

Newsletter No 28, 2024



We acknowledge the Jarra people of Dja Dja Wurrung country, the traditional owners on the land we live on, and pay our respects to their Elders, past, present & emerging.



Thursday 5th September 2024

Purpose of Camp Hill Primary School is to develop and nurture lifelong learners within an engaging, global learning community, where the uniqueness and contributions of individuals are valued, shared and celebrated.

Following are the **core values** in which we strongly believe; they underpin our purpose and are the guiding principles of our school.

Caring: Being kind, helpful and sympathetic toward other people.

Honesty: To always tell the truth.

Confidence: Believing in yourself and others.

Respect: Recognising the rights, feelings, wishes and individual differences of others through our speech and manners.

Trust: Safely express opinions, beliefs, thoughts, and feelings in a secure environment.

Address: Gaol Rd, Bendigo 3552
Phone: 5443 3367

Email Address: camp.hill.ps@education.vic.gov.au
Web Address: www.camphillps.vic.edu.au

Calendar 2024

Wednesday-Tuesday	4 th – 10 th September	School nurse visit: Foundation students
Friday	6 th September	Jets Gym Foundation: 9am – 11am Div Basketball Tournament – Selected Grades 5/6 students Scholastic Book Club orders due Trivia Night – doors open at 6:30pm, start 7pm sharp
Monday – Thursday	9 th – 12 th September	Planning Week
Thursday	12 th September	R U O K Day – Wear something yellow.
Friday	13 th September	Jets Gym Foundation: 9am – 11am
Monday	16 th September	Div Athletics
Tuesday	17 th September	School Council Meeting – 5:30pm
Thursday	19 th September	P&F Group Fundraiser: Bendigo Cinemas Family Movie Night
Friday	20 th September	Jets Gym Foundation: 9am – 11am Last Day Term 3 – Dismissal 2:30pm
Monday	7 th October	Term 4 commences School Concert: tickets go on sale 9am
Tuesday	15 th October	Firefighters visit: Foundation
Monday	21 st October	Whole School Concert - PRACTICE DAY
Tuesday	22 nd October	School Concert at Ulumbarra Theatre
Wednesday	23 rd October	Firefighters visit: Foundation
Tuesday	3 rd December	Athletics Carnival: Foundation to Grade 2
Tuesday	17 th December	Grade 6 Graduation 6-7pm at James King Hall (BSSC)
Friday	20 th December	Term 4 concludes

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Trivia Night

Just a reminder of the Parents and Friends Trivia night tomorrow night, tables of 8, \$15 per adult, tickets can be purchased through the QKR ap.

Hats

This is a reminder hats are required to be worn by students whilst outside during Term 4. Hats can be purchased from the school's uniform supplier or the office. Please make sure your child's name is on their hat and could parents please check that the hat they have at home is your child's. If not, could it be returned to the office so it can be returned to the rightful owner.

Values Champions

This week the following students are being acknowledged for their demonstration of the school values, having completed their values sticker chart. Congratulations to: Mila P, Oliver M, Harper C and Florence M

End of Term Dismissal

This is early notice that students will be dismissed **at 2.30pm on Friday 20th September**. Could parents and carers please make arrangements to have children picked up at this time.

Dad joke of the week

To celebrate come dressed as an animal day, I've included two animal jokes this week, both as equally as terrible as the other. Enjoy!

What did the platypus say when he bought some lipstick? Put it on my bill
What did the crocodile wear to the beach? Crocs

Chris Barker
Principal

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Be an Attendance HERO...
HERE EVERYDAY READY FOR LEARNING ON TIME
Student absence data for TERM 3



Early Bird Awards

Well done to **Foundation A** (again!!) who had no late arrivals this week.

Fantastic effort! 😊

100% attendance for Week 8

This week there were **208** students who had 100% attendance this week – fantastic effort!

Well done to **Braxton** from **Foundation B** who is the Attendance Hero champion for this week.

Who will it be next week?

Total number of student absence days Term 3	1380 days
Current school year absence rate Term 3	5.1 days per student
School absence rate target for 2024	10.00 days per student (2.5 days per term)
Number of times students arriving late to school this week	39

Trish Johnstone
Assistant Principal



WELLBEING MATTERS



R U OK? Day 2023 is Thursday 12th September and is a national day of action when we remind our students that every day is the day to ask, 'are you OK?' and start a meaningful conversation whenever they spot the signs that someone they care about might be struggling. To help remind everyone of the importance of asking R U O K?, we are inviting students to wear a splash of Yellow with their uniform on Thursday 12th September.

Mark Lees
Wellbeing

DOGS CONNECT

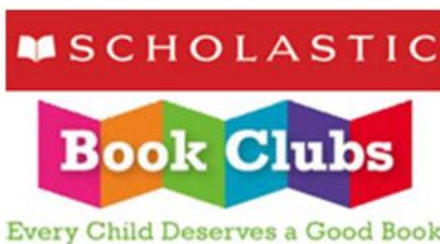
Polly is sponsored by Fur Life Vet.

Fur Life Vet have two clinics located in Bendigo:
167 Eaglehawk Road, Bendigo and 70-80 Midland Highway Epsom.
Please support this local business for your pet care needs.
www.furlifvet.com.au



Mark Lees
Dogs Connect Coordinator

LIBRARY



**BOOK
ORDER
DUE:**

6 / 9 / 24

PLEASE ORDER & PAY VIA THE LOOP

PARENTS AND FRIENDS

Trivia Night – Friday 6th September

Please purchase your tickets on QKR for this Friday night's Trivia evening. \$15 each, tables of 8. Raffles, games and fundraising activities – don't forget your gold coins! More details in the poster at the end of this newsletter

**Camp Hill PS Parents
& Friends Fundraiser**

**DID SOMEONE
SAY
TRIVIA NIGHT?**

Friday 6th September 2024
Venue: Bendigo Bowls Club, 169-183 Barnard Street
6.30pm doors open
7pm start
Tickets \$15 each purchased via QKR
or call Camp Hill PS on 03 5443 3367
Tables of 8
BYO food & nibbles
Drinks available for purchase at the bar
Prizes for 1st & 2nd place so get your
teams ready and thinking caps on!
Bonus points for best dressed table

Vecteezy.com

Bendigo Cinema Fundraiser – Harold and the Purple Crayon

On Thursday 19th September at the Bendigo Cinema, Queen Street, Bendigo.

Tickets available to purchase on our QKR app:

Children \$18

Adult \$25

Drink and popcorn combo \$8 (only pre-paid at this price, normally \$15)

BOSHC

At Before School Care this week children have been choosing their own activities which have included the use of fidget toys and air hockey. We have also been doing some activities including the white board table and craft activities. For bookings and enquiries please contact Simon or Jamie on 0409 549 493.

Simon & the BOSHC Team

OSHC

Legends Of The Week

Congratulations to our Legend of The Week winners in Vaughan, Mila and Rahni. Vaughan shows good leadership skills during group games and is fair with the younger children. Mila enjoys art and craft and dressing up while Rahni is always supportive of other children. Well done everyone.

Accounts

Just a reminder; due date for accounts for the current fortnight is this Friday 6th September.

Jamie, Simon & the OSHC Team

BREAKFAST CLUB



FOUNDATION LEARNING TEAM

Jets Gym

We rolled, jumped, balanced, bounced, and swung our way through Jets Gym last week. Can't wait to do it all again this week! A couple of points to consider:

- long hair needs to be tied back, preferable in a braid or plaits if really long
- pants, leggings and trackpants (school colours) are the preferred option
- students participate in bare feet therefore tights are not recommended

White T-Shirts

We are still waiting on a few white t-shirts which we will decorate ASAP for the school concert. Please send yours along.

Planning Week

Next week is planning week. Teachers spend a day planning for the following term which means on Thursday, Foundation students will work with specialist teachers. This also alters our usual weekly timetable so library will be on a different day. Foundation students will be dismissed at the end of the day from the Performing Arts room (gym/OHSC) on Thursday.

Foundation Learning Team

1/2 LEARNING TEAM

Concert

Could you please bring in a plain white t-shirt for your child asap. The students will be decorating their t-shirts in their art lessons and will be wearing them for the dance concert early in Term 4.

Reading

It is important to be reading with your child as often as possible. Students take home 'just right' books from our reader tubs at school, and it is encouraged that they read these books. Home reading is a great opportunity to listen to your child read, practise decoding skills and high frequency words, work on fluency and develop their comprehension by asking questions about what they read, characters in the text etc.

At A Glance

Reading: We are learning to search for information in a text.

Writing: We are learning to write information reports.

Maths: We are learning to continue to add and subtract numbers within 20 using various strategies & we are learning to use part-part-whole strategies to solve addition problems up to 20.

1/2 Learning Team

3/4 LEARNING TEAM

Concert T-Shirts

This is a reminder that all students need a plain white t-shirt for the concert that has been labelled, please. These will be decorated in Art class next week. Thanks to those families that have managed to send this to school already.

Inquiry

This week for Inquiry we are moving to physical science and have completed one round of group rotations where students are investigating forces such as gravity and motion.

Planning Week

Planning day for Grade 3/4 students will be Wednesday 11th September.

3/4 Learning Team

5/6 LEARNING TEAM

Invention Convention

On Thursday next week, students will be sharing their inventions with their peers. This may require a bit of work at home to make sure everyone is prepared and ready to go. It has been wonderful to see students using their learning assets to create a unique invention.

Basketball

On Friday 6th September, our Basketball teams will represent Camp Hill Primary School. They will be accompanied by Mrs Dyer. Please consult Sentral for further information.

Planning Week

Just a reminder that next week is planning week. This means that students will have all of their specialist subjects on Tuesday.

Short Circus Performance

Notes about costume requirements have been sent home for our Short Circus Performance next Friday 13th September at 1pm.

White T-shirts

Please remember to bring in your white t-shirts for the costume for the Concert. This will be decorated in Art.

5/6 Learning Team

HEALTHY EATING

Family Meals

Family meals are a comforting ritual for both parents and kids. Children like the predictability of family meals and parents get a chance to catch up with their kids. Kids who take part in regular family meals are also:

- more likely to eat fruits, vegetables, and grains
- less likely to snack on unhealthy foods
- Also, family meals are a chance for parents to introduce kids to new foods and to be role models for healthy eating.

You might also try these tips:

- Let kids invite a friend to dinner.
- Involve your child in meal planning and preparation.
- Keep mealtime calm and friendly — no lectures or arguing.

Reference: Kidshealth.org

Sandy McLennan

Healthy Eating Coordinator

FRESH FRUIT FRIDAY

The free fresh fruit students receive on a Friday is proudly donated to the school by the following sponsor:

mckern steel™
foundation

Benefitting the health
and wellbeing of our
Bendigo school children

Proudly funded by:

- Northrop
- KITH & ACCO
- IMPACTA
- PURPHY
- Adroit

@mckernsteelfoundation

VISUAL ARTS

Senior Sculpture

Senior students have almost finished their plaster and wire sculptures which are based on an Olympic sport. I was very pleased with their efforts. Here are some interesting ones by Louise, Raelyn and Charlotte (5/6C), Edie, Katija (5/6D) and George in 5/6A. They are all terrific!



T-Shirts

This year all students are decorating a white T-shirt to wear in the concert in Art. Just one from the op shop will do or a cheap one. Please have ready by **next week** as they are working on them for Art.

Sandy McLennan

Visual Arts

PERFORMING ARTS

This week all grades are continuing to polish their concert performance in readiness for Tuesday 22nd October. Our concert theme this year is "Summer Holidays"

Costumes for the Concert

Every student needs to bring in a plain (no logo) white short sleeved t-shirt which they will decorate in Art before the end of term. Thank you to those who have sent their child's t-shirt in.

If you haven't, please do so by the end of this week or Monday next week at the very latest.

T-shirts can be purchased cheaply from Kmart, Target, Best and Less, Big W or the Op Shop. If your child has one at home and you are happy for it to be decorated that is fine. Please make sure their name is on it.

The rest of their costume is just shorts and sunhat/cap (if they wish). You do not have to buy these new, just a pair they have already is fine. These don't need to come to school, they will just wear them for the concert.

Ticket Sales

Tickets for the Concert will go on sale on Monday 7th October from the Capital box office. This is the first Monday of Term 4. The purchase price is \$15 per ticket.

Please make sure you are reading the newsletter as there will be information regarding the concert in it.

Penny Peters

Performing Arts

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

RESPECT

Angus D: For demonstrating hard work and dedication throughout our division unit and consistently delivering tasks to a high standard. Excellent effort, Angus!

Indie L: For always following our classroom expectations and working hard, being kind and having fun. You're an amazing role model Indie!

Hudson R: For showing respect and great listening during Performance Arts lessons. Well done Hudson!

Ryder G: For consistently coming into our classroom ready to learn and following classroom expectations. Keep up the amazing work Ryder!

Morgan R: For consistently showing respect for everyone and being ready to learn every single day! We are so lucky to have you in 3/4A Morgan!

Mianna S: For demonstrating whole body listening and consistently following classroom expectations.

Jamari M: For always working in a calm quiet manner which helps our classroom stay focused. Well done Jamari.

CONFIDENCE

Max E: For showing improved confidence when writing independently. You are doing such a great job of writing down all of the sounds you can hear. Keep up the great work!

Oliver D: For always having a positive mindset when completing challenging maths questions. It's so great to see your determination each lesson. Keep up the amazing work Oliver!

CARING

Marley N: For including and encouraging others both in the classroom and out in the yard. You're an amazing friend Marley!

Makai D: For being a kind and caring friend.

Ollie O: For being a kind and caring friend.

Sam S: For being a kind and caring friend.

HONESTY

Joshua C: For demonstrating a trustworthy, loyal and fair attitude when working with others. Well done Josh!

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

SANDHURST DIVISION HOT SHOTS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

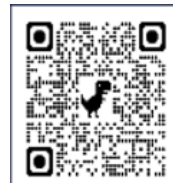
Friday 8th October commencing at 9:45am at the Bendigo Regional Tennis Centre, 2-26 Nolan St, Bendigo



BENDIGO CRICKET CLUB – Junior Registrations

www.playhq.com/cricket-australian/register/e323c6

Please register your interest in joining our club via the QR code or email bendigocricketclub1894@gmail.com



LUNCH ORDER

CHICKEN SCHNITZEL LUNCH ORDER FOR FRIDAY 13th SEPTEMBER 2024

ORDER VIA OUR QKR APP!!!!

by 9.00am Thursday 12th September 2024.

No late orders accepted.

Chicken Schnitzel with lettuce and mayonnaise in a roll \$4.70, Vegie Burger \$4.00

Name..... Grade..... Schnitzel Roll..... Vegie Burger.....

Name..... Grade..... Schnitzel Roll..... Vegie Burger.....

Name..... Grade..... Schnitzel Roll..... Vegie Burger.....

Total enclosed \$..... Signed.....



PARENTS & FRIENDS PRESENT

MOVIE NIGHT

Thursday 19th September



ADULTS \$25 KIDS \$18

PRE PURCHASED SML POPCORN & DRINK \$8

PURCHASE ON QKR OR THE OFFICE

MOVIE STARTS AT 6 PM

BENDIGO CINEMAS BENDIGO