



### IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, 19th August	Book Week Dress up Day. Come dressed up as your favourite book character.
Tues-Fri, 23rd-26th August	Gr 1, 4 & 5 Swimming in Schools Program.
Thursday, 25th August	School Council Meeting at 5pm.
Friday, 26th August	Netball Clinic for selected Gr 5/6 children.
Mon-Wed, 29th-31st August	Gr 6 Waratah Bay Camp.
Thursday, 1st September	Division basketball for selected students.
Thursday, 1st September	Gr 1 Gippsland Heritage Park excursion.
Friday, 2nd September	Fathers Day Stall.
Wednesday, 14th September	Division athletics for children participating.
Friday, 16th September	Last day of Term three, children dismissed 1pm.

### Principals Report

#### Parent/Carer/Guardian Opinion Survey

Our school is currently 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 and Training that is conducted amongst a sample of randomly selected parents/caregivers/guardians (previously known as the Parent Opinion Survey). It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of families' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour, student engagement and experiences of remote and flexible learning. Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

Approximately 30% of parents are invited to participate in this year's survey via a **letter sent home with their child**, conducted until [Friday 16th September](#).

All responses to the survey are anonymous.

The survey is conducted **online**, only takes **20 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the fieldwork period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones. The online survey will be available in a range of languages other than English. These include: Arabic, Vietnamese, Mandarin, Chin (Hakha), Hindi, Japanese, Somali, Turkish, Punjabi and Greek.

#### Helmets

A reminder that in order to ride bikes and scooters to school helmets must be worn.

It is unfortunate that from time to time I am required to enforce what should be the responsibility of the home. If your child doesn't have a helmet please don't let them ride to school.

#### Preps move to New Classroom

Our Preps have now moved across to their new classroom and are settling in well. It is anticipated that our grade ones will be moving across into their new rooms in the coming weeks (before the end of term).

The framework for the multi purpose room at the front of reception is going up at the moment. All told we hope construction is completed in November, ready for the 2023 school year.

#### Asthma Management Plans

Parent's of children with Asthma are asked to visit their doctor to update their child's Asthma Management Plans. It is important these plans are updated annually.

*Chris Joustra,*

Principal.






# WEEKLY AWARDS



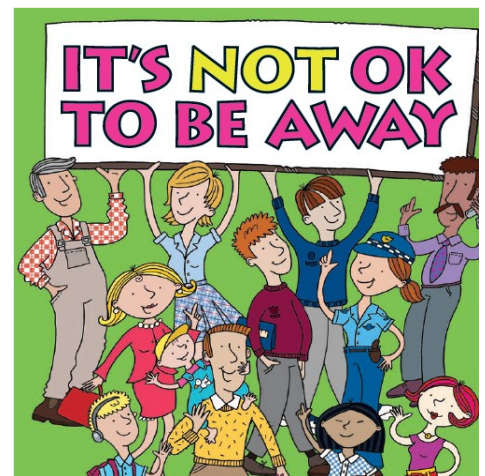
- Prep** Baylen S & Hunter G
- Gr 1** Luna B, Oranna B & Kyrah W
- Gr 2** Jaidyn G, Aleiah G T & Zoe W
- Gr 3** Abel W, Grace E & Ethan S
- Gr 4** Jehtt A, William C & Akaydia G
- Gr 5** Catelyn A S, AE Y & Mikayla D
- Gr 6** Aimee T, Chelsey M & Trey M

- ARTISTS AWARDS** Grade 2 Koalas, 5B & 3A
- PE AWARDS** 3B & Prep Blue
- MUSIC AWARDS** None

### SCHOOL VALUE AWARDS.

-  **KIND:** Kyle S, Gr 4
-  **GRITTY:** Lucy W, Gr Prep
-  **FOCUSED:** Yasmin A, Gr 3

**ENVIRONMENTAL:**



## ATTENDANCE AWARD

# Grade

## 2023 Prep Enrolment Appointments

If you have a child who will be enrolling for Prep next year please contact the office to arrange an appointment to complete the required paperwork.

Please be aware that proof of date of birth (eg Birth Certificate) and an Immunisation History Statement are required for enrolment.

The Immunisation History Statement is available from:-

- ◆ any Medicare office,
- ◆ by ringing 1800 653 809, or
- ◆ online at [www.medicareaustralia.com.au](http://www.medicareaustralia.com.au).

Please also pass this information on to others who may not be aware that enrolments have commenced.

**School tours are available at any time by appointment. Thank you.**



# Father's Day Stall

## Friday 2nd September

All students will have an opportunity to purchase a gift for their Father/Special person from 8.45 till recess, with a variety of gifts ranging from \$1.00 to 10.00.

Volunteers are required to help on the day, if you can spare some time, even a short amount, it all helps and would be greatly appreciated.

Please email [mppsparentscommittee@yahoo.com](mailto:mppsparentscommittee@yahoo.com) or contact the School Office if you would like to volunteer. Thank you.

# Book Week

## Friday August 19th

Come dressed up as your favourite book week character!

JSC are giving away prizes for best dressed.



CBCA BOOK WEEK 2022

# Dreaming with eyes open...



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