

## Mothers Day Gift Making

Next Thursday afternoon at 1:50pm our wonderful group of Parents and Friends will be working with the students to create Mothers Day presents. As a way of sharing the experience it would be great if we could have mothers, carers or a special friend to come into the school to help make the gifts. Our Parents and Friends will also be providing afternoon tea at the end of the activity. To help fund the day PnF are asking for \$5 per student for the gift.

## Creative Movement and Ballet - Tuesdays in Fish Creek

Naturally Dance classes have a strong focus on exploring movement through storytelling, song and rhyme to provide opportunities that encourage children to explore dance creatively and develop a love of movement. Pre-school classes for the little ones run in the morning, creative ballet and ballet run after school.

Please contact Jess for more information at [www.naturallydance.com.au](http://www.naturallydance.com.au)

## Wednesday Dance with Samara

Well done to the junior school dancers who performed their super hero dance at the end of Term 1. Any new students interested in giving these creative dance classes a try are welcome on a Wednesday in the hall supper room. These classes promote fun, imagination & confidence through movement.

Starts Wed 1 May (week 2). For information contact Samara 0439447743.

3:30-4:30pm age 5-9

4:30-5:30pm age 9+

## After School Soccer

Mike and Helen Sammonds are running outdoor soccer on Mondays from 3:30-4:30, All ages welcome. Could all participants please supply Mike or Helen with a contact number in case we need to cancel due to bad weather.

## Net Set Go

Saturday mornings at 11am Fish Creek netball courts.

Running for 10 weeks excluding school holidays and long weekend.

Ages 5 - 10. Bring a water bottle and appropriate foot wear.

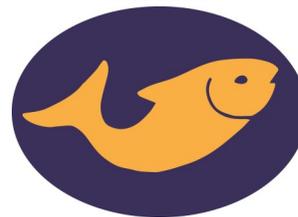
For more info contact BJ 0401 572 409.

## Celia Rossi Banksia Gallery presents:

Launch Gala: Severn & Laussade Champagne Recital and Performance

May 11 @ 6.30pm

Tickets at [trybooking.com/BBJYX](http://trybooking.com/BBJYX)



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TERM 2 ISSUE 11

NEWSLETTER

2nd May 2019

## TERM TWO

### MAY

Thursday 9th

Friday 10th

Friday 17th/24th/31st—Winter Sports Grade 5/6

Monday 20th

Wed 22nd

## COMING UP

Mothers Day Giftmaking 1.50pm onwards

Pupil Free Day—Staff at PD

PnF meeting

Grandparents Day

RESPECT

FAIRNESS

COMMITMENT

A big congratulations to the school choir and all the students that performed at Fish Creeks Anzac Day service. We had an amazing turnout with over 30 students attending on the day. The students put on an fantastic performance and the positive feedback I received from members of the community about their performance was overwhelming. A big thank you to Miss Kiarna and Mrs Shelley for organising the school choir and Mrs Banikos for working on the song 'Lest we Forget' with the whole school. A highlight of the day included the students getting a question and answer session with a pilot from the RAAF base in Sale. While put on the spot on many occasions he had the entire group engaged and even managed to answer a question about the existence of aliens!. The only truly disappointing aspect of the day was that Collingwood somehow managed to beat the mighty Essendon.

Over the next couple of weeks in PE in grade 3-6 we will be practicing for the cross country. We will be doing our practice and trials on the rail trail. If students can make sure that they have appropriate runners on these days that would be appreciated. Just for your information grade 3 and 5/6 have PE on Tuesday and grade 4/5 have it on a Thursday.

Just a reminder that next Friday (10<sup>th</sup> of May) we have a student free day. On this day our teachers and teachers from all across South Gippsland will be heading to Foster to work with George Telford. George is a former Gippsland principal who specialises in student feedback and developing a continual growth mindset in students. That is changing a student's point of view around accepting challenging work and trying to learn and grow from that. Cheers Dale.

# Student of the Week

## Respectful Relationships By Remi and Audrey

This week in 4/5/6 we learnt about what ingredients are needed to make a strong apology

We wrote apology letters and the steps that we had to take were

Say what you did wrong

Say how you think it made the person feel

Say how you feel

Promise not to do it again

Say sorry genuinely

## Woolworths Earn & Learn

Earn & Learn is back at Woolworths! This is a great opportunity for our school to earn some amazing school equipment. Stickers can be dropped into the office. Sticker sheet sent home today.

## Book Club

Book Club orders have gone home today and are due back to the office by next Thursday.

## Grandparents/Special Person Day

Our Prep to Grade 2 students are having a Grandparents/Special Person Day on Wednesday 22nd. More details to follow next week.

## Jump Rope for Heart

This term our kids are participating in Jump Rope for Heart again. Last year we were able to raise over \$1500 to go towards the Heart Foundation and helping fight heart disease. We would love to beat last year's efforts. Using the pamphlet that has gone home, you can simply jump online to register and start collecting donations. You've got this whole term to raise money to help such an important cause. Check out the awesome prizes students can collect also.

## Music Lessons

Music lessons are available on Fridays at the school. All enquiries to John Rees 0407 680 615.

## eSmart Tip of the Week:

### Getting the screen time balance right.

Whilst playing games may be described by many kids as their downtime (and yes, there is some validity to this argument) kids also need downtime that involves doing very little. It is in these moments of reflection, of thinking and of pondering, that our ideas come to us and our creativity for our other activities flows.



## Assembly

Our 1st Assembly for term 2 will be next Friday 3rd May at 3.00pm. All welcome

## Artists

We have some very artistic children at our school and it was wonderful to see some of the creations that our students have made during recess and lunch. I was extremely impressed with the unicorn that was drawn by the group. It just shows that art can be made and found in any place.

