

Cardinia Primary Newsletter



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DATES TO REMEMBER



TERM 3	
August	
Friday 4th	Athletics Trial Day - Years 3-6
Tuesday 8th	Myuna Farm Excursion - Foundation
Friday 11th	Expression of Interest and deposit due for camp
Monday 14th	Curriculum Day - NO STUDENTS at school
Tuesday 15th	Pie Drive orders close
Tuesday 22nd	Transition Session 1 for Foundation 2024 students
Thursday 24th	Art Show and Science Fair. 3:00pm - 6:00pm, gold coin donation
Friday 25th	Buddy Show Day - Further information coming soon
Tuesday 29th	District Athletics - Years 3-6
Other Dates	
3rd November	Colour Fun Run



SCHOOL FUN RUN

We are looking for some volunteers to help with our Colour Fun Run. We need help to organise competitions, to sort out prizes and most importantly to drum up excitement on the build up to the day. Please let the office know if you think you can help .

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

27th July, 2023

Hello, everyone, it has been a busy week.

I had the privilege of attending the Grade 3 and 4 excursion to ACMI. The students had an absolute ball, and should be very proud of themselves in the way they represented themselves out in the community. The teachers did an amazing job of organising this for the students.

Please remember that if you have dropped child/children at school in the mornings and have left and want them to go to the shop to purchase or order lunch, you need to send an email or note to the school giving permission for them to leave the premises.

Parent Opinion Survey

We will be inviting all Parents/Caregivers/Guardians to complete the Annual Opinion Survey. Further information will be provided next week. All surveys will be through a link provided by the school.



Don't forget to get your pie orders in, something warm and yummy in our tummies for Winter.

Please keep checking XUNO and the newsletter for updates.

What's happening around the school this week



Our Foundations are using their ten frames, MAB Blocks and recognition of number to count up to their 100 days at school. They are nearly there. Stay tuned for lots of photos in next weeks newsletter.



Zac in 3/4 was very focused with his reading.



In 5/6 students were focusing on Empathy. Putting themselves in other people's shoes. They will be creating a display in the BER. Be sure to watch out for it.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



In Visual Arts , Foundation classes were working hard in creating their art pieces for the upcoming art and science that will be held on the 24th of August

Other News

A big thankyou to the parents that have offered to help with the Father/Special Persons Day stall. Mr B is so grateful to you.

School Council News

We had our meeting on Wednesday night. Remember to get in touch with us if this interests you. We would love to see some new faces at our next one.

Something to try at home with your children: Thank you to Emily from Grade 6 for your help with the research on this topic.

How many bones does a cat have?

Before looking this up together ask your children what they know about bones?

Then find out how many bones a human has.

Ask them do they think a cat has the same, more or less bones than humans.

Get them to explain their answer.

Spend some time looking this up together and discuss what you find out. Perhaps your child/children could find another interesting fact, write it down and drop it to the office in an envelope and we can choose one to go into next week's newsletter. The chosen fact if more than one will be pulled out of a hat by one of our school leaders.

Trudie Esler
Acting Principal



From the Office

- ♦ **PERMISSION FORMS** - Please return any permission forms as soon as possible.
- ♦ **Meal Deal** - If your child is absent on any meal deal day, please let the office know by **10:00am** if you wish to organise a credit for the next meal deal.
- ♦ **Pie Drive** - School fundraiser, please place orders via QKR! or at the office.



School Camp



This years School Camp runs from Wednesday November 29th to Friday December 1st. As we need to know numbers for the camp booking and planning, we are asking you to let us know if your child/ren would like to attend OASIS Camp, for a 2night/3day camp. All expressions of interest must be returned, with the non-refundable deposit of \$50 per student, to the office by **Friday 11th of August 2023**; however places are limited this year, so they will be allocated based on which forms and deposits are returned first.

Details were emailed to all families on Wednesday with the Expression of Interest form, hard copies are available from the office.

DONATIONS WANTED

We are looking for donations of odd socks. We have a student preparing their exhibit for the Science Fair (on upcycling) and they need some clean odd socks to convert into some super cool hand puppets. Socks can be dropped off in the Science Room or in the office. Thank you for your help 😊



Athletics Trials Day – Friday 4th August

On Friday the 4th August from 10.20 – 12.20 we will be having an Athletics Trial Day for Years 3-6. Students are encouraged to wear House Colours and will gain points for their house for competing in events. We will be going down to the recreation reserve (permission forms were signed at the start of the year) to pick a Track and Field Team to represent the school at the District Athletics Sports. We will be doing the running events and shot put and discus, while triple jump and long jump will be done in class P.E sessions.



LOST PROPERTY



We have a few non-uniform items at the office. Please come in and collect them if they belong to your child.





Premiers' Reading Challenge UPDATE

To promote the development of literacy skills and a love of reading, Cardinia Primary School encourages all students to participate in the annual Premiers' Reading Challenge.

Congratulations to Maycie D (1/2A) who has made a start on the Challenge.

A very BIG congratulations to Oliver W (3/4A), Emilia M (3/4C), Hudson (3/4A), Javen (3/4B), Jake (1/2A) and Cavan (FA) who have now finished the Challenge.

Together, these students have already read an amazing 322 books. Well done!

It is not too late to join, with 44 days left to go!

To successfully complete the challenge, students in Foundation to Grade 2 must read, or have read to them, 30 books (20 from the challenge list and 10 free choice). Students in Grade 3 to 6 must read 15 books, 10 from the challenge list and 5 free choice.

All books read must be recorded on the PRC application, which can be accessed using this link - <https://vprc.eduweb.vic.gov.au/home> . If you have misplaced your username and login details, please see myself or your child's teacher.

All books must be entered in the PRC application by **Friday 8th September**.

Happy reading!

Paula Fleming
PRC Co-ordinator



Art Show and Science Fair

The Art Show and Science Fair is fast approaching. We are really looking forward to displaying the fantastic work of our students (in Art and Science) on **Thursday August 24** from 3:00pm.

Traditionally we organise a fundraising raffle as part of the Art Show and we are currently seeking donations of prizes from our wonderful school community. If you have any contacts with local businesses that might be interested in supporting our school with a prize donation, we would LOVE to hear from you. If you are in a position where you can donate some goods or services as prizes, that would be amazing!

Thank you so much for your support – it is deeply appreciated.

Emma Parker and Robyn Masters (Art Show/Science Fair Co-ordinators)



MEAL DEAL



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Meal Deal for Friday 4th August, 2023

**Chicken nuggets with sweet and sour sauce (\$5)
and Tortilla strips (50c)**

Place your order via QKR application

Or write your child's name and grade on a brown paper bag with correct money inside and hand in at the office.

*Payment due by no later than 9:00am Wednesday 2nd, 2023

****No late orders can be accepted as ordering of food will take place on Wednesday**



CARDINIA PRIMARY SCHOOL

PIE DRIVE



School Council are holding a Pie Drive to raise funds for the school.

All pies will be freshly made by the Emerald Village Bakery.

Don't miss out, order your pies now!

*Orders can be placed on QKR or by cash/Eftpos at the office by 15th August

CARDI AWARDS

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**Congratulations on reaching
20 Cardi Awards!**

Foundation: Dylan

Grades 1/2: Skylah

Grades 3/4: Scarlett, Harley, Skye and Zac

Grades 5/6: Jayden, Tahlia, Lilah, Savannah and Bessie



Art Fundraiser

Help us to raise funds for our school by turning your child's school artwork into keepsakes such as calendars, tote bags, greeting cards, tea towels, pillowcases, diaries, notebooks and sketchbooks. Why not be super organised for Christmas - these would make fantastic gifts for family and friends.



Each student will have produced a piece of artwork during their Art lessons (see examples for each year level below). If they were absent, don't worry, they will be able to choose another piece they have completed.

Forms will be sent home next week. Orders can be placed online using the QR code on the order form or fill out and return the order form along with payment. Orders close on Friday 18th August.

Orders will be delivered early in term 4.

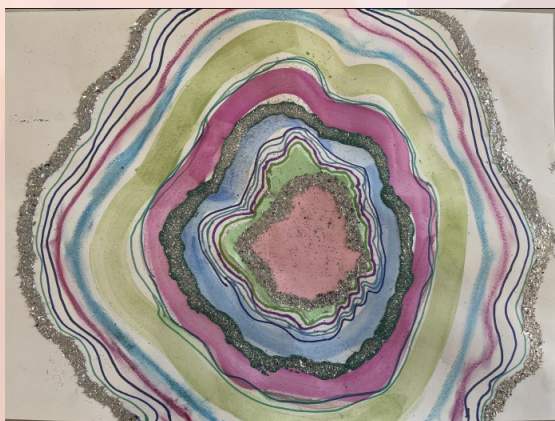
Please contact Lisa in the office if you have any questions.



Foundation Example - Fish



Grade 1/2 Example - Rabbit



Grade 3/4 Example - Geode

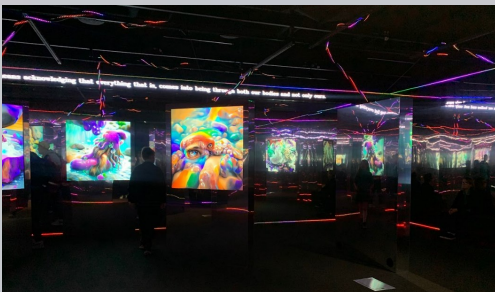
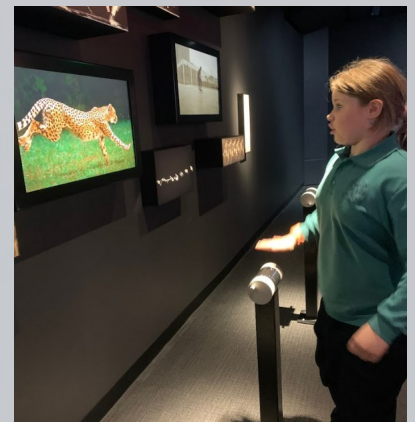


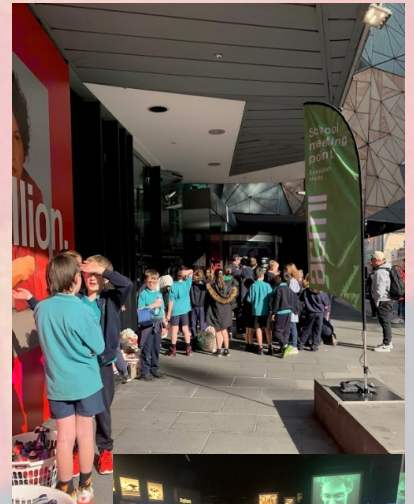
grade 5/6 Example - Dragon Eye



3/4 ACMI Excursion

An excited buzz went around the 3/4 grades yesterday morning because the day had arrived for our excursion. We were headed to ACMI - the sound and visual evolution museum which was a culmination of our Term 3 Inquiry topic of Digital Technologies. Boarding the buses, we headed to the city. First stop was morning tea in Federation Square before heading to the ACMI Museum. We got to see the evolution of sound and music, play some old video games and see how movies had evolved over time. After finishing up in the museum we headed to a cool playground for lunch and a play before heading home. It was an action packed day. Thanks to all the staff who helped make this happen and especially the Grade 3/4 students who displayed all our school values and did themselves and our school proud.





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XUNO is your parent portal to view news and events, book parent teacher interviews, check your child's live attendance, mark absences, view reports, and more. Please contact the office if you have any problems or questions about setting up, and signing in to your account.



Qkr! Is the app that the school is using to accept any payments, such as: Parent Contributions, excursions, Meal Deals and second hand uniform (and more!) We are also trying to reduce the amount of paper used so most permission forms will be available on the app. Of course, if you require a hard copy, one can be collected from the office. Please see the office staff if you need more information about using Qkr!

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club runs each Friday between 8:30-8:45am in the Science Room. This program is government funded and open to all students.

Food available may be Weetbix, muesli, toast with Vegemite or honey, baked beans, spaghetti and fruit cups. Please let us know when dropping off your child if there are any allergies we need to be aware of.

Children are welcome to come to the Science Room from 8:30am. Please do not drop your child off any earlier than this. We welcome any parents who would like to come once a month (or less if we get enough help) to serve and tidy up.



Before and After School Care

At Cardinia Primary School, Before & After School Care is offered by Windermere.

Monday to Friday: Before School Care from 6:30am - 8:45am

After School Care from 3:30pm - 6:30pm

Website: <https://www.windermere.org.au/childcare/cardinia-ps-oshc-family-resources>

Email: enrolmentOSHC@windermere.org.au

Phone: 0499 190 055 - Luke



2023 Term Dates

Term 1: Monday 30th January (Students) - Thursday 6th April

Term 2: Monday 24th April - Friday 23rd June

Term 3: Monday 10th July - Friday 15th September

Term 4: Monday 2nd October - Wednesday 20th December

PIANO/VOCAL SELECTIONS

CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY

Music by Marc Shaiman


Lyrics by Scott Wittman & Marc Shaiman

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<https://www.trybooking.com/CJWAI>

Friday August 25th 7pm, Saturday August
26th 1pm and Saturday August 26th 7pm

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