

# NEWSLETTER

## No. 4

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Wednesday 21st February 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.

### February

**27th:** Insectarium Incursion  
**28th:** Insectarium Incursion  
**28th:** Division Swimming - Outdoor Pool

### March

**6th:** Division Tennis- Bairnsdale Tennis Club  
**9th:** Division Bowls - Bairnsdale Bowls Club

**13th:** Region Swimming - Sale Pool

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

### March

**21st:** Harmony Day  
**22nd:** Salvation Army Community Breakfast  
(Gold Coin Donation)  
**26th:** Meals on Wheels  
**27th:** Meals on Wheels  
**28th:** Meals on Wheels  
Parent Teacher Interviews 4.00 - 8.00pm  
**29th:** Parent Teacher Interviews 8.30am - 1.00pm

### April

**16th:** First day of Term 2

### **754 Community Playgroup:**

Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

## Newsletter Week 4 Term 1 2018

Hello everyone,

Tomorrow night we have the final meeting for the 2017 school council. I would like to thank the dedication that this council has shown to the school and to the task of being a parent voice in the school. The next meeting will be on Thursday March 15<sup>th</sup> and it will be the Annual General Meeting. At this meeting the 2 new school councillors will be welcomed, Tamara Lawrence and Caroline Love. Denielle Campbell is going to return for a 2 year term and I would like to thank her for that. All positions will be spilt and new officers will be elected.

Today we had 26 students represent the school at the District Swimming Sports. Results of today's event will be displayed next week. Last week we held a very successful swimming carnival at the pool in very blustery conditions but everyone had a great time, even if in the seal race all the balls were blown down to the deep end of the 50m pool. If your child gains a first or second place at today's sports, they will be representing Central District at the Division swimming sports next Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> of February. Mr O'Brien will send home permission forms as soon as possible.

## SCHOOL Attendance

The school is pushing hard to improve our attendance this year. If your child is sick or unable to attend school can you please ring the office between 8:30am and 9:00am. This will help the teachers to get prepared for the day and understand why your child is not at school.

Set up for the Grade 5/6 sailing program this year is just about complete. It will take place in the first week of term 2 and be linked with a first aid course run by Red Cross. Each student will do a day of first aid training at school. The following day that class will go down to the Gippsland Lakes Yacht Club at Paynesville and spend a full day on the water. We have chosen to move the timing of the sailing program for several reasons. The water will be warmer after the summer, the wind will be more consistent and not as strong, it gives the classes an opportunity to do some team building and get to know their classmates better. Notes will be coming out in the next week for permission to do both days, the sailing and the first aid, to parents to be signed and returned as soon as possible so we can give final numbers to the yacht club.

Yours Sincerely  
Warwick Fraser  
Assistant Principal



### **Grade 6 Shirts:**

Just a reminder to parents/carers that all orders for 2018 grade 6 shirts must be in by Friday 23rd February. No late orders will be accepted.

### **Sun Smart Hats Term 4:**

Just a reminder to parents that all students **MUST** wear a sun smart hat at school during Term 1 and Term 4. **No Hat, No Play.** We have a large number of students that are not bringing their hats to school, so please check with your child that they have a hat which is clearly labelled with their name so, if lost, it can be returned to them.

### **Salvation Army Community Breakfast:**

On Thursday 22nd March the Salvation Army will be holding a community breakfast at our school from 8:15am - 8:45am. Parents/Carers/Grandparents are all invited to come along. A gold coin donation would be gratefully accepted.



### **Art Smocks:**

Can parents/carers please remember to send an art smock to school for your child/children. This can be an old T-shirt or flannel shirt, nothing fancy but clearly labelled with their name. Thanks

### **School Absences:**

Parents/Carers, please remember to call the school by 9.00am if your child/children are going to be absent this will enable us to mark them accordingly on the roll and save you a phone call from our attendance officer.



### **Coles Sports for School:**



Our school is registered with the Coles Sports for Schools program for 2018. Vouchers from your shopping can be placed in prepared boxes at Coles or brought to our school office. These incentive programs are a great way for schools to be able to purchase new sporting equipment so please collect as many as you can.

### **CSEF - Camps Sports & Excursion Fund:**

A reminder to families who hold a current Health Care or Pension card to call into the office and apply for the CSEF. If you received this last year then you will have been automatically registered for 2018. Notes were sent home to families where there was an issue with your application and will need to be followed up as soon as you can. The CSEF provides families who are eligible with \$125.00 into your school account which can be used to help pay for camps, sporting events and incursions/excursions.



# 2018 House Captains



The House Captains for 2018 were elected last week and I am sure they will prove to be great role models to all members of their respective houses. **Radford** Captains are Tristian Rose and Harriet Campbell. **Matters** Captains are Charlotte Wilmot and Meg Perry. **Ketels** Captains are Teanna Kilby and Lahni McNamara. **Bailey** Captains are Kye Alkemade and Ella Jewitt. Congratulations to them all.

## **Swimming Sports:**

Last week we held our whole school swimming sports and although the weather wasn't the best the day produced lots of winners. The winners went onto the district swimming event today at the Bairnsdale outdoor pool. As yet I have not heard if any made it through but I am sure everyone had a great day. Below are a couple of pictures of our winners from last weeks whole school swimming event.

Jessica Taylor (School Champion), Teanna Kilby, Arthur Moser, John Junge (School Champion) and Kye Alkemade.



## **House Totals:**

The overall House results from our whole school swimming event are **Bailey House:** 221 Points, **Matters House:** 214 Points, **Ketels House:** 196 Points and finally **Radford House:** 185 Points.

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## Student Awards

**Prep A:** No award due to teacher absence.

**1 / 2 A:**

**1 / 2 B: Taylor - Maree Nieling** has demonstrated how to be a good listener, she shows respect to her classmates and is being a great role model to others. Well done Taylor!

**1/2 C:**

**3/4 A: Gemma Cox** always shows respect to others and is a helpful class member.

**3/4 B: Kate Perry** for always putting in 100% and challenging herself to produce outstanding work.

**3/4 C: Izy Alkemade** for showing respect to others by treating people nicely and having a positive attitude in the classroom.

**5/6 A: Nichole Sibal** for always using excellent manners. You are also consistently ready to learn by having a positive attitude.

**5/6 B: Autumn Bailey** is organised, always listens and shows excellent manners in class. She has shown a positive attitude during our maths work on patterns and algebra.

**5/6 C:**

**5/6 D: Milly Blandford** for being a great role model in the classroom by speaking politely and listening attentively.

## Canteen News



### **Canteen Closed on Monday's**

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.



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# 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

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!**



Bairnsdale Primary School has been selected to participate in the CYMHS and Schools Early Action (CASEA) Program!

The CASEA Program works with schools, kids and parents. We help kids to develop skills in making friends, getting along with others, solving problems, and to understand & manage feelings and behaviours. We know that with these skills students will be happier and have better learning outcomes.

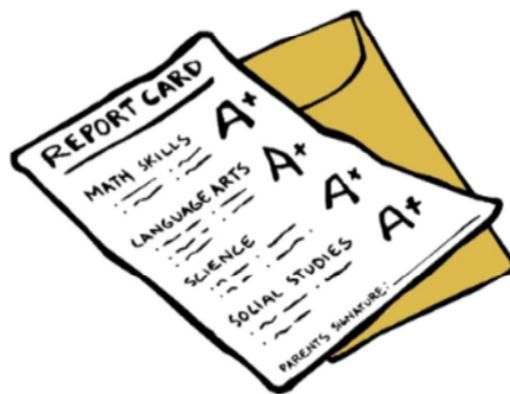
CASEA also assists parents to develop understanding and skills to support their kids with making change. We try to help kids who are having some problems with feelings and behaviour to prevent these difficulties from getting bigger in the future.

The CASEA team will be spending a bit of time in the school to get to know the staff and students. If kids or parent would like more information about CASEA please speak with Shelly Freer, or your classroom teacher, who can contact us.

We look forward to better getting to know you and your school!

All parents with children in Prep-Grade 4 will soon be receiving a letter and consent form about the CASEA program.

## Parent Teacher Interviews



**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 4.00pm – 8.00pm**

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 8.30am – 1.00pm**

# ALL ABILITIES NETBALL

## Bairnsdale

Mixed All Abilities Netball Program  
5 week program of skill development and modified games.

**When:**

Term 1: Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February until Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2018

**Time:**

4:30pm - 5:30

**Cost:**

\$53 (VNA registration)

Please email [allabilitiesbdale.n.a@hotmail.com](mailto:allabilitiesbdale.n.a@hotmail.com) for online payment details

Players 10 years and over.

Players under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

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**FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT**

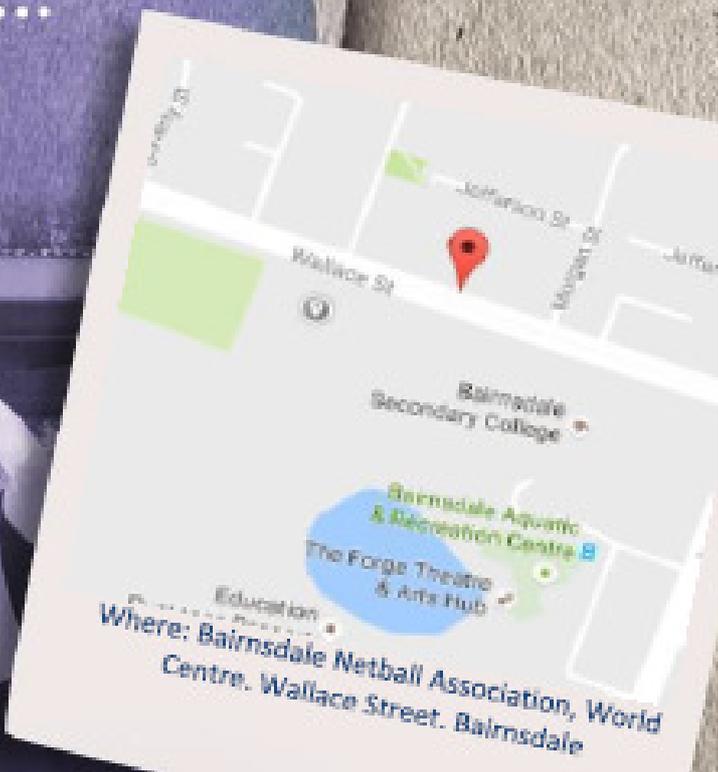
Email: [allabilitiesbdale.n.a@hotmail.com](mailto:allabilitiesbdale.n.a@hotmail.com)

or visit Bairnsdale Netball Association's Facebook

NETBALL  
VICTORIA



[netballvic.com.au](http://netballvic.com.au)



Where: Bairnsdale Netball Association, World Centre, Wallace Street, Bairnsdale

# Canteen Menu

## 2018



**Open Tuesday - Friday**

10.50am – 11.30am



Lunch orders must be placed by 9.00am  
late orders will not be accepted

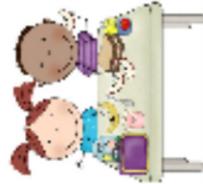
**Closed Mondays**

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, unhealthy choice, best for occasional eating only



*Parent volunteers are very welcome to help in the Canteen.*

*We always need volunteers!*

*Please call 5152 4395*



### How to place a Lunch Order

Write the lunch order on a clean brown paper bag and remember to include: Child's name, Class and room number.

Place the money inside the bag and try to include the 'correct amount' if you require change - it will be placed in the bag and returned to your child with their lunch.

Lunch orders are placed in the 'lunch basket' located in each classroom.

The Class Monitor takes the basket to the Office in the morning at 9.00am, and then collects the basket from the canteen at first break to be delivered to the classroom.

If you don't have a paper bag, write your child's order on an envelope with the money enclosed - add 20 cents for the cost of the bag.

Frozen items cannot be included in lunch orders and need to be purchased at the Canteen directly.





### Sandwiches

- Vegemite..... \$1.00
- Cheese.....\$1.50
- Ham.....\$1.50
- Ham & cheese.....\$2.00
- Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo.....\$2.50
- Salad Sandwich.....\$2.50
- (Cheese, lettuce, tomato, beetroot)
- Extra for ham or Chicken .....50c
- Toasted extra.....50c



### Hot Food

- Steamed dim sim.....\$1.00 ea
- Chicken strip - each .....\$1.00
- Large sausage roll.....\$3.00
- Party pie - each .....\$1.50
- Traveller pie.....\$4.00
- Hot Dog ..... \$3.50
- Chicken Roll with Gravy ..... \$4.00
- Nachos .....\$3.50



(Please ask for Sauce)



### Pizzas

- Ham & cheese.....\$3.50
- Ham, cheese & pineapple..... \$3.50



### Burgers

- Plain Hamburger
- (Meat Pattie, lettuce, tomato, beetroot, cheese) .....\$4.50
- Chicken burger (lettuce, cheese, mayo & 2 chicken strips)..... \$3.50



### Drinks

- Juice (Orange, Apple or Tropical) ..... \$1.50
- Flavoured milk (Chocolate, Banana or Strawberry).....\$2.00



### Lunch Combos

- Vegemite or Ham Sandwich with An Apple and Juice Box ..... \$3.00
- Extra Cheese .....50c
- Salad Sandwich (Cheese, lettuce, tomato, beetroot) with an Apple & Flavoured Milk .....\$4.50
- Extra Ham .....50c

### Chicken Burger

Biscuit and Flavoured Milk .....\$5.00

No Alterations please



**NO HEATING OF FOOD BROUGHT FROM HOME, DUE TO "HEALTH REGULATIONS"**

\* Add 20c if you don't have your own paper bag



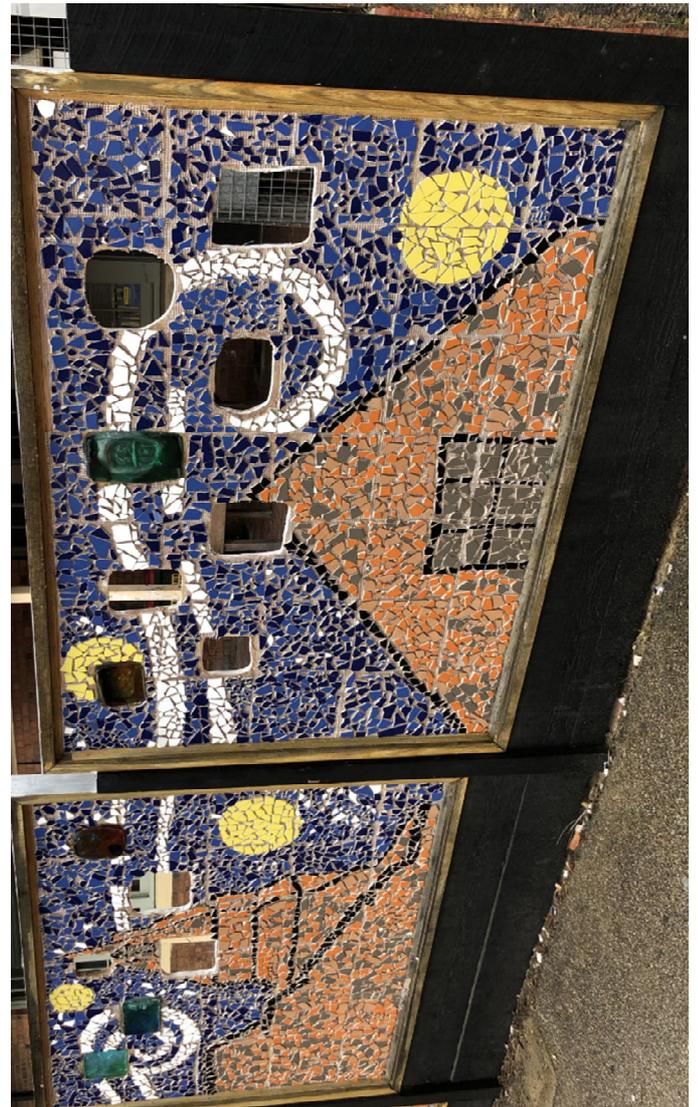
### Snacks

- Popcorn (Scoop).....50c
- Apples or Oranges .....50c
- Biscuit ..... 50c
- Fresh muffin.....50c
- Cheese stick.....\$1.00
- Tubs of yoghurt.....\$1.00

### Counter Sales Only - First Break

- Cruncha's (frozen orange juice)..... \$1.00
- Ice cream in a cone..... \$1.50
- Zooper Doopers ..... 50c
- Slushy (fruit juice—nat flavouring).\$2.00

New Mosaic panels outside the art room .... They look Awesome!



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# Bairnsdale Primary School (754)

## Matrix - SWPBS Expectations

We all come to school to learn!	RESPECT	RESPONSIBLE	RESILIENT
<b>CLASSROOM</b>	<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> 
<b>CORRIDOR MOVING AROUND THE SCHOOL</b>	<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> 
<b>PLAYGROUND</b>	<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> 
<b>BUS</b>	<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> 
<b>TOILETS</b>	<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> 
<b>ASSEMBLY</b>	<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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