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GOLDEN HONOUR AWARDS

A Winter Prayer

Father God, we praise you for the gift of Winter;

For dew drops sparkling in the soft, golden light of morning,

For the frosty breath we breathe as we crunch our way through crisp, white frost.

For the soft, white flakes of snow, that cover the hills in a blanket of brilliant white.

Mother God, we thank you for the gift of Winter;

For the cosy warmth of snuggling up with family in front of the fire,

For the comfort of hot chocolate on a cold Winter's night,

For the beauty of a frosty Winter's morning or a gentle Winter sunset.

Father God, Mother God, you are always near.



Have a safe and happy holiday



Dear Families and Friends,

Well, after one of the most interesting/challenging first halves of a year we now take a couple of weeks to rest and recuperate. I would like to take the opportunity **to thank all our parents and families** who have stayed focused on providing a quality education for your kids. I know it has not been easy juggling life lately, but when what we see at school is children eager to learn and excited to be amongst friends, you know you are doing something right.

The children have been particularly resilient during this time and I attribute that also to the outstanding work of our staff. **Teachers, Education Support Officers and Admin staff have formed an outstanding team** during this time. I am extremely proud of them and the work they have done to reduce anxiety in our students and to keep them progressing along their learning journey. I wish everyone a good break and look forward to a great end of the year given the foundations for learning we have set!

Healthy Tips – The importance of physical activity for kids

Being active is important for your child's health and development. Be a role model for your kids by being active yourself. Try to do some activities together as a family.

Active kids have:

- Higher fitness levels
- Healthier body weight
- Better coordination and motor skills
- More confidence and self-esteem
- A better chance of doing well at school.

Kids need at least 60 minutes of physical activity every day. Some suggestions include:

- Encourage kids to play actively inside and outside every day.
- Try simple, fun activities such as dancing to music, playing games or visiting a playground or park.
- Instead of driving your kids to and from school, try walking with them.
- Encourage older kids to ride their bikes to school or on other short trips.
- Encourage kids to do something active instead of watching TV, DVDs and playing computer games.

Time in front of the TV or computer should be limited to:

- No more than two hours per day for kids aged five to 12 years
- No more than one hour per day for kids under five years
- None at all for kids under two years of age.

<https://www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au>

Please be aware, we are currently taking applications for **2021 enrolments**. As previously mentioned, from Term Four 2020 all students at St Brendan's will be in new flexible learning spaces including a purpose built Foundation space. Very exciting! We have school tours of the new building set for its opening in October, please make a booking at our front office.

Take care and try to relax,

Matthew Hamer

Dates for the Calendar

JUNE

Friday 26th End of term disco
GHC Presentations in class
2.15 School Finishes - End of Term 2

Week 11

JULY

Monday 13th **Term 3 commences**

Week 1



A reminder that the car park at the front of the school and the church are **NOT** drop off zones. If you enter these car parks you **MUST** walk your children into the school. **DROP OFF ZONE** is via the Mary MacKillop Hall carpark only. The Disabled Parking spaces are only for people with permits.

The school beanies are now
available at Nick's - \$11.95



Please return all requested forms to the office by week 1 of Term 3.
Certificates can be emailed to office@lakesent.catholic.edu.au

OUR OP SHOP is open with all Covid-19 rules applying, Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fridays 10am – 3pm. Wednesday Closed.


Donations of clean saleable items will now be accepted and we would appreciate your help where possible to drop items to shop or shed during opening hours. We do need more help as the present circumstances has impacted the availability of some of our volunteers. If you are hesitant to mix with members of the public but are still willing to help, we plan to sort and restock on Wednesdays when we are closed, even an hour or two occasionally would be appreciated. You will need a 'Working with Children Check'. Please call into the shop or contact:

Jan Hayes 0499 331 384, Marg East 0400 927 419 or the Parish Office (Tues-Thurs) 5155 5232.

St Brendan's LE ~ St Joseph's S/Reach ~ St Colman's Orbost, Catholic Churches - Mass Times

Please note there is a maximum of 20 people permitted at any mass

Weekend Masses at St. Brendan's require **BOOKINGS** on 5155 5232 Tuesday to Thursdays 9am - 4pm

Friday 26/6	9.30am	St. Brendan's, Lakes Entrance	Wednesday 1/7	9.30am	St. Colman's, Orbost
Saturday 27/6	5.00pm	St. Brendan's, Lakes Entrance	Thursday 2/7	10.30am	Kalimna Nursing Home
Sunday 28/6	9.00am 11.00am	St. Brendan's, Lakes Entrance St. Colman's, Orbost			
Tuesday 30/6		NO MASS			

GOLDEN HONOUR AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students for receiving the Golden Honour Awards for Term 2, 2020

Reverence – Love and Compassion – Honesty – Generosity – Commitment – Faithfulness – Inclusion – Forgiveness – Respect

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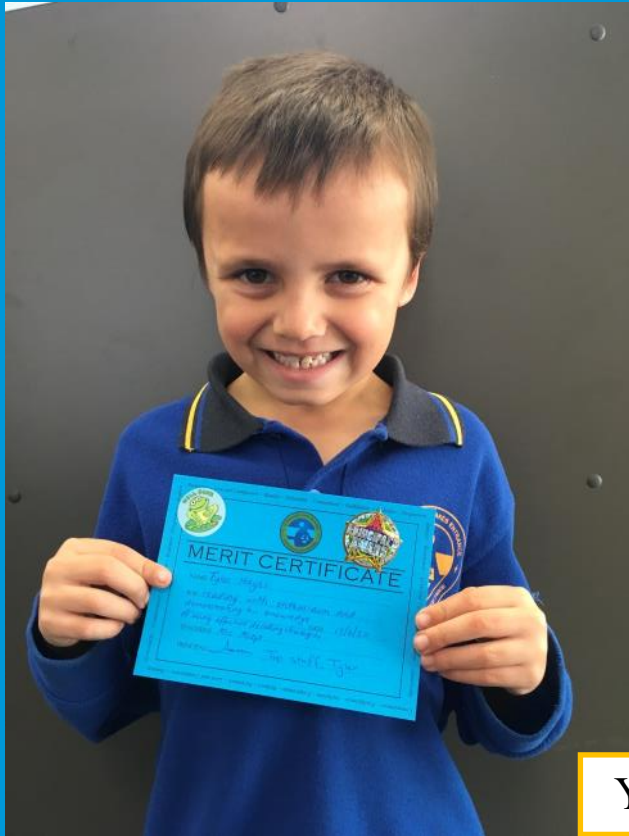
Prep Red	Justin Baky	For being a conscientious student who takes pride in his work and is always eager to learn.
	Willow Douglas	For her cheerful, positive and caring attitude towards others.
Prep Blue	Ivy Doland	For her persistence and enthusiasm and her all round super star effort during remote learning and return to school.
	Maddox Milburn	For his consistent and outstanding effort during Remote Learning and for taking on feedback to further develop his work
1 Red	Ivy Lay	For working quietly, steadily and in a respectful and committed manner at all times.
1 Blue	Jacob Graham	For consistently trying hard to learn new concepts by using his growth mindset.
2 Red	Huzaifa Kashif	For outstanding dedication to his work, both during remote school and in the classroom.
	Hannah Collins	For being a self motivated learner who constantly aims to improve her writing.
2 Blue	Archer Rickman	For being a self motivated learner who always aim to improve the standard of your work. You are kind thoughtful and respectful to all. Well done.
	Ben Bodsworth	For staying focused and engaged during Remote Schooling and bringing that attitude back to school with you.
3 Red	Alex Mahony	For being a motivated self learner during Remote Learning and always completing the tasks to the best of his abilities. Well done, Alex.
	Cobie Gilbert	For displaying excellent motivation and completing tasks to a high standard during Remote Learning. A fantastic terms work Cobie. Well done.
3 Blue	Jarred Graham	For striving to complete learning tasks to the best of his abilities and modelling the 3Rs.
	Lochie Yates	For great enthusiasm and progress in all his learning and always displaying positivity towards others.
4 Red	Bridgett Wright	For her outstanding effort during Remote Schooling and her academic improvement in all areas this term.
	Sophie Lina	For her ability to get along with anyone and dedication she shows towards her learning.
4 Blue	Grace DiFiore	For her effort in completing all her work to a high standard, achieving excellent results in learning tasks and always with a smile.
	Izabella McAuliffe-Ashworth	For her dedication and effort in completing all tasks during Remote Learning and returning to school with the same enthusiasm to learn.
5 Red	Dominic Mahony	For your outstanding work ethic and consistent engagement during Remote Learning. Congratulations on also continuing this high quality effort in the classroom!
	Dexter Collins	For being a conscientious student in the classroom and during Remote Learning, making the most of every learning opportunity! Well done!
5 Blue	Xavier Dallwitz	For always displaying a wonderful attitude towards your learning by making the most of every learning opportunity.
	Blake Kelly	For your outstanding persistence and dedication, even when being challenged, in your learning.
6 Red	Gemma Allen	For amazing effort with her work both with Remote Schooling and on her return. She always works to the best of her ability.
	Jordon Konyn	For a fantastic improvement in his work, efforts and behaviour. A very pleasing term.
6 Blue	Olivia Greer	For using her time in Remote Learning to challenge herself and excel, and set a very high standard.
	Maxwell Forrester	For showing resilience during a pandemic and achieving in his school work, whilst maintaining his bubbly persona.
Art	Ruby O'Brien	For her willingness and dedication to putting extra time into creating imaginative and artistic artwork activities for the school newsletters.
	Winter Thomas	For showing an excellent development in her artistic skills and for her positive attitude in our classroom.
Sport	Connor Guillot	For always displaying the 3Rs and your high engagement in sport.
	Lochie Yates	For always showing respect and high engagement in Remote Learning for sport.
Music	Henry Gavin	For high levels of participation in music during Remote Learning and class time.
	Indi-Rose Upton	For her growth in confidence and outstanding behaviour in music.
Mandarin	Ashantii Hooper-Byrne	For your positive attitude towards learning and enthusiasm to speak Mandarin in class. You consistently demonstrate your learnt words and use them in conversation. Well done.
	Olivia Greer	For her dedication towards developing Chinese language skills throughout Remote Learning and producing quality Mandarin work. Excellent Olivia.
Wellbeing	Ejay Warfe	For growing in confidence and independence this term. Well done!
School Captains	Jaxon Carter	For his outstanding efforts during Remote Schooling.

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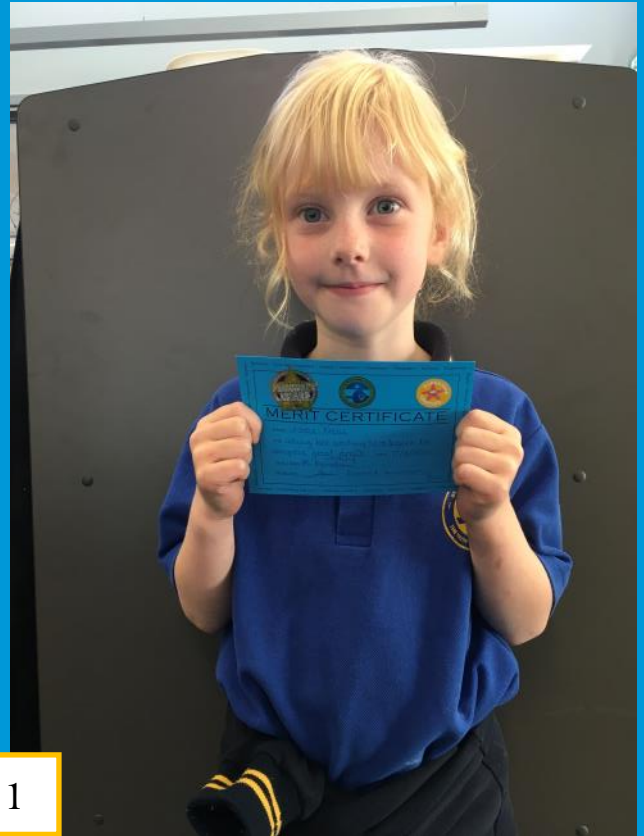


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MERIT CERTIFICATE



Year 1



Year 2



LIBRARY

- **Students must have a library bag to borrow.**
 - **Your child needs to bring their Library Bag to school everyday.**
 - **Borrowing is conducted during classes' weekly borrowing sessions.**
- ⇒ **Monday— Foundation to Year 5**
- ⇒ **Wednesday— Year 6**

Book Care Rules

1. Handle **ALL** books with CARE and RESPECT.
2. **ALWAYS** use a **bookmark**.
3. Be **RESPONSIBLE** and **RETURN** books **on time**.
4. **Protect** your books.
5. **Keep** your books **CLEAN**.

To help maintain clean library books we ask that students wash their hands before reading their library books, not only to keep books clean but to help reduce the spread of germs. All borrowed library books on return, are cleaned with sanitiser. Eating and drinking near books is not allowed and please ensure your child does not put library books in their mouths.



School library bags are available for sale from the office .



Please make sure you keep library bags clean.

The holidays are a great time to wash library bags.

School Drop Off and Pick Up Arrangements

School Drop Off Arrangements:

- Students with surname beginning with letters A- L begin school at 8.45am (*Arrival time 8.30 – 8.45am*) and students with surname beginning with letters M – Z begin school at 9.00am (*Arrival time 8.45am – 9.00am*).
- Students in Foundation and their siblings are to be brought into school and dropped at the Foundation classroom. Parents are to use the top car park and are not allowed to linger or congregate at school.
- All other students must be dropped at the school carline drop off, unless they are walking to school or catching a bus. Please note a staff member will be on duty at carline.

School Pick Up Arrangements:

- *Parents may enter school grounds to pick up their child/ren following the necessary expectations:* wait in car until your child's finishing time, do not congregate with other parents or linger on school grounds. Alternatively, parents may still use the carline system.
- Students with surname beginning with letters A –L finish school at 3.00pm. Families can pick their children up from carline between 3.00pm - 3.15pm.
- Families with surname beginning with letters M–Z can pick their children up from carline from 3.15pm.
- Students who walk from school or catch buses will operate under the normal circumstances when school finishes at 3.15pm.

School Time Arrangements:

- During the school day we have and an increased cleaning schedule that includes cleaning playgrounds, chairs, tables, toilets, door handles, etc several times daily.
- We will not have staggered play times, our ovals are of significant size which enables us to split playgrounds to reduce the chance of students collecting in large groups.
- Students **MUST** have their own water bottle as drinking from the bubble taps is off limits. Students must also wear the winter uniform and bring a hat as we will be encouraging students to wear hats on warm days.

Two Guitar places are available starting term 3.

Please see the office if you would like to participate.



NAIDOC Primary School

Art Competition

Age Groups: Prep-grade 3

Grade 4-6

Theme:



Prizes per age group:

1st \$50 Target Gift Voucher

2nd \$30 Target Gift Voucher

3rd \$20 Target Gift Voucher

Winners Announced on Monday 13th July

Entries must be submitted to by Friday 3rd July 2020 to Target Lakes Entrance

These will be displayed at Target Lakes Entrance 5th-12th July 2020

NAIDOC Primary School Art Competition

The Primary School Art Competition is designed to engage the younger members of Lakes Entrance's community in NAIDOC week. Entry is open to children residing and attending a primary school in our local area. A maximum of one entry per student can be submitted for consideration.

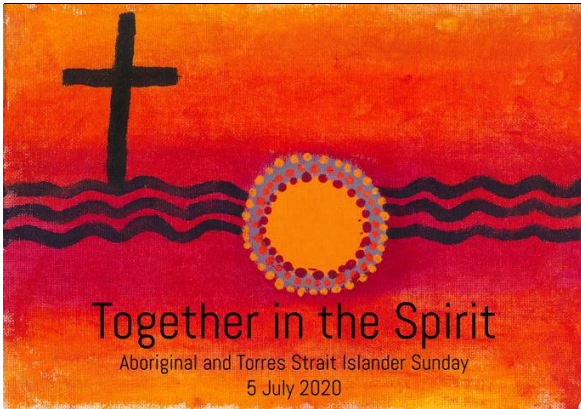
The theme for the Art Competition is **"Always Was, Always Will Be"** to recognise that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples have occupied and cared for this continent for over 65,000 years. We encourage students to think about how this theme is relevant to them and interpret it in a way that expresses this into art form.

The competition has two categories: **Prep to Grade 3** and **Grade 4 to 6**

Students are invited to draw, paint, create a collage or other form of artwork that reflects the theme of **"Always Was, Always Will Be"**. Schools are encouraged to engage the children with this year's theme to produce their own, unique artwork which represents this theme and submit the works.

Take your entries in the Lakes Entrance Target Country Store. Entries are accepted from now until Friday 3rd July 2020.

Our Faith Corner



Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday will be celebrated on Sunday July 5th.

Here is a message from the NATSICC Liturgy Team

‘As a Council, we prayed upon and discerned for many months, as to the theme for this year’s Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday. While there were many options discussed, the developing

COVID-19 situation and its widespread effects and concerns throughout our communities, made our decision on the theme clear. ***Together in the Spirit.***

Whether we are able to come together physically in Churches, or via a digital platform, we feel enriched by the fact that, as Australians, we will be ‘Together in the Spirit’ on 5 July 2020. The Gospel of the day calls for those of us that are weary, to share our burdens with God. Communities around Australia, both First Nations and non-Indigenous, have endured bushfires, droughts and now a pandemic; it is only natural that our spirit also becomes weary. There are already many burdens that exist in our communities.

With the new challenges presented in times like these, it is important that we continue to place our trust in God, and try even harder to embody the spiritual gifts of empathy, friendship and love for one another.’

You might like to check out this map of Indigenous Languages with your children (<https://aiatsis.gov.au/explore/articles/aiatsis-map-indigenous-australia>) or go to www.natsicc.org.au at 11.30am 5th July to livestream a special Mass from St Francis Xavier Cathedral in Adelaide.

SACRAMENTS OF RECONCILIATION and CONFIRMATION

The preparation workshops for these sacrament will hopefully go ahead next term, but are uncertain at this moment. We will let parents know dates as soon as we are able.

CatholicCare Telephone Counselling Service Available

Therese Kearney from CatholicCare is available by phone on Tuesdays and Wednesdays for any parents who might need someone to talk to. Whether be it about themselves or about their children. If they are anxious or worried about the effect that the Corona Virus is having on their lives, the bushfires or anything else that may be a worry to them.

Please take advantage of this offer, for anyone in need.

Telephone **Therese Kearney** on **0400783342** any Tuesday or Wednesday

Happy Birthday to You
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Happy Birthday Dear ...

Trevor Grimshaw
Ms Thompson
Kylie Curnow
Nardia Ryan-Taylor
Arlo Kenworthy-Smith
Olivia Greer
Laurena Waina
Angelina Rodgers
Lucas Rodgers
Fiona Yates

Happy Birthday to You.

HAPPY
BIRTHDAY

From everyone in the
St Brendan's community, we
wish you a very happy
birthday.



Victorian
premiers'
reading
challenge



The Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge is now open and St Brendan's is excited to be participating. The challenge has a new look.

The Challenge is open to all Victorian children from Foundation to Year 6 in recognition of the importance of reading for literacy development. It is not a competition; but a personal challenge for children to read a set number of books by 4 September 2020.

Children from Foundation to Year 2 are encouraged to read or 'experience' 30 books with their parents and teachers. Children from Year 3 to Year 6 are challenged to read 15 books.

The Premiers Reading Challenge has an online recording system which is intended for students to enter their books at home.

Students wishing to participate, need to send Katrina an email at:
kwykes@lakesent.catholic.edu.au

They will then be sent their username, password and details to access the online computer system.

Log in to the Premiers Reading challenge site, read the Premier's letter to parents, view the booklists and for more information about the Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge, go to:
<https://vpvc.eduweb.vic.gov.au/home>

Children who meet the Challenge will receive a certificate of achievement signed by the Premier.

Still time to
join.

Send Katrina
an email and
you will get
your log in
details emailed
back.

Congratulations on completing the 2020 Premiers Challenge

Jane Hawkins
Lucy Hawkins



72
days left



St Brendan's

Catholic Primary School

Together we achieve

**Book your
school tour!**
**Check out our
new classrooms!**
**Monday 12 October -
Friday 16 October**



Enrolment packages provided on the day

**Call the school office on Ph: 5155 2712
to book your tour or to enrol your child**

**Child
minding
available**



COMMUNITY CONNECT

NEWSLETTER FOR EAST GIPPSLAND
CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE & FAMILIES

WELCOME!

This is a weekly newsletter that is being provided for East Gippsland Children, Young People & Families to provide information and ideas for support during social distancing.

WINTER

The weather is getting colder and wetter meaning more inside play rather than outside play. This newsletter is packed with ideas and resources to keep kids busy during winter.



CHILDREN'S WEEK 2020 - WHAT IDEAS DO YOU HAVE TO CELEBRATE CHILDREN'S WEEK?

The years children week is on the 24th of October - 1st of November. We are looking for ideas from our readers about what you would like to see happen in the community during children's week. This years theme is 'Children have the right to meet together and to join groups and organizations, as long as this does not stop other people from enjoying their rights'. In previous years we have held events in Lake Entrance and Sainsbury. Please let us know what type of events you and your children would like to have in your area. Click here to fill in a short survey and to go in the draw to win a \$50 voucher - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/C-20172>

MY VAN CREATIVE SHOWCASE & HAVE A SAY

Are you a young person (12-25) of East Gippsland that likes technology, photography, filmmaking, music, art and/or craft? Join us to find out more about the awesome tech available on the MY Van. Have a Say about the use of this great resource as well as assist us to build a case to ensure we can keep it in our region beyond 2020!

To register to this session, please send your name, age, town & email address to hub@gippsland.org.au or DM the Hub FB page. Looking forward to connecting with you! MY Mobile Youth Van - Creative Showcase and Have a Say! The event is held on Tuesday the 30th of June at 2.30 PM - 3.30 PM. See the poster on page 4 for more information.



WINNERS OF LAST WEEK'S CHALLENGE

CREATE YOUR OWN BOOKMARK. There were some very creative bookmarks, thank you to everyone for taking part. Hopefully they can help with marking your pages in your book. Everyone who sent in photos of their art went in to the draw to win the prize pack and the winners of this challenge is Lisa & Anna! You will find this weeks challenge on the following page.



Some of the creations made by children and young people across East Gippsland during social distancing.

Items to collect and send into school



SCHOOL HOLIDAY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

School holidays are coming up and there are lots of fun activities happening for children and young people

TUESDAY 23rd JUNE

VIRTUAL STORY TIME https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7nClT_H322NVjKInyUZEaQ

LEGOLAND DISCOVERY CENTRE LIVE WORKSHOP MAGICAL POTIONS! 4pm <https://melbourne.legolanddiscoverycentre.com.au/legoland-discovery-centre-live-streams-and-lego-fun/>

WEDNESDAY 24th JUNE

VIRTUAL RHYME TIME https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7nClT_H322NVjKInyUZEaQ

MOVE IT 4 KIDS 10am <https://www.playgroup.org.au/move-it/>

SUNDAY 28th JUNE

LEGOLAND DISCOVERY CENTRE LIVE WORKSHOP 9am <https://melbourne.legolanddiscoverycentre.com.au/legoland-discovery-centre-live-streams-and-lego-fun/>

TUESDAY 30th JUNE

VIRTUAL STORY TIME https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7nClT_H322NVjKInyUZEaQ

MY VAN SHOWCASE & HAVE A SAY! See poster on page 4 for further details.

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CRASHENDO! SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM Tuesday June 30 to Thursday July 2nd For more information visit [Crashendo website](https://www.crashendo.com.au/)

WEDNESDAY 1st JULY

VIRTUAL RHYME TIME https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7nClT_H322NVjKInyUZEaQ

TOONING ONLINE- CARTOONING WORKSHOP 1.30-2.30pm Sign up by phoning 51524225 or book in person at the library.

SUNDAY 5th JULY

LEGOLAND DISCOVERY CENTRE LIVE WORKSHOP 9am <https://melbourne.legolanddiscoverycentre.com.au/legoland-discovery-centre-live-streams-and-lego-fun/>

TUESDAY 7th JULY

VIRTUAL STORY TIME https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7nClT_H322NVjKInyUZEaQ

LEGOLAND DISCOVERY CENTRE LIVE WORKSHOP 4pm <https://melbourne.legolanddiscoverycentre.com.au/legoland-discovery-centre-live-streams-and-lego-fun/>

WEDNESDAY 8th JULY

VIRTUAL RHYME TIME https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7nClT_H322NVjKInyUZEaQ

TOONING ONLINE- CARTOONING WORKSHOP 1.30-2.30pm Sign up by phoning 51524225 or book in person at the library.

SUNDAY 12th JULY

LEGOLAND DISCOVERY CENTRE LIVE WORKSHOP 9am <https://melbourne.legolanddiscoverycentre.com.au/legoland-discovery-centre-live-streams-and-lego-fun/>

SCHOOL HOLIDAY CALENDAR OF DAILY CHALLENGES

Looking for things to do over the school holidays? Here is a challenge to do every day of the school holidays! Every challenge entry sent in will go in the draw to win a \$80 Toy World voucher which will be drawn on Monday 13th July. We look forward to seeing your creations!

Send your photos via email or text to rachel.bell@savethechildren.org.au or 0409 203 566

MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		SUNDAY	
29		30		1		2		3		4		5	
CHALLENGE #3		CHALLENGE #4		CHALLENGE #5		CHALLENGE #6		CHALLENGE #7		CHALLENGE #8		CHALLENGE #9	
DRAW A PICTURE OF THE CHARACTERS FROM YOUR FAVOURITE BOOK		TELL US YOUR FAVOURITE JOKE It could be your own joke or someone else's that makes you laugh!		MAKE A PLAYDOUGH CREATION		COOK SOMETHING		DRAW A SELF PORTRAIT OF YOURSELF		BUILD A CUBBY		MAKE A LEGO CREATION	
													
6		7		8		9		10		11		12	
CHALLENGE #10		CHALLENGE #11		CHALLENGE #12		CHALLENGE #13		CHALLENGE #14		CHALLENGE #15		CHALLENGE #16	
COLOUR HUNT – FIND SOMETHING IN YOUR HOUSE FOR EVERY COLOUR OF THE RAINBOW		MAKE A MASK		MAKE A PET ROCK		MAKE A PIECE OF JEWELRY		CREATE SOME CHALK ART		SOW SOMETHING		CREATE THE CHALLENGE Each week in the newsletter we have a new challenge. This challenge is for you to come up with a challenge that we can put in the newsletter.	
													



Tuesday, June 30 2020 – 2.30–3.30pm

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To register, please send your name, age, town & email address to hub@gellen.org.au, DM the Hub FB page or call 5153 1745.

Looking forward to connecting with you!
<https://bit.ly/MYVanEvent>



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RESOURCES & SUPPORT FOR PARENTS AND FAMILIES PLAY LEARN GROW TEXT MESSAGE PROGRAM

Get practical tips to your phone from leading early childhood experts. This is a free text message program for parents and carers of two-year-old and three-year-old children in Victoria. Providing information, advice and easy activities to help support your children's wellbeing and learning through 3 text messages a week for the duration of the program. Use the link to [sign up to the Play Learn Grow program online](https://www.playlearngrow.org.au) or text PLAY to 0428 606 027.

POSITIVE PARENTING PROGRAM

Children may be feeling stressed or uncertain during this period of change. You can help your kids (or teenagers) stay calm and optimistic and keep being a positive parent while managing financial stress, working from home, helping your child cope with their feelings and staying emotionally resilient. And now these tips are all available to Victorian families in a FREE online program! Find out more at www.triplep-parenting.net.au.

7 DAY FAMILY ONLINE SAFETY CHALLENGE

A seven day challenge for families to check and increase their online safety released by the Australian Federal Police.

<https://thinkuknow.org.au/sites/default/files/2020-04/7-day-family-online-safety-challenge.pdf>



ASSOCIATION FOR CHILDREN WITH A DISABILITY NEW ONLINE WORKSHOP - THINKING ABOUT SELF MANAGING YOUR CHILD'S NDIS PLAN

The workshop aims to help build the confidence of parents to consider self-managing their child's NDIS plan. The workshop looks at: What is Self-Management?; The skills you may need; Using the portal; Resources and Supports. Thursday 25th June 2020 10.30am to 11.30am (Zoom room will open at 10.15am). Bookings essential are essential & online details will be sent with booking confirmation. This online workshop runs for 1 hour and is intended for parents/carers/guardians only. To book visit - <https://acdonline-2506.eventbrite.com.au>

EAST GIPPSLAND CHILD, YOUTH AND FAMILY SUPPORTS JUNE 2020

A four page summary of the supports available for children, young people and families in East Gippsland. The summary can be accessed here - <https://www.dropbox.com/s/q0s2jvphku2hr0t/East%20Gippsland%20Child%20and%20Youth%20Service%20Directory%20June%202020%20%29.pdf?dl=0>



Is there a service that your family needs access to that you haven't been able to access in East Gippsland? Please let us know so that we can get a better understanding of what the gaps and needs are.

RESOURCES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

2020 YACVIC RURAL ACTIVATOR PROGRAM

For young people 16–25 who live, work or study in an area impacted by the 2019/20 bush fires across rural and regional Victoria, passionate about their local community and nature who want to design a project and develop skills in research, advocacy, project management and communication. For more information visit [YacVIC website](https://yacvic.org.au).

FYA FUTURE COMMUNITIES CHALLENGE

Free program for young people 12–25 that will support to grow an enterprising mindset, better understand the issues around them and how to creatively respond to them. For more information visit [FYA website](https://fyachallenge.org.au).

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ONLINE RESOURCES & ACTIVITIES

All the activities are from The Resilience Project, a great organisation that delivers engagement programs to help teach mental health strategies - <https://theresilienceproject.com.au/>

	PRESCHOOLERS (0–4 years)	CHILDREN (5 – 12 Years)	YOUNG PEOPLE (13 – 18 Years)
ART & CRAFT ACTIVITIES	<p>Post it- Thank You Cards https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/empathy/lower-primary/post-it-thank-you-cards-activity/</p> <p>Winter Activity Booklet https://www.playgroup.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/The-Kindness-Edition-Final.pdf</p>	<p>Let's Get Creative – how to make a pom-pom https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/everyone/mindfulness/kids/get-creative/</p>	<p>Gratitude Photo Board https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/gratitude/secondary/gratitude-photo-board-album/</p>
PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES	<p>Singing & Dancing https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/emotional-literacy/lower-primary/singing-dancing/</p> <p>Move It 4 Kids https://www.playgroup.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/MoveIt4Kids_Activity-Booklet2020.pdf</p>	<p>Gratitude Scavenger Hunt https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/UP_Activity_5_Gratitudactivity-ude-Scavenger-Hunt.pdf</p>	<p>Yoga for Teens https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/mindfulness/secondary/yoga-activity/</p> <p>Meditation https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/mindfulness/secondary/meditation/</p>
ACTS OF KINDNESS	<p>Someone Special https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/gratitude/lower-primary/someone-special/</p>	<p>Random Acts of Kindness https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/empathy/upper-primary/random-act-of-kindness/</p>	
COLOURING SHEETS	<p>Mindful Colouring https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/mindful-colouring-primary.pdf</p>	<p>Design Your Own https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/mindfulness/upper-primary/design-your-own/</p>	<p>Mindful Colouring https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Mindfulcolouring.pdf</p>
LEARNING @ HOME ACTIVITIES	<p>My Favourite Teddy https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/gratitude/lower-primary/teddy-activity/</p>	<p>Complete a Puzzle and/or Make Your Own https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/everyone/mindfulness/kids/complete-a-puzzle/</p>	<p>Low Tech Twitter https://theresilienceproject.com.au/at-home/learning/emotional-literacy/secondary/low-tech-twitter/</p>

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE

Please not drink directly from drinking fountains.

Students should bring their own water bottle for use at school.
Taps may be used to refill water bottle.



CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE

If you are unwell, please stay at home.

Please do not enter if you have any of the following symptoms:

- fever
- shortness of breath
- flu-like symptoms such as coughing, sore throat or runny nose.



Thinking of Nagle College?

Applications for enrolment into Year 7 for 2021 were due by Friday 29 May. Enrolment applications can be downloaded from the Nagle College website: www.nagle.vic.edu.au/enrolment/info.

Enrolment enquiries should please be directed to Ms Rhonda Lawrance, Registrar, on 5152 9928 or registrar@nagle.vic.edu.au.



Let Your Light Shine

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Thank you for your support

Thank you for your extraordinary efforts during remote schooling to support the learning and faith development of all our students.

On our return to our classrooms, let our commitment to each other continue as we work to create safe and welcoming learning environments.

May God continue to bless you all.

Tooning Online Virtual Cartooning Workshop



TOONWORLD EDUCATION
EMPOWERING CHILDREN THROUGH CREATIVITY

Join us for a **FREE** online cartooning workshop with Mike from Toonworld

The sessions will be filled with creative drawing challenges, where your kids will have the chance to meet fun characters, and design their own wonderful heroes to defend Toonworld against the Evil Rubbix and his rampaging stickmen army!

Parents/carers will need to supply an email address when booking which we will use to send the Zoom meeting URL and password, as well as some activity sheets to print before the workshop.

Libraries
Change Lives

Wednesday 1 July 2020
1.30 pm - 2.30 pm

Wednesday 8 July 2020
1.30 pm - 2.30 pm

What do you need to participate?

A good internet connection, an email account, pens, pencils and paper, and your own device (PC, laptop, iPad or tablet). You will also need to download the Zoom app and create an account. Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for this free event.

Join our Kindergarten Community 2021 ENROLMENTS

Open 1 July 2020

ENROL FOR:

- Lakes Entrance Preschool
- Mallacoota Preschool
- Orbost Preschool
- Swan Reach Preschool

ONLINE AT:

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KEY DATES:

1 July 2020 Enrolments open

31 August 2020 Closing date
for first round offers

1 September 2020 Enrolments after this
date go into second round offers

3 October 2020 Enrolments still open



NEED HELP
or HAVE
QUESTIONS?

Visit the website: www.earlyyears.ymca.org.au
Call our friendly team: YMCA Early Years Management 03 4311 1500
Email: yeym.enrolments@ymca.org.au

It's free and presented by the **GIPPSLAND SUPER 6**

Sunday 12th July 2020

JUNIOR MASTER CLASS

SWING FIT SESSION

BBQ & Drink for participants at
conclusion of clinic

More advanced children will have
opportunity to play some holes on
course after clinic finishes

There will be professionals on
hand to teach the Juniors

Coffee/wine provided for
participants at conclusion of clinic
Try something new & enjoy yourself
while the kids are entertained

Bairnsdale Golf Club,
from 10:00am to 12:00pm



To register email
Bryce Bell - bbell@pga.org.au
Dylan Higgins - dhiggins@pga.org.au



This Junior Master Class & Swing Fit Session is proudly brought to you by



Have Your Say on Remote and Flexible Learning

Dear Parents, Guardians and Carers,

All schools in the Diocese of Sale have now resumed onsite schooling and Remote Schooling has ceased.

I would like to thank all parents, carers and guardians for your support during Remote Schooling.

The Victorian State Government has announced a community consultation opportunity regarding Remote Schooling through an online Survey.

The Survey is available for completion until 3 July 2020. Your feedback is sought to understand what lessons were learned during Remote Schooling and the challenges or opportunities to consider for strengthening the future of school education in Victoria.

As a parent / guardian / carer of a student in the Diocese of Sale, you are encouraged to complete this Survey, anonymously if you wish, before 3 July 2020.

<https://engage.vic.gov.au/lessons-remote-and-flexible-learning>