



## ISSUE 18. Term 2 Week 8: 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2023

### THE WEEK AHEAD

#### Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June

- Free Choice Friday
- Assembly

#### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June

- Whole School Optional Special Event: Parents Verses Students Lawn Bowls at Paynesville Bowls Club  
10am -11.45 am. Sausage Sizzle BBQ 12.00 – 1pm

#### Monday 19<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June

- Swimming Program for Prep-4 students

#### Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June

Grade 5/6 Coolamatong Camp

#### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June

- Grade 3/4 Excursion to Forge Creek Theatre for 'My Life as a Donut' show.

#### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

- Grade 5/6 Swimming final session
- Semester 1 Reports to go home.

#### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

- Last Day of term 2
- House Colours Day: Activities run by Senior students
- Assembly 3pm

### FIRST WEEK OF TERM 3

#### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July

- First day of term 3.

### Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 8:30am to 4:00pm

Friday 9:00 am to 3.30pm

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## Koala's of Raymond Island SRC Fundraiser





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By Sylah and Maddison




### TERM 2 DATES.

**Term 2:** Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April (Staff only) – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June.

**Term 3:** Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September

## Dear Parents, Carers, Families and Membes of our Community.

Hopefully everyone had a nice long weekend with their families. Last Friday it was so warming to see so many students arrive in their koala themed outfits, onesies and pyjamas to raise awareness and some funds to support the 'Koalas of Raymond Island'. The amount raised was \$99.10.



This term has certainly been full. It has been so nice to see so many students engaging in a range of learning experiences within and outside the school. There have been incursions and excursions, swimming, sports and camps. The children have been able to enjoy a range of experiences as part of their academic, social and emotional learning.

We look forward to the week ahead and to finishing off term 2 in a positive and happy way. It would be lovely to see many of you come to the Parent verses Children Lawn Bowls Social fun session and free BBQ lunch on Sunday at Paynesville Lawn Bowls Club. (See flyer in this newsletter for details).

Deb Mathers – Principal

## Award Winners for the Week.



## School Uniform

Just wanting to remind everyone that full school uniform needs to be worn to school everyday. The uniform includes black pants, plain black leggings, black shorts, black skirts or school dresses. Short and long sleeve school t-shirts, school jumpers and jackets. Hoodies and other non school uniform items are not permitted to be worn at school.

## SRC Electronics Day

Students can bring electronic devices if they would like next Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June to use between 11.30 – 1pm. These devices are brought in at student's own risk. The school will not take responsibility for any damage or loss of these devices in line with the DET device policy. This also includes NO phones at all on this day again in line with the DET phone policy. If your child does bring a phone to school it needs to be handed in at the office in the morning and it will be held safely in a locked room. The students can pick them up on their way out of school. Thank you for understanding that these policies are ones that are set and that we need to follow.

## Grade Prep/1 Developmental Play.



## Grade 5/6 Parliamentary Prize Competition Entries

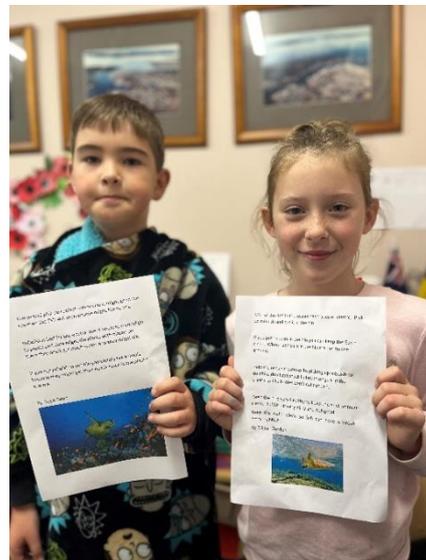
In 5/6 the students were given an optional task to write something they believed should be changed and submit it to parliament. The judges would then choose the students who did the best and the students who did the best and place them first, second and third. The students who came first, second and third could also win money for their school. I think this is a good opportunity for students to write about what they think should be changed and have a say in what happens. Well done to everybody who entered. Good Luck! By Mahlia

## Uniting Kindergarten visited our school this week.

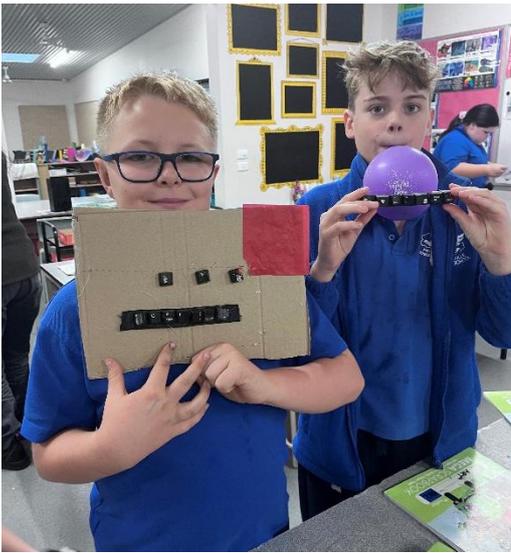
Our grade 5's were happy to welcome some of the children from Uniting Kindergarten to have a play on the playground and have their lunch on Wednesday.



## Grade 2 Library Visit and Persuasive Writing



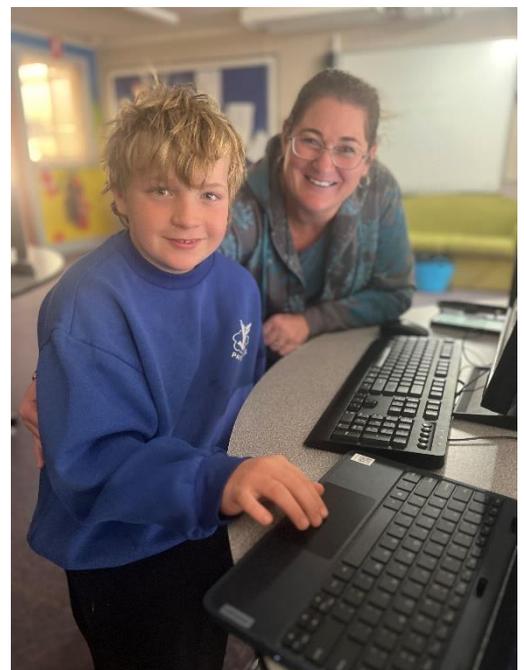
## In the Artroom



## New Computers for the 5/6 area.

The 5/6 area have a new bank of 45 computers on trolleys entering their classroom space from next week. Each child will have the ability to have access to a computer to support their learning within their classroom space every session where required. They will have some technical training in programs to support them now and to support the technological knowledge they will require as they transition to secondary education

Will was the first student to get his hands on one. There are many students excited to also get their opportunity too.



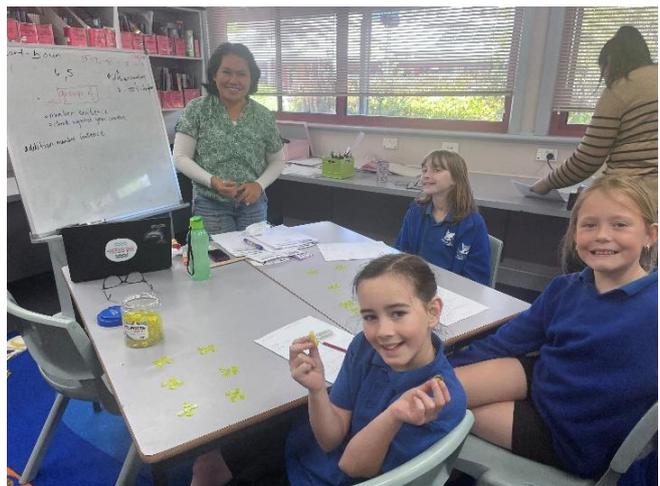
## State Library Virtual Learning Sessions with well known authors and illustrators Matt Cosgrove, Amy Amores and Andy Griffiths.

These authors and illustrators were able to virtually enter our Grade 2 – 6 classrooms over the last couple of days to inspire and support Reading and Writing at our school. Students in these classes were able to hear and engage with these well known individuals over 2 separate sessions



## Tutor Learning

Cecile works with children across many levels to support their learning growth in small focused groups daily. Trinity does so too in the Grade 2 area. Our students are so lucky to have their dedicated support.



## In the Kitchen



## Staff Member of the Week

As staff we are living our school values everyday and acknowledging the work each of us as staff does to promote and show these values. The staff member of the week for this week is .

## Student Wellbeing Award.

Our winner last week was Hope Spencer. Well done for doing such a great job of supporting the wellbeing of others across the school.



# Eco Hero's Club



## Who are we?

This club is about making a better and healthier environment for our school. We will be looking for students to join us. Some of our idea's are Nude Food days which will be starting on the first Tuesday of Term 3.

Composting which we will start later in the year.

We are also open to any of your own ideas.

Thanks for reading have a great rest of your day.

By: Sylah, Maddy, Lucy and Ella.



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## **Paynesville P.S. Values Awards.**



### **Value of the Week: SAFETY.**

#### **Students identified by staff this week to be demonstrating our School Values.**

**Liam Checkley. P/1...** By using scissors and glue safely during craft activities.

**Tom Geisler. P/1...** Thinks about safety of others while in the classroom.

**Chiarah Searle. 5/6...** By walking carefully and safely to school.

**Ricky Rowed. 2...** For walking to the ferry with his sisters safely.

**Bridie Henery. 5/6...** Making sure a student was safe on play equipment.

**Serenity Singh. 5/6....** By the safe way you look for cars getting yourself to and from school. Well done.

**Jayden Barley. 3/4...** By safely using equipment in the garden area when shovelling soil.

**Jayden Barley. 3/4...** By making sure an adult knew where he was when he had to leave to get his bike helmet before school.

**Nate Carpenter. 3/4...** By using a knife safely in the kitchen.

**Brianna Rowed. 5/6....** For always showing respect to adults and student learning.

**Ella Maddern. 5/6...** For always displaying safety in the classroom and yard.

**Maddison Kelly. 5/6...** For keeping the basketball courts safe.

**Ellie Shingles. 5/6...** For helping Mr Floyd clean the classroom to keep it safe.

**Mirae Hasler. P/1...** For keeping her peers safe in the yard.

**Mia Payne. 2...** For reminding her friends to walk carefully inside the classroom.

**Japleen Kaur. 3/4....** For always following school values.

**Well done to all these students as well as so many others across the school that have worked to display actions showing our value of Safety this week.**

## Grade 5/6 are creating some fantastic School Acrostic Poems.

**P**ositivity is one of our values!

**A**mazement - Amazement is one of the plenty of emotions you will feel once you come to this school!

**Y**ou will love this school!

**N**ever give up!

**E**xcitement - Everyday you come to this school, you will feel a sense of excitement!

**S**pectacular - This school's aspects are extremely spectacular!

**V**alues - Our school has values you should follow!

**I**nteresting - Our school is very interesting!

**L**earning is key!

**L**ove this school!

**E**nthusiasm - Our students are extremely enthusiastic!

**P**aynesville - Paynesville is the town we are located in!

**R**ead - Reading is learning!

**I**n this school, bullying is a no-no!

**M**rs Mathews is our principal!

**A**nti-Bullying is a major factor in our school!

**R**esilience - Our students are always very resilient!

**Y**es! Our students always say yes to challenges!

**S**afety is one of our values!

**C**urriculum - Our school has an awesome and educational curriculum!

**H**appy! - Our students are always happy!

**O**ne reason to come to our school is our very kind students!

**O**ur students are very hard workers!

**L**egendary specialist programs - like Kitchen, Art, Respectful Relationships, and Music.

• MADE BY LIAM CARMICHAEL - 5/6 F •

# WHOLE SCHOOL FAMILY FUN EVENT



## Parents vs Students

### Lawn Bowls Competition

Please join us.

On Sunday the 18th of June 2023

Parents vs Students Lawn Bowls Competition  
and Sausage Sizzle BBQ Lunch.

Where : Paynesville Bowls Club.

Time: 10am-11:45am

12pm-1pm lunch.

Paynesville Lawn Bowls club are kindly supplying the lawn bowls and the school will cater for the lunch.

Cant wait to see you there!

Please let us know at the school on

5156 6334 if you are joining us so we can be sure to cater for you.



# 2023 East Gippsland Music Festival Gala Concert



featuring  
instrumental music students  
from schools across the  
region and  
Dr Sue Arney guest conductor

**When:** Thursday 22nd June 2023  
7:00 pm to 8.45 pm

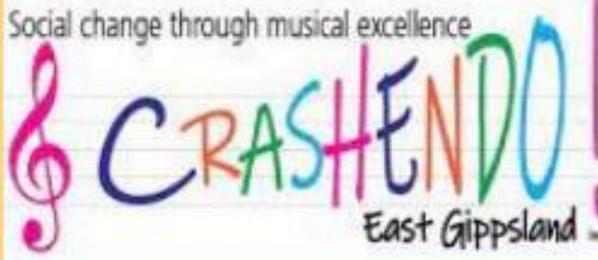
**Where:** Boucher Hall  
Corner Wallace and McKean Street  
Bairnsdale

Entry is \$5 per adult  
children are free



Proceeds of tickets sales go to  
Bairnsdale Secondary College Music Department

Social change through musical excellence



This project received grant funding from  
the Australian Government

Paynesville Op Shop

## MUSIC HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Mon 26<sup>th</sup>, Tues 27<sup>th</sup> & Wed 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023

**Where:** U3A Building

Cnr Service & Rupert Streets BAIRNSDALE

**Program times:**

**Mon** 8.30am – 1.30pm (Primary aged) 2.15pm (Mentors)

**Tues** 9.00 – 2.15pm (Primary aged) 2.45pm (Mentors)

**Wed:** 9.00am – 4.30pm (All)

**COMMUNITY FINALE CONCERT** (Free Concert)

WED 28<sup>TH</sup> JUNE – 3.30 – 4.30pm



Join in with other orchestral musicians and learn from professional local and Melbourne musicians.

If you don't play a string, woodwind or brass instrument – join percussion!  
We also offer a mentor program for more advanced players looking to gain teaching experience in a supportive environment.



**BOOK NOW:**

**Use QR Code OR Click on link below:**

**COST:**

EARLY BIRD: \$45 closes 5/6/23

FULL FEE: \$60 closes 19/6/23

CONCESSION CARD: free or donation

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