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Newsletter - 7-9-22

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Bunyip Primary School

What's happening in Term 3

Date	Classes/People concerned	Activity
Thursday 8th & Friday 9th September	Learning Community 1	Swimming Program
Thursday 15th September	Selected Students	Cardinia Koorie Celebration Day
Thursday 15th September	Selected Students	5/6 Debate
Friday 16th September	Whole School	Last Day of Term 2.30pm Finish
Monday 3rd October	Whole School	First day Term 4
Thursday 6th October	Prep 2023	Kinder Visit - 12.30pm - 1.45pm
Friday 7th October	Prep 2023	Kinder Visit - 12.30pm - 1.45pm
Monday 10th October	Learning Community 2	Cranbourne Royal Botanic Gardens Excursion
Monday 24th to Wednesday 26th October	Grade 3,4,5	Waratah Beach Camp
Friday 28th October	Prep	Grandparents Morning Tea
Tuesday 1st November	Whole School	Public Holiday - Melbourne Cup
Thursday 10th November	Prep 2023	Kinder Transition - 2.30 - 3.30
Monday 14th November	Grade 3 and Selected students	Red Cross Pillow Project
Thursday 17th November	Prep 2023	Kinder Transition - 2.30 - 3.30
Thursday 24th November	Prep 2023	Kinder Transition - 2.30 - 3.30

Learning Community 1 Prep Guy

I must start with a massive WELL DONE to every Preppie

for the resilience shown over the past two weeks while learning how to swim. You are all amazing! Thank you also for the respect shown representing Bunyip Primary School; you have all been a pleasure to take outside school. Thank you also to the parents and grandparents who came to help with the swimming program. This week in our room we learnt about adjectives, adverbs and sentence structure in writing. We learnt how to retell a fiction story in our own words, making sure we included the setting (where and when) the story took place, the characters, the beginning, middle and end of the story. In Maths we started learning about division and sharing equally.

Prep Guy Student Of The Week

Congratulations to Jack H who was chosen by his peers as this week's Student Of The Week. Students said Jack was very respectful; he always treats his friends like he would like to be treated. He is resilient because he tries so hard and never gives up and he is responsible and follows the school rules all the time. Congratulations Jack; we are all very proud of you.

Mrs Jane Guy.

1/2 Smith & Stark

We have had another great week at swimming this week. What an improvement we have seen in every one of our students! We are so proud of their behaviour and beautiful manners on the bus and at the swim school too. Well done to all!

We have run Literacy sessions in our first hour each day while our swimming program has been running. We listened to the story 'Little Red Riding Hood' and used this to continue exploring elements of

fiction texts. We focused on retelling events in the correct order, writing about the text, creating our own story about a wolf and finally exploring how we should behave if we were in Red Riding Hood's shoes, finishing the week by watching someone else's version of this 'fixed fairytale'.

The students have enjoyed our Maths rotation centres again this week. This week we have focused on number sense, fractions and graphing skills. The students are particularly enjoying these revision skills after our very busy days at swimming.

1/2 Stark Student Achiever

Well done to our student achiever this week, Maddison! Miss Stark is so proud of the kind friend Maddi is, and the effort Maddi puts into her work each day!

1/2 Smith Student Achiever

Rydah has shown amazing leadership this week as student achiever. He has been working super hard to achieve all of his goals. Fantastic effort, Rydah!

Mrs Kelly Smith, Miss Nicolle Stark, Ms Liz Wahl, Mrs Melissa McCoy, Ms Kris Preston.

3 Beilby

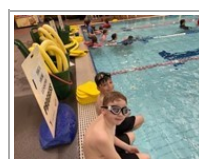
This week we have seen some exhausted and emotional cherubs as the end of term quickly approaches. All of our students have participated so wonderfully in the swimming program and to see the growth in their ability in just a few short days is terrific.

On Friday this week, students are asked to wear a change of clothes – not their uniform, over their swimmers as they participate in the survival part of their lesson. This means, they can come in the clothes they are going to jump in the water with and pack their school uniform to change into after their lesson. They just need a pair of pants and a t-shirt to jump in the water with. I have sent a separate note home to all student in Learning Community 1.

I have included a lot of photos this week of our brilliant swimmers.

Congratulations to Silas for being our Star of the Week. Silas has shown tremendous growth this semester and has worked really hard at trying to improve his handwriting. Silas has also shown resilience and determination in the water. Congratulations Silas on a brilliant effort.

Mrs Jess Beilby.



Learning Community 2

The countdown is on until School Holidays. We are so proud of the effort our students have put in, particularly after a big Term.

This week in Reading students worked on comparing and contrasting images and texts. This required them to identify the things that are the same and that are different between two images or texts. In Writing, students had a blast creating a treasure map. They needed to design their treasure map with a variety of features. They then had to develop a set of instructions to guide the reader to find the 'hidden treasure'. At the end of the week, students had a competition to read one another's instructions and find the treasure. It was an absolute blast!

In Maths this week we continued with our focus on fractions and decimals, and began to make connections to percentages. Students worked through independent tasks, teacher focus group, open ended task, the game and computers.

Also this week students in LC2 had the opportunity

to go to the stadium to play basketball. Those who chose to go had a wonderful time. Thank you to Mr Craig and Mrs Howard for providing this fun sporting opportunity for our students. The students that chose to stay at school got their creative juices flowing with a Van Gogh drawing activity and a daffodil craft activity.

Mrs Sarah Munday, Miss Maxine Howard, Mrs Glenys Howard, Mr Anthony Craig, Mrs Leanne McKane, Miss Brooke Jansz.

Achievers:

4/5M: Charlie - For always leading by example, and being a wonderful person and classmate. We are so lucky to have you in 4/5M, Charlie!

4/5M: Deon - For applying himself to all lessons across the week. Mrs Munday is so proud to be your teacher, Deon!

4/5M: Amelia - For her hard work in both Mathletics and Readwriter. Amelia is an absolute star!

4/5X: Liam - For working quietly to finish his LEGO writing activity. Well done, Liam!

5/6H: Saira - For being a kind, friendly and respectful member of our school community. Thanks for being you, Saira.

5/6C: Ella - For having a great week and for working hard to complete her work. Well done, Ella!



Gardening & Cooking Club

This week in Gardening Cooking Club we made yummy quiche, with eggs from our chooks at school, spring onions, mint and spinach growing in the school vegie garden. YUM!

Community News



Don't miss Brass Monkeys at West Gippsland Arts Centre!

Brass Monkeys celebrates kids who march to the beat of their own drum. Bursting with high calibre acrobatics, a ton of comedy, live music and high flying tricks, this show is perfect for kids and grown ups who like a big brass belly laugh.

"Brass Monkeys is a highly entertaining, charming and wacky show for kids, but us adults will appreciate the sheer talent and complexities of the tricks and tongue-in-cheek comedy aimed purely at the older crowd" - Theatre Travels 2020.

Brass Monkeys
by Circus Trick Tease
Sunday 2 October 2:00pm
West Gippsland Arts Centre

Bookings: www.wgac.com.au or 5624 2456



Together we can save lives

Cardiac arrest can happen to anyone, anywhere, at any time. It can happen at any age, health or fitness level, and often without any symptoms. It's up to all of us to learn how to save a life.

3 STEPS TO SAVE A LIFE:

- 1 Call Triple Zero (000)
- 2 Push hard and fast on the chest
- 3 Shock with an AED

Join us and learn how to save lives.
Venue: Bunyip Primary School, 1290 Nar Nar Goon, Longwarry Rd
Date & time: Tuesday 13th September 2022, 7.00pm
Free and suitable for ages 11+