



NEWSLETTER No. 17

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Primary School Events
Office Hours 8.30am—4.00pm

Wednesday 7th June 2017

Our Vision Statement: 754 Primary School will maximise opportunities to develop resilient individuals in an ever changing world

Our Mission Statement: 754 Primary School will aim to develop literate and numerate students through ongoing, structured, student-centred inquiry

June 2017

Fri 9th: Division Winter Sports

Mon 12th: Queens Birthday Public Holiday

Tue 13th: Report Writing Day
(Student Free Day)

Fri 23rd: Student led conference 9.00am-11.00am

Community Playgroup:

Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the school hall.

June 2017

Thur 29th: School Reports Available via Compass

Fri 30th: Last day of Term 2

July

Mon 17th: First day of Term 3

Breakfast Club: Run by the Salvation Army.
Monday and Thursday's 8.00am - 8.45am

Newsletter week 8 Term 2

Good afternoon to all and welcome to yet another busy week at 754. Across the course of this week we have had trips to the ART gallery, A "Rock it" performance will happen tomorrow, for all children grade Prep to 4 and then on Friday we will have the winter sports (next stage) and also a Koorie community group meeting from 10.00 until 11.30am. Never a dull moment @ 754!

Dan Petro: will be back in our classrooms on Wednesday the 21st and Thursday the 22nd of June. This will continue to develop the work being done across our school on behaviour management and also enhancing our SWPBS framework. **Put in your diary WED 21ST JUNE 6.30pm to 8.00pm.** At this time Dan will be presenting a **parent session** and I simply cannot encourage you all enough to come along.

About Dan: Dan Petro is a Behaviour Analyst and director of Behavioural Resources Australia. Dan's work in over 130 Australian schools and organisations has shown him to be an engaging and popular presenter. Dan's academic background includes degrees in both Behavioural Science and Counselling Psychology, and his professional work utilises content from materials he developed as an adjunct faculty member at universities in California.

Dan has trained hundreds of parents of both typical and special needs children, and attending one of his workshops with other adults is a comfortable way to discover (or rediscover) those straightforward, effective parenting techniques that can make a significant difference for everyone

The topic of the presentation is: **Making Parenting a Little Easier**

Being a parent or guardian is a demanding task under any circumstances, and doing so when a child displays challenging behaviours increases the difficulty. These problem behaviour situations are often amplified as the child's challenges collide with typical developmental changes all children experience. Parents can become at odds with the child, or even between themselves, when searching for the best responses to these tough situations. Other children in the home can also be impacted, as the problem circumstances become a common part of their day.

This presentation will provide you with flexible alternatives you can draw upon to teach new skills at home, help establish daily routines, and effectively respond to these challenging situations.

If you are interested in coming along: Please call the office and add your name to our list of attendees. As this will help with catering and determine the size of the venue that we need. Thank you.



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Continued:

Reports are being completed by the staff at the minute and we have spoken about what should be in a report, the information that must be contained within, the style of reports and advice offered for improvement. All children will be given a hard copy of their reports on the last Thursday of this term – so keep an eye out for that. If you would prefer, to pick it up yourself, then just let the classroom teacher know.

Collecting children from school:

This is an area that we need to tidy up! During the last couple of weeks we have had occasions where a parent has gone to a classroom and taken their child without going via the office. The expected process is simple: If you need to collect your child from school early, then please go to the office and sign them out. The office staff will then call across to the room (while you wait) and ask for the child to be sent to the office with their bag. This process has not been adhered to recently and has caused quite a problem. The “bottom line” with all procedures around the school is about safety for all of our children. Staff have raised a concern with me that some parents are starting to “filter back into classrooms” at inappropriate times. If you need to speak to a teacher, then please arrange an appointment via the office or compass / email. Again, this is all about safety and honouring teaching time. I am more than happy to discuss this with you at any time.

Student Led Conferences:

These will occur on Friday the 23rd June. The arrangements are as follows: We have blocked out the first 2 hours of the day and allocated 35 minutes to each team area for you to visit your child’s classroom. (9.00am to 9.35am in the junior grades. 9.35am to 10.10am in the 3/4 grades and then 10.10am to 10.45am in the senior grades.) During this time, you should be able to enjoy spending some time with your child, letting them guide you through their work for this semester.

Something to Ponder: When was the last time that you spoke to your children about the Matrix? (it is on the back of every newsletter) It will support our school expectations of behaviour’s, if they are also discussed at home.



Talk soon.
Trudie Nagle
Principal

Report Writing Day:

On Tuesday 13th June 2017 there will be a student free day, this has been set aside as the report writing day for semester 1.

KIDZCLUB:

For Kids in Prep to Grade 6, from 4.30-6.00pm Friday 16th June (and alternating Fridays thereafter) Bairnsdale Baptist Church, 134 Princess Hwy Lucknow. For further information please contact Mrs Yvonne Francis on mobile: 0410 281 668

Year 6 Graduation:

This year we are again ordering “Graduation Mementoes” for our grade 6 students to have signed by their friends during their last week of school. We would like to remind parents that the order form and payment need to be returned to the school by Monday 26th June. Unfortunately late orders cannot be accepted.

Canteen Helpers

We are asking if any parents/carers are able to offer some time to help in our canteen. We just require some help from 9:00am — 11:40am. This can either be once a term, week or fortnight. If you can offer some time to help please contact our office staff.



Boite Choir 2017:

If your child is interested in singing, willing to attend rehearsals in break times and are available on Tuesday 5th September for the combined school performance at the Riviera Christian Centre please see Ms. Jan Kenny for more information.

Winter Uniform



As part of our uniform (not available to purchase from Nicks Clothing) we are able to order in winter tunics or winter skirts. The **winter tunic** is \$50.00 and comes with a detachable bib and is available in girls size 4 to 10. The **winter skirt** is \$55.00 and is available in sizes 12-14 girls and 10-16 ladies. If you would like to place an order please see the ladies in the office.



Camp
&
Sport

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Student Awards

Prep A: Jack Smith for being a respectful class member by offering to help and asking others if they are OK. Thank you Jack, for being so caring.

1 / 2 A: Emma Kerton for always being an organised learner in our classroom and showing initiative. Well done.

1 / 2 B:

1/2 C: Laura Jeanes for always listening to the teachers instructions carefully. Laura is a polite and respectful member of our classroom.

3/4 A: No Awards due to camp

3/4 B: No Awards due to camp

3/4 C: No Awards due to camp

5 A: Jasmin Nation for showing respect by speaking courteously and treating others with kindness.

5 B: Kareem Shaik for demonstrating respect to his soccer team at the winter sports.

6 A: Hayden Dalley for consistently listening to instructions and being organised for learning.

6 B: William Dang for always showing excellent manners. You demonstrated great sportsmanship at Winter Sports.

Canteen News



Canteen Closed on Monday's

Term 2/3 Autumn/Winter Menu out now.

Slushies are now available.

Volunteers welcome from 9:30am to 10:50am

If interested please contact

Daniel Lambert or the school office.



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Student Led Conferences

Friday 23rd June



9.00am – 11.00am

Queens Birthday
Public Holiday
Monday
12th June

Report Writing
Day
Tuesday
13th June



School Closed Today



Student Free Day



Bairnsdale LAECG

(Local Aboriginal Education Consultative Group)

Do you have ideas on how to improve community involvement in a Local Aboriginal Education Consultative Group?

Do you want to be involved in decision-making and having a voice for education & training in Bairnsdale?

Come along to

Bairnsdale 754 Primary School
330-370 Main Street, Bairnsdale

And share your voice to help improve education and training outcomes for your community!

Come along to this meeting & help establish a LAECG in Bairnsdale

TIME: 9:30am (for a 10am start) - 11:30am

(Morning tea will be provided)

DATE: Friday 9th June 2017

Please **RSVP** by Friday 2nd June

For more details please contact

Leann Graham, Bairnsdale LAECG Chairperson- 0429 428 481

OR

Megan Solomon, East Gippsland Wurreker Broker- VAEAI

0417 104 998

EMAIL: eastgippsland@vaeai.org.au



754 Community Playgroup

*Come along and have some fun playing with your
child (aged 0-5)*



**Playgroup is on every Thursday in the
Bairnsdale Primary School Hall**

9.00am - 11.00am

It is free of charge

Fruit and snacks provided



Save the Children

***Bairnsdale Primary Supported
Playgroup***

A **FREE** Supported Playgroup for all parents and carers
with children aged birth to 4 years
Starting Tuesday 21st February 2017

Where: Bairnsdale Primary School, 754

When: Every Tuesday during school terms

Time: 9am to 11am

For more information or to register, **contact Cathryn**
on **51537533**



Bairnsdale Primary School (754)

Matrix - SWPBS Expectations 2017

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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