



## Important Dates

23rd June 2022

JUNE	
June 22 <sup>nd</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 5/6 Camp – Sovereign Hill
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Village Fair Team meeting ALL WELCOME. @Last One Inn – 5.30pm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day of Term 2
JULY	
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Term 3 commences – 9am
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup>	Life Education visit
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup>	MSP Photography for absent students.
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Parent/Teacher conversations
AUGUST	
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Prep 2023 1 <sup>st</sup> Transition Day – 10.00am – 12.15pm
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	Year 2 Camp
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup>	SSA Basketball Year 5/6
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	School Music and Movement Festival – All school.
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Book Week Parade and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Prep 2023 transition day 9.00am – 12.15pm
SEPTEMBER	
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3/4 Camp
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Last day of Term 3 – 2.30pm dismissal

## PRINCIPAL'S COLUMN

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

### SPECIAL EVENTS.

- From all reports the Juniors had a terrific excursion to Werribee Zoo on Friday. Thanks to our staff for looking after the children and for providing such a wonderful excursion to consolidate their learning at school. I heard the children had a big day with five preps asleep on the bus back to Anglesea.
- Grade 5+6 camp to Sovereign Hill is being held this week from Wednesday to Friday. So far the children have enjoyed the many wonderful learning experiences Sovereign Hill provides and I think some of them are looking forward to purchasing some raspberry drops tomorrow! We are due back at school on Friday at around 2:15pm.
- Attached to this newsletter is information about the Geelong Schools Music and Movement Festival. Thanks to our Music / Performing Arts teachers (Ms Scholtes Gr P-2 and Ms Hyland Gr 3-6) for organising this for the students.

**STUDENT REPORTS AND PARENT/CARER/TEACHER CONVERSATIONS.** Today parents/carers will receive a Compass notification saying that the 2022 Semester One reports are available for viewing. In the first week of Term 3 parents/carers will receive a Compass notification about how to book a time to discuss the report with their child's teacher, with these conversations scheduled for the second week of Term 3.

**2023 PREPS.** Our first Prep Transition session, when the 2023 Preps attend school, is scheduled for Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August from 10:00-11:30am. It would be great if enrolment forms were received prior to this day so we can make name tags for our new students.

**CURRICULUM DAY AND TEACHER PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE DAY.** During these two days we focused on:

- Assessment. Finalising student achievement data for Semester One student reports. We also updated the children's individual learning goal folders which will be shared during the parent/carer/teacher conversations next term.
- Planning. We looked at how we can provide high quality learning tasks to challenge and extend their learning in Semester 2, with a specific focus on Maths. We looked at using 'enabling prompts' to help children be successful and 'extension prompts' to extend their learning after they successfully complete a task.
- Updating our CPR qualifications which we need to do each year.

**CONGRATULATIONS!** To Ollie Maffett and Macie Bereza for representing our school at the Western Metropolitan Cross Country recently. Well done to Ollie who has progressed to the state Cross Country championships.

**ASSEMBLY.** There is no Assembly this week due to the end of term early dismissal time of 2:30pm.

**TERM 3.** Begins on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July and I hope everyone has a relaxing term break.

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

Murray Surkitt.

Principal.

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[PS. GO CATS!](#)

Helping at Our School...Thank you. [HELPERS NEEDED PLEASE](#)

**Sick Bay Laundry Roster – Term 2**

Thankyou to all the mums who have helped with the sickbay washing over the last two Terms. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Term 3 Roster

Friday 15<sup>th</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> July – Vanessa Lane

Thankyou



## LOST PROPERTY

All of this Lost Property is UNNAMED or hand me down from students that have left school. If you are missing anything please come and have a look. All items will go to the 2<sup>nd</sup> hand uniform shop next term.

**PLEASE NAME ALL YOUR CHILDREN'S ITEMS!**

We can only return them if we know who they belong to.

# APS Parents/Social Club Update

## 2022 APS Fundraising

THANKS TO ALL THOSE WHO HAVE  
VOLUNTEERED AND SUPPORTED  
FUNDRAISING INITIATIVES THIS YEAR!

TIP SHOP DUTY  
CAKE STALLS  
COLUR RUN  
BBQ LUNCH ORDER  
SAUSAGE SIZZLE



## Village Fair 2023 – HELPERS GET TOGETHER TONIGHT 5.30PM @ Last One Inn

We are looking at reviving the APS Village Fair and need some support from parents/carers to help ensure we can go ahead.

The Fair has always been held on the Labour Day weekend in March as it allows us to capitalise on Anglesea as a Holiday destination and raise funds for our school. In 2023 the Village Fair will be held

on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> of March from 4-8pm. We were lucky enough to just sneak in a Village Fair in March 2020 where we were able to raise \$18000. To do this again we need a team of people to take on different tasks like booking the rides, getting permits, overseeing the set up on the day, organising the market stalls, booking the dunking machine, putting the cake stall together, running the bar on the day, coordinating the live music (open mic for kids) and many other tasks that need to happen to make this a fantastic fun day for all.

We are holding the first Village Fair team catch up at Last One Inn next Thursday (23<sup>rd</sup> June) from 5.30pm-6.30pm. This is a chance to come along to a friendly catch up to learn more about how you might be able to get involved in a way that fits in with all the other commitments with kids, work, family, etc, and help support getting the 2023 Village Fair off the ground.

For those that have never experienced an APS Village Fair it really is a great day out for the kids and a way in which we can raise a significant amount of funds for enhancing APS students learning and teaching environment.

If you can't make next Thursdays meeting but are keen to know more, get involved or have some ideas for the 2023 Village Fair please contact Marcelle, 0478 033 681 or [marcelleren@hotmail.com](mailto:marcelleren@hotmail.com)

Kind Regards,  
**Marcelle Renkin**

# Geelong Schools Music and Movement Festival

## Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> August

To All Parents/Carers

All students from Prep to Grade Six will be performing at Deakin Costa Hall for the Geelong Schools Music and Movement Festival which will take place on: **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> August 9:45-11:30am**. Students will travel to Costa Hall by bus. Buses will leave from Anglesea Primary School at 8:20 sharp. Please ensure your child/ren are at school in their costume and ready to leave by 8:10 so we have time to board the buses.



**All students are asked to bring their costume to school, (name clearly marked on their bag) in the first week after the school holidays for full dress rehearsal.**

This will give you the opportunity to look for costumes during the school holidays and please make this as cost effective and simple as possible. Borrowing from friends/family and looking in Op shops is a great way to be creative and source costumes.

More details about the day to come.

**If you have any concerns, please come and speak to us.**

Jade Scholtes and Amy Hyland (Performing Arts/Music teachers)

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## Wellbeing News



### DAX Art - THEY'RE UP!

This week Luke (parent) and Dylan (student) Grundy installed the 5/6's Toa's that were created last term in DAX. I am beyond excited about how they turned out and am so grateful to Luke and Dylan for installing them for us. Stay tuned for next term when



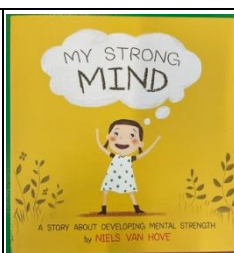
the Grade 3+4 students' fence palings are added to the front fence. I am really looking forward to beginning this project in the Juniors with the Piranhas and the Wallabies in Term 3 too!

*More examples of our new books that promote diversity and inclusion*



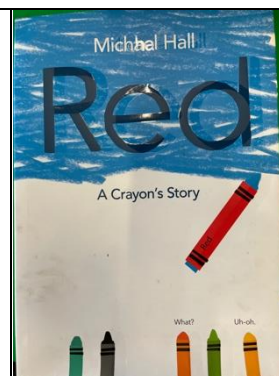
**Tomorrow I'll be Brave by Jessica Hische** is a picture story book that encourages the reader to

be adventurous, strong, smart, curious, creative, confident and brave. It also reassures them that if they haven't been able to be all or any of those things today, that there is always tomorrow.



**My Strong Mind by Niels Van Hove** is a picture story book about developing mental strength. In

this story we meet a young girl named Kate. Kate is a sporty and happy person. She does well at school and has many friends. But like every girl, she sometimes faces difficult situations at home or school. In this story we discover how Kate uses her strong mind to tackle daily challenges with a positive attitude.



**Red – A crayon's story by Michael Hall** is a picture story book. Red is a blue crayon with a red label. Everyone calls him Red because that's what his label says. Everyone expects him to draw in red, but as much as Red

tries, he can't. Many friends try to help him, but with no success. Finally, a brand-new friend offers a brand-new perspective, and Red discovers what readers have known all along. He's blue! This funny, heart-warming, colourful picture book about finding the courage to be true to your inner self.

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## Value of the Week

### Mentor Texts that the teachers have used this week to promote the value of Responsibility

What does it mean to be green? By Rana DiOrio

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hth95mesRV1>



*If you can choose to be anything...just be you*



## Junior News

Wow! Two terms over and how wonderful to have spent them at school. We are very impressed with how all students have worked really hard to achieve their learning goals during Semester One. We would like to wish all families a safe and happy holiday and we look forward to seeing you all again in Term 3.

### *Werribee Zoo Excursion*

Our day at the zoo was so fun filled. The sun came out and so did the animals! All students participated in the **Habitat Heroes** program where they got up close and personal with some wallabies and a lot of creepy crawlies. We had plenty of time to follow our map around the zoo and discover all sorts of animals in their variety of habitats from wild dogs to meerkats. A highlight for all students was the safari bus where we were very lucky to see a new zebra foal that had only been on exhibit for two days. One of the safari bus drivers was an ex-Anglesea Primary School student named Dylan and he had so much knowledge to share with us.

Well done to all students for demonstrating our school values of Collaboration, Kindness, Respect and Responsibility throughout the day. You were a pleasure to take out.

A huge thanks to Miss Jay for all the preparation and organisation for the day. Miss Jay spent so much time ensuring the safety and enjoyment of all by filling out all the paperwork, choosing educational programs, linking our day to the Victorian Curriculum and liaising with Zoo staff to ensure we were all safe and enjoyed learning on our excursion. Thanks Miss Jay, you are amazing and we appreciate you!!!





**Awards/Star of the Week**- No awards this week due to no assembly and an early finish. We will resume 'Star of the Week' in Term 3 as we have a lot of students away.

### **Notes sent home**

Nil

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

## Junior Indonesian:

The Wayang Kulit Show! Well done Juniors on their amazing puppet shows this week. They worked collaboratively in a group to plan, practice and perform a show incorporating their goal of including Indonesian words. Wonderful work Juniors!



## Physical Education Term Wrap

Well, that went by in a flash! I guess time flies when you're having fun and there was plenty of that on offer this semester. The students displayed great physical and emotional resilience as they ducked, weaved and weathered covid and colds whilst remaining active.



The final sporting event for the Semester was the Western Metro Cross Country Championships. We had two students representing our school, Macie and Ollie. After qualifying for the State Championships in 2021, Macie finished in a very respectable 49th place. Ollie has once again qualified for the State Championships after finishing very impressively in 6th place out of 92 athletes.



The Senior students were meant to have an external netball coach come in for four sessions but unfortunately due to illness she missed two of the sessions. The students played full court games to celebrate the conclusion of the unit. The Juniors squeezed in a couple of gymnastics sessions and will finish the unit off after the holidays.

Enjoy your break everyone! Linda Wylie

# Senior Community News

## Reading 5/6

This week in reading we watched the final products of the student's 'A Current Affair' videos. It was fantastic to see the students going to such a great effort in putting together a video that demonstrated to their audience some of the current issues that are happening around the world. Some of the topics covered included, 'The Rising Cost of Living', 'The COVID-19 Pandemic', 'Global Warming', 'The Erosion of The Anglesea Cliffs' and 'Deforestation'. All of the students displayed excellent filming and editing skills to create some really engaging videos for their peers to watch.



## Maths 5/6

The Royal Anglesea Primary School Frisbee-Golf Club



This week in Maths we were looking at negative numbers and the importance that they have in everyday life. As an end of term activity, we set up a frisbee golf course consisting of 10 holes, each hole was provided with an appropriate par for the players to attain (and hopefully score below). Each student was provided with a map of the course and set off to play their round. There was a vast variety of scores that came in at the end with students scoring anywhere from -17 to +50. We created a table of our results and a ranking system for the students to observe the fluctuation in results. This was a fun way for the students to finish off a great term of Maths learning that has happened within the space.

## Inquiry 5/6



This week in Inquiry we introduced the students to 'Minecraft Education'. We selected some students to help their educators create a virtual world that the students were able to log in to. To follow on with our 'Gold Rush' theme we created a world that allowed the students to mine for different materials. The students were very engaged in this activity and were able to use their exceptional technology/ Minecraft skills to further enhance the virtual world originally created by some of their peers.

## Sovereign Hill Camp



Currently the Grade 5/6's students are attending their camp at Sovereign Hill. The adventure is being held over two nights and three days. After many sessions at school learning about the Gold Rush and the implications this had on the land, people, politics and economics of the time it has been valuable for the students to enjoy the Sovereign Hill experience to gain a thorough understanding of what life was like during the Gold Rush. The students have enjoyed participating in the various tours and wandering around the Sovereign Hill grounds, this gave them the opportunity to walk through mines and observe the living conditions of the Goldfields.



## 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.

## Notes home:

- Have a fun and restful holiday.

Duncan, Lachlan, Natalie, Georgia and Tom.  
Senior Team

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# APPLICATIONS CLOSE for CSEF ON 24<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's background and their outcomes.

### CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors. Excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works while sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are a part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is:

- \$125 for primary school students
- \$225 for secondary school students

### HOW TO APPLY

New applicants should contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from the website below.

If you applied for CSEF at your child's school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

You only need to complete an application form if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments;** your child has started or changed schools this year.
- **changed family circumstances;** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing this year.

Check with the school office if you are unsure.

## COMMUNITY NEWS



**natured**  
by commplay

connecting kids to nature  
term 3 bookings open  
After school Monday @ Anglesea PS  
Tuesday @ Bellbrae PS  
to book [www.commpay.com/natur.ed](http://www.commpay.com/natur.ed)  
we are a mini adventure bus we pick your kids up go on a nature play adventure and return 2 hours later



# OPEN TRAINING

IT'S THE CATS COMMUNITY GIVING DAY!

Join us on Tuesday 28 June for an Open Training session and kick to kick on GMHBA Stadium. Plus, help us raise \$1M in 1 day!



## DETAILS

Tuesday 28 June  
GMHBA Stadium

Open training at 10am  
Gates open and activities from 9am

**FREE ENTRY**

## WHAT'S ON



Cats Community Giving Day



Autographs



Kick to Kick After Training



Meet Half Cat and Clawdia



Face Painting



Activities for the Whole Family



Food and Drinks Available



Giveaways

\*Please note, the autograph session after training may be limited. Kick to kick is weather dependent.