



Important Dates

21/6/2024

TERM 2	
Tuesday 25 th June	Parent/Carer/Teacher Conversations
Thursday 27 th June	History Box Incursion Grade 5+6
Friday 28 th June	Last Day of Term 2 – 2.30pm dismissal
TERM 3	
Monday 15 th July	First Day Term 3
Friday 26 th July	2025 Prep Enrolments Due
Thurs 1 st – Fri 2 nd August	Grade 2 Camp - Burnside
Friday 2 nd August	Prep Transition 10 – 11.30am - <i>new date due to clash with 5/6 Camp</i>
Wed 7 th – Fri 9 th August	Grade 5-6 Camp – Sovereign Hill
Friday 16 th August	SSA Basketball Grade 5+6
Friday 30 th August	Prep Transition 10 – 11.30am
Wed 4 th – Fri 6 th September	Grade 3-4 Camp – Coastal Forest Lodge
Thursday 12 th September	R U Ok? Day – Wear Yellow
Friday 20 th September	Last Day of Term 3 – 2.30pm 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

STUDENTS REPORTS AND PARENT/CARER/TEACHER CONVERSATIONS. Yesterday parents/carers received a copy of their child's June report via Compass. On Wednesday parents/carers received a Compass notification saying that bookings are open to discuss their child's report with their teacher on Tuesday 25th June from 1-6pm.

STUDENT LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS. One of the joys of being principal of Anglesea PS is the many opportunities we receive to stimulate and engage the children. This includes our Outdoor Adventure, Beach Safety and Awareness, Camping and CFA Program (Survive and Thrive). An extension of the CFA Program is the Emerging Leadership Program. On Tuesday and Wednesday, twelve of our Grade 5/6 students participated in the program along with students from Stathewen PS. A highlight was Tuesday evening from 6-7:30, when the students participated in an 'Evening Exercise' at Coogoorah Park. Thanks to Jamie Mackenzie for providing this opportunity for the children.

Another opportunity to promote student leadership is the Student Leadership Conference, held in Geelong with students from many schools. On Monday our captains, vice-captains and I will attend the conference.

PREP TRANSITION. With the Grade 5-6 Camp now being held on Wednesday 7th to Friday 9th August, our first 2025 Prep Transition session will move to Friday 2nd August. The times are still 10-11:30 am I have asked the kinder to inform parents/carers of the new date.

2025 PREP ENROLMENT FORMS. Are due by the end of July.

SCHOOL COUNCIL. We met on Wednesday and below is a summary:

- Due to recent vandalism, we're looking to install CCTV cameras.

and promotes the following values: Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration. Students will 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.

- To paint over the external walls that vandals painted with graffiti, we discussed a project involving students from our school and Surf Coast Secondary College. See below.
- To ensure our Child Safe policies and processes are up to date, we're reviewing our:
 - Child Safety Code of Conduct
 - Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy
 - Child Safety Risk Register
 - Child Safety Responding and Reporting Obligations Policy and Procedure
- We discussed fees for groups wanting to hire the Stadium, the colour of the shade sail for the new playground and how our Gr 6 students wish to change the House names.

ASSEMBLY. Will be held today at 3:10pm, all welcome. Assembly will not be held next week due to the end of term early dismissal of 2:30pm.

STAFF LEAVE. Mr Lester has been granted leave for the first six weeks of Term 3. Replacing him will be one of our usual casual relief teachers in Ms Edgerton.

END OF TERM DISMISSAL. Term 2 ends next Friday at the earlier time of 2:30pm.

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

Murray Surkitt
Principal.

VALUE OF THE WEEK

This week we are reinforcing our school rules using the values.

This week we are focusing on our school rules

Next week we will focus on

Value of the Week
Collaboration
We listen to everyone's ideas



We listen with our eyes, ears and have still bodies when others are talking.



We take turns speaking so we can negotiate problems positively.



We brainstorm options for a solution and agree on which one to use.

Value of the Week
Collaboration
We follow the rules and play fairly



We choose 1 or 2 umpires to help us follow the rules of the game.



We make sure that we pass to everyone so that we all get a turn and are included.



We use active listening strategies when disagreements arise and listen to everyone's ideas respectfully.



2025 FOUNDATION (PREP) ENROLMENTS.

The Department of Education has released a new statewide Foundation (Prep) enrolment timeline. The timeline advises families when and how to enrol their child into Foundation (Prep) at a Victorian government primary school, including Anglesea Primary School.

The new timeline will apply for children starting Foundation (Prep) in 2025. All government primary schools will follow the new timeline in 2024 to support Foundation (Prep) enrolments for the 2025 school year.

You can find information and resources about the new timeline, including factsheets and the 'Foundation (Prep) Enrolment Information Pack for Parents/Carers', at: [Enrolling in Foundation \(Prep\)](#).

You will be able to apply to enrol your child in Foundation (Prep) 2025 at Anglesea Primary School **from 15 April 2024**.

What you need to do:

Contact Anglesea Primary School on 5263 1231 to book a school tour to learn more about our school and the enrolment application process. Alternatively, you are welcome to attend our Open Day (see below)

Download the Foundation (Prep) enrolment information pack from [Enrolling in Foundation \(Prep\)](#)

Submit an enrolment application for Foundation (Prep) **by Friday 26 July 2024**

You will be notified of the outcome of your application **between Monday 29 July and Friday 9 August 2024**. If you receive an enrolment offer, you should contact our school to accept the offer by **Friday 23 August 2024**.

Take part in enrolment information and transition sessions during Term 3 and 4, 2024. Details to come.

Your child will start Foundation (Prep) from **29 January 2025**.

Enrolment applications submitted after 26 July 2024 will be processed by our school as they are received, in accordance with the department's Placement Policy.

ART PROJECT TO PAINT OVER EXTERNAL WALLS

Recently vandals painted graffiti over some of our external walls, which have then been painted over with white/grey paint. To improve the appearance of these walls, in Art sessions at school all Anglesea PS students will be given the opportunity to design a piece of Art to then be painted on the walls. These pieces of Art will be judged by students and staff at our school. The winning designs will then be sent to the Art students at Surf Coast Secondary College (SCSC), who will use them to design the paintings to go on the walls. The SCSC students will also assist our students to paint the outlines of the designs and then add colour. Once painted, an anti-graffiti shield will be applied over the painting.

Helping at Our School...Thank you.

Sick Bay Laundry Roster –

We need people to go on our sick bay roster for term 3. This would involve changing the bedding. ie washing the sheets, pillowcases, doona cover each Friday. If you can 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 Fridays. Thank you to Elise Saw for your help over the last 2 weeks.

TERM 2

Friday 21st & 28th June – Marion Goulding

TERM 3

Friday 19th & 26th July – Vanessa Lane

Friday 2nd & 9th August – Chloe Wallace

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 Phang family for their work in the yard this week.

FAMILY NAME	WEEK BEGINNING
Perkins Family	24 th June
Murrihy Family	15 th July
Mullen Family	22 nd July

Junior Community

Class in the spotlight - Junior T



This week in Junior T we have learnt about our families and the families of other people. We learnt that families can all be different and that our own families are unique. Today, students began creating a booklet about their families. It would be great if Grade 1/2 parents could have conversations about their families with their children. Some discussion points could be where parents grew up and lived, where grandparents grew up and lived, names of extended family members. All this information will be helpful for writing next week.



Mark, Wendy and Lachlan (The Junior Team)

Senior Learning Community

Donation Requests

We are in desperate need of tissues. If you haven't already, could you please donate a box of tissues for the learning space that your child/ren are in. Thank you in advance.

At Home Reading

We encourage every child to read for at least **20 minutes** at home every day. This helps to build fluency, reading skills and strategies that your child is working on in class and also helps to foster a love for reading.

Homework (Grade 5 & 6)

- To have iPads at school each day and fully charged.
- To have a refillable drink bottle at school to help with being 'ready to learn' (regulation)

SeeSaw

This afternoon, all teachers are posting samples of student work home as part of our reporting cycle. Each student (who has been at school this week) has selected a piece of work that was a highlight or that they are proud of to share with parents/carers. Please take the opportunity to view this work.

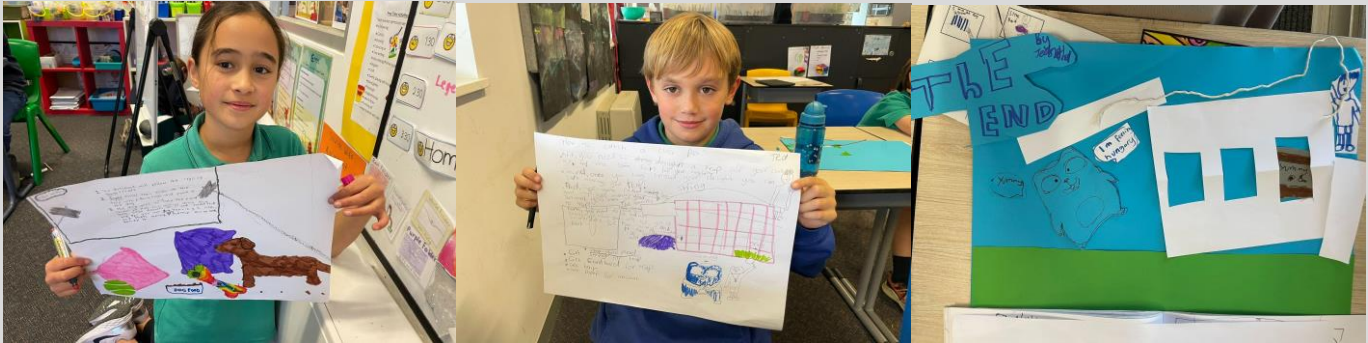
Grade 3 & 4 Kitchen Garden

Today, Senior J had their turn in the kitchen and continued our culinary journey of cooking with potatoes by preparing the delicious Spanish Tortilla (potato omelette). As always, a massive thank you to staff member Kathy Hose for purchasing the ingredients and organising the equipment for the activity.

Senior L worked in the garden today, they checked the progress of the seedlings in the hot-houses, watered and fertilised the plants and started mulching the garden. Students earned their wheelbarrow and pitchfork licences by displaying safe skills while using the tools. Thanks to Sue, Penny and Maja for coming in to help.

A Snapshot of our Week

This week in grade 3-4 we have been learning about digital technology. We have learnt the difference between hardware and software. During English, we listened to the story 'How to Catch a Class Pet'. We then wrote and drew our own steps to catch a class pet. After we watched some videos on how to create a stop motion video, we used the app Stop Motion to turn our steps into a mini movie clip.



Legend of the Week

- Senior J – Summer
- Senior L - Anouk
- Senior A – Jude
- Senior S – Sage

Awards

- Senior J - William F
- Senior L – Charlie R
- Senior A – Olivia
- Senior S – Evan

Duncan, Tom, Jay, Julie, Linda
Senior Team

COMMUNITY NEWS

A green-themed advertisement for a running event. At the top left, '2024' is written in a white, handwritten font. The word 'ESCAPE' is in large, bold, white capital letters, with 'to the trails' written in a white, cursive font below it. The background features a photo of three runners: a woman in a blue and black athletic outfit with bib number 1094, a man in a black athletic outfit with bib number 1766, and a child in a white t-shirt with bib number 123. Below the photo, the text reads: 'Explore our backyard with the best coastal & hinterland trails right here on the Surf Coast'. The date and location are '7 July @ ANGLESEA', and the distances are '4km / 7.5km / 16km / 29km'. At the bottom, there are logos for 'skratcH Surf Coast Times', 'THE TRAIL RUNNING-SERIES', 'SURF COAST EVENTS', 'GreatOceanRoad', and 'BLACKBURN'S BREWERY'. The website 'TRAILRUNNINGSERIES.COM.AU' is listed at the bottom right.

SURF COAST SHIRE INVITE THE FAMILIES OF PRE-SCHOOL TO YEAR 2 CHILDREN

FREE WORKSHOP

DIGITAL TATTOO

This workshop comes from years of working across primary schools with Parents and Carers who wish they'd had the information earlier

 **JUNE 25TH**  **6:30 - 8:30PM**

Real-life strategies that you can use at home straight away:

- how best to role model tech use
- what to look out for
- ways to create conversations
- what are the impacts technology use can have on Young Children

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BARWON ADOLESCENT TASK FORCE

 FutureTech Solutions

 Surf COAST SHIRE

REGISTER VIA THE QR CODE



ALL ABILITIES YOUTH FOOTBALL

EXPRESS YOUR INTEREST VIA:
afllbarwon.com.au/all-abilities-clubs

24TH JUNE - COME & PLAY EVENT, 4:00PM AT WEST OVAL, GEELONG WEST FNC

8TH JULY - WEEK 1 OF COMPETITION



Leisure Networks
connecting people





SPORTING EDGE

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM WORKSHOPS

Empowering youth athletes to be happy, healthy and high performing





SPECIFIC SESSIONS FOR YEAR 4-10

Structured, Supervised & FUN
More Than Sport - The Surf Coast Sporting Edge program encourages life skills through sport with a significant focus on well-being

Our July School Holiday sessions run from 10am-4pm, with different days for specific age groups, including:

- Athlete Development in Strength, Conditioning & Speed
- How to Thrive Athlete Well-being Sessions
- Sports Nutrition & Body Image
- Practical Recovery Sessions
- Mindset & Motivation Workshop

Holiday Program Registration
\$80/DAY

July School Holiday Dates

- Year 4&5 Students: Mon 1st & Mon 8th July
- Year 5 Students: Tues 2nd & Tues 9th July
- Year 7&8 Students: Wed 3rd & Wed 10th July
- Year 9&10 Students: Thurs 4th & Thurs 11th July
- Specific FEMALE ATHLETE Workshop Year 5&6 Students
- Specific FEMALE ATHLETE Workshop Year 7&8 Students

More Information
info@surfcoastsportshub.com.au

Register at the Link
<https://www.trybooking.com/CSNSD>



Surf Coast Sports Hub

TEEN GYM

Looking for somewhere for your secondary school aged child to participate in strength and conditioning in a safe and supervised environment with highly qualified staff experienced working with youth?

Our facility includes a fully set up a 600 square metre gym floor and recovery centre, manned by Exercise Physiologists, Sport Scientists and Strength Coaches to help your kids THRIVE and ensure supervision, safety and expertise

- Option 1: Use the gym and recovery space during Teen Gym Times to complete your program from school or another coach
- Option 2: Complete an assessment with one of our staff and have your own program developed for you
- Option 3: Join in classes including Boxing, Speed & Agility, Athlete Development, CrossFit Teens & Core

Teen Gym Open Times: Monday - Friday 4-6pm plus Sunday 2-5pm

📞 0402 299 589

📍 Register here

📍 14/B Castles Drive, Torquay

