

**Important Dates** 

22/06/2023

TERM 2		
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Last Day of Term 2 (2.30pm dismissal)	
TERM 3		
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5/6 Camp to Melbourne	
Friday 4th August	Prep 2024 1st transition day 10-110.30	
Thurs 10- 11 <sup>th</sup> August	Year 2 Camp to Anglesea	
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> August	SSA Basketball Year 5/6	
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> August	Prep Transition 9 – 11.30am – Book Week Dress Up Day	
30 <sup>th</sup> to 1 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Year 3/4 Camp to Angahook	
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	Last Day of Term 3 (2.30pm dismissal)	

### **ACTING PRINCIPAL'S COLUMN**

**School Values:** Respect, Responsibility, Kindness and Collaboration.

Well done to all students, staff and families on such a successful Term 2. There have been so many things going on this term. Our students and staff have certainly earnt a restful and relaxing break. Murray returns from his Long Service Leave over the school holidays and will be here from day 1, term 3. Thank you to everyone for supporting me in my role as Acting Principal in Murray's absence. It has been a real privilege to experience this role and it has been so great to have had the opportunity to interact with many more students and families than I usually do in my classroom teaching position. From the "good mornings" as students arrive at school to our Prep students coming to share their reading logs with me, it has been such a positive experience to see the great work that is happening in the school. So again, Thank you!

**GRADE 5 & 6 CAMP.** On from Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> to Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July, Grade 5 & 6 students are away on camp in Melbourne in what is sure to be an excellent time for all. The staff attending the camp are Miss Fleur Kukler, Mr Thomas Allen, Mr Murray Surkitt and Mr Duncan Lester.

**BIOCATS EXCURSION.** On Monday, Senior A and Senior L travelled to GMHBA Stadium in Geelong to participate in the BioCats (sports science) session. It was wonderful to see all the students representing our school so well by displaying the school values. Students were put through their paces to compare some fitness testing figures to that of an AFL draftee. Students also investigated the role of technology, engineering and maths in sport. Students worked in groups to complete challenges.



**PARENT/CARER/TEACHER CONVERSATIONS.** On Tuesday, we held our Parent/Carer/Teacher Interview. It was wonderful to have so many families take up the invitation to discuss your child/ren's progress. These conversations go a long way to furthering the support for your child at school and at home.

**2024 ENROLMENTS.** These are being accepted for next year, preferably by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July. For more information, please contact the school. Our Prep Transition program commences on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August.

**PREPARATION FOR PUBERTY SESSION.** Today marked our final session for our Body Business (preparation for puberty). A huge thank you to Sue Pain from About Real Life for facilitating these sessions. Sue has delivered the content in a very matter of fact, no nonsense way which has made these sessions far less embarrassing for student than if their regular teachers were delivering the content.

**SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.** Wishing everybody a safe, restful and relaxing school holiday break. Looking forward to seeing all of you back here to start term 3 on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July.

**ASSEMBLY.** There will be **NO ASSEMBLY** this week due to the end of term early **2:30pm** dismissal tomorrow.

Anglesea PS: great staff, great students and a great community make this school a great place to be!

Duncan Lester Acting Principal

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<u>SECOND HAND</u> UNIFORMS are in short supply at the moment. If you have any in good condition please leave them at the office. Smaller sizes are especially needed. Many thanks

### 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, pillow cases, doona cover each Friday. If you are able to help please send me an email <a href="mailto:anglesea.ps@education.vic.gov.au">anglesea.ps@education.vic.gov.au</a> or pop into the office and see me. Each parent will be put on the roster for 2 Fridays. Thank you to these parents for once again going on the roster.

Friday June 16/23rd - Nicole Butcher

#### TERM 3

Friday July 14th and 21sts – Lucy Dowling

### 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.

FAMILY NAME	WEEK BEGINNING
Butcher Family	21st June – 10th July
Calvert Family	21st June – 10th July
Chapman Family	13 <sup>th</sup> July – 20 <sup>th</sup> July
Crowcroft Family	13 <sup>th</sup> July – 20 <sup>th</sup> July

# **Junior Community News**

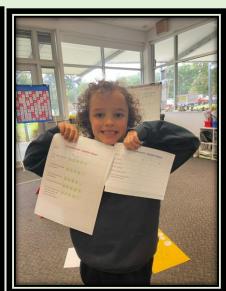
### Happy Holidays!

Thank you friends and families for another amazing term. It has been wonderful to see all the students enjoying learning, playing and growing this term. We hope everyone has a fun and restful break and we can't wait to see you all again next term.

### Kookaburras and Pandas









The Pandas and Kookaburras have been learning about weather. In Reading, we have been learning facts about how different severe weather occurs and gathering up the information we have learnt to answer questions, write information reports and draw labelled diagrams. We also pretended to be weather reporters. We watched different weather reports, created weather vocabulary charts, wrote a script and presented to our classes using maps and posters. Students then received teacher and peer feedback and evaluated their efforts by completing a self assessment. Some students pretended to be the camera people!

### **Contact Details:**

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

# Physical Education

# Cross Country

Congratulations to Ollie M, Luca C and Finn B on their courageous efforts at the Western Metropolitan Regional Final Cross Country on Monday. Luca and Finn both had great runs posting very respectable times. Unfortunately, Olllie had a medical episode up at the pointy end of the field and was unable to finish. The future is looking bright for these fabulous young runners!

### 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.

## **Senior Community News**

It was wonderful to see so many of you at the Parent/Carer/Teacher Interviews on Tuesday afternoon. We all appreciate the time to be able to sit down with you and discuss your child/ren's academic progress and how they are travelling at school. These conversations assist all of us to support your child/ren at school and home.

We wish everyone a safe and relaxing school holiday break. and look forward to seeing you all next term.

A reminder that should you need to contact your child's teacher, please do so in the first instance via email. Teacher's email addresses are below or available on Compass

#### SeeSaw

Last week, Grades 3-6 students created a SeeSaw post to share about something that they are proud of from school this semester. Please take the time to have a look and chat to your child/ren about the work they have chosen.

#### Senior A and Senior L

### **Camp**

Thank you to the families who have returned permission and medical forms for camp. We are needing to finalise numbers with our accommodation for bedding and catering purposes as well as the venues we are visiting for activities. If you have yet to return your child's permission and medical form, could you please do so by tomorrow. digital copies can be found on compass or they can be emailed to you.

#### **BioCats**

This week the Grade 5/6 students participated in a BioCats session at the GMHBA stadium. The session was run in alignment with the Geelong Football Club. The purpose of the program was to teach the students about STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) Education and how it is integrated into an AFL football club. The students participated in a number of testings such as a grip test, vertical leap, 20m sprint, and a reflex test; as well students also recorded their heights and wingspans. The students were required to record and graph their results.

The second half of the session saw the students put into groups to work through six different stations to solve mathematical equations that were relatable to the Geelong Football club. The members of the group who got the most answers correct were rewarded with a Geelong Cats diary.

It was great to see the students so engaged throughout the excursion!













### Senior S and Senior I

We would like to say a big thank you to all the Senior 3/4 families for all of the support you have given us throughout the term. Especially those wonderful volunteers who have helped us with our cooking and gardening program. We have had a busy, wonderful term and are looking forward to next term with camp, more incursions and our new Inquiry focus of our Indigenous History and the First Fleet.

Carrying on from Naidoc Week, we unpacked what indigenous culture and country means to us. We then create our own Acknowledgments of Country. Here are some beautiful examples of what the students wrote. These will be on a rotational basis in our class each week when we acknowledge our First People and our home of Anglesea in our Morning Circle time.



### **Legend of the Week**

Senior A - Junah Senior L - Zaiden

### **Notes home**

Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Volunteer Hunt

Grade 5 & 6 School Camp Behaviour Agreement and Permission to Swim form

### **Homework**

Grade 5 Body Business homework Grade 6 Body business

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### **COMMUNITY NEWS**



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