

NEWSLETTER

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Wednesday 10th October 2018

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.

October

Fri 12th: Prep Transition 9.15am to 9.30pm

Fri 12th: Prep 2019 Parent Information Session in Staff Room 9.30 am - 10.00am

Mon 15th: First day of Swimming Lessons

Mon 22nd: Student Free Day - Staff PD

Tue 23rd: Meals On Wheels

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

October

Thur 25th: Barry Sheene Tribute Ride

Fri 26th: Last day Meals on Wheels

November

Tue 6th: Melbourne Cup - Public Holiday

Wed 7th: Grade 3/4 Camp

Thur 15th: 754 Primary School Art Show

754 Community Playgroup:

Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

Hats on in Term 1, 2 and 4

Week 1 Term 4

Good afternoon and welcome to Term 4.

I need to start off with a huge thank you to Warwick Fraser, Ken Jeanes and the entire leadership team and staff at 754 for their excellent work across the school during my time on leave. My 7 week trip in the USA was absolutely fantastic in every way. I saw big cities, country life and so many of the famous landmarks that I had always wanted to see. (New York, Niagara Falls and sports all being pretty special) BUT, reality bites, and of course we are all now back on deck and working toward a successful end to the 2018 year.



(I must say, it is much easier driving on the "correct" side of the road!)

Speaking of Ken Jeanes, I am afraid that Ken will be away from the school now for a considerable length of time, whilst he is dealing with illness. Ken is currently in Melbourne and I don't believe that we will see him again this year – I will keep our community informed.

Hats: It seems odd to be talking about hats when today is overcast, cold and raining!



However, as part of DET's Sunsmart policy: All children are required to wear a broad brimmed hat during term's 1 and 4. Can you help support our work by ensuring that your child has a broad brimmed hat and understands that the expectation is that they wear it each day, when outside. Hats can be purchased at the uniform shop or Target / Kmart stores. Of course the cheaper alternative is to "find the one from term 1". Please put names on hats, as "one green hat is just like the next green hat".

Children who do not have hats will be encouraged into specific shaded areas in the school and the office will not be "loaning" hats. Thanks for your help.

We have been very lucky to have Dan Petro working with us again over the last 2 days. The focus of his work this time was around specific behaviours and the smartest and most effective ways to deal with what we are seeing to maximise outcomes. Dan also ran a parenting information session on Monday night. The numbers for this were smaller than earlier in the year, but this allowed more conversations and question time. Dan has worked with the school for just on 2 years now and has been a significant contributor to our continuous improvement.

Wednesday the 17th October, the leadership team will be withdrawing from the school for the day to meet and discuss all aspects of our work in 2018, given the data we have back, there will be a key focus on our AIP (Annual Implementation Plan) and also setting goals and directions for 2019.

During my time away, lots of events were arranged, so please be sure to be "all over" the following:

1. **Dental Day** – This is occurring next Tuesday the 16th October. When the whole school will be in the hall for a presentation. 11.30am to 12.30pm. We will need to make some small adjustments to the days' timetable.
2. **Swimming Program** – Every class from Preps to grade 4 will go swimming EVERY Monday for the rest of the term. Please be sure that your child has returned notes, has bathers, towel etc. Each class will go at the same time every week. If you have any concerns, please say something quickly!
3. **Walk to School Day** - Tuesday the 16th October is "Walk to School Day". The 754 group will meet Mr Fraser out the front of Kmart at 8.15am and walk as a group to school. Parents, adults, sisters, grandparents etc are all welcome to join in!
4. **Disco** - The date for the postponed Disco will be determined and advertised within the next week.

Something to Ponder: "If you have plans for a big trip or a to do list of things that you would like to achieve – make it happen and enjoy every minute of it, because you never know what might be around the corner!"



Talk soon.
Trudie Nagle
Principal



Swimming Lessons Prep - Grade 4:

Swimming lessons commence in term 4 for prep to grade 4 students. Lessons will be held every Monday with the first session being Monday October 15th. Swimming lesson must be paid in full prior to the first lesson. Letters were sent home to families with outstanding payments at the end of term 3. Please remember to pack your children's swimwear as we do not have spare bathers or towels.

Curriculum day:

Monday 22nd October is a curriculum day so there will be no school for students. Staff will be involved in training day with the Fountas & Pinnell Literacy™ educators.

Ready Set Go Prep transition Program:

Our Ready Set Go, free school ready program commences on Friday October 12th. If you have a child starting school in 2019 please call the office to book a place. This program will run every Friday from 9.15am - 2.30pm. This is open to the general community and you are not committed to send your child here at the completion of the program.

2019 Prep Parent Information Session:

On Friday October 12th we will hold a short Parent Information Session in the staffroom for all parents of students starting prep in 2019. Enrolment forms will be available to parents at

Music Lessons Term 4:

Due to swimming lessons taking place on a Monday throughout term 4 we have made a change to the day students have their lessons with the music tutors. Students will now have their music lessons on Tuesday mornings for the duration of term 4. Unfortunately some families still have **outstanding music fees**, if so your child will not be able to participate with the Music Enrichment program in term 4. Please see the office staff if you have a concern with your music fees.



SunSmart Policy:

As it is now term 4 our Sunsmart Policy is in place. **All students must** have a wide brim or bucket style hat to wear at school every day. Students without a hat will be asked to stay in the undercover area. We do not supply spare hats to students.



Overdue Library Books:

Dear parents/carers, we still have quite a large number of students who still have overdue library books. Fees will again be charged to your family account and students will be unable to borrow books until the fee is paid or the books are returned. Please have your children search under their beds, behind couches or in the car, those pesky books hide in all sorts of places.



Grade 3/4 Camp:

Just reminding all parents/carers of children in grade 3/4 that this years camp is taking place on Wednesday 7th November (day after Melbourne Cup). If your child will not be attending this camp please let their teacher know as soon as possible. Camp fees must be paid in before Monday 29th October. Notes were sent home with students to families that still had outstanding camp fees. Please call the office if you are unsure about your family account.



**Art works based
on the artist**

Wassily Kandinsky



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NDIS Information Sessions

Come along to one of our upcoming information sessions!
While it's great if a person registers to attend one of our sessions via Eventbrite external link provided (<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/o/ndis-13270031508>) it's not essential, we have an open door policy and welcome all.

For any accessibility requirements including AUSLAN interpreters please email us at viceast@ndis.gov.au.

Getting Ready for your Planning Conversation Information Session

Monday 15th October 07:00 PM – 09:00 PM
The Matador Motel, Princes Hwy & Raymond St, Sale VIC 3850

Tuesday 16th October 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
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Yarram & District Health Service, 85 Commercial Road, Yarram 3971

Tuesday 16th October 07:00 PM – 09:00 PM
Bairnsdale RSL, 2 Bairnsdale-Forge Creek Rd, Bairnsdale VIC 3875

Wednesday 17th October 10:00 AM – 12:00
Bairnsdale Racing Club, Racecourse Road, Bairnsdale VIC 3875

Wednesday 17th October 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM,
Omeo District Health, 12 Easton Street, Omeo VIC 3893

Thursday 18th October 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM OR 07:00 PM – 09:00 PM, The Lakes Entrance Golf Club and Function Centre, Golf Links Rd, Lakes Entrance VIC 3909

Thursday 18th October 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM Cann River Community Centre, Princes Highway, Cann River, Victoria, 3890

Thursday 18th October 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Mallacoota District Health and Support Service Inc, Corner Mattsson Street and Genoa Road, Mallacoota, Vic 3892



Student Awards

Prep A:

1 / 2 A:

1/2 B:

1/2 C:

3/4 A:

3/4 B:

3/4 C:

5/6 A:

5/6 B:

5/6 C:

5/6 D:

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 from October 12
- 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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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
(cheese, lettuce, tomato, beetroot)	

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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