



NEWSLETTER

No. 6

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Office Hours 8.30am—4.00pm

Friday 12th March 2021

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.

March 2021:

Mon 15th: Book Fair Begins

Fri 19th: Book Fair Last Day

Thur 18th: School Council AGM

Fri 26th: School Photo Day

Wed 31st: Last day of classes for Term 2

April 2021:

Thur 1st: **Parent Teacher Interviews**
(no school for students)

Fri 2nd: School Holidays Begin

Mon 19th: 1st Day of Term 2

Tue 20th: Grade 5/6 Melbourne Camp



Breakfast Club:

Every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:15 - 8:45am in the school hall.

School Canteen:

School canteen is open Tuesday to Friday. Orders should be in by 9.15am



Principal's Message Week 6 Term 1

Dear 754 Families,

It seems to be that time of the term again when we start to talk about end of term arrangements and what a fantastic term it has been!

Parent Teacher Interviews are fast approaching and will be held in the last week of school on Wednesday 31st of March 3:50pm to 7:30pm and on Thursday 1st April from 8:30am until 1:00pm. These will be held by either phone or face-to-face with the option left up to the families. There will be a note going home where you can fill this information out after you have booked your appointment through the Compass portal. Students are expected to attend the interviews with their families as this is a great opportunity to talk through your child's progress over the term.

At this interview we will also be discussing something new that is happening at our school. This year Bairnsdale Primary School will be moving towards a new way of reporting student learning. We will be using a new process called "Progress Reports". This reporting system will be reflective of where students are with their learning and then sharing this information with families more often than twice a year. The Progress Report will inform you of the level your child is working at in Number, Measurement and Geometry, Statistics and Probability, Reading, Writing and Spelling. You will also be informed how your child is demonstrating the school values; Respect, Responsibility and Resilience during class time.

Our goal is for families to be informed about their child's learning throughout the year. This is very exciting and we look forward to your feedback on this new way of reporting. The reports will be given out to students to take home in Week 9 of this term.

If you have any questions regarding Parent Teacher Interviews or Progress Reports please get in touch with the school and we'd be happy to discuss.

Sophie Johnston
Learning Specialist



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School Council:

Our School Council elections and Annual General meeting are coming up this month. If you are interested in joining the School Council or if you have any further questions then please don't hesitate to contact the school.

Office Hours:

Just a reminder to all parents that our office hours are **8:30am - 4.00pm** weekdays.

Student Absences:

Please remember to call the school before 9:00am if your child is going to be absent. It is now a Department of Education requirement that we can account for each child every day. Our attendance officer will call every parent of each absent child from 9:00am daily.



Unwell:

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 to collect them. Thank you for your continued support with this health recommendation.

School ground Entry:

Currently parents/carers should only enter the school grounds to drop off or pick up their children. **Parents are not currently able to enter classrooms without a prior appointment.** You are however able to come into the school office to make enquiries or to pick children up for appointments etc.



Photo Day:

School Photo Day will now take place on Friday 26th March. Photos can still be ordered through the Compass portal or by returning the photo envelope on or before photo day.

Music Lessons:

Music lessons will begin on Tuesday 9th March for Piano/Keyboard students and on Friday 12th March for Guitar and Clarinet students. No other instruments will be taught this year. Music fees were emailed to families last week, if you didn't receive the email could you please contact the office as this means we do not have the correct email on file.

754 Annual Easter Raffle

We are collecting for annual Easter Raffle and ask if families could please donate a small Easter item or Easter egg for our hamper located at the School Office. Raffle tickets have been sent home with students. The lucky winners will be drawn at School assembly on Monday 23rd of March. Thank you.



Parent / Carer Teacher Interviews:



Parent /Carer Teacher Interviews will take place after school of Wednesday 31st March from 3.50pm - 7.30pm and again on Thursday 1st April from 8.30am - 1.00pm

There will be no school for students on Thursday 1st April as teachers will be conducting interviews. It is expected that your children attend the interview with you. This year all interviews will run for approximately 10 minutes. A note will be

Sent home next week for Parents/Cares to choose their preferred method of interview (phone call or onsite) please return you preference **after** you have made your booking through the Compass Portal. If you are not able to log into Compass please call the school for assistance with resetting your account.

Grade 6 Urban Camp:

Camp for the grade 5/6 students is approaching fast. Medical forms etc. will be sent home with students on Monday 15th March. Please ensure these are returned as soon as possible so that Medications, allergies and dietary concerns can be addressed. We still have a large number of parents that have not indicated whether their child will be attending camp next term. Please let the school know as soon as possible (even if they are not attending) as we need to confirm places with the Melbourne camp.

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



Annalise Finch 1/2 B

For always being a keen worker and having lots of fun in Phys Ed classes.

Mr O'Brien



Sophie Faithfull 3/4C

For being very RESILIENT during Science this week. Sophie finished her own Science work responsibly and took part in our class discussions but was also given the job of keeping her (absent) classmates' journals up to date by sticking in work for them (so they wouldn't fall behind). Sophie took on this extra responsibility with pleasure but had to work hard and be very focussed to get everything done. Well done Sophie – great job.

Mrs Padula



Elijah Ritchie Prep

For being resilient when folding and gluing his 3D paper sculpture in art and being so enthusiastic about art! Well done Elijah!

Ms Backman



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

- Prep A:** **Kydon Brooks** for always having a go and trying his best. As a result, Kydon is doing very well in all areas of his learning. Well done Kydon, we are very proud of you!
- 1/2 A:** **Azarliah Cullinan** you have shown a great respect towards everyone. You are always caring towards others, kind and thoughtful. It has been great to see you model how to find a partner quickly and respectfully. 1/2A is lucky to have you.
- 1/2 B:** **Lucas Challman-Hughes** for always being a kind and courteous student. He has shown respect, responsibility and resilience this week. Lucas is kind to people and tries hard to include others at lunch time and during class activities. He has been concentrating hard during class as well. Keep up the fantastic work Lucas!
- 1/2 C:** **Jaimie Pham** for always doing the right thing and being a flexible learner. You show RESILIENCE in everything that you do whether that be in the yard or in the classroom. Fantastic Work Jaimie!
- 3/4 A:** **Khiara Overson** has worked hard in achieving at the best of her ability. She persevered in her many tasks and never gave up. She is a great example to the class. Great work, Khiara.
- 3/4 B:**
- 3/4 C:** **Akaash Umaphathi** during his big write, Akaash was able to block out distractions, and work towards his writing goal. He completed almost 3 pages of writing with full stops and capital letters.
- 5/6 A:**
- 5/6 B:**
- 5/6 C:**



Canteen is now open for lunch orders on Tuesday to Friday.

Orders need to be in by 9.15am

Snacks are available from the canteen during first break, prices start at \$1.00



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2021 School Photo Day



Friday 26th March



Parent-Teacher Interviews

Date: Wed 31st March

Time: 4.00pm - 8.00pm

Date: Thurs 1st Apr

Time: 8.30am - 1.00pm

Appointments can now be made via the Compass Portal. Parents can choose between a phone or face to face interview.

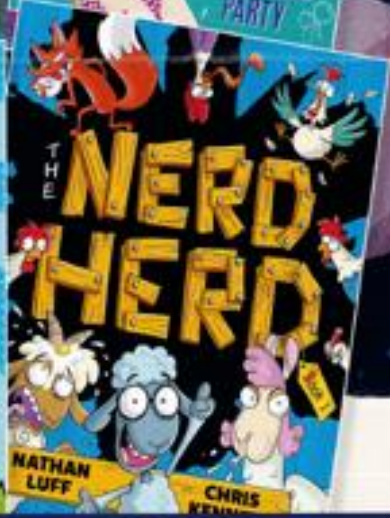
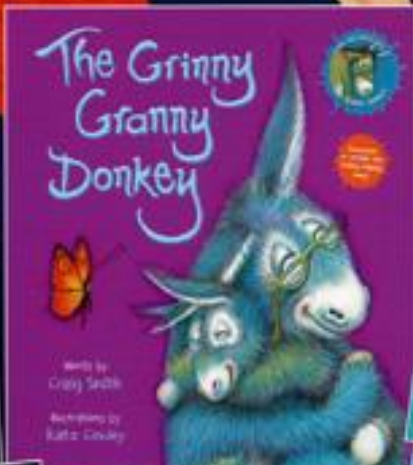
All students are required to attend the appointment with their Parent/Carer.

No school for students on Thursday 1st April

Good Friday Holiday on 2nd April

You're invited to our Scholastic
BOOK FAIR!
Discover a whole galaxy of books!

This year's National Simultaneous Storytime story will be read by astronauts *from Space!*



FIND THESE BOOKS AND HUNDREDS MORE AT THE FAIR!

Dates: Mon 15 - Fri 19 March Place: Bairnsdale Primary School

Times: 8.30am to 8.45am & 3.15pm to 3.45pm



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2021 Canteen Menu



Meals

Beef Lasagne	\$6 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Bolognese sauce with hidden vegetables and béchamel sauce</i>		
Fried Rice	\$5 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Rice with ham, onion, peas and carrot fried with soy sauce</i>		
Pizza	\$4 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Wholemeal base with your choice of ham, cheese and pineapple</i>		
Salad Sandwich or Wraps	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
with Ham	\$4 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Lettuce, tomato, cheese, beetroot and cucumber on wholemeal bread/wrap</i>		
Sausage Rolls	\$3 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Large Sausage Roll</i>		
<i>(Please ask for sauce)</i>		
Chicken Burger	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Chicken burger, cheese, lettuce and mayonnaise</i>		
Nachos	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Corn chips with tomato salsa and cheese</i>		
Toasted Sandwich	\$3 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Your choice of ham, cheese and tomato</i>		
Steamed Dim Sims (ea)	\$1 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>(Please ask for soy sauce)</i>		
Party Pies	\$1 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>(Please ask for sauce)</i>		
Meat Pies	\$4 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>(Please ask for sauce)</i>		

Drinks & Snacks

Flavoured Milks	\$2 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Chocolate or Strawberry</i>		
Juice Box	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Apple, Orange or Tropical</i>		
Pop Corn	\$1 ⁻⁰⁰	
Fruit Muffins	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Berries with bran and low sugar</i>		
Yoghurt	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>No sugar, low fat</i>		
Fresh Fruit	\$1 ⁻⁰⁰	
<i>Apple or orange</i>		
Frozen Crunchas	\$1 ⁻⁵⁰	
<i>Orange or Cola. Made in Australia from fruit concentrate</i>		
Ice Cream in a Cone	\$2 ⁻⁰⁰	
<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 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 