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Office Hours - 8:30am to 4:00pm - Monday to Thursday
8:30am to 3:30pm - Friday

CALENDAR OF EVENTS – TERM 3		CALENDAR OF EVENTS – TERM 4	
SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER	
14 th	Choir at Opal Aged Care 10am-11am	5 th	Term 4 commences
14 th	School Council Finance 4:30pm	25 th – Nov 1	Chelsea PS visiting from NZ
16 th	Nexus Arts – We Love Rock n Roll	30 th	ART SHOW GALA EVENING
16 th	School Council Meeting 6:00pm	31 st & Nov 1	ART SHOW
17 th	Grade 3/4 Play 10:00am & 6:30pm	PFA FUNDRAISING EVENTS	
18 th	Last Day of Term 3	October 10 th October	Dahlsens BBQ
		November	2016 Fundraising calendar Art Show (Melb Cup w/end)
		PUPIL FREE DAYS }	Friday December 18th
TERM 1 - Thursday January 29 th to Friday March 27 th	TERM 2 - Monday April 13 th to Friday June 26 th	TERM 3 - Monday July 13 th to Friday September 18 th	TERM 4 - Monday October 5 th to Friday December 18 th
BLUE HOUSE	RED HOUSE	GOLD HOUSE	GREEN HOUSE

Dear Families,

Next week is the final week of term 3. It has been a fantastic term with students calm and focused on their learning. The tone in the playground and in the classrooms is superb and I would like to thank families for the strong support they are showing the students and teachers. Next term we are back in the school garden – planting out and harvesting. If you would like to be part of the garden program please see your child’s classroom teacher and let them know you would like to be involved.

“There’s a Boy in the Girls’ Bathroom”

Matinee 10am Thursday Sept 17th & Main Performance 6.30pm Thursday Sept 17th.

The grade 3 and 4 students are very excited about performing their play next week. It is an absolute cracker. I watched a dress rehearsal this week and laughed the whole time. Mum’s, Dad’s, Nanas and Pops come along and enjoy the show. Bookings through the grade 3 and 4 booking office!!

TRAINING AND REGISTRATION FOR PAYNESVILLE CRICKET CLUB

Cricket training and registration will start this Sunday 13th September @ 10am at the Football and Cricket oval, A J Freeman Reserve. The club will be running two senior teams and two junior teams (U13 and U16) so any children or parents interested in playing or getting involved are welcome to come along. Coaching and loan equipment will be available.

Finals Weekend: Basketball and Footy!!

Paynesville Primary School has a team in the boys and girls under 12 basketball grand-final tonight at 5pm at the BARC. Come along and support them if you are looking for some excitement. The Paynesville Footy under 16s are also in the grand final this weekend. There are a heap of PPS graduates in the team and we wish them well.

Basketball Registration for term 4

Team lists are up in the grade 5 and 6 Area. If you are playing please go online and complete the registration process. Like many sports – this process is now online. I will submit our team lists but individuals need to register.

<https://reg.sportingpulse.com/v6/regiform.cgi?formID=52043>

Any questions please ring Bec White on 0403838781

Grade 6 Camp to Cape Conran

Last week the grade students went camping at Cape Conran. This has to be one of the most beautiful locations on the planet! On the first day the kids completed the Yurang Inlet walk. On the second day they completed the Conran Coastal Walk from Cape Conran to Admiral's Creek which is past West Cape. On the final day the grade six students went on a Ranger Walk. It was a wonderful camp and it was a privilege to spend time with such a fine bunch of young people. A very special thankyou to the amazing Julie Watkinson, Chris (Fats) Smith and Martin Higgins. The camp reminded me how lucky we are to live in this slice of paradise we call East Gippsland.

DISCO Thursday Night – “Breaking News”

What a night – Hawaiian Theme allowed many children and adults to get their grass skirts out of the cupboard and have a wonderful night out. While there were many highlights such as Caesar's beat boxing ability – the night has to go to Kohan Polocov! Kohan is the reigning “Break” dance champion and he was defending his title at 8.25pm last night when... he went into his famous handstand move...from where he pushes off, spins and lands. Sadly Kohan broke his arm in the push off part and he had to go to hospital. He had his arm realigned and put in a cast and he was home by 1am! Anyone at the disco who saw Kohan must have noticed how calm and brave he was. He didn't cry once all night. We always knew he was tough, but now we know he is really tough. Kohan is at home recovering and will be back at school next week. While lying in his hospital bed last night Kohan's only question was “Did I win?” Well yes – no else felt like having a turn after that!

Opal Choir Performance Next Monday 10am

Next week the school choir will be performing up at the Paynesville Opal Aged Care. The Choir has been rehearsing well and they are looking forward to the day.

Jump Rope for Heart - Big Jump Day

On Thursday the whole school was about in the afternoon – jumping up a storm to support the Heart Foundation. Thanks you to all of the families who sponsored their child or donated to the cause. A big jumping thankyou to Kate Radford for leading the program.



Darcy Garth jumping up a storm – well supported by Sam Bolleman.



Jazmin Renshaw (Above) and Karan (below) show that they have got the moves.



Tayla Martin showing her style.



Sage Walters had a wonderful time.



Nice moves Sunny Howlett



Prep Visit to the Paynesville Fire Station

The prep students enjoyed learning about fire safety and the role of fire crew. A few of the preps wanted to drive the fire truck...but apparently there are some rules that didn't allow it!





DISCO Night
- Hawaiian
Style



Everyone had a wonderful time at the DISCO. There were lots of flowers and bright coloured clothes. Many kinder kids turned up to party and they had a fun night out.



Cape Conran Grade 6 Camp 2015

The VCAL students of Federation Training G- Tec are again hosting the Leukaemia Foundation "Light the Night Fundraiser" for 2015. The Family Fun Night and Twilight Walk will be held at 5:30pm on Friday the 16th of October at Howitt Park Reserve in Bairnsdale.

This is a free event for the whole community aimed at raising money and creating awareness for the leukaemia Foundation. The event is a family friendly event and an alcohol free event consisting of fun for the whole family. There will be a variety of market stalls and exhibits as well as food and drinks available to purchase. There will also be entertainment for the kids including:

- Jumping castles
- A petting zoo
- Live music

This year we have a special performance by Lakes Entrance local Sally Chatfield as well as other local performers.

If you would like to be involved as a stall holder or performer, or required any further information please contact Terrie Crow on (04) 323 526 21 or t.crow@federationtraining.edu.au.

'THE NOTICEBOARD'

Never Underestimate a Child with Scout Skills

Starting as a Joey Scout, age 5.5, a child starts learning skills so that by the age of 14 they can successfully plan and take 5 other youth on an adventure into unfamiliar bush, safely on their own. Planning, first aid, hygiene, shopping, cooking, camping, teamwork, fitness, think for themselves, looking after each other and the list goes on. By the time they are in year 11 and 12 the Education Department has recognised the skills obtained in scouting so now a Venturer Scout can have their scout work as part of their schoolwork and go toward their VCE ATAR score.

We at 1st Paynesville Sea Scouts are proud to have 5 young teenagers attending the Scout Jamboree in January. Lord Baden-Powell the founder of Scouts started Jamborees after the loss of so many young scouting men at WW1. It was his thought if young people from all over the world could gather in one spot, there be more chance of people communicating and understanding different cultures and he hoped in the long term bring peace to the world. It's unfathomable the friendship and sense of belonging to a multicultural world that a young youth gets from attending Jamboree, in addition to the 10 days of full on fun and adventure.

Scouting is currently active in 216 countries and territories, with a global membership of over 31 million, male and female.

If you are interested for your child or even yourself gaining scout skills and being part of this global organisation, please contact us at

1st Paynesville Sea Scouts.

For all ages 5.5 onwards.

To get more information email or ring

Amanda Bodinnar

aka Puggle (*scout name*) maypark@tpg.com.au 0428 560 908



East Gippsland Waterdragons Swim Club is holding a

Fun Session & Race Night

New Swimmers welcome!

Friday September 18th @ Lakes Entrance Aquatic Centre
(Pool Entry is free on Fridays)

5:00pm start for All Swimmers

Fun Night/Race enquires: Bec Seignior Mobile: 0448030844

New member enquiries: Mary Strini 0438521252 or Margo Cuthbertson 0427518443

East Gippsland Waterdragons Swim Club is a not-for-profit swimming club that caters for swimmers of all ages and abilities. Club members come from all over East Gippsland, look with professional swimmers at Lakes Entrance, and compete in various race events.

Our General Sponsors:



happening on fridays

fun, interactive music sessions for young children and their parents/caregivers

Young children and their parents/caregivers join together for a fun, thirty-minute music session, then afterwards enjoy snacks and refreshments in a relaxed setting. mainly music is an activity you and your child can participate in, from birth to school age.

Fridays 10am to 11am beginning 9th October 2015
\$5 per family - LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE
REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN
Paynesville Uniting Church
Cnr Langford Parade and King Street
Paynesville
Contact: Rosie 5156 0362
Email: lin.bethc@gmail.com

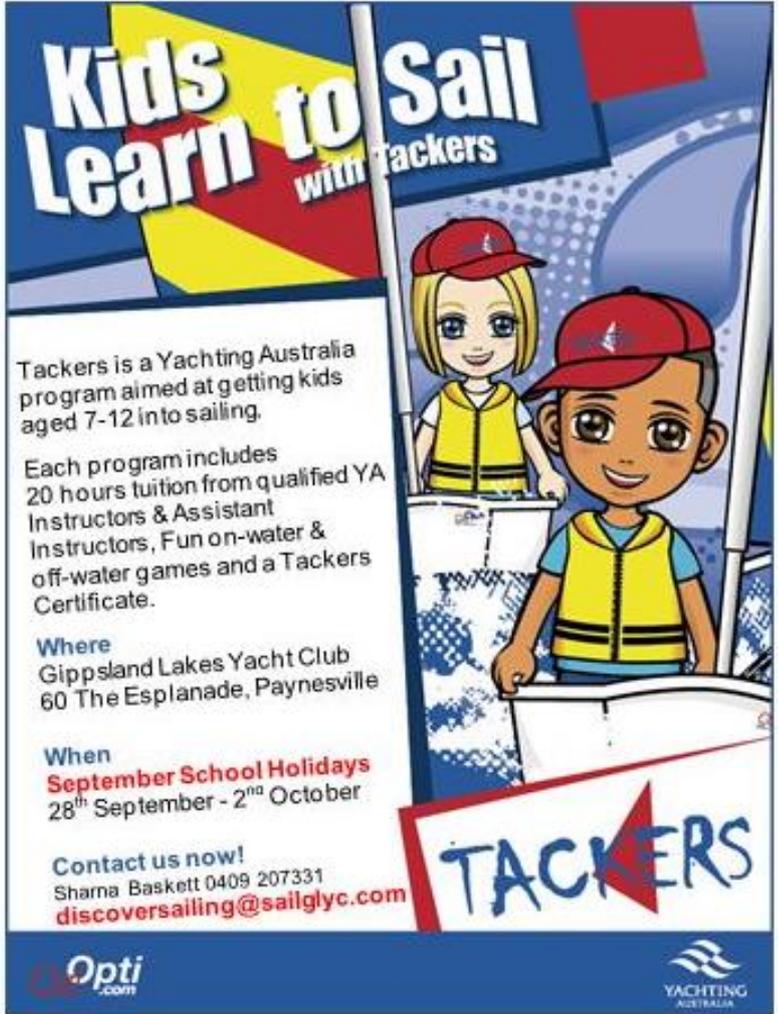
www.mainlymusic.org



Basketball Summer Season to

commence on Tuesday the 6th of October for juniors. There has been a few changes with the recent increase of teams, weekly draws will be as follows Mondays - U16 boys, A Men, C Men and A Women, Tuesdays – Mini-ball 5yr -10yr old, Under 12 Boys and Girls & Under 14 mixed, Wednesdays – U16 Girls, B Men, C women & B Women. Please note all players (Seniors & Juniors) must pay the annual Affiliation fee of \$40.00 Junior Registration nights - will be held at the BARC on Tuesday the 1st and 8th of September between 5 – 7pm. Fees set for next season for juniors are Registration \$30.00 and \$5.00 door entry per week. We will be reducing the registration fee by \$5.00 for every additional child when more than one child in family is playing. Also for junior players (Under 18 yrs old) who are wanting to play in both the junior and senior competitions the fee will be \$40.00 per season which will cover registration in both junior and senior comps.

For any queries for Juniors please contact Bec on 0403838781



Kids Learn to Sail with Tackers

Tackers is a Yachting Australia program aimed at getting kids aged 7-12 into sailing.

Each program includes 20 hours tuition from qualified YA Instructors & Assistant Instructors, Fun on-water & off-water games and a Tackers Certificate.

Where
Gippsland Lakes Yacht Club
60 The Esplanade, Paynesville

When
September School Holidays
28th September - 2nd October

Contact us now!
Sharna Baskett 0409 207331
discoversailing@sailglyc.com

Opti.com.au

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FREE AGES 5-12 BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

EAST GIPPSLAND
SHIRE LIBRARIES

Movie Screening Home (PG)



Join us for our screening of the PG rated animated movie Home

The story takes place on planet Earth which is invaded by an alien race called the Boov. A girl named Tip manages to avoid capture, and goes on the run with Oh, a fugitive Boov.

Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for this FREE event.

Fri. 25 Sept
Bairnsdale Library
2.00pm - 3.45pm

Tues. 29 Sept
Orbost
Service Centre
2.00 pm - 3.45 pm

Wed. 30 Sept
Lakes Entrance
Service Centre
2.00 pm - 3.45 pm

Wed. 30 Sept
Orbost
Service Centre
2.00 pm - 3.45 pm

Thurs. 1 Oct
Paynesville
Service Centre
2.30pm - 4.15pm

FREE AGES 5-12 BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

EAST GIPPSLAND
SHIRE LIBRARIES

Monster Rocks Activity Session



Join us for a special activity session to beat the school holiday boredom. Listen to stories, play games and make your very own monster rock!

Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for this FREE event.

Tues. 22 Sept
Orbost
Service Centre
2.30 pm - 3.30 pm

Wed. 23 Sept
Lakes Entrance
Service Centre
2.30 pm - 3.30 pm

Wed. 23 Sept
Orbost
Service Centre
2.30 pm - 3.30 pm

Fri. 25 Sept
Paynesville
Service Centre
2.30 pm - 3.30 pm

Mon. 28 Sept
Bairnsdale Library
2.30 pm - 3.30 pm

drawing for teens

Explore a wide variety of mediums and techniques while gaining new skills and knowledge.

portraits . nature . abstract . still life . human figure . architecture

Wednesdays 4:45pm - 5:45pm

Term 4, beginning Week 1

Library, Paynesville Primary School

Classes are suitable for students aged 11-16 years

\$150 for the Term(finish December 9th) - materials are supplied by Deanne
Please fill in the form below and include payment to ensure your spot.

Places are limited

Deanne Howlett is a local artist, with experience working with children.

Current Working With Children Check.

Call Deanne on 0417 518 214 if you would like more information

to draw you must close your eyes and sing

Pablo Picasso

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Child's name: _____ Age: _____

Parent name: _____

Contact phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE PAYNESVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL OFFICE.