



Important Dates

15/09/2022

SEPTEMBER					
Thursday 15 th Mini Fete – 10 – 12.30/1pm - Last Day of Term 2					
Friday 16 th Staff Professional Practise Day -Student Free Day					
	OCTOBER				
Monday 3 rd	First Day of Term 4				
Wednesday 12 th	Landy Field Sports Day for Juniors (Parents to transport students)				
Monday 17 th	Prep/Year 1 Breakfast				
Friday 21st	Spooky Disco run by Parents' Club				
Thursday 27 th	Prep 2023 Transition 3.30pm				
Friday 28 th					
	NOVEMBER				
Tuesday 1 st	Melbourne Cup Day Holiday				
Friday 11 th Prep Transition 10 – 11.30am (New date due to 5/6 Nippers Day)					
Friday 18 th	Year 5/6 Nippers Day				
Friday 25 th Curriculum Day – Student free					
Monday 28 th -9/12	Beach Safety and Awareness				
	DECEMBER				
Tuesday 13 th	Tuesday 13 th Whole School Transition Day –Including Prep 2023				
Wednesday 14 th	Wednesday 14 th Parent/Carer/Teacher Conversations				
Friday 16 th	House Sports- All School – 9.30am				
Monday 19 th	Yr 6 Graduation – 5.30pm				
Tuesday 20 th Last Day of 2022 School Year – 2.30pm dismissal					

PRINCIPAL'S COLUMN

School Values: Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration.

TERM 3. Term 3 concludes today and again we faced some challenges due to student and staff absence due to illness. I hope everyone enjoys the two-week term break and is in good health for Term 4 which begins on Monday 3rd October.

MINI FETE AND FOOTY COLOURS DAY. Given our experiences with COVID, a priority in this year's Annual Implementation Plan is to provide authentic/fun/challenging learning tasks and activities for students. Today we held our Mini Fete and it was great to see the students' running activities and having fun. It was also wonderful to see them wearing their footy colours.

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING. A priority in this year's Annual Implementation Plan is to provide professional learning to our staff to assist achieve the goals in our 2020-2024 School Strategic Plan, SSP being:

Maximise the learning growth of every student.

- Embed student voice and learner agency.
- Improve the health and wellbeing outcomes for every student.

This has included: Professional Learning Communities, Maths, Sounds Write, Berry Street and Safe Minds. On Saturday three teachers, along with some of our parents, attended the Australian Autism Conference in Melbourne.

SCHOOL COUNCIL. Thanks to our members of school council for giving their time and expertise to support the school. We met yesterday and below is a summary:

- The Kelly Club presented a proposal to outsource our Out of School Hours Care program.
- The following policies were approved and will soon appear on or website: Complaints, Child Code of Conduct, Student Wellbeing and Engagement, Volunteers
- We discussed the new Victorian Government Schools Agreement, that was produced as it is recognised that teachers work above and beyond their allocated 38 hours per week. This may impact our Camps and after school meetings.
- Our Parents Club are planning our major fundraiser, the Village Fair. They are also hosting a 'Spooky Disco' for the children at school on Friday 21st October.
- A term 4 Curriculum Day, our fourth and final day for the year, was approved for Friday 25th November. This is a pupil free day and like previous years, on this day staff will be planning for 2023.
- We discussed the roster for this weekends Out of Hours School Care (OHSC) BBQ fundraiser at the ANGAIR Art Show. Thanks to parents/carers for giving their time to assist.
- Earlier this year we submitted a grant application, of up to \$200k, for an Inclusive Playground. We're not sure if our application will be approved, however the Victorian Schools Building Authority contacted us recently about it.
- We approved funds be spent to erect our Outdoor Learning Centre to the eastern side of the Grade 5+6 classroom. Hopefully this will be built over the summer holidays.

SSA JUNIOR (PREP – 2) ATHLETICS. This is scheduled for Wednesday 12th October. Like previous years, parents/carers are required to organise transport for their child/ren to and from Landy Field. Further information including permission and payment has been sent out via Compass.

PARENT/CARER CLASSROOM HELPERS. This is being offered so parents/carers can assist in our teaching spaces. An induction session will be held at school on Tuesday 4th October at 9am. If you are attending, please RSVP with Colleen in the office by 4:00pm on Monday 3rd October.

PARENT/CARER INFORMMATION SESSION – iPads/ICT. This will be held at school on Thursday 6th October at 4pm. If you would like to know more about our iPad/ICT program, please RSVP with Colleen by 4:00pm on Tuesday 4th October.

2022 PARENT/CAREGIVER/GUARDIAN OPINION SURVEY. A reminder that this survey is open until Friday 16th September. Details can be found on Compass and thanks to the 23 families who have already completed the survey.

CAMPS.

- Grade 3 and 4. I commend the students for their positive behaviour and the staff for their organisation and care during last week's camp. Thanks to parents/cares for collecting their children on Friday at 2:30pm and to the staff for volunteering their time, away from their own families, to attend Camp.
- Somers Camp. We have been allocated places for 5 boys and 3 girls, which is exactly the number of children who lodged an expression of interest form. Further information about the Camp was sent home this week to Ollie and Tom Maffett, Xavier Hotchin, Fletcher Bates, Jack Davidson, Ruby Gooday, Macey Bereza and Tora Fitzgerald.

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

Murray Surkitt.

Principal.

Email: murray.surkitt@education.vic.gov.au

PS. GO THE CATTERS!

Helping at Our School...Thank you.

YARD DUTY ROSTER:

As you would be aware, at the start of the year you were given the choice to go on the Yard Duty Roster or pay the \$50 levy to go towards the cost of employing a gardener. Either way we greatly appreciate your contribution to keeping our grounds safe and tidy. The following roster shows the **weeks when your family** is rostered on. You will receive an email on the Monday which gives you the full week until the following Monday to complete your simple task which will be outlined in the email. Thank you to the Blake and Bowman families for their work in the yard.

FAMILY NAME	WEEK BEGINNING
Chapman Family	School Holiday
Crowcroft Family	School Holiday
Edwards Family	3 rd October – 9 th October
Fitzgerald Family	3 rd October – 9 th October
Gates Family	12 th – 19 th October
Gibbens Family	12 th – 19 th October

Sick Bay Laundry Roster – Term 3

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. Thank you to Evie Lander for her doing the sick bay washing over the last two weeks, your help is greatly appreciated.

Term 3 Roster

Friday 2nd Sept/9^th/16th – Evie Lander

<u>Term 4</u>

Friday 7/14th October - Alison Evans

Friday 21/28th October – Marion Goulding

Friday 4th/11th November – Sonia Mccall-White

Friday 18th/25th – Emma Sydneham

Thank you to these wonderful parents.

Angair BBQ

OSHC Fundraiser - 17th and 18th of September

Please see Colleen or Rachel about volunteering to help at the BBQ and raise funds for our before and after school care program.

OSHC relies heavily on fundraising to run our program.

Parent helpers are greatly appreciated.

We still have a few TIME SLOTS TO BE FILLED

Thank you to the following wonderful parents for their help with the bbq.

	7.00 -8.00	8.00 -10.00	10.00 – 12noon	12 – 2pm	2.00pm packup
SAT	Sandy Martin	Nat Sheather	Adriana Parsons	Kylyn White	Sandy Martin
17TH	Nat Sheather	Pip Atherstone-Reid	Marina Rogers	Samantha Murrihy	Twiggy Finemore

	Nicloe Butcher	Jen Mundy	Billy Rogers	Bridget McDonnell	Jessie Palmer
Sun	Sandy Martin	Gill Hutchinson	Guy Towsend	Ellen Doxey	Sandy Martin
18th	Nat Sheather	Nat Sheather	Emma Fenty	Rob Ashby	
	Alison Evans	Alison Evans	Brendan McAloon		

If you can fill one of these times, please drop in or send us an email.

Wellbeing News

Wellbeing Professional Learning

Over the term teachers have participated in several professional learning sessions about disabilities and inclusive practices.

Mrs Rankin, Mr A, Mrs Wylie, Mrs Hyland, Miss Karren, Miss Jay and Miss Pietsch participated in a full day Safe Minds session. **SAFEMind**s stands for **Schools and Families Enhancing Minds**, and is a comprehensive professional learning and resource package that enhances the capacity of educators and school communities to; enhance early intervention mental health support for children and young people in schools; specifically regarding mild mood disorders (anxiety and depression) and self-harm, increase engagement of parents and carers with schools to more effectively support their child's mental health; develop clear and effective referral pathways between schools and community youth and mental health services. The SAFEMinds program also aims to develop the knowledge and understanding of the whole school community about the many different forms of emotional distress children and young people may experience, and how these might be presented. It uses a series of immersive, video-based experiences and personal stories of children and young people, their families and teachers.

For more information about this program please click the link here - https://safeminds.org.au

Last Saturday Miss Fleur, Miss G and Mr A attended the **Australian Autism Conference** in Melbourne. This conference provided us with the incredible opportunity to gain information and strategies from nationally and internationally renowned

experts, that will help us with understanding and supporting the autistic people in our community. We found this conference most valuable because every presenter was an autistic person! We really appreciated being able to learn more about autism from them. Yenn Purkis spoke to us about Autism and gender diversity. Dr Siobhan Lamb spoke to us about understanding your Neurodivergent/Twice-Exceptional student or child. Ebony Birch-Hanger spoke to us about Autism lifelines; self-care, resilience and anxiety management. Penny Robinson spoke to us about Autism and Sensory challenges. Tim Chan spoke to us about Non-speaking Autism and his personal experiences and Christina Keeble spoke to us about Demand Avoidance; Autism and PDA.

For more

information about this conference please click the link here - https://www.myspiritedchild.com/2022-aac-melbourne/

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Value of the Week Mentor Texts that the teachers have used this week to promote the value of Respect

I'm Sorry by Sam McBratney - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J08K8jbe60M



Junior News

We would like to wish our families a safe and happy holiday. We are all very proud with how the Juniors have demonstrated our school values and how they have worked this term, achieving many learning goals. We look forward to working with you all again in what will be another busy and exciting Term.

Farewells

This week we farewell Leia and Neve as they move back to Samoa. We have loved having them both in the JLC and we wish them and their family all the best.

This week we also farewell Emilia our Pre-Service teacher who has been with us for the last three weeks. We wish her all the best with her future career as a teacher.

Mini Fete

We would like to thank all of our families for helping to make this a success. We were blown away with the generosity of our families for donating so many items for our **Wallabies Super Stall**, **prizes** and for making **fruit sticks**.

It's been another fun and busy week of learning in our final week of term. Below is a snapshot of our week.

Wallabies- Bounding into Learning & Piranhas-Snapping up Success Mathematics - Orienteering

This Wednesday, the Wallabies and the Piranhas came together for Maths. The Wallabies had created an orienteering activity for the Piranhas to complete. The Wallabies had drawn a detailed birdseye view of the school complete with a compass rose, and numbered 17 locations for the Piranhas to find. At each of these locations was a mathematical question for the Piranhas to solve, based on our learning goals of Number, Time, Shape and Place Value. We were impressed with the enthusiasm and commitment of the Wallabies and also, how the Piranhas demonstrated our school value of collaboration when working together to solve the questions to complete the task. It was also wonderful to see the Wallabies supporting the Piranhas in a kind and respectful manner. Well done Wallabies and Piranhas!















Tinker Time

This term in Tinker Time the students have been investigating where food, fibres and materials come from. As part of the unit we looked at sustainable ways to use existing materials in our environment. Last week, the students made paint brushes and paint from natural materials and products. This week we mimicked the paper recycling process to make our own pulp and paper in a wonderfully collaborative and messy process!



Stars of the Week

Wallabies- William Piranhas- Layla King Parrots- Charlie Persistent Puppies- Bligh

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Jay, Julie, Wendy, Linda and Emily (The Junior Team)

Senior Community News

Grade 3/4 Camp

Grade 3 and 4 students had a fantastic time on camp at Coastal Forest Lodge. We did lots of fun activities including Damper Making, Low Ropes, Bush Shelter Building, Mini Golf, Surfing, Anglesea's Got Talent, Movie Night, petting the farm animals including alpacas, sheep, horses and donkeys, had free time to play basketball, volleyball and of course played with our friends! Students are to be congratulated on their impeccable manners towards camp staff and the way that they represented themselves and our school with the Values of Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration. Despite some cold weather and sleepless nights students and teachers had a ball! Here are some photos of us enjoying camp;



















Writing

This week, students in Grade 3 and 4 presented their Compare and Contrast informative writing pieces. Students chose two animals to research to find out what was similar and what was different with regards to their characteristics, habitat, diet, offspring, predators and cool/interesting facts.





Writing Grade 5/6's

In Writing this week the Grade 5/6 students have completed their poetry Anthology books. It was amazing to see the finished pieces that the students put so much effort into completing. Students partook in peer to peer sharing of their work to celebrate the poetry they had created with their peers. The students will be bringing their poetry anthology books home with them this week to share with their families.

Bluearth

On Monday, Cohen and Greta planned the Bluearth session for Senior A and Senior LT. They had to plan a warm-up, skill practice, main activity and cooldown/reflection. They did a fantastic job of planning this session and took their role of House Captain seriously.

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COMMUNITY NEWS









Auslan Together (5+)

Monday 19 September

10:30am - 11:30am

Future Cities (8+)

Tuesday 20 September

2:30pm - 3:30pm

Recycled Instrument Jam Session (All Ages)

Wednesday 21 September 10:30am - 11:30am

Future Cities (8+)

Monday 26 September 10:30am - 11:30am

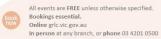
Auslan Together (5+)

Wednesday 28 September 10:30am - 11:30am



Torquay Library

Surf City Plaza, Beach Road







Art Exhibition

Thursday 22nd Sept -Sunday 9th Oct 10am - 4pm



Monika Freake

Moni is an oil and acrylic painter who's love of the Surf Coast shines through her paintings. Moni found her freedom to create only 3 years ago and is iving by the mantra 'It's never too

Julia Freake

Julia is a painter and crafter inspired by the surf coast inspired by the surf coast inspired by the surf coast is passionate about supporting emotional well-being through creativity and shares her knowledge and experiences through her business, ash art and healing.



Ruby and Molly love origami, drawing, painting, crafts and they enjoy assisting Julia with eco craft workshops.

> Hanna has been exploring photography



Mini Workshops

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