

PRINCIPAL REPORT



WELCOME BACK!

What a fantastic couple of weeks! It was so nice to see all of our children return last Monday and quickly settle back in to school. It was obvious from the enthusiasm and the smiling faces that the children had really missed school, especially their friends. It's just not quite the same via webex! We also saw some excited parents who danced and tooted their car horns as they dropped their children off on the first day. A positive to remote learning is that students, parents and staff appreciate being at school that extra bit more!

During term 4 we will continue to settle the children back in to the daily routine of school life and focus on their social and emotional well being. We will help them to reunite with friends and develop the social skills and relationships they have missed over the past few months.

A further focus for this year will be to support children in English and Mathematics, especially in relation to essential skills that students may have missed during remote learning. We will be assessing the students and setting goals and strategies from their point of need. We are committed to doing the best we can to make up for the lost time.

Given the disruption to the school year, the Education Department has asked schools to focus on the following areas for the remainder of this year and in to the new year. As schools start their planning for 2021 they have been asked to set goals in the following three areas:

- Learning catch-up and extension:

Some of our students have thrived in the remote and flexible learning environment, others have maintained their learning progress, and some have fallen behind, despite their best efforts and those of their families and teachers. We will support both those who need to catch up and those who have thrived to continue to extend their learning. The Department of Education will hopefully be providing funding to go towards tutors to support the catch up process.

- Happy, active and healthy kids:

We will make sure that we look after our students' mental health and enable every student to get back outdoors, get active and get creative. This means providing programs and resources that focus on the social and emotional capability of the Victorian Curriculum and effectively mobilising available resources to support our students, especially the most vulnerable.

- Connected schools:

We will build on the stronger connections that our school has established with families, carers and communities through 2020 to embed and spread improved ways of working to support our students.

We are excited to be back and committed to providing the best support and learning opportunities for our students.

PARENT OPINION SURVEY

This week all families received an email with an invitation to participate in the parent opinion survey. The Parent Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education to assist schools in gaining an understanding of parents' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour, student engagement and experiences of remote and flexible learning.

Our school will use these survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies. The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **20 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time from **Monday 12th October to Friday 13th November**. It can be completed on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones.

We would really appreciate your feedback and encourage you to complete the survey. Results and feedback will then be provided to the community through the newsletter once they have been issued.

ATTITUDES TO SCHOOL SURVEY YEARS 4 - 6

We value student voice as a means to improving student engagement, wellbeing and quality instruction and are conducting a survey to find out what our students think of our school. The AtoSS is an annual student survey offered by the Department of Education and Training to assist schools in gaining an understanding of students' perceptions and experience of school. This year, the survey also includes some questions about student health and wellbeing and student perceptions of COVID-19.

Understanding health and wellbeing needs has always been important, but especially so this year, and the Department is providing this survey to allow schools to capture this information to support students. Students will be asked about their thoughts and feelings in relation to their school, family, friends, health (including mental health) and wellbeing, and bullying.

This year, the AtoSS will be conducted at our school over the period Monday 26th October until Friday 13th November. Whilst we would like all children to complete this survey, it is optional this year. An email will come home prior to this period of time asking parents to indicate if they **do not** want their children to participate.

This week's assembly via webex!



HAIR WITH HEART FUNDRAISER

Over the last few years Alexis and her mum Pauline have been growing their hair as long as they can for a very good cause. They have been growing their hair until it is long enough to cut and donate to Variety's Hair with Heart Program.

The time has come. It is now long enough that they can cut and donate at least 35.5cm of hair. They plan to cut their hair off at the end of November/December and would like to raise funds to go towards the making of the wig. If you would like to contribute to this amazing cause, you can do so by going to the website below.

<https://hairwithheart.variety.org.au/fundraisers/paulinealexis/hair-with-heart>



GREAT CYCLE CHALLENGE



This October my family and I are riding in the Great Cycle Challenge to help raise money for childhood cancer. As a team we are riding 700km!

And I am riding 150km - I've nearly reached my personal goal!!!

This is important to me to help the kids who want a better life to live and it would mean a lot if I had some support so we can help these struggling children and their families. I am riding and raising funds to support the Children's Medical Research Institute to continue their work into the prevention, diagnosis, treatment and finding of a cure for childhood cancer.

Please support my challenge by making a donation through my fundraising page to give these kids the brighter future they deserve.

Together, we can save little lives.

Thanks for your support.

To view my progress and make a donation simply click the link below:

<http://greatcyclechallenge.com.au/Riders/PhoenixSebode/g>

Phoenix 6C

We are very lucky to have such a grand tree as a centre piece in our school. Beautiful throughout the year, with and without leaves!



*Last day of
term 3*

*First day of
term 4*

PIC•COLLAGE

CSEF (CAMPS, SPORTS, EXCURSION FUND)

If your circumstances have changed and you now hold a Centrelink Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card you may be eligible for CSEF for your child. The department has extended the eligibility date until 5th October with applications due by 27th November.

CSEF payments will be at 50 percent of the standard primary rates, recognising that opportunities for camps, sports and excursions have been limited in 2020.

Please email to the school at tyabb.ps@education.vic.gov.au with a scanned copy or photo of your card and your students details and we will apply on your behalf.

If you have previously applied through Tyabb Primary, we have already reapplied on your behalf for this year.

Please contact the office if you require any further information. Thank you.

SCHOOL BANKING

Bendigo Bank has advised that they have withdrawn from the school banking programs nationally. Unfortunately this means there will be no more school banking for Tyabb Primary. Students can continue to bank at their local branch or online.

Blow out the candles,
 wish away,
 you are the
 superstar of the day.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Star Students are being presented weekly via Webex for the remainder of the year . Our captains will read these out at Assembly each Monday afternoon. Certificates will be given to students after the assembly.

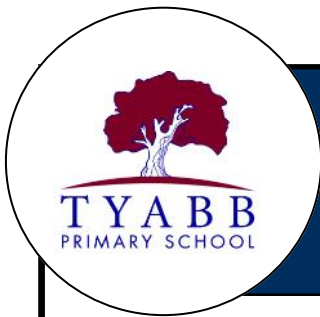


October

PREP
 Indy
 Lacey
 Jett
 Ed
 Jack
 Tyson
 Audrey
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GRADE ONE
 Emily
 Kiahna
 Luca
 Callan
GRADE TWO
 Luella
 Jolie
 Levi
 Makayla
 Zane
 Ryder
GRADE THREE
 Chase
 Darcy
GRADE FOUR
 Hayley
 Ruby
 Jessica
 Cooper
 Joshua
 Hunter
GRADE FIVE
 Will
 Kade
 Alistair
 Hannah
GRADE SIX
 Blake
 Riley
 Amelia
 Miley
 Mae
 Immy
 Lukas

MONDAY 19TH OCTOBER

PA	Ace
PB	Mitchell
PC	Asiani
1A	Ryder
1B	Jackson
1C	Ruthie
2A	Billy
2B	Chloe
2C	Edward
3A	Matilda
3B	Isla
4A	Ruby
4B	Abby
5A	Dalilah
5B	Charli
6A	Hayden
6B	Rori
6C	Mitchell



Community News



18/09/2020

Dear School Community,

Re-opening of retail store for click-and-collect purchases

We are writing to inform you that from Monday 28th of September, your local Beleza store will be re-opening for click-and-collect purchases. While we would love to be able to re-open for in-store service, we are still unable to do so under the current Victorian government restrictions for Metro areas. In order to ensure that families can still purchase uniforms that they require, we're introducing a free-of-charge click-and-collect system, the details of which are outlined below.

Our online click-and-collect service will be up and running on Wednesday 23rd of September. To arrange a click-and-collect purchase from your local Beleza store, head to our website at <https://store.beleza.com.au>. From here, you can organise the items that you require, and when reaching the checkout, you can select click-and-collect purchase, and choose which store you will be collecting from. Please note that we will only allow purchases to be collected from stores that the school's uniform is stocked in. Once we've received your order, we will arrange stock as necessary, and our retail staff will contact you to arrange a time for collection, within the operating hours provided below.

MONDAY	1PM TO 5PM
TUESDAY	1PM TO 5PM
WEDNESDAY	1PM TO 5PM
THURSDAY	CLOSED
FRIDAY	1PM TO 5PM

We understand that our reduced operating hours may not work with the schedules of all families. To accommodate this, we will be continuing our 50% off shipping costs for purchases delivered throughout Victoria.

Please note that in order to ensure that our business is compliant with the government's COVID-19 regulations, we will not be open to the general public for walk-in transactions, and unfortunately cannot allow try-ons. All visits to our store will need to be organised in advance. As such, if you are hoping to arrange an exchange or refund on items that you've purchased online, please contact us at beleza@beleza.com.au, and we will arrange for you to do so in a way that complies with the restrictions that we currently have to operate under. Please note that any exchange or refund requests will be subject to our existing terms and conditions.

This service will only be available until retail stores are allowed to re-open to full trade. Once we're given the all-clear from the Victorian government, we'll be returning to the same model of in-store service that we've provided in the past, and will no longer offer click-and-collect services.

Please find attached at the end of this letter the sign that will be displayed at our store, which gives a more concise outline of the policies and procedures that we will be working under while offering click-and-collect services. We would appreciate your assistance in

Beleza School Uniforms | Head Office | 72 Wedgewood Rd, Hallam VIC 3803
Ph: (03) 9702 3218 Fax: (03) 9702 3193 | Email: beleza@beleza.com.au



18/09/2020

CHANGE TO IN-STORE POLICY:

CLICK AND COLLECT ONLY

Due to Victorian Government restrictions on retail services, **this store is currently only open for CLICK-AND-COLLECT purchases**. All purchases must be arranged through our online store at the following website:

<https://store.beleza.com.au>

To arrange your click-and-collect order, select the items that you're after, choose "click-and-collect" at checkout, and select to collect your items from the **SOMERVILLE** store.

To arrange an exchange or refund, please send your request to our Head Office via our email:

beleza@beleza.com.au

We are unable to open for walk-in transactions or garment try-ons.

We apologise for any inconvenience this change may cause and look forward to seeing you in-store when we can!

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16/10/2020

Dear School Community,

Changes to our VIP sale approach for 2020

We are writing to advise you of the changes that we will be making for this year's VIP sale season. We're excited to offer a VIP season again this year, but have had to change our approach following the impacts of COVID-19, in order to ensure that we can hold the sale in a way that still protects the health and safety of our customers and team.

In previous years, we've offered a 20% discount over a one-week period. As we're sure you can imagine – and some of you would have experienced – this can bring a lot of traffic into the stores at one time, which we as a company felt would be too big of a risk in the current circumstance. So instead of the one-week, 20% off discount period, we will be offering customers across all our stores a **10% discount over six weeks, starting from Monday 2nd of November to Thursday 17th of December**. This will give families an extended period in which to benefit from the VIP sale, which we hope will give everyone the chance to round out their end of year uniform, or prepare for the coming year, with the comfort of being able to do so safely.

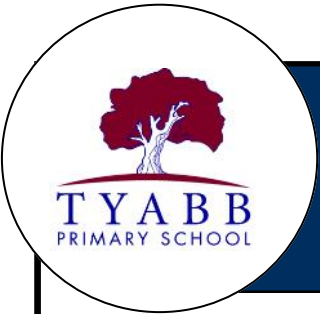
We hope that you can all understand the reasoning behind our changes to the VIP sale, and appreciate your understanding and support throughout this and the many other changes that have occurred throughout this year. We hope you are all keeping safe and well and look forward to seeing you for our end-of-year VIP sale season!

All the best,
Beleza School Uniforms

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**2020
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*VIP SALE CONDITIONS:
Discount applies ONLY to Beleza brand full retail priced items.
Blazers & Discounted items excluded. Other exclusions apply. 10% off cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer, voucher or discount.



Community News

Caring for our Community during Coronavirus



Care packages for those in need



Mornington Peninsula Shire, in partnership with local Community Support Centres, is offering care packages for our most vulnerable and isolated community members who are impacted by the Coronavirus pandemic on the Peninsula. Care packages will be sent to eligible households through contactless delivery.

Care packages will include non-perishable food and essential hygiene items.

You are eligible to receive a care package if you:

- are being impacted by Covid-19 due to self-isolation
- are considered 'at risk' of getting COVID-19
- have no support locally to access supplies
- are experiencing significant hardship due the current situation.

How do I register to receive a care package?

Phone the Shire on **1300 850 600**

If you need the assistance of an interpreter phone **131 450**

TTY/voice calls: **133 677**

Speak and listen: **1300 555 727**

SMS relay: **0423 677 767**

If you are deaf or have a hearing or speech impairment contact us through the National Relay Service: **communications.gov.au**

Community Support Centres

Community Information and Support Centres provide a number of programs and services to assist vulnerable individuals, couples and families. Services provided include fresh food parcels, personal hygiene products and food vouchers. There is also support available for people experiencing financial difficulties and referral information is provided to other health and community agencies.

There are three Community Information and Support Centres operating on the Peninsula:

- Southern Peninsula Community Support and Information Centre ☎ 5886 1285
- Westport Community Support Centre ☎ 5979 2762
- Mornington Community Information and Support Centre Inc. ☎ 5975 1644

Support services

Coronavirus Health Info Line (24/7)	☎ 1800 020 080	Advice and information on coronavirus.
Department of Health and Human Services	☎ 1300 650 172	Services to support the health and wellbeing of Victorians.
Lifeline	☎ 13 11 14	People experiencing personal crisis requiring immediate support and suicide prevention services.
Beyond Blue	☎ 1300 224 636	Information for people experiencing mental health issues.
1800 Respect (family violence)	☎ 1800 737 732	People experiencing family violence and their family/friends.
DirectLine (drug and alcohol)	☎ 1800 888 236	People seeking alcohol and drugs info, advice or referral.
Headspace	☎ 1800 650 890 ☎ 019 6419 (Frankston office)	Support for young people aged 12-25 years.
Kids Helpline	☎ 1800 55 1800	Kids aged 5-25 years needing support
Maternal Child Health Line	☎ 13 22 29	Support to care for children until they start school.
My Aged Care	☎ 1800 200 422	Support for people requiring aged care services.
National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)	☎ 1800 800 110	Support for eligible people with a disability.
Carer's Victoria	☎ 1800 242 636	Carers of people with disability, mental illness, chronic health issue or age-related condition.
Nurse on Call	☎ 1300 606 024	Professional health advice from a registered nurse.
Gambler's Help Line	☎ 1800 858 858	People with gambling problems and those close to them.
Wellways Helpline (mental health)	☎ 1300 111 500	People experiencing mental health issues.
Child Protection (DHHS)	☎ 13 12 78	
South East Centre Against Sexual Assault (SECASA)	☎ 1800 806 292	Victims/survivors of sexual and physical assault
Grief Line	☎ 1300 845 745	People experiencing grief, loss or trauma.

For concerns about Coronavirus call the dedicated hotline or visit the DHHS website.
☎ 1800 675 398 ☎ dhhs.vic.gov.au/hot/coronavirus
Please keep Triple Zero (☎ 000) for emergencies only.

JUNIOR CRICKET @ TYABB



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SATURDAY MORNING GAMES



Building on foundations of Under 12s with a hard ball
SUNDAY MORNING GAMES



Full senior rules, as kids are getting ready to enter senior cricket
FRIDAY NIGHT GAMES

MATCHES TO START MID-NOV - SEARCH 'PLAY CRICKET AT TYABB' TO SIGN UP OR FIND OUT MORE
JUNIOR CO-ORDINATOR - BEC ROBINSON
JUNIORS.TYABBCC@GMAIL.COM - 0419 316 898



27th October 2020

Mrs Carol Howden
Principal
Tyabb Primary School
196 Mornington-Tyabb Rd
TYABB VIC 3912

Dear Carol

A change to student banking

As you know, Bendigo Bank has a long track record of working with school communities through a range of community building initiatives.

We take our role in supporting financial and community wellbeing seriously and we always consider the best interests of all stakeholders in any decisions we make.

After careful consideration, we have decided to withdraw from offering school banking programs nationally. This includes the school-based banking program at Tyabb Primary School.

Of course, students can continue to bank with our local branches. All accounts held will continue to operate and students are most welcome to bring their regular savings to the branch with their parent or guardian.

We will continue to focus our effort on supporting schools and their communities in ways that help them prosper.

For your school and our local community, this includes our continued support of school awards, financially supporting Friends & Friends projects, sponsoring school fairs, sporting events, giving our balloons and the wide range of community-donated projects.

If you would like to discuss this further, or have any questions, please feel free to call me on 03 5972079.

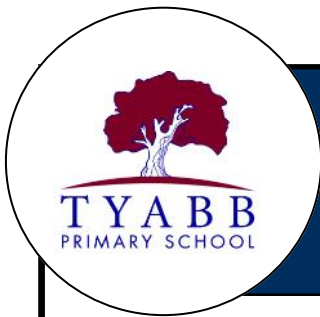
I look forward to continuing to work with you.

Yours sincerely

Scott Kruger
Branch Manager
Community Bank - Hastings & District

Western Port Community Enterprise Limited ABN 47 129 333 044
Branches of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 008 049 178 AFSL 237870
36 High Street, Hastings VIC 3915 Phone 03 5979 2079 Fax 03 5979 8530

Hastings & District Community Bank Branch



Community News

Exciting News!

Our Fundraising Partner Ritchies IGA, are launching their new Ritchies Card, incorporating the Community Benefit Program and this will not only benefit our organisation, but also all our members.

The program now has an App for both IOS and Android smart devices. For those members who don't have a smart phone, or would like a physical card, this option is also available and can be linked to the App.

Every month, our organisation will receive 0.5%* of our members' spend in Ritchies Stores PLUS our members will receive special offers and member only specials via the App.

*T&C's apply see <https://www.ritchies.com.au/ritchiescardterms>

Featuring monthly promotions, cheaper prices for you, Collect and Win, as well as games and lots more fun things to do, this is a great opportunity to support our club.

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Your Club President
John Smith



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- Free to join - start saving instantly



Community News



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