



Term 2 Week 7

Thursday 8th

June 2023

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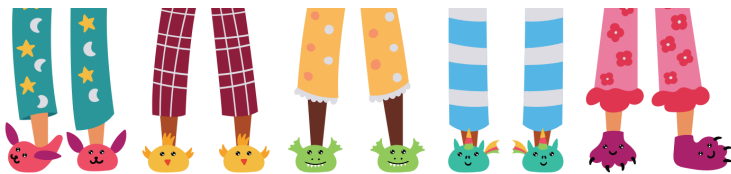
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Children are **not** actively supervised at school until 8:30am.

Bundarra Primary School

Term 2 2023	
Monday 12th June	Kings Birthday Public Holiday
Friday 16th June	School Photos
19th— 21st June	Grade 3/4 Positive Start Camp - Grampians Retreat
Friday 23rd June	Last Day Term 2 - 2:15pm finish
Term 3 2023	
Monday 10th July	First day Term 3



THICKSHAKE AND PYJAMA DAY 23rd of June

Dress code: favourite pyjamas
or something comfy!

**\$2 for a small
and \$4 for a large order
forms to go out with
students**



Thank you to the
Wattle Creek CWA
for their generous
donation towards
our Breakfast Club.

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 and present. We would like to share our gratitude that we get to live, learn and play on this beautiful Country.

Ngata from Mrs Shelton....

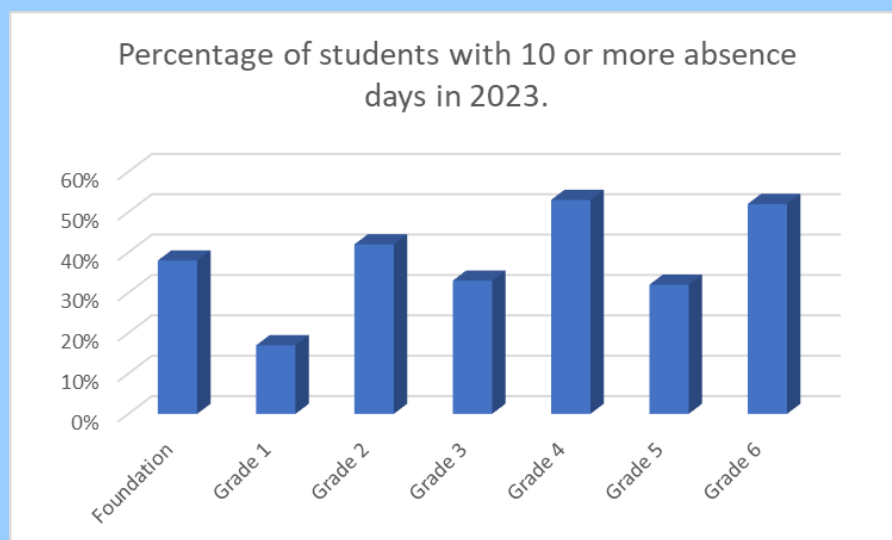
Reconciliation Week

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 theme for Reconciliation Week is **'Be a Voice For Generations.'** Last week eight Grade 5 and 6's attended a reconciliation event at the civic hall, where they were able to express what reconciliation means to them.

Attendance

The acceptable rate of absence for a semester is 0 – 6 days. We know there are many reasons why a child is not attending school and I wanted to communicate the reasons that are acceptable as well as the unacceptable reasons.

Below is our current data of the percentage of students in each year level that have had 10 or more days absent since the beginning of this year:



Overall, 39% of the students at Bundarra PS have been absent for 10 days or more this semester. If we compare this to all Victorian schools – 24%, you can see that we have a lot more students being absent. When you do not send your child to school, please consider if the reason is acceptable.

Acceptable Reason: Being sick, medical appointment, bereavement, religious and cultural observation and sorry business. Extended family holiday is an acceptable form of absence, however it requires my approval. For this reason, it is important if you are going on an extended holiday that you make an appointment with me.

Unacceptable Reason: Birthday, sick or unwell family member, tired from the weekend, family visiting from out of town, stayed up late the night before and refusing to come to school.

School Photos

Our school photos will be held on **Friday the 16th of June**. Photos start at 9am so please ensure students are at school by 8:50am in full school uniform. Grade 6 students are encouraged to wear their Grade 6 top.

Family photos **must** be ordered before 4:30pm the night before photo day.

RAT Tests

Please continue to test your child if they are presenting with cold like symptoms using a RAT test. If families need more of these, please call the office and we will send them home with your child. The guidelines for students who test positive to covid are to isolate for 5 days from the day they test positive or until there are no longer symptoms.

New Basketball Backboards

Next Tuesday, we will be installing new basketball backboards. This has been organised in conjunction with Portland Basketball Association and will reflect the quality of backboards found there. This has been done as they hire our gym for many teams in practice.

Kings Birthday Holiday

This coming Monday is a public holiday and I hope everyone has a great long weekend, spending time with family and friends.

Star

STUDENTS



F1M

Tyson Daly

23B

Torben Kotze

34A

Penny Kruis

56M

Matilda Litchfield

56W

Tyla Sharp

Music

Maddi McQualter

Art

Hudson Sherwell

P.E

Noa Oats



School Photos

Friday 16th June

ONLINE BOOKING



Your school has decided school photos will only be available to order online this year.

Choose your own **FREE** background



The benefits of being online...

- No need for envelopes to be returned to the school office
- No cash on school grounds or children's bags
- Easy order tracking and record keeping
- 18 different backgrounds to choose from - no additional cost

Bundarra Primary School - 2023

www.leadingimage.com.au

Access Key

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INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY PHOTOS CAN BE ORDERED WITH THE SAME ACCESS KEY

To order your school photos:

- 1 Go to www.leadingimage.com.au
- 2 Click on Order Your School Photos
- 3 Select your State
- 4 Enter your special unique Access Key



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MUSIC

Grade 3/4A have been busy learning the ukulele this term. We have been learning some easy chords and practising how to change them. The students have enjoyed the challenge of strumming in time and getting their fingers on the correct strings.



Community News

Portland Runners Club Presents



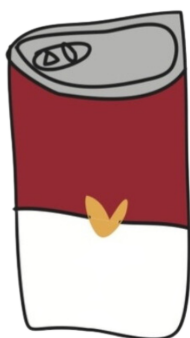
WINTER SOLSTICE FUN RUN June 18th 2023

9K - 15K - 25K TRAIL
WALK OR RUN PLUS A KIDS RUN

Register Now
portlandrunnersclub.com.au



Share the warmth.
This winter.



Donate tin food to
The Little FREE Pantries.

Drop off point. Our school.



**FREE ALL AGES
MOVIE NIGHT**

THE REENGAGEMENT JUNIOR STUDENTS
WANT TO INVITE YOU TO A MOVIE NIGHT!



TUESDAY 13 JUNE

TOY STORY STARTS AT 5 PM & E.T. AT 6.40 PM

WHERE: PORTLAND ARTS CENTRE

4A GLENELG STREET, PORTLAND

GOLD COIN DONATION - PROCEEDS TO RSPCA

FREE SNACKS

QUESTIONS? CONTACT THE GLENELG SHIRE COUNCIL YOUTH TEAM:
YOUTHSERVICES@GLENELG.VIC.GOV.AU | 0400 151 447



Community News

16TH
JUNE

WWW.BLUELIGHT.ORG.AU



PROUDLY RUN BY LOCAL
POLICE AND VOLUNTEERS

BlueLight



PORTLAND
BLUE LIGHT
DISCO

8- 10PM / 9 TO 14 ONLY / \$10 ENTRY

COME DRESSED AS YOUR FAVE MOVIE CHARACTER!

**PORTLAND CIVIC HALL
30 BENTNICK ST, PORTLAND**

CONTACT LSC LEE-ANNE NELSON 03 5522 1500



PORTLAND BLUE LIGHT DISCO



BLUELIGHT_VIC



Steamed Dim Sims **Monday and Wednesday** **lunchtimes**

Steamed dim sims \$1 each

Regional Cross Country

Last week, Ellie Anderson represented Bundarra and the Divisional area at the Regional Cross-Country event. As always, Ellie represented our school superbly, pushing herself from start to finish to achieve an amazing result at this level of competition. We congratulate Ellie for her achievements once again. You should be extremely proud of what you have achieved!

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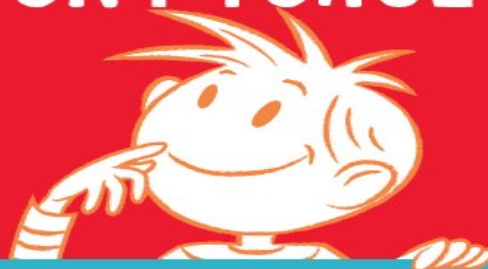


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DON'T FORGET!



SCHOLASTIC
Book Club
orders are due:

8th June

STEP UP TO SCHOOL



Join our School Readiness Team as they discuss how you can support your child's transition to school with a range of early childhood experts.

**MONDAY 29TH MAY
7PM VIA ZOOM**

If you missed this, you can follow this link to see the recording.

[Step up to School Forum 2023 - YouTube](#)

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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.