



# NEWSLETTER No. 15

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Office Hours 8.30am—4.00pm

Friday 18th October 2024

**Our Vision Statement:** 754 Primary School will maximise opportunities for its students to be resilient learners in an ever changing world.

**754 Values:** Resilience, Responsibility and Respect.

Our whole school approach of School Wide Positive Behaviour Support, is the Framework to support these values.

## October

**Wed 16th:** Grade 3/4 Camp Departure Day

**Fri 18th:** Grade 3/4 Camp Returns

**Wed 30th:** Halloween Disco

## November

**Mon 4th:** Normal School Day

**Tue 5th:** Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

**No School**

## November

**Fri 8th:** Prep Transition begins 9am - 12noon

**Fri 15th:** Prep Transition 9am - 12noon

**Mon 18th:** Book Fair this week - Main Building

**Fri 22nd:** Prep Transition begins 9am - 12noon

**Fri 29th:** Last Prep Transition session  
9am - 12noon

**Salvo Breakfast Club**  
Monday & Thursday Morning

**Canteen**  
Tuesday to Friday

**School Run Breakfast Club**  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday



Simon Blake  
Principal

## Principals Comment



### **School Saving Bonus \$400.00:**

Sometime in late October or during November families should start receiving emails from the Department of Education and Training. This email will contain all the information required for families to claim the one-off \$400.00 School Savings Bonus.



### **Halloween Disco:**



The school will be holding a Halloween Disco on Wednesday 30th October. The junior and senior school will have different disco times. Please only send your child to school at the allotted time as we will have no one in the yard to supervise students.

If you are able to volunteer your time while your child is at the disco could you please let the office know. Volunteers however will need to provide a copy of a current Working With Children card to the office prior to the disco. Please see the flyer on page 6 for times and entry fee.



### **Melbourne Cup:**

Tuesday 5th November is a Public Holiday for Melbourne Cup. There will be **no school** for students. Monday 4th however is a regular school day for students.

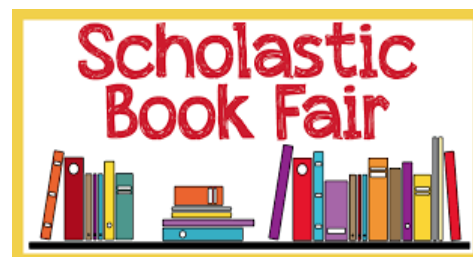
### **Consent Forms/Notes:**

Parents/Carers could we please remind you to check your child's school bag/reader folder each day for any notes etc. that they may have been given out during the day. Lots of information is being missed because children are forgetting (totally normal) to give parents/carers the notes.



### **Book Fair:**

We will be hosting another Scholastic Bookfair commencing the week of November 18th. Book Fair runs for the whole week and will be in the main building outside of 34M and 34R classrooms.



**Opening times:** 8.30am - 8.45am & 3.20pm - 4.00pm  
Eftpos, cash or credit card accepted.

### **2025 Prep Transition:**

Prep Transition program commences on Friday 8th November. Session time is 9.00am - 12.noon. Children attending the sessions should bring along a Sunsmart hat, drink bottle, change of clothes (just in case) and morning tea.

Morning tea and snacks **MUST be Nut Free** due to a child who is Anaphylactic to nuts.



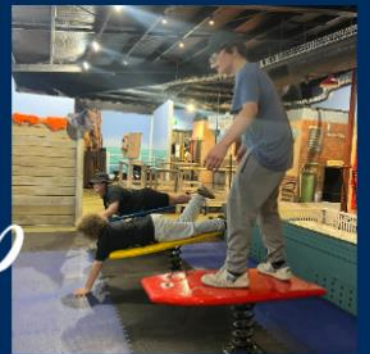
### **Absence & Late Arrivals:**

If your child is away due to illness, medical appointment etc, could you please log an absence through Compass or by clicking the link in the text message that is automatically sent at 9.45am

Reporting an absence.



If your child arrives to school after 8.50am could you please remind them to sign in at the office otherwise they will be marked 'not present' This would not be ideal in an emergency situation as they may be overlooked by staff or Emergency Services due to being marked 'not present'.



*Grade 5/6 Camp*

# PHILLIP ISLAND ADVENTURE CAMP



**Prep B** **Isaiah Stevens** you've had an outstanding start to term 4. It has been fantastic to see you coming into the classroom and completing all your morning tasks independently. You've put a lot of effort into practicing your golden words, and it's amazing to see your hard work paying off. Keep up the excellent work!

**Prep T** **Ruby Thorpe** for her impressive focus in class. Ruby has been putting in hard work every day. Ruby is learning her golden words and can find these words in books while reading and she is starting to write the initial sounds of words during writing time. Great job, Ruby! We are so proud of all your effort!

**Prep W** **Oakley Jackson** Congratulations to Oakley for an amazing start to Term 4! You've made excellent green choices and shown respect, responsibility and resilience. Keep up the fantastic effort, we are super proud of you!

**12 G** **Vincent Mullett** you are receiving this award for your ongoing commitment to your reading. This term, you have learned to understand the texts you are reading at a deeper level. Well done on consistently showing resilience when learning new skills, and for sharing your knowledge with your classmates. Keep up the good work!

**12 H** **Olivia Cray** for being Resilient. It has been a real pleasure to have Olivia come to class every day for the past two weeks. Olivia works very hard and produces beautiful pieces of writing. I love her imagination and sense of humour. Olivia is always ready to learn and help out. She consistently puts her hand up to assist in getting the classroom ready for the next activity or game. Thank you, Olivia! Keep up the great work!

**Harrison Pratt** has been working very hard this week. He is putting a lot of efforts in both writing and maths. In literacy, Harrison is working on using connective words such as 'because' and 'so'. He remembers to use punctuation at the end of his sentences. His spelling is quite amazing. In maths, Harrison always wants challenges and achieves many of them. Great work, Harrison!

**12 P** **Nate Hayes** for consistently being respectful and resilient. Nate, we love how you always show respect to everyone in the classroom. You are resilient, even when the learning gets hard, you never give up! Well done Nate, keep it up!

**Helena Thorpe** well done for your great enthusiasm for learning. It has been wonderful to see your concentration improve during teaching and learning time. You also demonstrate resilience by not giving up, even when the learning gets hard. Keep it up!

**12 M** **Cleaver Blandford** for choosing an important topic for your persuasive writing. You wrote about why people should not litter, which shows your care and responsibility towards keeping our world clean and safe. Well done on your great persuasive piece, Cleaver!

**Abby Smart** always seeks feedback in her learning and is always looking for ways to improve and challenge herself. This shows her responsibility as a learner and she should be very proud of her efforts. Well done Abby!

**34 M**

**34 N** **Remington Axford** you have worked hard this week to complete your anthology of poems for your student led conference and should be pleased with the effort you have put in. Keep up the good work.

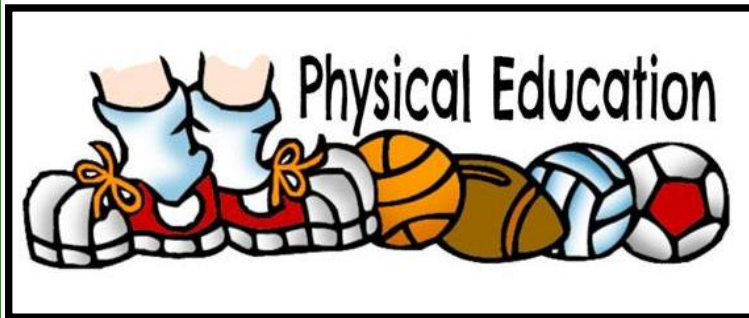
**34 R**

**5 B** **Sharna Tansley** you were amazing at the 5/6 Phillip Island Adventure Camp. You were patient and resilient at all the activities. You went outside your comfort zone to zip across the flying fox and completed the challenge of the drop slide! It was great to see you make new friends along the way!

**5 C**

**6 C** **Penny Bowd** for the responsibility she shows inside and outside the classroom. Penny is consistently ready to learn and makes positive choices. Well done, Penny!

**6 U** **Amilia Campbell** - for her much improved efforts in the classroom, keeping an open mind with her learning tasks and giving most things a real good go. Well done Amilia!



**Ronnie Brient**

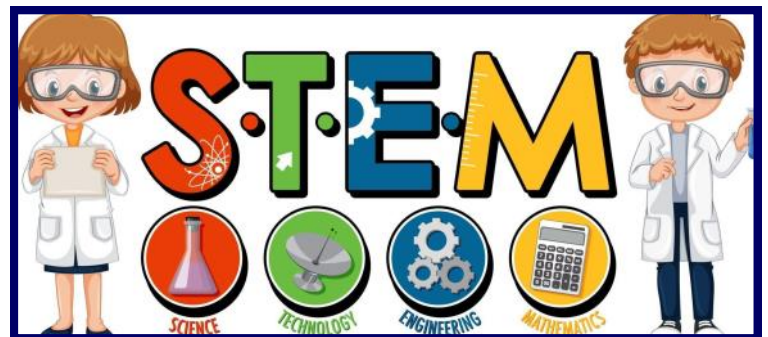
For always being an enthusiastic student who works with a high level of success in our Phys Ed classes

**Mr O'Brien**

**Ruby Button**

Ruby, you are a fantastic S.T.E.M. student because you show interest in all our topics, you work well in teams and you are kind and thoughtful towards teachers and classmates.

**Mrs Padula**



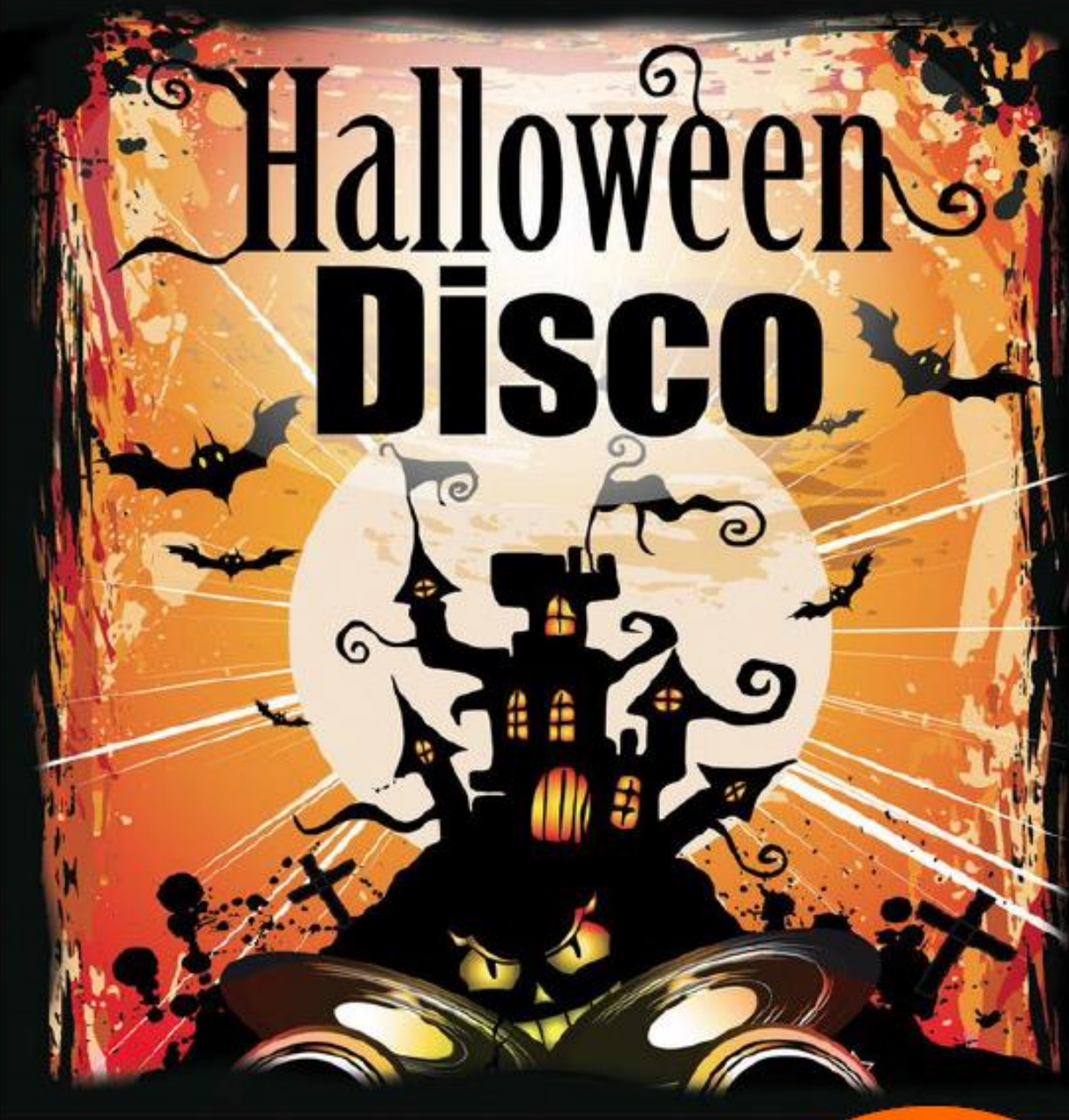
**Vincent Mullett** For always putting lots of time and effort in creating every artwork to perfection! Your Mopoke is amazing! Well done Vince!

**Abe Tscharke** for doing an amazing in his first Art lesson. Your Matisse inspired collage looks amazing! Well done Abe!

**Ms Backman**



# Halloween Disco



**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October**

**Prep - Gr2 4.30pm - 5.30pm**

**Gr 3 - Gr6 6.00pm - 7.30pm**

**\$6.00**

**ENTRY  
FEE**



**Entry fee includes a lolly bag  
and glow stick!**

East Gippsland Celebrating Community

# CHILDREN'S WEEK EVENT & EXPO

For Ages 0-18

FREE  
& FUN

Friday, 25 October 2024  
64 Great Alpine Rd, Lucknow  
1:00 pm til 6:00 pm

Resources, education & fun for the whole family



Resources & Support  
for Families



Fun Activities for all  
Ages & Abilities



Live Entertainment



Sports Clinics

**"Children have the right to a clean and safe environment."**

UNCRC Article 24

Brought to you by a partnership of organisations from across East Gippsland  
Please join us for this exciting event- contact  
[sascha.johns@vt.uniting.org](mailto:sascha.johns@vt.uniting.org)

# Canteen Menu - 2024

## Hot Food

★ <b>Beef Lasagne</b>	<b>\$6.00</b>
Bolognese sauce with cheese and béchamel sauce	
★ <b>Mac and Cheese</b>	<b>\$5.50</b>
★ <b>Pasta Bake</b>	<b>\$5.50</b>
with Tomato & Cheese	
★ <b>Fried Rice</b>	<b>\$5.50</b>
Rice with mixed vegetables fried with soy sauce	
★ <b>Pizza</b>	<b>\$4.50</b>
Wholemeal base with ham, cheese and pineapple	
★ <b>Chicken Burger</b>	<b>\$5.50</b>
Chicken burger, cheese, lettuce and mayonnaise	
★ <b>Nachos</b>	<b>\$4.50</b>
Corn chips with tomato salsa and cheese	
★ <b>Steamed Dim Sims (each)</b>	<b>\$1.50</b>
(Please ask for soy sauce)	
★ <b>Large Sausage Rolls</b>	<b>\$4.00</b>
★ <b>Large Meat Pie</b>	<b>\$4.50</b>
★ <b>Hot Dog</b>	<b>\$4.50</b>
★ <b>Chicken Nuggets (4) (Gluten Free available)</b>	<b>\$3.00</b>
★ <b>Party Pies (Gluten Free available)</b>	<b>\$1.50</b>
★ <b>Party Sausage Roll (Gluten Free available)</b>	<b>\$1.50</b>
(Please ask for tomato sauce)	

## Drinks

★ <b>Flavoured Milk</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>
Chocolate or Strawberry	
★ <b>Plain Milk</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>
★ <b>Juice Box</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>
Apple, Orange or Tropical	

### Paper Bags (if not provided) - Please add 20c

*Foods marked green are healthy food choices. This is guilt-free canteen food, which is low in sugar, salt and fat.*

*Foods marked red 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.*

## Sandwiches

★ <b>Vegemite/Jam Sandwich</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>
★ <b>Salad Sandwich</b>	<b>\$4.50</b>
Lettuce, tomato, cheese, beetroot and cucumber	
★ <b>Cheese Toastie</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>

## Snacks

★ <b>Pop Corn</b>	<b>50c</b>
★ <b>Cheese Snacks</b>	<b>50c</b>
★ <b>Fresh Fruit</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>
Apple or orange	
★ <b>Fruit Cup (two fruits)</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>
★ <b>Cookies</b>	<b>50c</b>
★ <b>Frozen Fruit Bag (Terms 1 &amp; 4)</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>
(Pineapple, orange, grapes)	
★ <b>Zooper Dooper</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>
★ <b>Ice Cream in a Cone</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>
Chocolate or Vanilla - single serve only	

## **Remember the Canteen is closed Mondays**

*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 or caregivers have some time to spare. Even an hour a week would be of help. Please see the School Office or Devon in the Canteen for more details.*

*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.*

*The cut off for online orders through Compass is **8.45am***

**We Come To 754 Primary School  
To Learn!**



**I Can Be Respectful**

I can treat others the way that they like to be treated

I can listen to others!



I can have a positive attitude!

**I Can Be Responsible**

I can make positive choices!

I can be ready to learn



I can own my own behaviour!

**I Can Be Resilient**

I can have a go and try my best!

I can try to solve my own problems



I can be brave and persevere!