



## Important Dates

29/08/2025

TERM 3	
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	'Wear it Purple" day.
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> September	Grade 1/2 Visit to History House.
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> September	CFA Program – Grade 5.
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	Photography catch up day & graduation photos. Footy Colours Day.
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	Prep/1 Breakfast.
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> September	SSA Cricket Grade 5-6 Selected Students.
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	Bio-Cats – Grade 5-6.
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	GPAC Whole School Performance.
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	CFA Program – Grade 6.
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	Last Day of Term 3 – 2.30pm dismissal.
TERM 4	
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	First day of Term 4.
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October	School Nurse visits - Preps

## 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 LGBTQIA+ 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:

Over the past three days, our Gr 3/4 students enjoyed an unforgettable camp experience at Angahook in Aireys Inlet. From the moment they arrived, the group embraced every challenge (including the weather), showing courage, teamwork, and a great sense of fun.

Students took part in a wide range of activities, from giant swings that pushed them out of their comfort zones, abseiling walls, to low rope courses that tested their balance and cooperation, and even a lively talent show that brought out creativity and plenty of laughter.

Throughout camp, it was wonderful to see students encouraging and supporting one another. Whether it was cheering a friend as they faced their fear of heights, working together to solve challenges, or celebrating each other's talents, the group truly bonded and built stronger connections.

Camps like these are such valuable experiences, not only do they create lasting memories, but they also give students the chance to develop resilience, confidence, and friendships that strengthen our school community.

We are incredibly proud of the way our Gr 3/4 students represented Anglesea Primary School (just as our previous campers in Gr2 and Gr5/6) and thank the staff who gave their time and energy to make this camp such a positive success.

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.

## **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, pillowcases, doona cover each Friday. If you can help, please send me an email

[anglesea.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto: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.

### **TERM 3**

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August – Vanessa Lane

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> September – Paul Bragg

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September – Romy Renzow

### **TERM 4**

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October – Romy Renzow

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 Gilbert for your work in the yard.

FAMILY NAME	WEEK BEGINNING
Gomez Family	1 <sup>st</sup> September
Gooday Family	8 <sup>th</sup> September
Graham Family	15 <sup>th</sup> September
Hargreaves Family	6 <sup>th</sup> October

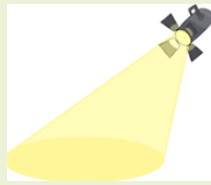
## **Junior Community**

### ***Reminders***

- Please label all personal belongings (including drink bottles and lunch boxes)
- Encourage your child/ren to put their bags into their locker and go outside for a play on the playground when they arrive at school
- Wear comfortable running shoes on Monday's and Tuesday's/Wednesday's for Bluearth and PE
- \*\*Could each family please bring in a box of tissues as a donation to our learning space\*\*

### ***Notes home***

- Prep/One Breakfast



## *Class in the spotlight - Jr T*

This week ANGAIR came to visit Junior T to do some propagation of local plants. Students were set up at four different stations with the amazing volunteers and were helped to plant seeds and cuttings and separated roots and seedlings. The students learnt about what plants need to survive and were given tips on how to plant and care for their plants. Below are pictures of the students enjoying the activities.



*Katie, Wendy, Lachlan, Oscar, Sam, Ceri and Kathy (The Junior Team)*

## Senior Learning Community

### Victoria Police - ThinkUKnow presentation

On Monday, our Grade 5 and 6 students were privileged to have two local police visit our school to deliver educational messages relating to online use and safety. Leading Senior Constable, Cathryn Hastie, spoke to our students about the legal, social and ethical considerations for technology use and how to prevent incidents from occurring. The ThinkUKnow presentation to our students encouraged critical thinking and learnings to prevent harm, to identify safe or unsafe situations and know when and how to seek help. This session helped to build positive engagement between our young people and the police, while equipping students with the knowledge and skills to be able to take actionable steps to maintain their safety at all times. We thank Cathryn for giving up her time to visit APS and share her vast knowledge and experience relating to online use and safety.





### **Global Studies News**

A huge thank you to Sergio Gomez for coming into the Grade 3/4 Global Studies classes as a guest speaker. As we are learning about South America and basic Spanish greetings this term, he spoke to us about what it was like growing up in Argentina, showed us pictures of their culture and helped us with the pronunciations of different Spanish words including 'Da nada' (your welcome - pronounced with a 'th' not 'd'). Thank you for taking the time to come and share your knowledge and experience with us.

### **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 helps to foster a love for reading.

### **Donation Requests**

Could we please request families donate a box of tissues for the learning space that their child/ren are in. Thank you.

Duncan, Mark, Jay, Linda, Taylah, Cathy, Oscar & Julie.  
Senior Team.

### **Wonder Schools Showcase Encore Performance**

We are excited to announce that our students will be presenting an encore performance of the Wonder Schools Showcase. With special performances from Pat's music students and the school band.

**Date:** Thursday, September 18

**Time:** 2:30 PM

**Location:** School Stadium

We invite all families and friends to join us in celebrating our students' efforts in Music and the Performing Arts.

A gold coin donation upon entry to support our students' arts programs would be appreciated.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Jade Scholtes and Duncan Lester.



### **Annual Mini Fete**



Anglesea Primary School 2025 Annual Mini Fete is coming up. For new families to the school, the Mini Fete is a school run fete held at the end of term 3 (Friday 19th September) between 10am-12:00pm. The stalls and activities at the Mini-Fete are organised by students and staff for the students and school community. All proceeds of the Mini-Fete go towards the school with funds used on projects or equipment decided by the Student Voice Leaders and Student Voice representatives. The allocation of funds for this year is yet to be confirmed. In the past Mini-Fete profits have paid for the purchase and installation of our second flagpole

(Aboriginal Flag) and purchasing more sporting equipment.

On the day, students are invited to dress in casual dress. The Mini-Fete commences at 10am with students rostered on to work at stalls throughout the fete. The fete will wrap up around 12:00pm with winners for the different activities announced. Students and staff will work together

to clean up the school and put all the furniture back in the classrooms. Home time will be at the usual end of term time of 2:30pm.

Although there is food available to buy, we encourage all students to still bring their regular recess and lunch foods.

This year there will be a wide range of stalls and activities for students and visitors to take part in. There'll be a range of different food options from fruit sticks, popcorn, bake stalls and milkshakes. Activities are yet to be confirmed for this year but some of last year's activities included games of chance, DISCO, paper airplane contest, mini golf, number of basketball shots in a minute and many more.

Prices for the stalls and activities vary from 20cents to around \$2. If your child/ren are to come to school on the day with around \$10 to spend, that will allow them to have plenty of money spent for food and activities.



This event's success is run off the back of the donations made by families and staff. In coming weeks, please carefully read either the Senior and or Junior newsletter items to find out the donations that you could potentially provide.

It is probably a great opportunity for your child/ren to start performing some jobs around the household to earn some pocket money for spending.

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**VENUE**  
Waurm Ponds Library, 230 Pioneer Road, Grovedale VIC 3216

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Choosing the right school for your child and your family is an important decision. Whether it be for Prep or transitioning to Secondary School in Year 7, you're likely asking a lot of questions: What kind of school is this? Will my child fit in? Will they thrive here? How do we decide?

**Choosing a school is more than what you 'see'**  
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At GLC, we celebrate every unique pathway our students take. Built on the foundation of our Christian values as a Lutheran school, all students are encouraged to explore their passions and tap into their God-given talents to set them on their future path. No matter where your child's journey leads them, our staff will work together in partnership with you and your child to make that pathway possible.

**Discover The GLC Difference for yourself**  
The best way for you to truly understand what sets GLC apart is to come and discover it for yourself. Our two campuses share a combined 70+ years of experience educating young people in the Greater Geelong area. We offer College Tours at both the GLC St John's Newtown and GLC Armstrong Creek campuses throughout the year, where you can hear from students and staff first-hand. We encourage you to register for a tour, and if you like The GLC Difference, submit an application for 2025.

Register at [glc.vic.edu.au](http://glc.vic.edu.au)



If you would like to read a little more right now about The GLC Difference, and hear from some of our students, staff and parents about why they think you should choose GLC, scan the QR code to head to our website.



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# FILMMAKING COURSE IN ANGLESEA

**WHEN:** Thursday October 2nd, 9am-12pm  
Friday October 3rd, 9am-3pm

**WHERE:** Anglesea Community House

**WHO:** Aimed at youth but open to all ages

**RUN BY:** Brad Clark, director at Captive Media

**SPONSORED BY:** Anglesea Movie Club

**COST:** \$50 per participant

**Master the Art of Filmmaking!**  
Join us for a hands-on filmmaking course where you'll learn essential techniques in video production, editing, and special effects. Whether you're a beginner or looking to refine your skills, this course will help you:

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<https://geelongcats.spinzo.com/aflw-rd-3-geelong-cats-v-sydney-swans-gmhba-stadium-2025-08-30-APKUG?group=exclusive-school-offer-rxmc>

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