

NEWSLETTER

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Wednesday 24th July 2019

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.

July:

Tue 30th: Grade 5/6 "Captured in Africa" Incursion

August:

Thur 1st: Grade 2 Sleepover

Fri 2nd: Jeans for Genes Day

Thur 8th: Grade 3/4 Camp information session 2.30pm

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

August:

Mon 12th: Science Week

Tue 13th: Science Fair 5.00pm - 7.00pm

Fri 16th: Whole School Athletics

Mon 19th: Book Week - Dress up Day

Wed 21st: Community Consultation Night
6.30pm - 8.30pm - Main Building

September:

Wed 4th: Grade 3/4 camp

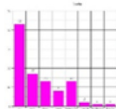
754 Community Playgroup:

Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

Week 2 Term 3 - 2019

Good afternoon and welcome to week 2 of the third term!

This week we have received back our Student opinion survey results – and I am very pleased to say that I couldn't be happier! Every result for every element: was given an approval rating by the students in the high 80th percentile and in the 90's! One even got 100% approval – yippy!



The topics that the students have answered questions on, range from: excellence in teaching and learning, the positive climate of the school, teacher – student relationships, social engagements, student safety and more. The data can be broken down into year levels (grades 4, 5 and 6) and female and male responses. This coming Wednesday I will work with each small group to discuss their responses in greater depth.

This is a key piece of work when giving all students "voice" to have positive and effective input into their schooling.

Speaking of Surveys – the Parent opinion survey opened up for you on Monday. The Parent Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education and Training that is conducted amongst a large sample of parents. It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of parents' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour and student engagement. We will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies. All responses to the survey are completely anonymous. This year the Parent Opinion Survey will be conducted from **Monday 22nd July** to **Sunday 11th August**.

The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **10-15 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the fieldwork period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones. The survey results will be reported back to the school at the end of September. Thanks!

The staff survey has also been completed, so by September we should have all 3 key survey's back.

Something to ponder: I have come to realize lately, that too many people are all too quick to criticize and find fault in others: Yet we are far less likely to recognize our own mistakes. When was the last time that you reflected and apologized for your mistakes?

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Talk Soon
Trudie Nagle
Principal



Request from Grade 3/4C (Mrs. Fitz):

School Production: As part of our costume for the production in Term 3, Mrs. Fitz's grade needs **empty 2 litre** soft drink bottles. When you have finished with the bottle, could you please bring it to school and give it to Mrs. Fitzclarence. Thank you.



Camp - Grades 3 and 4:

Just a reminder to parents to please return the consent and medical forms to the school as soon as possible for the grade 3/4 camp to Coolamatong. If your child will not be attending camp please let the office staff know so that your family account can be adjusted. Most families applied for the drought relief funding at the start of the year and this will be covering the cost of camp. If you are unsure about payment/account status please contact the office.

Grade 2 Sleepover:

Grade 2 sleepover consent and medical forms need to be returned to the school by Friday 24th July. Families that applied for Drought Relief Funding at the start of the year will have funds to cover the \$15.00 cost of the sleepover. New families to the school will need to check at the office about payment as you may have CSEF transferred from your previous school. If your child will not be participating in the sleepover could you please let the office know so that your family account can be adjusted. Thank you



Jeans for Genes Day:

We are once again participating in Jeans for Genes Day which is taking place this year on Friday 2nd August. We would like to see as many students as possible wearing their favourite jeans (normal school shirts and jumpers still need to be worn) on the day. We are asking for a gold coin donation from every student that comes to school wearing jeans. We are hoping to equal or beat last years total of \$516.00

Art Room News:

The art room are now looking for donations of empty and clean tin cans (baked beans etc.) as students are now moving onto making wind chimes. Thank you to everyone who donated bottle tops.





Motto "No Backward Steps"

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Term 3 Community Consultation Night

Let's ask the parents what topics you might like discussed

Date: Wednesday 21st August @ 6.30 to 8.00pm

Good afternoon all; This event has occurred for the past 3 years and is now an annual event on the 754 calendar.

It tends to be a round table affair, where we discuss a series of questions, concerns or programs that are running at the school.

All members of our community are encouraged to come along. We also have a number of Principals from other schools in our Network that "host" a table, plus School Councillor members, parents and students.

The reality is that I have set the agenda for the past years and now I am wanting to hand over to you: I am really keen to hear what you might like to be the topics for discussion on the night.

All you need to do is ring the office or send in an email or note: indicating your suggestion.

I will take these on board and we will again try and host a fantastic event where all members of our school community can become involved with school decision-making and influence thinking.

I am very happy to chat to you anytime.

Thanks for your input.

Trudie Nagle

Principal



Student Awards

Prep A: Heidi Turner for being a responsible learner. Heidi has returned to school in Term 3 ready to continue her learning. Her writing shows her knowledge of letters, sounds and common words and she is developing her confidence with her reading. Well done, Heidi!

1/2 A: Huzefa Pishori for settling into our classroom at 754 and showing our school value of resilience. **Ellie Williams** for settling in beautifully to our classroom at 754. Well done Ellie for showing our school value of resilience on your first day.

1/2 B: Tim Pham for having such a wonderful start at 754. Tim has brought his bubbly and enthusiastic personality into our classroom and it has been lovely getting to know him.

3/4 A: Tyler Schlitz for showing resilience by listening and waiting for his turn to speak. He is also friendly, thoughtful and helpful towards others.

3/4 B: Bailey Laybourne for always showing respect in what he does. This is a daily occurrence towards his peers and classmates.

3/4 C: Abby Johanesen for being respectful to her classmates, other people and our learning environment. **Pippa Lawrence** for being a responsible class member and coming to school every day in Term 1 and 2. Well done.

5/6 A:

5/6 B: Will Laybourne this term you have come back with enthusiasm. You are joining in and have been a part of our grade. You've worked independently when working on your procedure and writing about it. A great start to the term!

5/6 C: Hunter Settle for making outstanding progress in spelling Mastery.

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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Enjoying the sunny winters day at first break.



Mrs Padula presenting a slide show of her trip to Serbia. It was lovely to see so many children at break time take an interest in Mrs Padula's holiday.



Art extension program setting up for some new artwork in the playground.



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Grade 2 Sleepover

Thursday 1st August



Friday 2nd August

Wear jeans and bring a gold coin donation to support "jeans for genes"





RCE Gippsland presents

2019 SUSTAINABLE SCHOOLS

EXPO



Save the date!

It's on again ...

'Biodiversity: Safeguarding the future'

Thursday, 5 September 2019



9:30am - 2:00pm

Nagle College, Hope Avenue, Bairnsdale

Bookings and more information contact Raquel Harris:
Raquel.Harris@wellington.vic.gov.au

- A great opportunity for Gippsland schools to learn about what other schools in their area are achieving with their sustainability programs.
 - No conference registration costs or attendance fees.
- Presentations from leading schools. • Student workshops.
- School displays. • Music games and entertainment.

DETAILED INFORMATION TO FOLLOW



Parenting is one of the most important jobs we do sometimes it isn't easy!

Do you have children aged between 4 and 12 years?

Would you like to:

- Learn about how you can reduce your child's challenging behaviours
- Have strategies to increase the behaviours you would like to see more of
- Build your child's self-esteem and positive social skills
- Learn how to give your child the attention they need in positive and fun ways
- Introduce household rules that support positive behaviour and relationships
- Learn from and with other parents who want these things too

Yes! Then the FREE 'Incredible Years' Parenting Program is for you!

What is The Incredible Years Parenting Program?

- An evidence based, proven program that strengthens parenting skills and confidence and improves children's social and emotional behaviour
- A safe, friendly environment
- Facilitated by experienced Early Childhood Educators and Family Support Workers
- A series of 14 weekly sessions that run for 2.5 hours each

WHERE: Bairnsdale Primary School 754, 330/370 Main St,
Bairnsdale VIC 3875

STARTING: Wednesday August 28th, 2019

TIME: 9.30 to 12 noon

This program is **FREE!** Refreshments provided
Free supervised children's activities for younger siblings

**For more
information
or to register
PLEASE SEE
OVERPAGE**



**Limited places
Register
TODAY!**



Uniting



Save the Children

The Incredible Years Program is supported by Communities for Children East Gippsland. The Communities for Children program is funded by the Australian Government Department of Social Services and is facilitated in East Gippsland by Uniting Gippsland

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**To find out more or register in the
Incredible Years Program...**

The friendly facilitators will be at **Bairnsdale Primary School, 754 library**
so you can drop in and have a chat about the program or register:

14th and 21st of August

from 9am to 11:30am

Come in and say hi to Cathy and Jo

You can also enquire or register by contacting Cathy on

cathryn.wade@savethechildren.org.au

Or

0437839304

Be quick, register your interest in **The Incredible Years Program today as
places are limited!!**

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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