



Term 1 Week 6
Thursday 9th
March 2023

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Children are **not** actively supervised at school until 8:30am.

Bundarra Primary School

Term 1 2023	
Monday 13th March	Labour Day Public Holiday—No School
Tuesday 14th March	GRIP Leadership - School & Vice Captains
Saturday 18th March	Bundarra PS Fete
15th-27th March	Naplan
Thursday 23rd March	School Athletics Day
27th-28th March	Glasses for kids program
Thursday 30th March	District Athletics
Thursday 6th April	Last Day Term 1— 2:15pm finish



Our School Fete is fast approaching! We are looking for volunteers to help out on the day with class stalls/BBQ/Setup etc or help with baked goods. If you are able to help, please pop your name on the list in the front office foyer. Thank you.



We would like to acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the lands and waters on which we gather, the Gunditjmara People, and pay respect to elders past, present and future. We would like to share our gratitude that we get to live, learn and play on this beautiful Country.

* SUPER STUDENTS



Adele Anderson

Appreciated, authentic, astonishing - Adele is a truly wonderful Super Student! Adele's kind, caring nature brings a calm and positivity to 23B that we couldn't be without! Adele is truly selfless - she is always offering to help others with their work or if someone is feeling sad. Adele is a strong, inclusive leader who sets the standard of how students can achieve and behave at school, always representing our school values with pride. Adele aims for the stars, and her learning and abilities at school are super impressive. We are so proud of the gentle, inspiring person Adele is!

Ruben Taylor

Respectful, resilient, reliable - Ruben has become a super hard worker in 23B! Ruben is incredibly kind, and always has a lovely compliment to offer others! We are so proud of Ruben's determination to complete his work to the best of his ability, and the pride on his face when he shares his completed tasks inspires those around him! Ruben is an inclusive, positive and caring member of 23B, and we love having him in our class! Congratulations Ruben!

Alyssa Robertson

Amazing, appreciative, admired - Alyssa is an amazing leader in 23B! Alyssa always has a beautiful smile on her face and a positive comment to share with our class. Alyssa is a reliable role model, and always offers to help those in need. Alyssa's work is always completed at a high standard, and she is growing in her learning like a beautiful flower! Alyssa's creativity and artistic abilities are truly super, and we love seeing her amazing drawings every day. We are so proud of the kind, thoughtful person Alyssa is!



23B



2023 School Review

Later this year in Term 3, Bundarra will be having our school review. This happens every 4 years at the end of our School Strategic Plan and reflects on our goals, celebrates our successes and identifies areas we can continue to work on to make our school the best it can possibly be. It is very important that I consult with students, staff and our parent/carer and school community and everyone has an opportunity to give their opinion. In the coming weeks, you will be sent a short survey to have your say about our school.

This week I have been working with our schools' leaders – house and captains, to hear our student voices. The school captains worked together to record survey questions, they interviewed all our students and then compiled the responses. Our leaders put in a tremendous effort, and I thoroughly enjoyed working alongside them.

GRIP Leadership

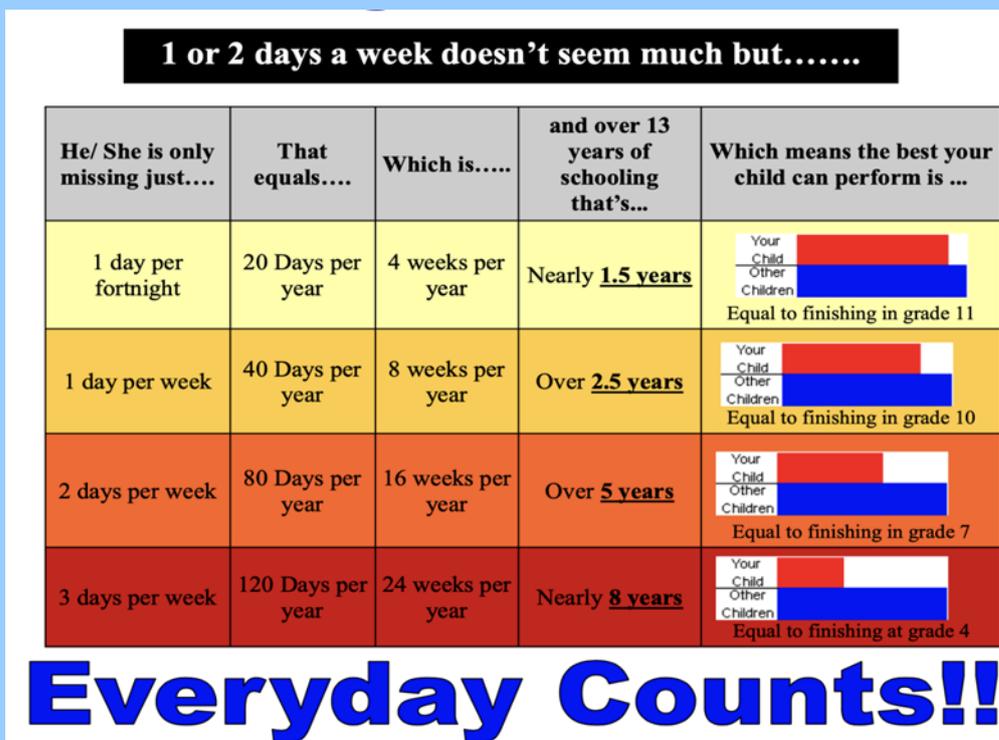
On Tuesday our school captains Kadence, Jacob and vice captains Matilda and Evie will be joining all the other school leaders from Portland and district schools to engage in a leadership event in Mount Gambier.

NAPLAN

Next week NAPLAN will begin for every year 3, year 5, year 7 and year 9 student. Students will be completing all their assessments online, apart from the year 3 writing test which will be done as paper and pencil. As the assessments are starting a lot earlier in the year and being online, we will be getting our results a lot quicker. The way the assessments are being reported to schools and parents has also changed and you will get this information closer to the date of receiving your child's results.

Everyday Counts

Attending school every day is extremely important for your child's development. Of course, there are days that your child will need to stay home – if they are sick or have appointments. However it is not OK for your child to not be at school for no particular reason. Below is a graphic that outlines how much school you child will miss over 13 years from having one day a fortnight up to 3 days a week. Please take the time to look at this and understand the importance of your child being at school.



Labour Day Holiday

I hope you all enjoy your long weekend for labour day and you manage to spend some quality time with your family and friends.

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STUDENTS



F1A

Jackson Pridham

23B

Bruce Walker

34A

Meka Tillotson

56M

Hamish Blake

56W

Hudson Sherwell

Music

Hudson Sherwell

Art

Ryder Peatt

P.E

Ava Robertson



Athletics Day

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

The Bundarra Primary School Athletics sports day has been scheduled for Thursday 23rd March (Week 8). The school athletics event is held at the Nelson Park facility. We encourage all parents and friends to come and support our students on this day.

The day is always an enjoyable and rewarding experience for our students.

This year's Athletics day will once again be a whole school event and all students will be participating within their athletic events concurrently. Students will make their way to Nelson Park at approximately 9:10, with a scheduled start time around 9:40. Students will be competing within their respective age groups for the duration of the Athletic event.

Please note, student's age is taken from 31/12/2023.

If you or another family member or friend can help on this day, we would very much appreciate your help and support. Please fill out the form below and return to Bundarra P.S as soon as possible.

*Please note, helpers will not be allocated a specific event this year, but will be asked to follow an Age group of students and help at all of the events throughout the day. This will mean that students have their support team follow them around to all of their events and helpers do not miss the opportunity to watch and support their child.

Students have been designated a specific House Team, which they will represent for the duration of their time spent at Bundarra Primary School. We encourage students to wear an item of clothing which represents the colour of their House Team. The House Teams are as follows:

FAWTHROP: Red

FLINDERS: Green

GRANT: Yellow

SAUNDERS: Blue

We thank you for your continued support!

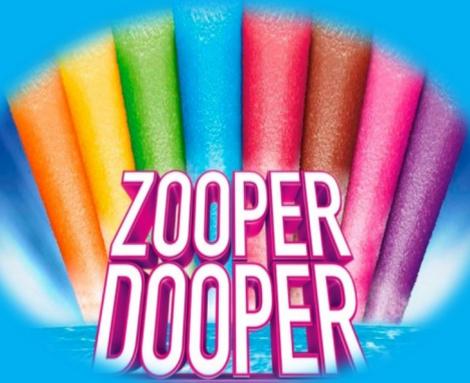
Yes, I _____ can help at the Bundarra P.S Athletics day on Thursday 23rd March, for the successful running of the Bundarra Athletics. I would prefer to help and support the _____ age group, as I would like to be able to watch _____ (student name).

Signed:



We've got the 3D printer up and running early this term in 5/6 and we have been testing it out with lots of animal and character prints! From cats and dogs to Pokemon and car badges, we are heating things up to 220 degrees to create our favourite things in 3D! This is just the beginning with potential for board game tokens or even a chess set so if you have any suggestions or would like to see your idea come to life, come and talk to Mr Potter!

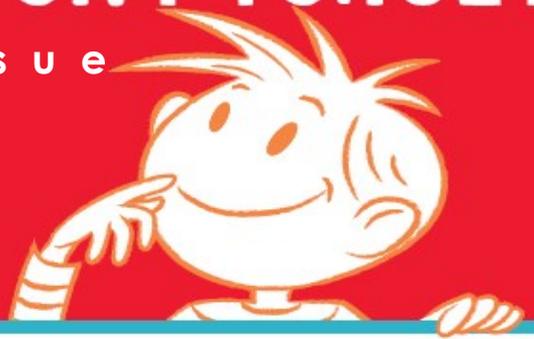




Zoooper Doopers
available every
Wednesday and
Friday at
lunchtime. \$1 each

DON'T FORGET!

Issue
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 SCHOLASTIC

Book Club

orders are due:

22nd March

<https://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx>



Portland Secondary College

Creating the Opportunities...

Important Dates for 2024 Year 7 Students

20 March 2023 - Grade 6 Orientation Day

27 March 2023 - 2024 Year 7 Scholarship
Testing

8 May 2023 - Junior School Showcase
and Information Night

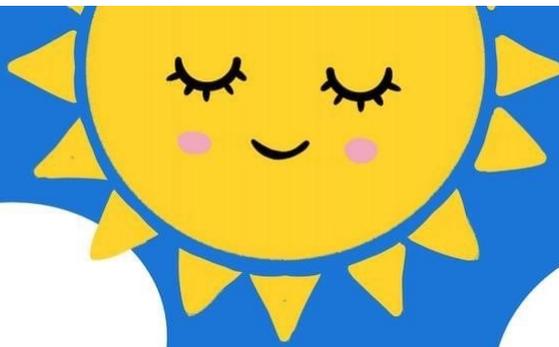
Tours of PSC can be arranged at a time to suit you.
To make an appointment call our General Office on
5523 1344 or contact:

Emma Clignett, Year 7 Student Engagement Leader
emma.clignett@education.vic.gov.au

or

portland.sc@education.vic.edu.au





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ENTER VIA
FAWTHROP
STREET

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MARCH 18
10.AM-2.PM



BUNDARRA

SCHOOL FETE

RAISING MONEY FOR SCHOOL CAMPS



MUSIC



PRIZE
DRAW

FOOD



PIE FACE

DRINKS

MARKET
STALLS



FACE
PAINTING

BUNDARRA PRIMARY SCHOOL: CORNERS FAWTHROP AND EDGAR STREETS

Community News

Beats Cycle for Hope



Portland to Bridgewater Bay Sunday 19 March 2023

- 🚲 FREE Registration at Hanlon Park from 9:00AM
- 🚲 Registration on the day or via this QR Code
- 🚲 or online at <https://www.trybooking.com/CFOWX>
- 🚲 Donations kindly accepted
- 🚲 FREE bus returning from Bridgewater at 1.00PM
- 🚲 Food & drinks available at Bridgewater



Enjoy a family friendly morning of exercise, then relax!

**All funds raised will go to supporting families
affected by cancer within the Glenelg Shire**

For more information visit our Facebook page - www.facebook.com/beatscycleforhope
or website - <https://www.portlandrotary.org.au/stories/beats-cycle-for-hope-project>



JOIN THE FUN!

**Portland and Surrounds
All Girls Auskick Centre**

Hanlon Park, Portland

Friday 24th Feb- Friday 24th March

4:30-5:45PM

Cost: \$40 including modified Auskick pack

Scan the QR Code to register!



For more information, contact
jm.sealy@bigpond.com
0417 592 969



Junior Football Back for 2023

The GSWJFL
Portland Tigers JFC
will be fielding 3 sides
in 2023

Under 11s

Under 14s

Under 17s

**Starting Thursday
9th March**

Alexandra Park

4: 30 pm to 5:30 pm

**ALL WELCOME!
Meet the coaches.
Come and try night.**

BYO drink bottle.

For more details please contact

Simon: 0409 521 789

Community News

GO GIRLS
IS COMING HERE SOON!



**FUN, BEGINNERS FOOTBALL (SOCCER)
CLINICS FOR GIRLS AGED 5-12!**

It's designed for girls to experience, learn and practice football in an inclusive, fun, all-girl environment. No experience is necessary - this social format of the game can be played by girls with all levels of experience and all levels of fitness.



Time: 12:00pm to 1:30pm Each Week
Cost: \$5 per session – Attend 1 or All Sessions
Date/Location: Sun 19th March - Harris St Reserve, Warrnambool
Sun 26th March - Friendly Societies Reserve, Portland
Sun 2nd April – North Park, Stawell
Register Now: www.gofootball.com.au/play/pick-your-location/SWVFA

For more information visit www.gofootball.com.au
or email lachlan.cole@footballvictoria.com.au



**Join Portland
Scouts Today!**

Portland is looking for young people to join their Scout Group!

Scouting actively engages and supports young people aged 5-25 in their personal development, empowering them to make a positive contribution to society.

Our section meeting nights are:

Joeys (5-8 years) Tuesday 5.30-6.30pm

Cubs (8-11 years) Monday 5-6.30pm

Scouts (11-15 years) Wednesday 6-8pm

Venturers (15-18 years) Monday 6.30-8.30pm

Rovers (18-25) Monday 6.30-8.30pm

For more information or to join contact portlandscoutgroup@gmail.com

1800 SCOUTS | scoutsvictoria.com.au



HEATHMERE FNC



JUNIOR FOOTBALL

**SEEKING U11 PLAYERS FOR THE 23'
SEASON**

Looking for an inclusive family club for your children to play footy at?

Come out to Heathmere every Thursday night from 5pm to see why people call Heathmere home.

ALL AGES WELCOME!!

Casey Taylor:
0408 292 212

Nick Guthridge:
0468 941 121

Bundarra Primary School

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

HOT FOOD

Roast Chicken, Lamb or Beef Gravy Roll	\$5.70
Lasagne	\$3.40
Spaghetti Bolognese	\$3.40
Hawaiian Pizza	\$3.20
Steamed Dim Sim	\$1.20
Baked Bean Jaffle	\$3.00
Homemade Soup (Pumpkin, Veg or Chicken/Corn)	\$3.00
Meat Pie	\$4.90
Pastie	\$4.90
Party Pie	\$2.00
Hot Dog & Roll	\$3.50
Zucchini & Bacon Pie	\$4.50
Mini Quiche	\$2.00
Homemade Sausage Roll	\$3.00

SALAD ROLLS

Roast Beef, Chicken, Ham or Corn Beef. (Lettuce, Tomato, Beetroot, Cheese & Carrot)	\$7.00
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SANDWICHES

Vegemite Sandwich	\$2.00
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LUNCH PACKS

Vegemite or Cheese Roll, Cheese Stick, Sultanas, Apple or Banana	\$6.00
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MEAT & SALAD BOWL

Your choice of Meat, Boiled Egg, Carrot Sticks, Mini Tomatoes and Cheese	\$5.70
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SNACKS

Apple or Blueberry Muffin	\$2.80
Biscuits & Cheese	\$2.50
Popcorn	\$1.00
Yoghurt	\$2.50
Fresh Fruit	\$1.50

DRINKS

Nippy's Milk 375ml - Choc, Strawberry or Honeycomb	\$3.80
Golden Circle Fruit Drink - Orange, Orange Mango, Sunshine Punch or Apple	\$2.00

LUNCH ORDERS ARE AVAILABLE EVERY THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
Please make sure you write your order clearly on a paper bag with your child's name and class along with correct money. Orders are to go in the lunch order tub in your child's classroom.