

# NEWSLETTER

## No. 31

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Wednesday 17th 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

**Mon 22nd:** Staff PD - **Student Free Day**

**Tue 23rd:** Meals On Wheels

**Thur 25th:** Barry Sheene Tribute Ride

**\*\* School Disco \*\***

**Fri 26th:** Last day Meals on Wheels  
Prep Transition 9.15am - 2.30pm

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

### November

**Tue 6th:** Melbourne Cup - Public Holiday

**Wed 7th:** Grade 3/4 Camp to Coolamatong

**Fri 9th:** Grade 3/4 Return from Camp

**Thur 15th:** 754 Primary School Art Show

### **754 Community Playgroup:**

Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

### Week 2 Term 4

## Hats on in Term 1, 2 and 4



Hello everyone,

Welcome to week two. Yesterday three of our students, Kyle, Autumn and Korie attended the Regional Athletics at Newborough. Both Kyle and Autumn gained 5<sup>th</sup> places for their events and Korie came 8<sup>th</sup> in his event. Well done to the students for competing and representing Bairnsdale Primary School in such a responsible, respectful and resilient way. Thank you to Mrs Tromp for taking Autumn and Korie down to the Newborough as I was unable to do so.

Our first School Council Meeting for term 4 is happening tomorrow at 6:00pm, where Ms Nagle will outline the data sets (NAPLAN, attendance, parent, student and staff surveys) that the Department looks at to judge how well we are progressing. As I have published in previous newsletters our NAPLAN results were outstanding. Our 3 surveys have gone from being very poor to excellent in the last 2 years and our absences have been more than halved for each student on average from 22 days each to 11. All this has lead to the school being recognised in very high regional discussions and several of our staff asked to present at a conference on how we achieved these great results.



The Preps to Grade 4 had a great start to the swimming program on Monday with all the students thoroughly enjoying the lessons. In the new BARC setup the students had to navigate through the side entrance to get to the change rooms. There will be no swimming next week as we have a pupil free day and the program will recommence on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> of October.

Next Monday (22nd October) is a **student free day** as we are welcoming over 25 other teachers, ES staff and principals to be a part of the professional development day around Fontus and Pernel. This assessment tool will more accurately assess the students reading performance and give teachers information on how to take your child to the next step to improve their reading. We thank you for understanding about this, as it is a vital tool that will help your child learn and become better readers.



Great news, all the students will be rejoicing, the Disco is finally Going to be held on the 25<sup>th</sup> of October, which is next Thursday evening. I am hoping to see all the students there showing their best dance moves.

Warwick Fraser  
Assistant Principal



### **Swimming Lessons Prep - Grade 4:**

Swimming lessons commenced on Monday 15th for prep to grade 4 students. Lessons will be held every Monday. Please remember to pack your children's swimwear as we do not have spare bathers or towels.



### **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.



### **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 commenced 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.

### **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.

### **Overdue Library Books:**

Dear parents/carers, notices have been sent home to families that have overdue library books. Please see the office if you find the books so that we can refund the lost library book fee from your account. Children will not be able to borrow books until the book is returned or the fee is paid. Thank you for your cooperation.

### **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.

### **School Disco:**

The rescheduled Disco is now being held on Thursday 25th October.

The entry fee is \$5.00 per student and there will be two session times:

**Prep to Grade 2: 4.00pm - 5.00pm Grade 3 to Grade 6: 5.30pm - 6.30pm**

**Students must be signed in and out at the hall door by a parent/carer.**

There will no canteen running so no need for extra money.

Don't forget your dancing shoes!



### **Walk to School Morning:**

Tuesday morning was national walk to school day, it was lovely to see so many of our students willing and ready on what was quite a warm morning. Thank you to the East Gippsland Shire for providing us with a voucher that was used to provide fruit for those children that participated.



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## Student Awards

**Prep A: Lynkon Quigley** – Welcome to 754! We hope you enjoy being part of our great school and Prep A.

**1 / 2 A:**

**1/2 B: Nakya Newman** for having an excellent start to term 4! Nakya always tries so hard in all her learning and is always a respectful member of our classroom. Keep up the great work!

**1/2 C: Zailee Ramsay** for Showing Respect to others when in the classroom. Zailee has demonstrated that she is a respectful person by listening attentively when sitting on the floor during whole class focus sessions and when working with the teacher during small group lessons.

**3/4 A: Kayla Turner** Welcome to our School and 3/4 A You have settled into our school very well.

**3/4 B: Isabella Stevens** for making an enormous effort to improve her attendance.

**3/4 C: Nick Abiri** for being a resilient learner by pushing himself to complete work to the best of his ability.

**5/6 A: Declan Cooper** Last week you worked hard in class and played well outside. Your work on comparing and contrasting was exceptional. What a great start to term 4

**5/6 B: Alex Davidson** Congratulations for showing resilience in our classroom this week. Our work on Woolly Rhino and Sumatran Rhino challenged your thinking.

**5/6 C: Bo Kearsley** for coping during difficult situations with resilience and respect for others. She solves her own problems and supports others to take responsibility for theirs.

**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**



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# Staff Professional Development



Student Free Day  
Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

## SCHOOL DISCO



THURSDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

**Prep to Grade 2 - Session Time - 4.00pm to 5.00pm**

**Grade 3 to Grade 6 – Session Time – 5.30pm to 6.30pm**

Entry Cost \$5.00

# 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

9.00am – 11.00am

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

# GIPPSLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

presents

## Peter & the Wolf

narrator Peter Martignoles

with CRASHENDO! Bairnsdale participation

Ode to Joy—Beethoven/Welsh

Cap'n Jacks Hornpipe—Blackwell



Mirror Concerto for 2 violins—Soloists: Fiona and Edward Pople  
Sombre for Orchestra—Kees Dogger  
Variations on a Theme of Haydn—Brahms  
(Program subject to change)

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21ST, 2PM**  
**BOUCHER HALL, Bairnsdale Secondary College**

FUNDRAISER FOR CRASHENDO! BAIRNSDALE

Tickets at the Door: Adults \$20 Conc. \$15 Children free Crashendo! family \$5

Come dressed as a character from *Peter and the Wolf*



















Light refreshments

ENQUIRIES: GSO -ph. 0474 136 469 David CRASHENDO! Bairnsdale - ph. 0455 872 296

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# Bairnsdale Primary School (754)

## Matrix - SWPBS Expectations

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

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