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**HOURS OF SCHOOL  
SUPERVISION FOR CHILDREN**  
8.45AM TO 3.45 PM  
Before and Afterschool Care  
is available

**1st June 2023**

**GREEN & GOLD**

### Calendar Dates to Remember

June 1st	Grade 5/6 Interschool sport—Ainslie Parklands (Away) 11:10—12:50
June 2nd	<b>Pupil Free Day</b>
June 9th	Grade 5/6 Interschool sport—Marlborough (Home)
June 12th	<b>King’s Birthday—Public Holiday</b>
June 13th	Prep—Fire Education
June 19th	Parent teacher Conferences
June 20th	World Refugee Day
June 21st-22nd	Grade 3/4 Gymnastics
June 23rd	<b>Last day of term 2:30pm finish</b>
<b>Term 3</b>	<b>7th August Curriculum Day</b>

### UNIFORM SHOP

OPEN

MONDAYS

8:30AM—9:15AM

### Indigenous Celebration & Holiday dates:

June 3rd: Mabo Day

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

**NO SCHOOL**

**PUPIL FREE DAY FRIDAY JUNE 2**

**PUBLIC HOLIDAY MONDAY JUNE 12**



### STATE SCHOOLS SPECTACULAR

A group of Year 5/6 students have been regularly rehearsing their dance moves for the up coming State Schools Spectacular. They regularly attend group rehearsal with other schools also.

Tickets are about to go on sale. If you would like to go and watch the details are:

The 2023 Victorian State Schools Spectacular will be held on **Saturday 9 September**. The performance times are **1:00pm and 6:30pm**.  
John Cain Arena, Melbourne Park

The show is approximately 2hrs 45min (including a 30-minute interval).

Tickets are on sale from **11am on Wednesday 7 June**.

Adult: \$40      Concession: \$30      Child (U15): \$20

(a \$6.30 service fee per transaction applies on all purchases)

Tickets are available through Ticketek: [www.ticketek.com.au/spectacular](http://www.ticketek.com.au/spectacular) or 132 849.

Quadrant Four (North East) Sections 7, 8, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 52, 53

# MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

## RECONCILIATION WEEK.

We celebrate reconciliation week this week. National Reconciliation Week is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. The dates for National Reconciliation Week are the same each year; 27 May to 3 June.



## DRINKS AT SCHOOL

Water is the best drink primary school children can have. We allow all students to have water bottles. Some also bring along juice boxes which are OK also.

Sandra often has small milk boxes at recess.

Unfortunately this week we saw some children bring PRIME to school.

It is very clearly labelled

### NOT SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN UNDER 15.

These warnings are important and mean that the contents are not suitable for young growing bodies. We saw some marked behaviour changes in children who had drunk them.

Please do not send energy drinks eg, PRIME, Red Bull, Mother or carbonated drinks such as coke, lemonade. We want our children to be healthy and attentive in class.

## REPORT WRITING

All staff will be taking Friday as a professional practice day to write Semester 1 reports. You will then have an opportunity to an interview with the teacher on Monday June 19<sup>th</sup>.

## STATEWIDE PRINCIPALS CONFERENCE

On Monday June 5 all principals will meet at the Melbourne Convention Centre. This is a great opportunity to hear from experts in Education and catch up with colleagues. I hope to bring back some interesting ideas to share.

## CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to Will and Tahlia who will be competing at the Yarra Glen racecourse for the next stage of cross country. They both finished in the top rankings at the district cross country last week.

I was so proud of all of the students who attended Quambie Reserve last week. Their behaviour and determination was a credit to the school. The course does have an enormous hill that can be a bit intimidating, but everyone took in in their stride. I was so pleased to hear from many students who had improved their result from previous years. All students contribute to the school's overall score.

Well done everyone.

## RABBIT REARING – PREPS

There has been great excitement in the preps about our little “kittens” – baby rabbits. They arrived not even opening their eyes and are now hopping around the cage. We have this experience every year and it is wonderful to see how quickly they grow and become independent.

We will keep one of the rabbits as a pet for the prep classes after Dash passed away.



# COMMUNITY NEWS

## DELICIOUS DONUTS - PREPS

As part of their Language Experience this week the preps made some delicious donuts. I was lucky enough to taste a few of the bite sized morsels. They were delicious. What a brilliant activity to get language going! Thanks to all the prep team.



## INTERESTING DONUT FACTS

When donuts were first brought to America, they were called olykoeks. Olykoek actually means 'oily cake' in Dutch, which is pretty much what a donut used to be. Old fashioned doughnuts were balls of cake that were fried in pork fat.

Donuts today have a hole in the centre, but it wasn't always that way. The original donuts didn't have holes as they were just fried balls of dough. However, it was common for the centre not to be cooked all the way through after cooking.

Entenmann's Bakery in Carlisle, PA is the largest baker of donuts in the United States. It makes about 100,000 donuts every hour, which is roughly 15 million a week! Entenmann's has baked well over 4 billion donuts since it opened.

## Breakfast Club

Tuesdays & Thursdays  
8.30am to 8.50am  
Come and enjoy a free breakfast .

There is cereal, toast, canned fruit and more.

Everyone is  
welcome.

*Kind Regards  
Julie Gilbert*



**MANY HAPPY RETURNS TO  
STUDENTS HAVING  
THEIR BIRTHDAY FROM**

**1st June to 14th June 2023**

**Sami, Ella, Anna, Asha,  
Abraham, Imogen W and Sumlian**



**Fresh Eggs For Sale**  
Due to popularity we  
are selling our eggs by  
the 1/2 Dozen \$3.00.



**ADULT ENGLISH  
CLASSES**

**Every Tuesday  
2.45pm – 3.30pm  
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at the office!**





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