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THE OFFICIAL SCHOOL HAT IS COMPULSORY and is to be worn by every child during all outdoor activities in Terms One and Four.

Please name your child's hat.

No Hat - No Play



No School - Monday 2nd (Staff Planning Day) and Tuesday 3rd (Melbourne Cup Day) November

Celebrating World Teachers' Day

Thank you for all that you do to inspire faith and learning every day.

30 October 2020



TERM 4

Dates for the Calendar

OCTOBER

Friday 30th

All Saint's Day Mass

Week 4



NOVEMBER

Monday 2nd

Staff Planning Day

Week 5

Tuesday 3rd

Melbourne Cup Holiday

Wednesday 4th

All students in **Full Summer Uniform** from today

Monday 9th

NAIDOC WEEK 9th-13th

9am-10.30am Foundation Orientation (MONDAY GROUP)

Week 6

Tuesday 10th

9am-10.30am Foundation Orientation (TUESDAY GROUP)

Wednesday 11th

Remembrance Day Prayer

9am-10.30am Foundation Orientation (WEDNESDAY GROUP)

Year 4 Camp—Licola

Thursday 12th

Year 4 Camp—Licola

Friday 13th

Year 4 Camp—Licola

Monday 16th

Year 5 Camp—Karoonda Park

9am-11.30pm Foundation Orientation (MONDAY GROUP)

Week 7

Tuesday 17th

Year 5 Camp —Karoonda Park

9am-11.30pm Foundation Orientation (TUESDAY GROUP)

Wednesday 18th

9am-11.30pm Foundation Orientation (WEDNESDAY GROUP)

Year 5 Camp —Karoonda Park

Year 6 Camp—Karoonda Park

Thursday 19th

Year 6 Camp—Karoonda Park

Year 1 Camp—Eastern Beach

Friday 20th

Year 6 Camp—Karoonda Park

Monday 23rd

Scholastic Book Fair 23rd –27th

9am—12.30 Foundation Orientation (MONDAY GROUP)

Week 8

Tuesday 24th

9am—12.30 Foundation Orientation (TUESDAY GROUP)

Wednesday 25th

9am—12.30 Foundation Orientation (WEDNESDAY GROUP)

DECEMBER

Tuesday 1st

Collaborative Conferences

Week 9

Wednesday 2nd

Collaborative Conferences

Monday 7th

Year 3 Camp -Coolamatong

Week 10

Tuesday 8th

Year 3 Camp -Coolamatong

Collaborative Conferences

Wednesday 9th

Collaborative Conferences

Thursday 10th

Presentations of Golden Honour Cards

Friday 11th

9.10 End Year Mass of Thanks

Tuesday 15th

9.00am Graduation Mass

10.30am Graduation Ceremony

Week 11

Wednesday 16th

3.15 Student finish

Thursday 17th

8.00am Staff Meeting/Handover

2.30pm Staff Mass

Friday 18th

Term 4 ends

Information for Parents of Bus Travelers

Responsibilities of parent/guardians

- Parents/guardians are responsible for transporting their children to and from authorised bus stops and their safety at the bus stop while waiting for the bus.
- Supervision is not provided at roadside stops. Parents/guardians are responsible for their children upon disembarking the afternoon service.
- Parents waiting for bus passengers at a roadside bus stop should wait on the same side of the road as the bus to prevent accidents
- School bus travel is a privilege and not a right and consequences will follow a breach of the conditions.
- It is understood that bus travel is provided and accepted on these conditions.



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

Lunch Orders

Now supplied by Six Sisters.

Change of Procedure for Friday lunch orders.

All orders will need to be in by **Thursday morning—before 12pm** for lunch on Friday.

(SO IF YOU DIDN'T PUT IN AN ORDER TODAY FOR TOMORROW,

YOU CAN NOT HAVE A LUNCH ORDER THIS WEEK).

Menu can be found on the SkoolBag app under *School Notes* and on the website under *Enrolment Information*.

NO LATE ORDERS



Please supply correct change!



Baby Congratulations

to the Stewart Family, Millie (Year 1) on
the arrival of your daughter and baby
sister “**Maggie**”.

UNIFORM—Students will be required to be in Full Summer Uniform by Week 5—**Wednesday, 4th November**. Use the weather as a guide to send your children in the appropriate uniform.

Don't forget Nick's in Bairnsdale stock all our uniform requirements. We now have girls summer shorts and short sleeve shirts.

A reminder from the library – All students are required to have a library bag and they must bring it to school daily.

Library Bags are available from the School Office for \$8.00



During Term Four, St Brendan's CPS will continue to implement the current drop off and pick up arrangements to limit the number of students and families congregating on or near school grounds at the beginning and conclusion of the school day.

School Drop Off Arrangements:

- Students with surname beginning with letters A - L begin school at 8.45am (*Arrival time 8.30am – 8.45am*) and students with surname beginning with letters M – Z begin school at 9.00am (*Arrival time 8.45am – 9.00am*).
- All 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:

- 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.

INDOOR MASSES FOR UP TO 20 PEOPLE

Under the new restrictions beginning 28th October 2020, Masses will be held indoors for up to 20 people. Restrictions of wearing masks, use of Hand Sanitizer, Signing in and safe distancing still apply. Phone bookings are essential at St. Brendan's on 0419 580 862 (Mary) or email the office by Wednesday's: stbrendan@bigpond.com

Frid 30th Oct	Lakes Entrance	9.30am
Sat 31st Oct	Lakes Entrance	5pm
	Orbost	5pm
Sun 1st Nov	Lakes Entrance	9am
	Swan Reach	11am
Mon 2nd Nov	L.E. Cemetery (BYO Chair & Aeroguard etc)	5pm
Tues 3rd Nov	Lakes Entrance (Melb Cup)	9.30am
Wed 4th Nov	Orbost	9.30am
Frid 6th Nov	Lakes Entrance	9.30am
Sat 7th Nov	Lakes Entrance	5pm
Sun 8th Nov	Lakes Entrance	9am
	Orbost	11am
	Mallacoota	3pm



Items to collect and send into school



At St Brendan's we live, work and play by the 3Rs every day.

Respect for self by:

Interacting in my school community with all teachers, staff and students every day in a positive way and with pride.

Respect for others by:

Greeting all people in our school community in a friendly and polite manner and taking into consideration the safety and learning of others by displaying positive actions towards helping them to learn and feel safe.

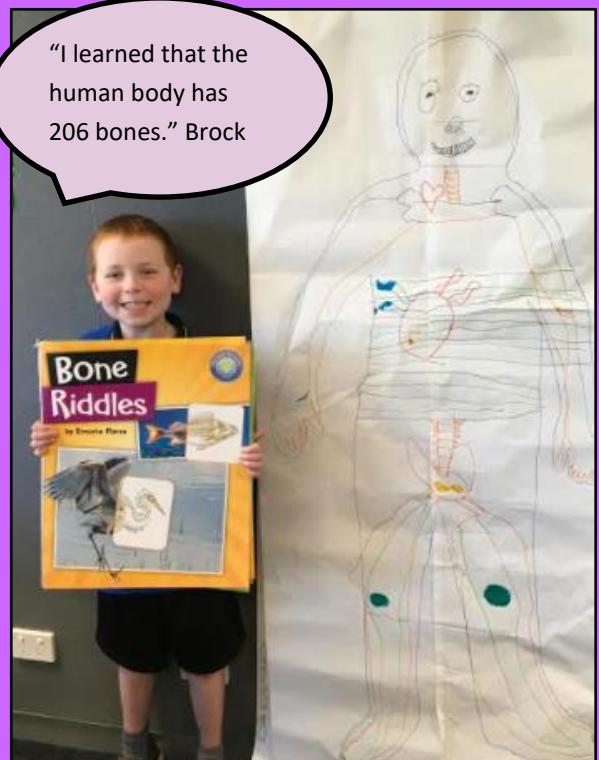
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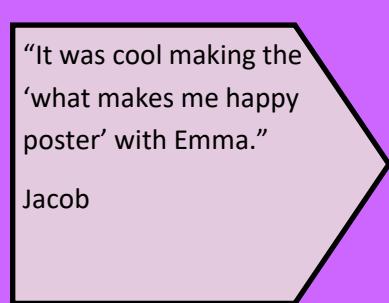
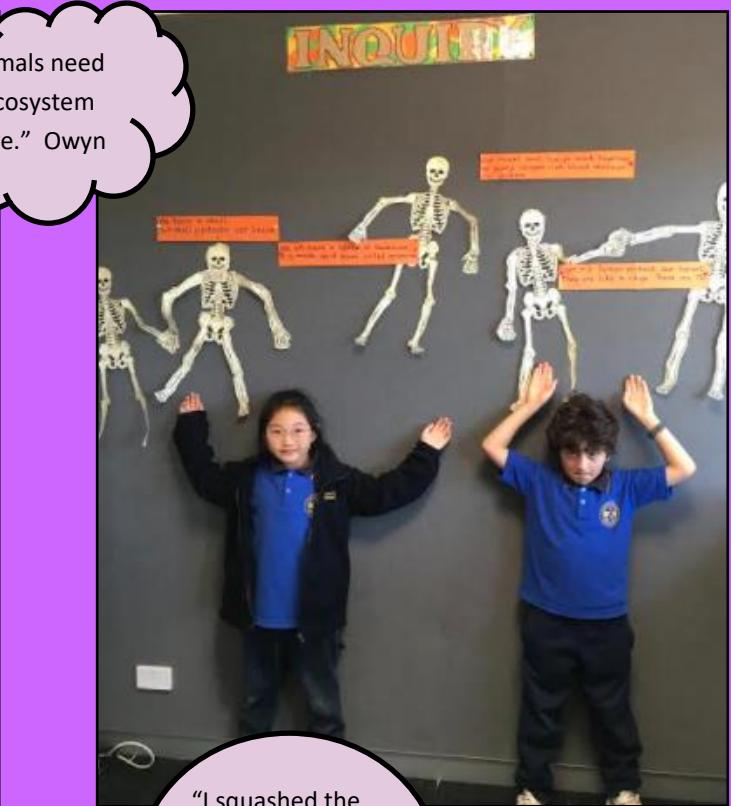
Making good choices, considering the safety, feeling and impact of my actions on others.

GRADE ONE SNAPSHOTS

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Athletics Day

By Lucy Carroll and Zoe Zagami.

As Red House leaders we are honoured to say that everyone did a fantastic job at participating, and showing great sportsmanship. Even though all the Houses were brilliant on the day, we are very proud to take the win home for the day.

Our wonderful teachers played a big part in this day by setting up, especially Mr Bates for organising the whole day. Thank you to our ESOs for helping us out at each event. We would also like to give a big thanks to Katrina and Meaghan for adding up all of the House points and giving out the well-deserved ribbons.

At the end of the day, the relays were a great way to finish with everyone cheering on their House and all of the competitors. Although the staff may have won, we think that maybe next year, if the parents can compete, there may be a better chance of winning as they may have a stronger team.

After everything that has happened this year it was just great to all be together, having lots of fun, being active and watching your teammates give it their best.

Well done to everyone, but lastly GO RED!!!





Foundation

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Year 1

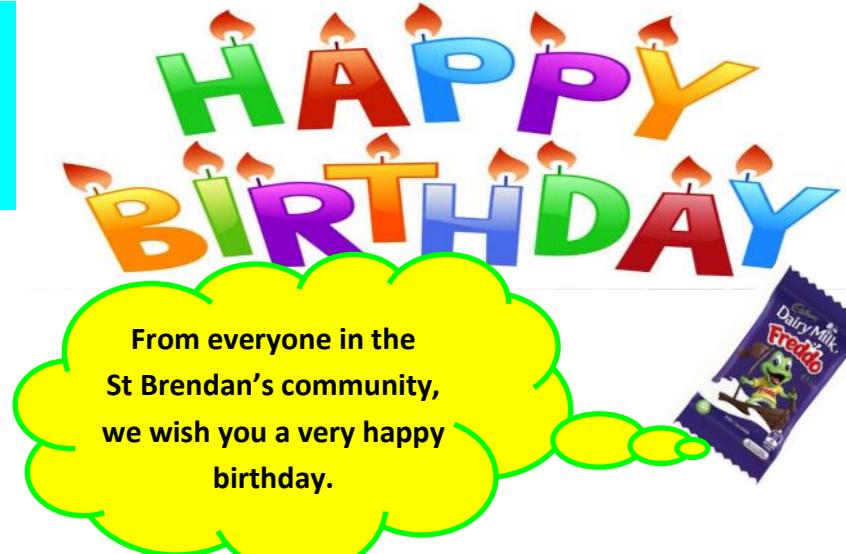




Year 2

Happy Birthday to You
Happy Birthday to You
Happy Birthday Dear ...

Leroy Hayes
Eadie Costigan



Happy Birthday to You.

WANTED:

If anyone has any scraps of felt at home that they no longer need, Year One would love them to use in an upcoming STEM project.



Much thanks, Helen and Lauren



St Brendan's will be running a low contact book fair by adapting the usual Book Fair tradition with a focus on a **Class by Class preview and /or a Virtual Book Fair**. We will be treating the fair as an incursion, which will really excite the children as they are missing out on so much through excursion and sport cancellations. There has never been a better time to have quality books and activity titles at home when we are all encouraged to practice physical distancing.

Parents will not be able to attend the fair. Our focus will be on student previews/wish lists and directing parents to the online payment platform.





JUNIOR RACQUETBALL (WER'E BACK)



- Junior (under 18) Racquetball Competition – Resuming Wednesday 4th Nov 3.30pm to 5pm
- Junior Practice (Squash or Racquetball) – Thursday 5th Nov 3.30pm to 5pm after School

Play, challenge yourself and have FUN with Friends by playing Junior Racquetball and or Squash after school.

All Equipment Provided!

Covid 19 Conditions will apply

Lakes Squash and Movie theatre

52 Myer St, Lakes Entrance

5155 1563

Or

Hannah Leonti
0402909536

Chris Fuhrmeister
0413772568



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST - 2020/2021

LAKES ENTRANCE PELICANS REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

For all those wishing to participate in tryouts for the upcoming Squad Season, please email through your expression of interest. Below are contacts for each age group.

Please be sure to include: Child's full name, DOB, Parents names, Email address and a contact phone number.

10 BOYS (2012/2013) Kelly Jones - jonesy2976@gmail.com

12 BOYS (2010/2011) Jamie O'Donnell - lakesu12boys@hotmail.com

14 GIRLS (2008/2009) Tracey Sloan - lakesu14girls@hotmail.com

14 BOYS (2008/2009) Grant Romeril - pinkstarr1@hotmail.com

16 BOYS (2006/2007) Andrew Wright - slick007@y7mail.com

18 BOYS (2004/2005) Simon Borel - lakesu18boys@hotmail.com

**EAST GIPPSLAND
SHIRE LIBRARIES**

FREE AGES 5 - 12

Collect an Afterschool Craft – Children's Week



Let's celebrate Children's Week and collect a free solar windmill to build and decorate.

To celebrate Children's Week the Library will be offering families the opportunity to come and collect a Solar Windmill to build and decorate. These will be available from Library and Service Centres during Children's Week (24 October - 1 November) subject to availability.

Phone 5152 4225 for more information or call into your local Library / Service Centre to collect your Solar Windmill.

Available from:
Bairnsdale Library
Lakes Entrance Service Centre
Mallacoota Service Centre
Ormeo Service Centre
Orbost Service Centre
Paynesville Service Centre



**EAST GIPPSLAND
SHIRE LIBRARIES**

FREE AGES 2-5

Collect a Storytime Craft – Children's Week



Let's celebrate Children's Week and collect your free colour in backpack and book.

To celebrate Children's Week the Library will be offering families the opportunity to come and collect a free colour in backpack and picture book. These will be available from the Library and Customer Service Centres during Children's Week (24 October - 1 November) subject to availability.

Phone 5152 4225 for more information or call into your local Library / Customer Service Centre to collect your backpack and free book.

Available from:
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Paynesville Service Centre



SIMPLE STEPS TO HELP STOP THE SPREAD.

Cough or sneeze into your arm



Use a tissue



Bin the tissue



Wash your hands



TOGETHER WE CAN HELP STOP THE SPREAD AND STAY HEALTHY.

For more information please visit the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) website at dhhs.vic.gov.au/coronavirus

Coronavirus
(COVID-19)



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.

NO ENTRY WITHOUT



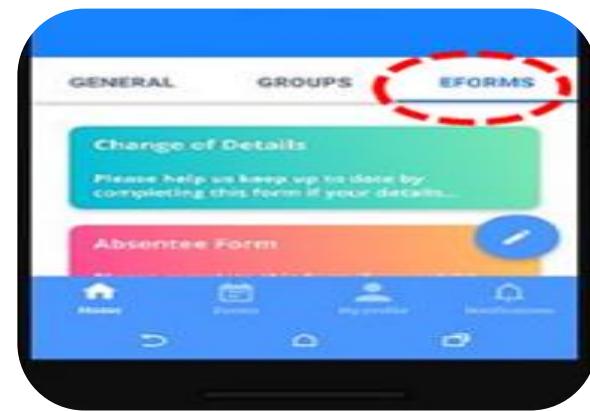
A FACE MASK

It is important that the school has your most up-to-date contact details.

Please use the SkoolBag App to update your home address,

email address and/or phone number.

E-Forms—Change of Details



CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE

If you are unwell, please stay at home.

The greatest risk of transmission of coronavirus (COVID-19) is between adults. Please follow these physical distancing measures:

- avoid gathering in a group inside or around the school
- keep 1.5m between yourself and other adults



- avoid handshakes and hugs

- wash your hands regularly.



LOST AND FOUND

If you have lost any of the following items please contact the school office.

- Fitness style watch
- Book—Enid Blyton –*The Early Years at Malory Towers—3 books in one*