



Important Dates

17th June 2021

JUNE	
	Junior Science Incursion – Postponed
Wednesday 23 rd	Parent Teacher conversations 1.00 – 6.00pm
Friday 25 th	Last Day of Term 2 – 2.30pm dismissal
JULY	
Monday 12 th	First Day of Term 3
Wed 14 th – Fri 16 th	Year 5/6 Camp
Wednesday 14 th	Body Business Parents Info Session Yr 4/5/6
Monday 19 th	Body Business Yr 5/6
Thurs 22 nd – Fri 23 rd	Year 2 Camp
Monday 26 th	Body Business Yr 5/6
Wed 28 – 30 th	Yr 3/4 Camp
OTHER DATES TO REMEMBER	
Monday 23 rd August	Year 3 to 6 Athletics at Landy Field.
Sat 28 th August	Parents Club 'Anglesea Primary School's Winter Gala'
Friday 6 th August	Prep 2022 Transition commences 10 -12.15pm
Tuesday 17 th August	Whole School performance at 'Schools' Music and Movement Festival'

PRINCIPAL'S COLUMN

OUR SCHOOL VALUES: Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration.

ONSITE LEARNING. Thanks again to everyone for following our Return to School Plan. Below is a quick summary:

- Once at school, the children are to walk through one of the gates by themselves as we need to limit parent/carer/visitor access.
- Due to density limits (1 person per 4 square metres, which includes students and staff), parents/carers/visitors are not able to come into the school buildings. If you need to contact the school, please phone the office on 5263 1231. To contact a teacher, phone the school or send them an email.
- If anyone (staff, parents/cares or students) is unwell and/or showing even the mildest of symptoms of COVID-19, please get tested and isolate until they get their results.

LOST PROPERTY. We are checking this each day and returning clothing to children. A reminder to please check all clothing is clearly named.

STUDENT REPORTS. Parents/carers will shortly receive a notification via Compass to show that the reports are ready for viewing.

PARENT TEACHER CONVERSATIONS. The Semester 1 Parent Teacher Conversations will be held on Wednesday 23rd June from 1:00-6:00pm. Thanks to those parents who have booked a session via Compass to have a conversation with your child's teacher. For the Juniors, this is your child's English and Maths teacher and for

the Seniors this is your child's Home Group teacher. Due to COVID restrictions, the conversations will be held via telephone call with teachers phoning parents.

BOOKING YOUR PARENT/TEACHER CONVERSATION. To book your session, you will need to log onto Compass using your individual username and password.

- Using a computer - Once you have logged into Compass, you will see an event titled "Parent Teacher Conversation Sem 1 2021". Click on that and follow the prompts to make your individual booking.
- Using a smart phone – Open up the Compass app and select "Conferences". Click on the "Parent Teacher Conversation Sem 1 2021" event and follow the prompts to make your individual booking.

If you experience any difficulties, please contact the school.

BODY BUSINESS PARENT INFORMATION SESSION. This program for Grade 4-6 girls and Grade 5-6 boys commences on Monday 19th July (Week 2 of Term 3). Prior to this a Parent Information Session has been scheduled for Wednesday 14th July. At this stage we're not sure if the information session can be held face-to-face at school or via WebEx video-conference like last year. Once we know, we'll inform the parents of these children.

SCHOOL-FAMILY COMMUNICATION. An action from our Annual Implementation Plan is to 'provide regular updates of student learning progress to parents/carers via students completed Quality Learning Tasks. The children were to share their completed tasks with parents/carers at our Open Afternoon which had to be cancelled due to COVID. On Tuesday next week the students will take home a hard copy of the Quality Learning Task. Parents/carers – this will be a good opportunity for your child/ren to share with you some of the work they have completed at school. We hope to have some Open Afternoons later in the year.

PARENTS CLUB UPDATE. The Winter Gala will be held at RACV Torquay Ballroom on Saturday 28th August from 6:30pm - 12:00pm. Due to COVID the AGM has been pushed back to July 15 with the venue to be confirmed – more information to come. Vacant positions are: President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. Parents Club is very important to our school for the fundraisers they operate provide significant opportunities for our students. They need more helpers to assist with fundraising so please feel welcome to attend the AGM. At present Parents Club are raising funds for new playground equipment with previous fundraising efforts resulting in the Imaginative Play Space (cubbies), shade sails over the playground, enlarged bike shed, books for the children to read and new tables/desks for students to use.

2022. Enrolments for 2022 Preps are now open. Unfortunately due to COVID restrictions we are unable to provide school tours at present. Our Prep Transition program is due to commence on Friday 6th August.

VALUE OF THE WEEK. This week we are focusing on teaching the children to show Respect – we use our words to solve problems.

- We listen with our eyes, ears and have still bodies when people are speaking
- We take turns speaking.
- We brainstorm options for a solution and agree on which one to use.

Next week we will focus on Respect: We apologise when we make mistakes:

- When we apologise we say what we did wrong.
- We say how we think it made the other person feel.
- We say how we feel now & promise not to do it again.

ASSEMBLY. Assembly today will be held tomorrow at 2:45pm via WebEx. To visit the Assembly, click here: <https://eduvic.webex.com/meet/surkitt.murray.v>

There will not be an Assembly next week due to the of term early dismissal of 2:30pm.

Anglesea PS: great staff, great students, great community = great school!

Murray Surkitt.
Principal.

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FROM THE OFFICE:

Helping at Our School...Thank you.

Sick Bay Laundry Roster – Term 1 helpers needed please

We need people to go on our sick bay roster. This would involve changing the bedding. ie washing the sheets, pillow cases, doona cover each Friday. If you are able to help please send me an email anglesea.ps@education.vic.gov.au or pop in to the office and see me.

June 11th & 18th – Cath Hobson

June 25th & July 16th – Bridget McDonnell

YARD DUTY ROSTER

For those families who have opted into do yard duty an email will be sent out to families with their task to be done during the week commencing on the date below. Many thanks for helping to keep our school buildings and grounds safe and tidy. Thanks to the Scanlan and Sayer families for their great work in spreading the softfall in the playground to make it safe for our kids.

19th June – Sasulu and Sahr families

School Holidays -

Junior Learning Community News

Here is a snapshot of learning from home this week:

BluEarth



Sam working on flexibility James and Sunny practising mindfulness

Science - Forces in Water

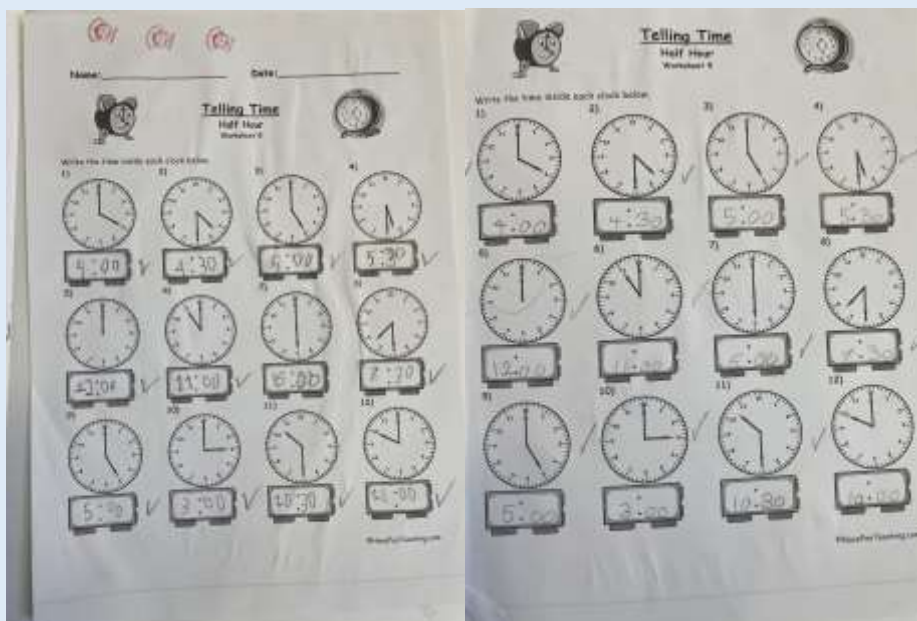


Students in Junior J investigating forces in water

Students investigated how forces work in water. After learning about how forces work in water, students predicted then investigated which items (empty water bottle, paddle pop stick, metal spoon, plastic spoon, a coin) would float or sink. Students then came up with a definition for how forces work in water.

Miss Jay's Learning Group -

The Panthers have been celebrating all of our successes in our learning this week. In Maths, students have achieved their goals of being able to read o'clock and half past times on analogue and digital clocks. It was wonderful to see Scout, Hugo, Poppy, Sunny and Archie teach and help other students progress with these goals to help prove they understood these skills.



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Summer

Miss Churcher's Learning Group -

This week in Reading and Writing the Koala's have been learning about informative texts. The students successfully identified different sight words in the book 'Foxes' and then began writing their own information pieces based on foxes in their Writing Trait Crate books.



Bobby



Class Work finding sight words



Alex



Raph



Quinn and Charlie



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We use our words to solve problems. We listen with our eyes and ears and have still bodies when people are speaking. We take turns speaking. We brainstorm options for a solution and agree on which one to use.

Class Awards

Congratulations:

Junior J - Scarlet M , Junior C - Hutch , Junior S - Johnny

Assembly - To be held on Webex.

Notes home:

Grade 2 camp parent permission notes.

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Jay, Julie, Linda and Courtney (The Junior Team)

2021 Victorian Snow Interschools Information

Are your children snowboarders or skiers? The annual Victorian Interschools is on at Mt Buller this year from August 23-24. The Interschools is a team-based competition for competitors attending the same school, although individuals can enter when insufficient competitors are available to form a team. Competitors from all ability levels are encouraged to enter, with an emphasis on fun and participation.

A school parent, Andrew Goodday, has offered to act as Event Coordinator in the event of enough interest. Entries need to be finalised by 9th August. If you think this is something you might be interested in pursuing or finding out further information, can you please email me by the end of the school holidays. We can then put the wheels in motion and make the entry deadline in August. All costs such as entry, accommodation, lift tickets, transport and supervision are the responsibility of individual parents. You can find out more about the event at this link <https://www.interschools.com.au/home-victoria/>



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Just a few ideas for the Silent Auction donations.....

- Restaurant Voucher
- Gift Certificates
- Amusement Parks
- Fitness Training
- Movie Tickets
- Spa & Salons

DONATIONS TO BE LEFT AT SCHOOL OFFICE

Senior Learning Community

Reminders

We continue to have a lot of unnamed lost property (hats and jumpers) left outside and in the Learning Space at the end of each day. To assist us to return these items to your child, please remember to name your child's clothing and other belongings.

English

Over the past few weeks students in Senior K and Senior L have been writing 'One Handed Book Reviews' of some of the novels we have devoured so far this year. Below are some examples from Sierra, Leon and Ben.

Once



This book is about a young boy named Felix who was put in an orphanage at young age because his parents wanted to protect him. But when he finds a whole carrot in his soup which is very rare he sees it as a sign that his parents are coming. But after waiting his parents did not come he set of on a journey to find his parents.

I liked how determined Felix was to find his parents and how he would not let any one or any thing stop him no matter what.

I wish the book was longer because if you do not have the whole series you will get very intrigued and then the book will end.

One thing is that I think that the chapters could be a bit shorter because I finish a chapter and I look how long we have left and I don't have enough time to finish the next chapter.

I think it is a wonderful book to read and I strongly suggest this book for you to read. It has lots of action packed scenes and a good layout.

Fish In A Tree

Lynda Mullaly Hunt



This book is about girl called Ally & she has dyslexia which makes her ability to read difficult. All of the kids make fun of her because she sees words backwards. She is trying to seek for some help from her peers.

I liked how the main character never gives up and she is so smart even though she has a reading disorder and suddenly from playing chess and staying after school, she finally learns to read.

I wish that the author made the book more intense and had more problems in it, like if Albert turned into Albert Einstein. I also wish that there was a second book because it was a really good book to read.

One thing I loved was that this book was so interesting and it had so many twists and turns. I hated that I couldn't put this book down!

I think that if you like the book Wonder, you would really like and enjoy this book!

The Wild Robot

By Peter brown

Leon

The Wild Robot is about a robot called Roz. She has to make life on an island where no humans live only animals. The animals that she meets along the journey are Brightbill (a duck), old goose, fox and much, much more.

What I liked about The wild Robot is it always keeps you hooked in and makes you want to read more. I liked how Peter brown put happy fun moments and the sad dull moments.

I wish that the book went longer because the detail was so good and I loved the creativity that Peter used when writing the story I mean how does a robot and a > your head.



I ask the author is could you write more books in the series a final two books and it made me want to read more.

ok should be in everybody's bookshelf because it is a one is a second book in this series it is called The Wild



Book Trailers

After our return from remote learning Senior K and Senior L finally had the opportunity to present their Book Trailer Movies. We were very impressed with the quality of their trailers, and their creativity. Please click on the links below to view some of the Book Trailers that were presented.

[Just Add Glitter](#)

[Legend of Rock, Paper, Scissors](#)

[Return of the Jaberwocky](#)

Maths

On Tuesday Mr B and Mrs. Rankin's maths group had fun exploring how vertical and horizontal symmetry works. We solved a mystery symmetry picture through using our previous knowledge about coordinates to solve half the picture and then used our new found skills around transforming that image into a symmetrical picture. (See Kiahna's wonderful example below.) We then started to create our own pictures that show symmetry so that we could in turn create our own mystery picture using coordinates. (See Lenni's example below). We are still mastering the art of perfect symmetry, sometimes it is trickier than we think!!! Also a big thanks to Mr. Lester for joining our Mental Maths group this week to teach us the fantastic game of 'Addition Bingo'. The students enjoyed solving lots of Addition problems in a fun game setting but then took the next step of analysing which numbers come up more often when you add 2 numbers from 10 sided dice. They were then able to create a new bingo board using the statistics and probability they had discovered to ensure their next bingo board had a more 'likely' chance of winning.



Gardening / Biological Science



The sun was shining for our mulching and weeding session this week with our 'green thumbed' grades 3 and 4 students! We used wheelbarrows, pitch forks, rakes, shovels, secateurs and spades to move more mulch, weed, trim and prepare garden beds. Thanks to all the students who helped, although the garden has a real 'Winter' feel about it with little produce at the moment, we know all this hard work will pay off in the Spring as our fruits and vegetables start to flower and grow. It was such a fabulous session with students showing all of our school values of Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration that we decided to treat ourselves to a picnic lunch in our beautiful garden.

Physical Science

This week students with Mrs Virgona and Mr Turner, looked at magnetic forces. Students investigated the forces of attraction and repulsion between magnets. Working in pairs, students trialed bringing North and

South poles of magnets together to test the attraction and repulsion of like and unlike poles and discussed what they noticed. Students then created a test to move a toy car using magnets. Students considered how close the magnet needed to get to the car before the two magnets started to work together (magnetic force) to pull the car along (unlike poles) or push the car backwards (like poles). Students measured the distance moved and tested what changes occurred when they used more or less magnets. Some students even managed to get their cars to 'drive' around a 'race track'. We discovered that magnets are amazing!



Inquiry Presentations

Late last week, students in Grades 3 and 4 completed oral presentations as part of our Inquiry unit. Students created posters to display the findings of their research into a country of their choice as part of our Geography unit, linked to the upcoming Tokyo Olympics. Students shared the facts they had researched and displayed on their posters with their Home Group and are to be congratulated for presenting so clearly and confidently. Each student completed a self evaluation for their own poster and a peer evaluation for one of their classmates posters/presentations. Parents and Carers can look forward to their child's poster and self and peer evaluation forms coming home next week.



Year 3/4 Camp - Reminder

In term 3 we are hoping students in Grades 3 and 4 will be attending Angahook Camp (Aireys Inlet). The camp will run over 2 nights Wednesday 28th July to Friday 30th July. Please complete and return the camp permission form and medical form to the office with the \$100 deposit by **Monday 21st June (last week of term 2)** with the balance of payment due by 21st July. The camp itinerary and list will be sent out the week before camp.

Year 5/6 Camp - Reminder

In the first week of term 3 we are hoping Year 5 and 6 students will be going to Melbourne camp. Students will be departing Waurm Ponds Train station on Wednesday 14th July and returning on Friday 16th July.

Permission and medical forms are to be returned as soon as possible with at least the \$100 deposit by the end of this term. The balance of the camp payment will be due on Monday 12th July (first day of term) before students depart for camp.

Parents will receive an automatically generated email from City CYC (the camp in Melbourne) in the coming week, asking parents to fill dietary requirements for their child/ren. Please action the email once received.

Awards

Senior K - Ben
Senior L - Henry
Senior V - Nita
Senior T - Dylan
Senior B - Teddy

Legends of the Week

Senior K - Gus
Senior L - Tom
Senior V - Alexander
Senior T - Arielle
Senior B - Lexi

Homework:

- Nightly reading (30 minutes)
- SMART Spelling - 5/6 's

Notes Home

- 5/6 Camp and medical forms
- 3/4 Camp and medical forms

Duncan, Lachlan, Fleur, Natalie, Wendy, Ben and Georgia.

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Community News

SCHOOL HOLIDAY Eco Crafts for Kids

FUN, CREATIVE AND MINDFUL CRAFT WORKSHOPS

Crafting new items from repurposed materials

Examples might include making dream catchers from scrap material and yarn, pouches from old bike tubes, keep sake boxes from magazines, scrunchies from fabric.



AIREY'S INLET COMMUNITY HALL

Fri 2nd July
10:00 - 11:30am

Fri 9th July
10:00 - 11:30am

ANGLESEA COMMUNITY HOUSE

Tues 29th June
10:00 - 11:30am

Tues 6th July
10:00 - 11:30am

Booking online essential


Spaces are limited so book your slot early!

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 PRIMARY SCHOOLS GOLF



Primary students in grades 3, 4, 5 or 6 who attend a Victorian Primary School are eligible to play in golf events that are organised by Golf Australia in partnership with School Sport Victoria. In the qualifying rounds students will play 9 holes on a short course, players will be notified of their progression to the state finals by Golf Australia. Students who qualify for the SSV State final will play 18 holes on a shortened course at Koorngal Golf Club.

Entry to the events is online.

<https://www.golf.org.au/schoolevents>

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On **Thursday August 5th, 2021**

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