

# NEWSLETTER

## No. 33

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Wednesday 31st 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.

### November

**Thur 1st:** Whole School Cyber-Bullying

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

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

**Fri 9th:** Special Remembrance Day Assembly  
Grade 3/4 return from camp

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

**Fri 16th:** Report Writing Day **Student Free Day**

**Wed 28th:** Whole School Walk against  
Domestic Violence

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

### December

**Tue 4th:** Orientation Day - Nagle College

**Thur 6th:** Salvation Army Community  
Breakfast (Gold Coin Donation) and the Last  
Breakfast Club for 2018

**Sat 9th:** Bairnsdale Christmas Parade

**Tue 11th:** Orientation Day - Bairnsdale Secondary  
College, Roll-Up Day and Grade 6 Graduation/Dinner

**Thur 13th:** Last Community Playgroup for 2018  
School Christmas Concert and BBQ

**Fri 14th:** Last canteen day 2018

### 754 Community Playgroup:

Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

### Week 4 Term 4

Good afternoon and welcome to week 4!

I feel a little as though I haven't been in the school all week – Monday, I was in Orbost supporting Orbost PS, then yesterday I was at a meeting for all Principal's and Literacy Leaders in Outer Gippsland, focusing on the continuous improvement of our reading programs. It was wonderful to hear that, as an area, Outer Gippsland has had the best reading results "ever" – this is based on the Naplan results. I am sure that you will agree with me, when I say that we are allowed to be a little selfish about our kids, and want them to constantly be high achievers and have the best possible educational opportunities! Today I have been involved in meetings at 754, Paynesville PS and the East Gippsland Specialist school - all around what is the best possible program to meet the very specific need of particular students. Tomorrow, I promise to be at school "all day"!

Next week will see our Grade 3 / 4 students go to Coolamatong for camp! Looking at the itinerary makes me a little jealous – boating, archery, raft building, bush activities, canoeing and more! The advantage of a camp so close is that we can provide a complex and exciting program, plus we can accommodate students to attend for the day only and it also allows a variety of staff to be involved on different days. The teachers have developed a SWPBS Matrix around the expectations of camp and I am confident that everyone involved will have a wonderful time. The group depart 754, Wednesday at 9.00am and will return to school on the Friday at around 3.00pm.



With Tuesday of next week being Melbourne Cup day and a public holiday in Victoria, please remember that **Monday is a normal school day** and that the swimming program will go ahead as usual. It is an expectation that all children attend school on this day.



Term 4 is always busy and one of the tasks to be completed is the creation of grades for 2019. If you have a particular request regarding the placement of your child, please put that in writing and forward it to either Warwick or myself. I am more than happy to discuss any concerns or considerations with you in person – just make an appointment.

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Preps for 2019 – We are thrilled with our current numbers for prep next year and I am now at the point of deciding how many classes we will have. If you know of any families with a school age child that has not yet enrolled, can you please help us out by getting them to come along to the office and enrol. If any family would like a tour of the school, I will be happy to accommodate this

**Something to ponder:** Transition time can be confronting for some children. Whether that is moving from 754 to Secondary School or from one grade level to another. Have you discussed with your child, how they are feeling about this? What they are looking forward to or may be a bit worried about? Please be encouraged to have this chat, you may be surprised by what comes from it!

Talk soon and I hope you win a dollar or two on Tuesday!



Trudie Nagle  
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.

### **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.



### **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 full before Friday 2nd November. 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.



### **Senior School Bowls and Croquet Program**

This Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November our grades five and six students will begin working on a Bowls and Croquet development program during their Friday Afternoon Sports time. This will involve a coaching program in both sports with students being split into three groups and each week one group will go to the Bairnsdale Bowls Club in Nicholson Street, one group will go to the Bairnsdale Croquet club also in Nicholson Street and the third group will stay at school for their sports session. We will rotate the groups through the three activities over the next six weeks up until Friday, December 7 with December 14<sup>th</sup> as a back up day in case we miss a session due to weather conditions. Students will be leaving school each week at 2.00 pm and returning in time for the end of the school day at 3.15pm.

### **ICAS Science Results:**

We have been informed by UNSW that the science tests results have been delayed, they should arrive back to us in late November.



## Student Awards

**Prep A: Pheobe Fields** for working really hard to learn the sounds and Golden words. By learning these she has been able to improve her reading and writing. Keep up the great work, Pheobe!

**1 / 2 A: Eve Stannus** for always showing respect to teachers and classmates by listening to them carefully. You give them your full attention and eye contact.

**William Irish** for putting in a wonderful effort this term. You are participating well in all activities and are willing to answer a variety of questions.

**1/2 B: Ahmad** for always having resilience in the classroom. This past week you have been trying so hard at improving your handwriting.

**1/2 C: Alec Cross** for showing resilience in the classroom. Alec has tried hard all week to complete his learning tasks even when he found them difficult. Well Done!

**3/4 A: Ruby Strecker** for always respecting everyone's learning environment and being prepared to help her classmates.

**3/4 B: Ethan Longhurst** for trying his very best to stay focused and on task.

**3/4 C: Elizabeth Hall** has had a fantastic start to term 4. She has been waiting her turn to speak, listening on the mat and coming up with some really good answers.

**Cohen Hood** for always being consistent in showing the school values.

**5/6 A: Cheyenne Proctor** you have become a valued member of your school community. There have been many times when other teachers have noticed your helpfulness and respect towards others. This term you have showed your skills in dance and excelled in remembering our Grade 6 graduation dance.

**5/6 B: Harry Lanigan** you have worked well in class this week. Your decision making and positive choices has set a good example to the rest of the class.

**Lara Dalley** we are really pleased with the way you help and support other in the classroom. You are always respectful and show great manners.

**5/6 C: Chloe Stevens** has been making positive choices with her learning. Chloe is making sure she is on task and working well with others in her group

**5/6 D: Faith Perry** for always being respectful to her classmates and all teachers.

## 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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# Melbourne Cup



***Public Holiday – School closed***

***Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> November***

*Camp*  
**Coolamatong**



**Grade 3 & 4 Camp – Term 4**

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> - Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November**

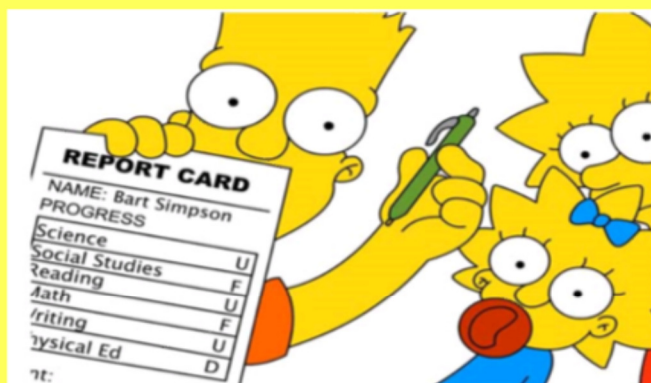




# 754 Art Show

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November

## Report Writing Day



Friday 16th November

Student Free Day

# 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!**

# Community Breakfast at 754 and Last Breaky Club for 2018



**Thursday – 6th December**  
**Gold Coin Donation Appreciated**

GRADE 4-6  
13-18 JAN

YEAR 7-10  
30 DEC-6 JAN

ASD FAMILY  
CAMP  
2-5 JAN

FAMILY CAMP 2  
6-12 JAN

FAMILY CAMP 3  
13-18 JAN

SOLE PARENT  
FAMILY CAMP  
20-23 JAN

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COMING TO LIFE

**ADVENTURE STARTS HERE!**

Enjoy Summertime on the Gippsland Lakes with new friends.

We have two age group camps for young people in Grade 4 – Year 10. We also offer four family camps which are a great way to spend quality time together this Summer. Camps offer many planned activities but also time to relax and enjoy the beautiful setting. Activities include: sailing, canoeing, archery, beach games, exploring the Bible, stand-up paddle boarding, abseiling and visiting 90 mile beach.

For more info and to register go to:

[www.suvic.org.au/holiday-camps](http://www.suvic.org.au/holiday-camps)





# 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, appropriate 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"> <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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