



Important Dates

20/10/2023

TERM 4	
Friday 20 th October	Book Club orders due
Thursday 26 th October	Prep Transition 3.30pm – 4.00pm
Monday 30 th October	Sustainability Incursion – Juniors. Lorne P-12 Band Visiting & Free Sausage Sizzle
Tuesday 7 th November	Public Holiday
Sunday 5 th November	Riverbank Market - Parent / Carer assistants required
Friday 10 th November	Robotics Excursion – Grade 3 & 4
Monday 13 th November	Sustainability Incursion – Juniors
Friday 17 th November	SSA Year 5/6 Nippers Day
Monday 20 th November	Student Free Day. Staff Planning
Friday 24 th November	Prep Transition 10am – 11.30am
Monday 27 th -Friday 8 th	Beach Safety and Awareness Program – 2 weeks except Wednesdays
Friday 15 th December	Prep Transition 10am – 11.30am
Monday 11 th December	Sustainability Incursion – Juniors
Monday 18 th December	House Sports Day
Tuesday 19 th December	Grade 6 Graduation 5.30pm
Wednesday 20 th December	Last day of Term 4 2023 - 2.30 Dismissal

PRINCIPAL'S COLUMN

School Values: Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration.

Child Safe Anglesea Primary School is a child safe organisation which welcomes all children, young people and their families. We are committed to providing environments where our students are safe and feel safe, where their participation is valued, their views respected, and their voices are heard about decisions that affect their lives. Our child safe policies, strategies and practices are inclusive of the needs of all children and students. We have no tolerance for child abuse and take proactive steps to identify and manage any risks of harm to students in our school environments. Particular attention is given to the child safety needs of Aboriginal students, those from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, international students, students with disabilities, those unable to live at home, children and young people who identify as LGBTIQ+ and other students experiencing risk or vulnerability. Child safety is a shared responsibility.

Our Vision Anglesea Primary School is a creative and fun learning environment, that is accepting of all and promotes the following values: Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration. Students will

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BUSHFIRE PREPAREDNESS. Via Compass information is available regarding procedures we will follow in the event of any Catastrophic or Extreme weather. Thanks to the 39 families who have accessed the survey and to the 10 families who completed it. The data gives us an indication regarding how many students will relocate due to Extreme weather, being an average of 5 students Monday-Friday.

VILLAGE FAIR 2024. We need helpers to hold next year's Fair. If you can help, please contact Twiggy or Marcelle (parents) or the school by the end of October. After this time, a decision will be made to hold the Fair or not. Attached to this newsletter is more information about the Village Fair 2024.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT – BERRY ST EDUCATIONAL MODEL. On Tuesday staff attended Day 2 of this 4-day program with staff from Aireys Inlet PS and Lorne P-12 College. The focus of the day was on building positive teacher:student relationships by creating positive, safe and predictable routines. We will use our learnings to build upon the processes we already implement to provide a positive climate for learning.

THIS WEEK. Thanks to everyone to make the Grade Prep/One breakfast, Geelong Schools Music and Movement Festival and the Grade Prep-Two SSA inter-school sports a success. A terrific effort by our students, staff and parents/carers! Information about these events will be shared at Assembly today.

VALUE OF THE WEEK. This week we are teaching the children 'Responsibility – We do our best work'. Next week we will focus on 'Responsibility – We take care of our equipment and put things where they belong'. Teaching our values assists us to provide a positive climate for learning.

strive for personal best, becoming independent and resilient learners who make a positive contribution to the community and environment.

Our School Values

Respect: We speak nicely to each-other and allow others to learn.

Responsibility: We are on task and always try our best.

Kindness: We are friendly, listen to others and behave in a safe manner.

Collaboration: We learn together and help each-other.

ATTENDANCE: Student absence continues to be an issue for us. Already this year 76% of students have missed over 10 days of school.

ATTENDANCE RAFFLE. The winner of a skateboard for attending school each day last week was Milla Lewtas. Who will win this week???

COMMUNITY EVENT. Following the Juniors 'sustainability' incursion on Monday 30th October, from 1:30-2:30pm a free sausage sizzle (maximum two sausages per student and visitor) will be provided as we host an inclusive community event. Some of our Grade 6 students will share what Sustainability means to them and the Lorne P-12 College Band will be providing entertainment. All welcome.

ASSEMBLY. Will be held today at 3:10pm in the Stadium. All welcome.

Murray Surkitt
Principal

Helping at Our School...Thank you.

Sick Bay Laundry Roster –

We need people to go on our sick bay roster for Term 4. 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 into the office and see me. Each parent will be put on the roster for 2 Fridays. Thank you to Twiggie Finemore for doing the washing over the last 2 weeks.

TERM 3

Friday 20th & 27th October – Vanessa Lane

Friday 3rd & 10th November – Lucy Dowling

Many thanks

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 during the week with the small task that we ask you to do. Thank you to the Jacobs Family for their work in the yard.

FAMILY NAME	WEEK BEGINNING
Lander Family	23rd October
Marriage Family	30th October
Mathes Family	6 th November

Junior Community

Contact Details:

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Jay, Lachlan, Wendy and Kelly (The Junior Team)

Senior Community News

For communication with your child's teacher, we ask that you continue to contact teachers via email (see below).

Senior A and Senior L

The Grade 5 and Grade 6 students have started their Term 4 Writing pieces (Buddy books Grade 5 and Memoirs Grade 6). To assist your child/ren with this task, please have a look at their progress of their writing template and help them find and select some photos to include in their finished piece.

Senior S and Senior I

Incursion

Date: 10th November - A compass event will be posted next week for payment and consent.



Time: 9:30-11:00 -Senior S 11:30- 1:00- Senior I Cost: \$16:00

Activity: I'm a Robotix Engineer



SAKG- Thursdays 11:30-1:30 This will continue in Week 2, Term 4. If you are able to volunteer either in the garden or kitchen please let us know. This program relies on the support of volunteers. Any help is greatly appreciated.

Awards

Senior I - Cosmo

Senior S - Jude

Senior A - Joey

Senior L - Charlie

Duncan, Tom, Isabella, Julie, Linda

Senior Team

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Book Club

Please get your Book Club orders in by Friday 20th October.



Assistance for families with uniform/shoe purchases:

Please contact the school if you need any help with the cost of purchasing school uniforms/shoes.

Who is eligible?

State Schools' Relief provides support to any Victorian student attending a government school (primary, secondary or specialist), on the advice of the school. Schools are able to submit an application directly, via our online portal, whenever they believe there is a need to support a student whose family/carers are facing difficulty in providing the appropriate uniform, footwear or educational items for attending school.

- Situations include, but are not limited to:
- Unemployment
- Health issues/illness
- Financial difficulties
- Independent living and/or homelessness
- Natural disasters, house fires
- Bereavement
- Domestic violence

All applications are processed within 24 - 48 hours and you will receive confirmation of application/s by email. Orders will then be delivered within 4 working days.



ANGLESEA PRIMARY SCHOOL OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE PROGRAM

More families now qualify for childcare subsidies!!

Did you know that your Kelly Club is CCS Approved?

On the 10th of July, the Australian Government increased the childcare subsidy rates and the income threshold so more families can now receive subsidies.

For more information, speak to the Kelly Club program coordinator at your school:

www.kellyclub.com.au/locations

To attend Kelly Club, you must first [Enrol](#). Find your enrolment form for your school at www.kellyclub.com.au.

If you are enrolled, [Book Now](#)

KELLY CLUB

CCS PROGRAM SUBSIDIES AVAILABLE!

GREAT NEWS: INCREASE IN CHILDCARE SUBSIDIES!

More families now qualify for childcare subsidies and the rates have increased for those already qualified!

BOOK NOW www.kellyclub.com.au

COMMUNITY NEWS

Surf COAST **MELI**

Drop-in Play Session

Join Meli Early Years and Surf Coast Shire Child and Family Health for a play and a cuppa to celebrate Children's Week! Activities include smalltalk playgroup, sensory play, song and rhyme time, and drop-in MCH clinic.

Tuesday 24th October
10am-11:30am
Lorne Community House

Children's Week 2023 21-29 October

THE EDUCATION STATE VICTORIA

"Children have the right to relax, play and to take part in activities they enjoy"

Children's Week 2023
21-29 October

Wednesday 25 October
10am-12pm - Jan Juc
Bak Patti Resilience, Yellow Gum Performance Space
Jan Juc & Torquay Early Years Network Group and Council invite you to come along and celebrate Children's Week by participating in creative craft, sensory experiences and much more. A Puppet show will begin at 11am.

Thursday 26 October
1pm-3pm - Winchelsea
HMV Kindergarten - 30 Heise Street, Winchelsea
Winchelsea Early Years Network Group and Council invite you to come along and enjoy a fun afternoon of activities including nature play, healthy snack activity, sensory experiences, creative craft and much more.

General Information
• Please bring your own water bottle, hat and sunscreen.
• Events may be cancelled due to extreme weather.

For further information about children's week visit:
surfcoast.vic.gov.au/Community/Families-and-children
or call 5264 9250 or email melco@surfcoast.vic.gov.au
Surf Coast Shire Early Years

Children's Week 2023 children-week.vic.gov.au

Department of Education VICTORIA

SATURDAY 4 NOVEMBER
9AM-3PM

Aireys Inlet School Fair

Saturday 4 November 9am-3pm Presented by Parents and Friends

Activities: Pool, Rides, Cakes, Face painting, Fun, Market

BYO DRINK BOTTLE, REUSABLE BAG AND COFFEE CUP

SUPPORTED BY:

Bendigo Bank, Community Bank Anglessea, HAMILAN, A LA GRECQUE REAL ESTATE, GreatOceanRoad, THE CAPTAIN AIRS, FOODWORKS, abacus visual, sunningroad, mantra-lorne, STONKER, GREAT OCEAN ROAD HOME GOLF, I.e Computer, greatoceanproperties, Aireys Physio, GENERAL STORE

Family Fun Day



What's happening?

Flying Fox (!), Trampolines, Soccer, Hot Shot-Basketball, Playground, Beach volleyball, Games and a BBQ lunch!

It's time for Fun! Fun! Fun!

When: 10:30am onwards, Sunday 29th Oct

Where: Camp Wilkin, 57 Noble Street.

Cost: Free

Want to know more?

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