

NEWSLETTER

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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.

April:

Thur 25th: Anzac Day (Public Holiday)

Fri 26th: Cross Country

Mon 29th: Meals on Wheels

Tue 30th: Meals on Wheels

May:

Wed 1st - Fri 3rd: Meals on Wheels

Thur 2nd: Playgroup resumes for term 2

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

May:

Tue 7th: 56B students First Aid Training

Thur 9th: Being Brave - Incursion

Mon 13th: Naplan Week 1

Tue 14th: 56C First Aid Training

Mon 20th: Naplan Week 2

Tue 21st: 56A First Aid Training

754 Community Playgroup:
Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

Week 1 Term 2 2019

Good afternoon everyone and welcome back to term 2. It was so nice to be greeted this morning with smiling faces and see the yard full of kids playing and having fun! Some even completing a "stacks on"!



As always we are off to a busy start, with yesterday being a "flat out" professional development day for all staff. The day began with a reflection on how well we have structured up the individual programs for children and what "tweaks" we can make to constantly improve our system. We then had Cara Barrie provide some information on the social and emotional program "Zones of Regulation". Cara is a Psychologist working with Lookout, this is a virtual school for those children in out of home care across the SEVR.



This is a great program and marries so very easily with our SWPBS and Respectful relationships programs. So when your children begin to talk of red, yellow, green and blue zones – you will know what they are referring to. I will be running an evening information session on this new program for all parents (We always know that the impact is greater when the connections continue between school and home). We haven't set a date yet, so keep an eye out please. The next session of the day was around reading and using reading notebooks in class. These are to record your thinking and your wonderings whilst you read a book and the evidence shows that is dramatically improves comprehension for children.



The final session for the day was around a pilot Speech therapy program that we will be involved in. 754 has been allocated 100 hours of speech therapy time, provided through Gippsland Lakes Community House and Hannah Oman. This will not be direct work 1:1 with children but will focus more on upskilling the staff and in particular the support staff, who will be able to provide that 10 minute focus every day for the children needing some speech support. Again, home and school working together.

Today we "kicked off" term 2 with our 754 ANZAC assembly. Thank you to Mr Peter Sullivan from Bairnsdale RSL for being our special guest speaker for this event. Peter is a very passionate man and never fails to reflect on just how lucky we all are to live in a free and safe environment, as we do. Peter's speech is attached for you to enjoy reading. Our four school captains ran the assembly with Mr Fraser's guidance and I was very proud indeed of the whole school, the respectful and positive atmosphere at the assembly. We then took some photos (attached) at the "Lone Pine" that is planted in our grounds. One of our grandfathers, Keith Hayles, was part of the RAAF contingent that planted this tree in 2015 and now his grandchildren are in our prep grade. Keith reflected that our tree is one of the few "still standing".



Continued:

Tomorrow is of-course ANZAC day and I encourage you and your family to join us at either the dawn service at 6.00am or meet outside Coles (Main St) at 10.30am ready to join the march and the 11.00am service. Our school captains will be involved in both the dawn service and also laying a wreath at 10.00am, prior to the march.



Friday is our 754 Cross Country and the program for the day is attached below, so if you should be able to identify the times that your children will be running. We have changed the venue for this year and we will be starting at the Port of Bairnsdale and running along the river path. I look forward to seeing the prep event! The first two hours of the day is "normal" and we will head off to the races – keep your fingers crossed that the rain stays away for these few hours! (Then it can pour!)



754 Cross Country – Friday 26th April

Who	Leave school	Start race	Finish race	Back at school
Prep 1 km	11.10	11.40	12.00	12.30
Grade 1 1 km	11.35	12.05	12.25	1.20
Grade 2 1 km	11.35	12.30	12.50	1.20
Middle 34 9/10 years 2 km	12.25	12.55	1.20	2.00
Senior school 56 11 years 3 km	12.55	1.25	1.55	3.00
Senior school 56 12/13 years 3 km	12.25	2.00	2.30	3.00

Something to Ponder:

The Anzacs are our history, Our brethren and our kin, Some were our grandfathers, Yet many were our friends.
"Come join up." they'd say, But I had a gummy leg, So I would listen to their bravado, Glad that they were me mates.

They sailed away one day, To face a fateful shore, Many never to return, For they had met their fates once more.
Those that returned, You could see it in their face, They would talk in lowly whispers, About their fallen mates.

So Anzacs are Australian, New Zealanders in there too, And so we joined the others, What else were we to do.
Anzac Day's a remembrance, A day of seeing true, To remember the loss and sorrow,
As they fought for, Me and You"

Anthony T. Hincks

Happy to talk anytime!
Trudie Nagle
Principal



Meals on wheels:

Just a quick reminder to families (especially our drivers) and students that Meals on wheels is happening from Monday 29th April to Friday 3rd May. Students will meet at the office after first break (11.40am) where they will be collected by the designated driver. It generally takes around 1 hour to complete the meal deliveries. Thank you to those parents that have volunteered their time.



Rotary Junior Community Award:

10 Year 6 students have started working towards their Rotary Junior Community Award. If your child is interested it is not too late to enrol. Information is available from Ms Jan Kenny

Learning Club Term 2:

Learning Club will begin on Monday 29th of April after school and finish at 4.30pm. If your interested in your child/children taking part please return forms to the office as soon as possible. There is a limit of 12 students, so get in quick!



Rubbish around the school:

Thank you to Odin, Akaash and Logan who last term went around our school and picked up rubbish without being asked. The boys picked up 2 bags of rubbish in 10 min which was awesome and sad at the same time. Awesome that they picked up rubbish but sad that students dropped the rubbish in the first place.



Playgroup Term 2:

754 Community playgroup will commence on Thursday 2nd May from 9.00 - 11.00am in the school hall. All children from birth to age 5 are welcome to attend with their parents/carer/grandparents.

The classroom challenge is ON!

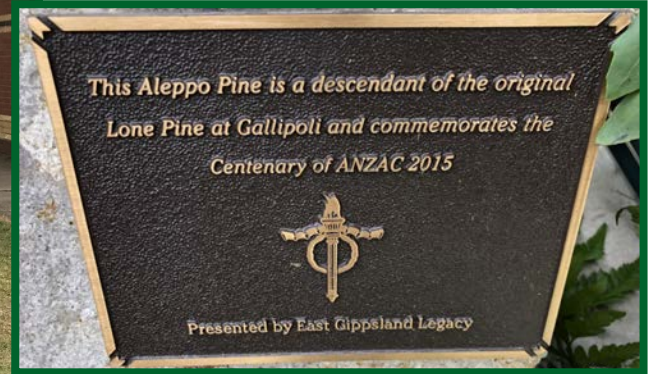
The green ticks below show each grade that had 100% attendance for each day of the week. As soon as we get one day where we have 100% attendance for every class Ms Nagle will be shouting the whole school hot chips Yummy!!!!



Class Attendance Monday 1st April to Friday 5th April

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri
Prep					
12A	✓				
12B		✓	✓		Parent
34A	✓		✓		Teacher
34B					Interviews
34C			✓	✓	
56A			✓		
56B	✓				
56C					

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Anzac day speech read by Peter Sullivan (Sully)

Thank you for asking me to come and talk to you again this year at your service to commemorate ANZAC day, which is an opportunity to reflect on how lucky we are, the sacrifices that have been made for us to live in a free and fair nation and to enjoy the company of our friends and family. It is a time to reflect on the importance of peace.

ANZAC is an unusual word. Originally it was not a proper word, it was a set of initials that described the Australian and New Zealand soldiers who were in Egypt in the First World War. The initials stood for Australian and New Zealand Army Corps and in 1915, those men, together with British, Indian and French soldiers were sent to fight in the part of Turkey known as the Gallipoli peninsula. It was because of the way those Australians and New Zealanders fought, and the way they faced the hardships and dangers that confronted them, that the initials became a word - ANZAC - which today is respected in both Australia and New Zealand.

What they did forged what has become known as the ANZAC spirit and that spirit has been the driving force behind all Australian servicemen and women ever since - in France and Belgium during World War I, and later in Europe, North Africa and the Pacific in World War II, Korea, Malaysia, Vietnam and Iraq, all of which happened long before any of you were born.

There are many ways to honour people who have served in Australia's armed forces. We can attend school services, like this one, wake up early for a dawn service or attend the ANZAC Day march in Main Street. We can also honour their service by wearing a poppy or an ANZAC badge, as a symbol of remembrance.

At all ceremonies you will hear a bugle play the Last Post. This piece of music was originally played in military camps to mark the end of the day and announce that all soldiers should be at rest. It is now part of many memorial services to symbolise that the duty of the dead is done, and they can rest in peace. One minute of silence follows the Last Post. During this time you may like to close your eyes and think not only about all the men and women who have served Australia in times of war and conflict and about those who have died but also the three and a half thousand young men and women currently serving with the Australian Defence Force in thirteen different countries around the world in service of peace.

They are soldiers, sailors and air force personnel. They are the real deal, the ones who are called first in time of crisis. We thank them for their willingness to stand for those who cannot stand for themselves, to stand for each other. There can be no greater trust, no greater bond, than to know that your mate will stand in front of you, no matter the odds, no matter the danger. They are the strongest and best Australia has to offer. We thank them for our way of life, our families' security, and the security of those they will never know. We are safe and we are free because of these fine men and women.

We pray that they come home to their loved ones and while they are away, we also pray for their safety as they serve unflinchingly to protect freedom around the world.

Lest we Forget - Thank you.

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Student Awards

Prep A:

1 / 2 A:

1/2 B:

No Awards Given this week

3/4 A:

3/4 B:

3/4 C:

5/6 A:

5/6 B:

5/6 C:

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.

Snacks are available in the canteen at first break, prices start at 50cents



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Thursday 25th April



Public Holiday - School Closed

Whole School Cross Country Run



Friday 26th April

754 Community Playgroup

Commences Thursday February 14th 2019

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!**

754 Canteen Menu

Open Tuesday to Friday only

Lunch orders to 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

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

PLEASE 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



















Frozen Cruncha's	\$1.50
Ice-Cream in a cone.....	\$1.50
Zooper Doopers	\$1.00
Natural Fruit Slushy	\$2.00

Drinks

Juice	\$1.50
(orange, apple or tropical)	
Flavoured milk	\$2.50
(choc or strawberry)	

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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