

# Newsletter

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#### **PRINCIPAL REPORT**

#### PUPIL FREE DAYS

Term 4MONDAY 4th NovemberCommon Practice Day (Monday before Melbourne Cup Day)Term 4FRIDAY 20th DecemberCurriculum Day (last day for students on Thursday 19th December)Please mark these into your diaries as students do not<br/>attend on these days

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

#### PARENT OPINION SURVEY

#### WE WANT OUR PARENTS / CAREGIVERS / GUARDIANS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!

Our school is conducting a survey to find out what parents / caregivers / guardians think of our school. The Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education that is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of families' perceptions of school climate, student behavior, and student engagement. The survey is optional but we encourage all families to participate. Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

All families are invited to participate in the survey which has been issued via email.

The Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey will be open from **Monday 29th July to Friday 30th August 2024.** The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **20 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the survey period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones.

Survey results will be communicated to parents / caregivers / guardians through a future school newsletter and in our Annual Report. We will also let you know of the improvements we have made as a result of the survey.

Thank you in anticipation.



# **Olympics Opening Ceremony**

This week was Olympics week at Tyabb Primary School to celebrate the Paris Olympics 2024 that will be held from the 26th July to 11th August 2024. During this time children will learn about the history of the games, the events, the sports and about Paris and the countries competing. We held our own torch relay and opening ceremony on Monday the 29th and finished the week with a mini Olympics sporting day. Thank you everyone for making the most of an exciting week!

#### A few Olympic facts:

- Ancient Olympic Games, held in <u>Olympia, Greece</u> from the 8th century BC to the 4th century AD.
- First modern Games in Athens in 1896.
- The XXXIII Olympiad—26 July to 11 August 2024
- 19 days of competition 329 events
- Athletes from over 200 NOCs and the IOC Refugee
  Olympic Team
- 32 sports (including the 4 additional sports)
- New sports—breaking, sports climbing, surfing and skate boarding











# Olympics Sports Day

Today was our mini Olympics day at Tyabb Primary School. The children 'competed' in a variety of events including—roller board swimming, cone collect basketball, archery, javelin vortex, Volley ball, equestrian, golf, pool noodle fencing and breaking—just dance. The sun was shining and the children, staff and parents had lots of fun. Well done everyone! Special thanks to Mr Davies for organising the day and to our amazing leaders who explained each activity and helped along the way. You are awesome!



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# TREEDAY

Last Friday, the Preps and Grade 5 buddies ventured to Oliver's Creek Reserve, where they teamed up with the local Council to plant numerous trees in celebration of National Tree Day. It was a heartwarming sight to see our students collaborating to make a positive impact on the environment, demonstrating their commitment to nurturing our planet.



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### **Book Week Dress Up Parade**

# Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August 2024 – 9:15am start in Hall

#### Please Note - No afternoon assembly. Star Students awarded at Book Week Parade

Come dressed up as your favourite Book Character and bring your favourite book from home to share



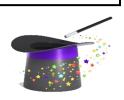




# Scholastic Book Fair – 12<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> August

#### Short Listed Book Activities

Grades will be reading, sharing and taking part in rich tasks based on this year's CBA Short Listed Books. Students will be inspired to create artwork, craft, writing pieces, plays and take part in games... the magic of reading will be well and truly alive in our classrooms!



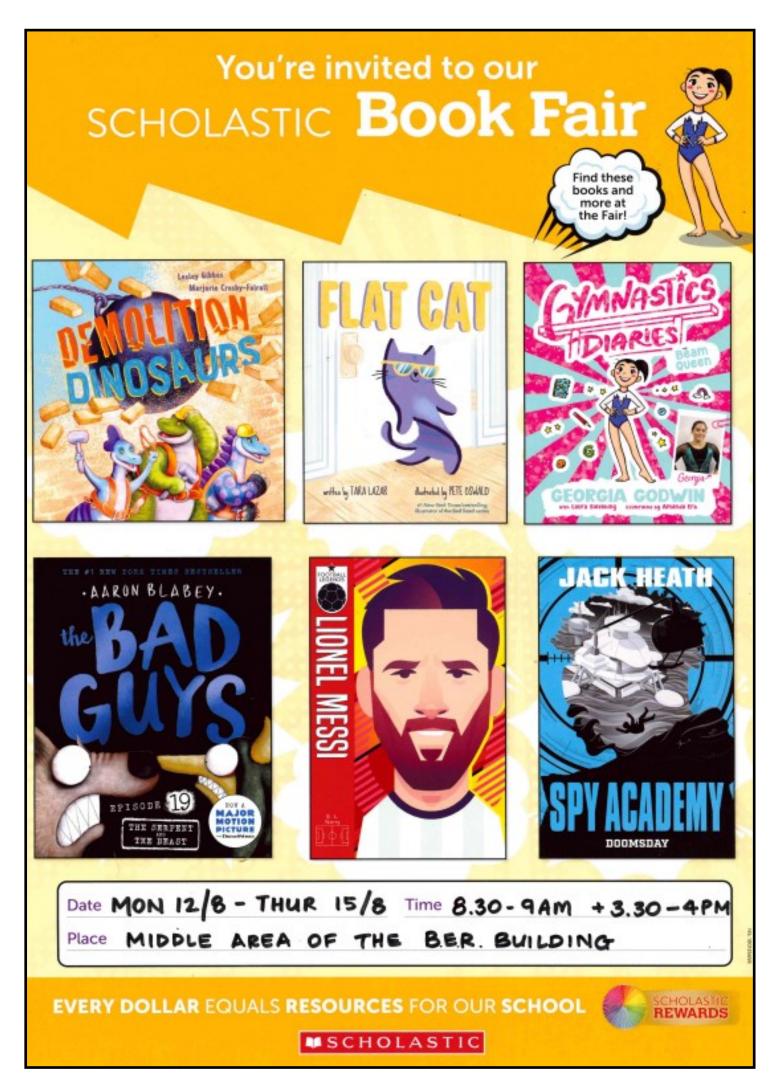
#### Teacher Swap -

For some fun, each grade will have a visit from a new teacher for an hour!

#### Writing is Magic too -

Create your own writing piece about Magic and enter it into our TPS Writing Competition for your chance to win a prize.

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# Thursday Night September 12th 2024

Date!

We are excited to announce the upcoming date for our whole school concert, telling the story of **'The Great Primary School Mystery'**. Each grade has begun learning a choreographed item with STOMP Dance and these items will be showcased throughout the concert. Lead roles have also been cast with some of our year 5 and 6 students as characters in the story!

CONCERT VENUE: NEW PENINSULA BAPTIST CHURCH MT MARTHA



# What's Happening

# Term 3

#### Please note that this page will be updated each newsletter as new events are scheduled

Thursday 1st August	Olympic Event Sport Day
Friday 2nd August	Stomp Dance Lesson
Monday 5th August	School Assembly
Monday 5th—9th August	Swimming Grades Prep—2
Friday 9th August	Stomp Dance Lesson
Monday 12th—16th August	Swimming Grades 3 –4
Monday 12th August	100 Days of Prep
Monday 12th– 15th August	Scholastic Book Fair
Friday 16th August	Stomp Dance Lesson
Monday 19th August	Book Week Dress Up Parade & School Assembly 9.15am in Hall
Monday 19th—24th August	Book Week
Tuesday 20th August	Grade 5 Aussie Wildlife Incursion
Friday 23rd August	Stomp Dance Lesson
Monday 26th August	School Council Meeting
Wednesday 28th August	Father's Day Stall
Thursday 29th August	District Athletics Ballam Park
Friday 30th August	Father's Day Breakfast
Friday 30th August	Stomp Dance Lesson
Monday 2nd September	School Assembly
Friday 6th September	Stomp Dance Lesson
Thursday 12th September	School Concert
Monday 16th September	School Assembly
Thursday 19th September	Grade 5 Movie Excursion
Friday 20 September	Footy Day & PFA Sausage Sizzle
Friday 20 September	Last Day of Term 3—Dismissal Time 2.30pm









# Welfare

EVERYONE BELONGS

Bullying No Way National week of action 12-16 August 2024

The National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence has a new name—Bullying No Way: National week of action.

Bullying No Way Week, 12 to 16 August 2024, is Australia's key bullying prevention initiative and connects schools and communities to find workable solutions to prevent bullying.

The week gives schools and supporters flexibility to plan activities that suit their schedule—whether it's spreading awareness throughout the week or focusing on an impactful day or two.

Purple is the new hero colour representing Bullying No Way: National week of action and our commitment to standing against bullying.

#### 2024 theme

The theme for 2024 is 'Everyone belongs'.

When we all feel like we belong, bullying struggles to find a place. It's about embracing who we are, respecting everyone's differences and standing up together against unkindness.

Belonging means we all have a role in preventing bullying. We're encouraged to speak up and create a safe place where everyone feels supported and respected, and our voices are heard and valued.

#### Signs of bullying

Each student who has been impacted by, or involved in, bullying others will respond and act differently.

A student's behaviours and moods can change for a variety of reasons.

Teachers, parents and carers need to be alert to the possibility that a change in a child's behaviours and moods could be related to bullying.

If you are concerned about your child's behaviour or mood, talk with them about school and ask general questions about how things are going.

#### For parents and carers

Signs a parent or carer might notice include if their child:

- doesn't want to go to school or participate in school activities
- changes their method or route to school or is frightened of walking to school





- drops in academic performance
- experiences changes in sleep patterns
- experiences changes in eating patterns
- has frequent tears, anger, mood swings
- takes money from home
- has unexplained bruises, cuts, scratches
- loses or brings home damaged belongings or clothes
- arrives home hungry.

The signs of possible cyberbullying can be the same as signs of other bullying, but include other behaviours with phones, computers and other devices, for example:

- being hesitant about going online
- seeming nervous when a notification, message or phone call appears
- being visibly upset after using their phone or computer, or suddenly avoiding it
- closes the screen, or hides the mobile phone when others enter the room
- spending unusually long hours online
- receiving suspicious phone calls, emails or packages.

#### Type of behaviour—verbal, physical and social

There are 3 types of bullying behaviour:

- Verbal bullying which includes name calling or insulting someone about their physical characteristics such as weight or height, or other attributes including race, sexuality, culture, or religion
- Physical bullying which includes hitting or otherwise hurting someone, shoving or intimidating another person, or damaging or stealing their belongings

Social bullying which includes consistently excluding another person or sharing information, images or other digital content that will have a harmful effect on the other person. The behaviours alone don't define bullying.

If any of these behaviours occur only once, or are part of a conflict between equals (no matter how inappropriate) they are not bullying. It is important to note that when a behaviour occurs online and is published, distributed or shared to a wider audience, that this may be considered bullying.

Verbal, physical and social bullying can occur in person or online, directly or indirectly, overtly or covertly.







## When someone says or does something unintentionally hurtful and they do it once, that's **RUDE**.

When someone says or does something *intentionally* hurtful and they do it once, that's **MEAN**.

When someone says or does something intentionally hurtful and they keep doing iteven when you tell them to stop or show them that you're upset—that's

# BULLYING.



# **Curriculum Corner**

# Maths Oympics

### **Competition Time**

The Olympic Games have started in Paris and we want to find out who are the Maths Olympians at Tyabb PS. There is so much maths that can be done with the Olympic Games; from measuring times and distances, collecting data and medal tallies, to graphing information about athletes and countries - so much maths to have a go at!

We will be running a competition looking for the best Olympics Maths poster. Posters must be A3 size or smaller, related to the Olympics and clearly show some maths skills - don't just copy numbers or measurements down - you must do some maths with them!

Prizes will be awarded to the best maths poster from the junior, middle and senior levels and all entries will be displayed in the school.

Here are some websites where you might find information to help you:

https://olympics.com/en/paris-2024

https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/ Olympic-Games/353563

Olympics for Kids (video)

Exciting facts about Paris 2024 Olympics (video)

Paris Olympics with Ozzie (video)

#### Entries need to be put into the box in the office by Friday 16th August. Make sure you include your name and grade!

If you need paper, come and see Mrs Watson in room 2 at lunch eating time.

Here are some ideas to get you started:

- How many different countries are competing?
- How many athletes from each country? Which countries have the most/least athletes?
- How long does it take runners to run different distances? How many 100m races could take place in the time it takes to run 5000m or a marathon?
- If you were to add up the distance swum in all of the different swimming events, how far do they swim? How far away from Paris would that get you? Australia?
- How heavy are the weights in the weightlifting competition? How many bags of flour, children, cats does that equal?
- Remember maths isn't just numbers it can be time, measurement, chance, fractions, graphs, etc

#### NAIDOC WEEK COLOURING COMPETITION WINNERS!

AS PART OF OUR SCHOOL'S NAIDOC WEEK CELEBRATIONS, WE HELD A SCHOOL WIDE COLOURING COMPETITION. THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO PARTICIPATED, IT WAS CERTAINLY A TOUGH CHOICE TO CHOOSE THE WINNERSI

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS

DAVEY	IA
CONNER	2A
MEL	2C
ZOE	2A
FELICITY	30
ZOE	30
LENI	MA
LOLA	5A
ISLA	50
LAKYN	5A
WILL	5C
JADEN	5A
BLAKE	5C





# **Classroom** Capers

# **3C** representing **France!**

#### This week we have been celebrating everything Olympics.

3C chose France as our country to represent and have been learning all about the language, places to go and foods that come from France during our Inquiry unit.

We watched the highlights of the Opening Ceremony together and celebrated some of the medals both Australia and France have won.







We learnt some French phrases such as "Bonjour!" and "Salut" and made both berets and moustaches to wear during Tyabb's Opening Ceremony, to further immerse ourselves into representing France.

We have researched the Eiffel Tower and found out it is 330 metres tall and 135 years old! We have talked about the Seine, how dirty it is, and what will happen to the events if it is still too dirty for the athletes to swim in. Each student also picked their own athlete to do an investigation into and learn their story.







We also got to try some French foods! Both Croissants and Pain au chocolat were served up as a taster to French Life. Most of us enjoyed both treats and some of us even suggested we try Baguettes next!







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PA	Evie
PB	Jack, Ellio <del>tt</del>
1A	Tom
1B	Maddie, Harry
1C	Kopi
2A	Şam
2B	Emily
2C	Max
3A	Ellie
зB	Indi
зC	Ąva
4A	Sadie
4B	Asher
5A	Lakyn
5B	Şim
5C	Ella
6A	Ryder
6B	Tahlia

# We Need You!



Tyabb Primary School's HPV team are looking for new sponsors for the 2024 season. If you or somebody you know runs a business, please let them know that their support can mean that the HPV program continues to operate and thrive at Tyabb PS.

Past sponsors have assisted us financially to purchase new equipment, make modifications to our vehicles and help send our riders to Energy Breakthrough in Maryborough each November.





For further information, please contact Amy Monea: amy.monea@education.vic.gov.au



# July

PREP

Jasper Rhylan Cody **GRADE ONE** Oliver Chelsie Charlie GRADE TWO Emily Zane Zoe Ariah Logan Rivah **GRADE THREE** Stevie Ryan River Quinn Smith Brodie Ashton Callum GRADE FOUR ZaChary Drazick Mason Jackson

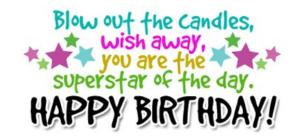
Jackson Harry Leah Harper Noah

#### GRADE FIVE Jack Hallie Simone Lachlan

Will Mason

#### GRADE SIX

Dylan Edward Maisie Harrison Bryce



# August

PREP

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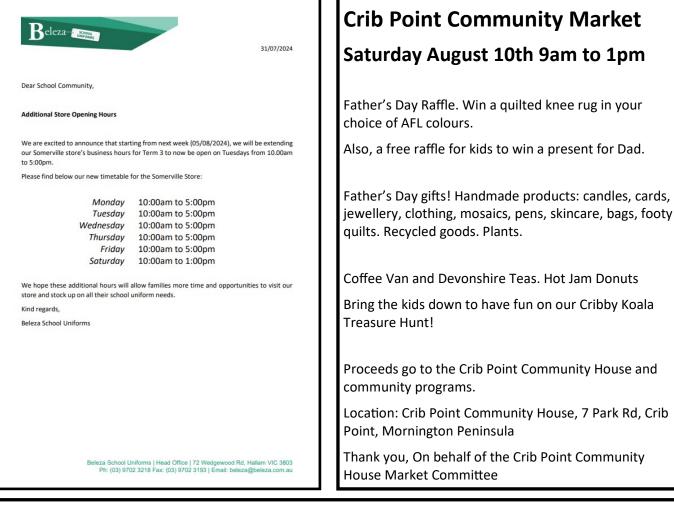
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**GRADE TWO** Levi Ruby Alby Ashley Gus Arlo Conor Ruby **GRADE THREE** Kai Brayden Hugh Zac Quinn Jay GRADE FOUR Sophie Mitchell Lara **GRADE FIVE** Allegra Ruby Lochlan Hudson Madison Jessica GRADE SIX Khloe Noah Bailey London Tahlia



# **Community News**







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# MORNINGTON PENINSULA LIBRARIES

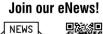
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