

NEWSLETTER No. 31

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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.

November

Wed 17th: Sailing Grade 56A
Prep Transition 9.00am - 2.15pm

Thur 18th: Sailing Grade 56B

Fri 19th: Sailing Grade 56C

December

Mon 6th: Grade 3/4 Camp

Tue 7th: Grade 3/4 Camp

Wed 8th: Grade 3/4 return from camp

Thur 9th: Salvation Army Community Breakfast



22nd - 28th Book Fair all week

754 Community Playgroup:

Every Thursday during term
9.00am - 10.30am



Principal's Message

Week 6 Term 4

What a wild weekend of weather! I hope our community members were not affected to severely by the rain, floods and the wind.

On Thursday we held Remembrance Day Commemorations. This is a significant event in the school diary as it is the 100th anniversary of Armistice Day. The end of World War 1, the war to end all wars as it was described but sadly has not proven to be true. The event was marked by an assembly and the opportunity to lay a bouquet of flowers. Unfortunately, parents were unable to attend, but they would have been extremely proud of all students and especially our school Captains who conducted themselves beautifully.

We were again also very lucky to have RSL Representative, Peter Sullivan attend our assembly reflecting on Remembrance Day and what it means to him.

This week we have the Sailing program running at Paynesville Yacht Club. Participation notes were due back last Friday. We have spoken to several authorities who have given us the go ahead to run the program from Wednesday to Friday. If you have any concerns, please contact the school during business hours.



We are currently structuring our classes for 2022 and we will undertake this task within three specific criteria to meet the needs of your child; educational, social and emotional. **If you have a particular request regarding the placement of your child**, please put that in writing via email (bairnsdale.ps@education.vic.gov.au) by Friday 19th November.

Have a great week.

Fiona Dobson
Assistant Principal



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Grade 3/4 Camp:

Notes have now been sent home with the students in grades 3 to 4 regarding the camp which will take place on Monday 6th December to Wednesday 8th December. Please ensure the prompt return of both the consent and medical forms.



5/6 Sailing and Water Safety:



Just a reminder that the Sailing and Water Safety Program for students in Grade 5/6 will commence next Wednesday to Friday. Grade 5/6A - Wednesday 17th, Grade 5/6B - Thursday 18th & Grade 5/6C - Friday 19th December. **Consent and Covid forms were due back Friday 12th**, those students that have not returned their forms will unfortunately be unable to attend as places were confirmed with the Program Instructors today. Those students not attending will join one of the other Grade 5/6 classes for the day.

Unwell Students:

To support the health and wellbeing of all our students and staff if your child is ill or feeling unwell, even with a simple cold, they must not attend school. If your child becomes unwell during school hours we will call parents/carers to collect them. Thank you for your continued support with this health recommendation.



Covid On-Site Rules:

Once again due to Covid-19 restrictions we must follow the Schools Operational Guidelines.

NO Parents/Carers are to enter the school grounds. You must **drop off** and **pick up** from the gates only. If you need to sign your late child in please **do not** walk them directly to their classroom, you should either have your child come to the office and **sign themselves** in or alternatively you can call the school from the gate and we will send a staff member out to collect your child.



If you need to pick your child up for an appointment or their program requires them to be picked up early then you should enter via Main Street and come directly to the office, we will then call the classroom and have your child sent over. Please do not go directly to the classroom.

If you need further clarification then please call the office on 5152 4395 between 8.30am - 4.00pm. These restrictions will be in place for the foreseeable future. Thank you all for your understanding.

Prep Transition "Ready, Set, Go!"

Our 'Ready Set Go' is Prep Transition Program has now started. The program will run every Wednesday from 9:00am - 2:15pm until December 14th. If you have a little one starting school next year and would like them to join into the Transition Program please call the school between 8.30am - 4.00pm on 5152 4395



Book Fair Buy One Get One Free:



We have a Scholastic Book Fair happening again this Term. The Book Fair is **Buy one get one Free** and will run from Monday 22nd November to Friday 28th November. We are still unable to have parents on site so the fair will run as it did last year. Students will bring home a wish list with prices and if you wish to purchase any items just sent the money back to school with your child (and the wish list). Staff will help collect these books and assist your child with picking out their free books. Free items are to the same or lesser value of a purchased item. organise collection with your child.

Graduation Mementos:

This week we sent home notes for our grade 6 students to be able to purchase a Graduation Owl as a keepsake they can have signed by friends. Some families have credit in their accounts to cover the cost so please call the school if you are unsure of your account status. Please also endeavour to return the order form by Friday 19th November.



Hats On Term 4:

Just a reminder to all parents/carers that as per our SunSmart Policy all children must wear a Sunsmart appropriate hat outside at all times. Please remember to send a hat with your children.

754 Community Playgroup:

Our Free Community Playgroup is finally back up and running. Our Playgroup runs every Thursday morning from 9.00am - 10.30am during school Terms. It has been lovely to see so many new faces yesterday. If you need any more information about Playgroup please don't hesitate to call the school on 5152 4395. Playgroup is FREE and open to all members of the community not just 754 families.



Remembrance Day:

On Thursday 11th we held our annual Remembrance Day Assembly. Although we could not have parents/carers attending the Assembly it is always a privilege to remember our past and present Servicemen and Women.

Below is a picture of our School Captains laying a wreath at our Aleppo Pine sapling a direct descendant of the Lone Pine from ANZAC COVE

School Captains: Lacey Morgan, Olivia Hattam, Assistant Principal Fiona Dobson, School Captain Mya Rickard, Jack Whitehead, R.S.L representative Peter Sullivan, event organiser Madeleine Clark.



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

- Prep:** **Ruby Button** for showing resilience. Welcome to 754, Ruby and to our classroom - Prep A. You are showing great resilience by always having a go and trying your best with every learning task. Well done, Ruby! Keep up the great work.
- 12 A:** **Holly Angus** you are someone that I can rely on to finish your tasks and strive to do better. This week you pushed yourself with Writing, Read aloud when reading and continue to work with grade 2's in Maths. What a fantastic year you are having!
- 12 B:** **Ashari Hayes** is always responsible, respectful and resilient. She is understanding of others feelings and is always willing to lend a helping hand. She has also been working hard on her writing and matching her sounds and letters. We are so proud of you Ashari, keep up the fantastic work!
- 12 C:** **Daphne Karboulahanos** for showing RESPONSIBILITY towards her learning. Daph, you always make sure that you're listening attentively to instructions and ask questions if you are unsure. You worked extremely hard in writing groups this week to try to challenge yourself to use concise, descriptive language. Thank you for all your amazing hard work, keep it up!
- 34 A:** **Archie Maki-Small** has been quick in getting back into our class routine. He has been working especially hard in literacy. He is starting to write more. He is having a go at spelling tricky new words, and he is remembering to use punctuation. I am also impressed with his effort in reading. Archie is reading more fluently and with a good comprehension. Good work, Archie!
- 34 B:**
- 34 C:** **Fatema Fatfat** takes responsibility for her learning every day by consistently applying her best effort to every challenge presented to her. She demonstrated resilience this week when she met with a difficult task and persisted until she solved the problem. Keep up the wonderful effort, Fatema!
- 56 A:** **Zak Amott**. He has settled into school well and has shown commitment to his learning. Zak has shown determination when he persevered with division this week. Well done Zak!
- 56 B:** **Holly Tice** for demonstrating her ability to use feedback/advice given to enhance her writing. Holly has been working on a fantastic piece of writing this week and she should be extremely proud of her efforts.
- 56 C:**

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



No Award



Tim Pham

For taking on the responsibility of teaching others during Digi-Tech club. Your patience and helpful instructions are much appreciated by everyone who comes – thanks Tim.

Mrs Padula



Floyd Watson

For showing resilience and care when painting his pinch pot. Well done Floyd it looks amazing!

Ms Backman



Welcome to Bairnsdale Primary School "Ready Set Go" program

Hello to all the parents/carers of our 2022 Prep students.

Please find below the details of our Transition Program for the remainder of 2021:

- Wednesday 17th November – 9:00am to 2:15pm in the Library including a visit to the Prep classroom with the current Prep teacher
- Wednesday 24th November – 9:00am to 2:15pm in the Library including a Phys Ed session with our P.E. teacher – Mr. O'Brien
- ORIENTATION DAY on Wednesday 1st December – 8:50am to 2:15pm in the Prep classroom with the 2022 Prep year level staff (*yet to be confirmed*)
- Wednesday 8th December – 9:00am to 2:15pm in the Library including a Science session with our Science teacher – Mrs. Padula

Children will need to bring each day:

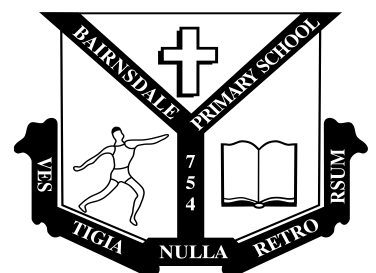
- ◆ Play lunch (morning tea)
- ◆ Lunch
- ◆ Drink
- ◆ Sun Smart hat
- ◆ Change of clothes (just in case)

For those families that have not yet collected enrolment forms or have any other queries please contact the school office between 8:30am – 4:00pm on

Ph: 5152 4395

Regards

The Team at Bairnsdale Primary School








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2021 Canteen Menu



Meals

Beef Lasagne	\$6⁰⁰	
<i>Bolognaise sauce with hidden vegetables and béchamel sauce</i>		
Fried Rice	\$5⁰⁰	
<i>Rice with ham, onion, peas and carrot fried with soy sauce</i>		
Pizza	\$4⁵⁰	
<i>Wholemeal base with your choice of ham, cheese and pineapple</i>		
Salad Sandwich or Wraps	\$4⁰⁰	
with Ham	\$4⁵⁰	
<i>Lettuce, tomato, cheese, beetroot and cucumber on wholemeal bread/wrap</i>		
Sausage Rolls	\$3⁵⁰	
<i>Large Sausage Roll (Please ask for sauce)</i>		
Chicken Burger	\$4⁰⁰	
<i>Chicken burger, cheese, lettuce and mayonnaise</i>		
Nachos	\$4⁰⁰	
<i>Corn chips with tomato salsa and cheese</i>		
Toasted Sandwich	\$3⁵⁰	
<i>Your choice of ham, cheese and tomato</i>		
Steamed Dim Sims (ea)	\$1⁵⁰	
<i>(Please ask for soy sauce)</i>		
Party Pies	\$1⁵⁰	
Party Pasties	\$1⁵⁰	
<i>(Please ask for sauce)</i>		
Meat Pies	\$4⁰⁰	
<i>(Please ask for sauce)</i>		

Drinks & Snacks

Flavoured Milks	\$2⁵⁰	
<i>Chocolate or Strawberry</i>		
Juice Box	\$2⁰⁰	
<i>Apple, Orange or Tropical</i>		
Pop Corn	\$1⁰⁰	
Fruit Muffins	\$2⁰⁰	
<i>Berries with bran and low sugar</i>		
Yoghurt	\$2⁰⁰	
<i>No sugar, low fat</i>		
Fresh Fruit	\$1⁰⁰	
<i>Apple or orange</i>		
Cookies	50¢	
Ice Cream in a Cone	\$2⁰⁰	
<i>Chocolate or Vanilla - single serve only</i>		

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.



Matrix – School Wide Positive Behaviour System 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 