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Newsletter No 5
March 6, 2025



We gather on Gunaikurnai Country. We pay our respects to their Elders; past, present and emerging. We also acknowledge the ongoing living culture and connection to Country of all First Peoples.



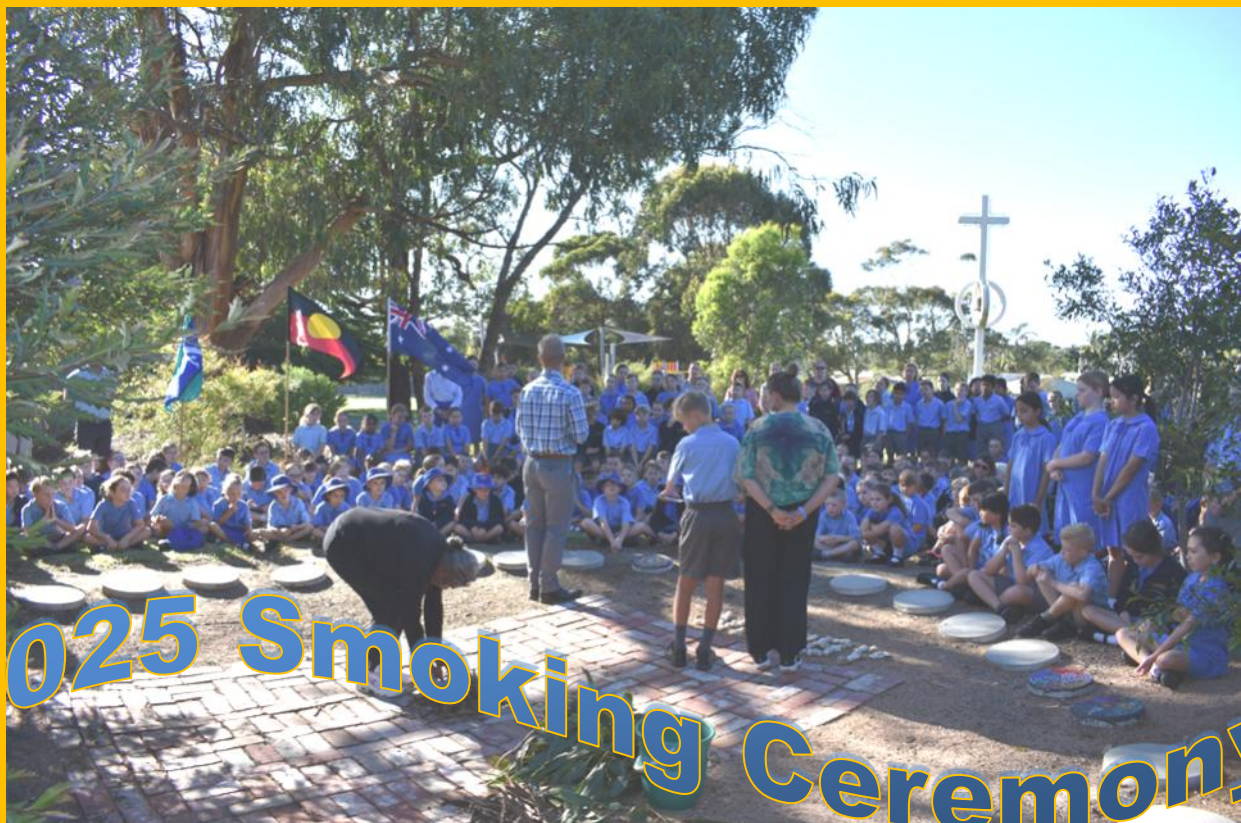
**Friday,
March 7th**

Maree's funeral will be on Friday, 7 March. As you would expect, our staff will be attending Maree's funeral to farewell a much-loved member of our community. This situation means we will not be able to conduct regular classroom programs at school on this day. We understand that this is short notice and if you cannot make arrangements for your child to be at home, they will be supervised at school and learning activities will take place. If your child will be attending school on Friday, 7 March please phone the school office A.S.A.P.

Thanking you in anticipation of your support and understanding.

**Monday,
March 10th**

Labour Day Holiday



2025 Smoking Ceremony

Welcome Families and Friends,

It has been quite a challenging few weeks at St Brendan's. Our love and prayers go to the William's family and the Armistead family. It is essential that we continue to support them as time moves on.

I would have to acknowledge how heartening Monday's assembly was for us all. The year six students were presented with their badges and they then continued to provide a very professional agenda. They spoke with clarity and included plenty of fun for the younger students. I was thrilled and we look forward to an exciting year ahead.

I'd like to provide a big congratulations and thank you to Hannah Neal who has facilitated our St Brendan's swimming carnival. Hannah also took competitors to the District and Division carnivals where the young athletes performed very well. A successful start to Hannah's role as St Brendan's Sports Coordinator.

Collaborative Conferences have taken place this week. I'd like to acknowledge our teachers' efforts in working late for three nights and taking time to meet with all families. It is our hope that together you have formed a plan for your child's learning and you have formed an alliance with your child's teacher.

Confidence and Motivation - <https://lakesent.catholic.schooltv.me/category-latest-newsletter>

Building confidence and motivation in young people is essential for their development and overall wellbeing. Supporting these traits means encouraging your child to set realistic goals, celebrate their achievements, and learn from setbacks. Confidence allows young people to believe in their abilities, face challenges with resilience, and feel empowered in their decisions. Meanwhile, motivation drives them to pursue interests, strive for personal growth, and stay engaged in school and other activities. By fostering a supportive environment at home, parents can help nurture these qualities, providing their children with the tools they need to navigate life's ups and downs and maintain a positive, proactive mindset.

"Confidence and motivation are two critical ingredients for young people's success. Supporting your child to help nurture these qualities allows them to believe in their abilities and navigate life's challenges with resilience and a positive outlook."

Dr Michael Carr-Gregg



NAPLAN begins on Wednesday, 12 of March for students in Years Three and Five. Students completed an online mock assessment today to prepare them for the way the assessments will be provided to them. This practice also helps students become familiar with the language of the tests. Assessments for the week are:

Wednesday, 12 March – Writing

Thursday, 13 March – Reading

Friday, 14 March – Language Conventions

Tuesday, 18 March – Numeracy

Please assist us in preparing your child for the assessments by ensuring they have very little screen time, eat well and get to bed at a reasonable hour.

Kind Regards,

Matthew Hamer

Up Coming Events

Term 1	MARCH 2025	
Week 6	Friday 7th	Maree's Funeral—please refer to letter home to parents
Week 7	Monday 10th	Labour Day
	Tuesday 11th	Class Prayer: Year 2
	Wednesday 12th	NAPLAN Year 3 & 5
	Thursday 13th	NAPLAN Year 3 & 5
	Friday 14th	NAPLAN Year 3 & 5 2.30pm Assembly: Year 6R
Week 8	Tuesday 18th	NAPLAN Year 3 & 5
	Friday 21st	9.10 Class Mass Year 6 Harmony Day
Week 9	Friday 28th	9.15am St Brendan's Cross Country
	APRIL 2025	
Week 10	Tuesday 1st	Class Prayer: Foundation
	Wednesday 2nd	Class Prayer: Year 4 & 4/5
	Friday 4th	9.10am GHC Assembly - Year 6 Blue 2.15 Term Ends
Term 2		
Week 1	Monday 21	Easter Monday
	Tuesday 22nd	9.00am Term 2 commences Year 3 Camp
	Wednesday 23rd	Year 3/4 Camp
	Thursday 24th	Year 4 Camp
	Friday 25th	ANZAC Day

Medical Information Update



Parents and carers are **required to update your child's medical information via PAM** every year their child attends our school. The information you include on these forms will allow us to maintain our records and put in place any plans to assist in managing their medical conditions.

Information about students medical conditions are recorded to ensure we are able offer the relevant care while they are at school. It is important to inform the school of any changes to your child's medical information and or needs as soon as possible so we can maintain accurate and up-to-date records.

Parents or cares of students diagnosed with Asthma, Allergy, Anaphylaxis, Diabetes and Epilepsy must also provide a personalised condition specific action plan completed and signed by their doctor.



REMINDER: NO SMART WATCHES AND DEVICES AT SCHOOL

Smart watches that allow communication via SMS, email or phone call cannot be worn at school with the same rules applying as with a mobile phone.



At St Brendan's students may only bring mobile phones/devices/ SMART Watches to school if there is a need for them to contact their parents either before arriving at school or in the afternoon after leaving school. Upon arrival at school the phone/ device/ SMART Watch is to be checked in at the school office where it will be turned off and kept securely for the day. It is the child's responsibility to collect the phone/ device/ SMART Watch at the end of the day. Parents with an urgent need to be in contact with their child during the day should contact the school office and appropriate steps will be taken to pass on the message.

Division Swimming

Last Thursday, on the 27th of February the division swimmers had a blast whilst competing in the Division Swimming Competition at Bairnsdale.

Everyone gathered in the Mary Mackillop hall entrance, jumping onto the bus as a chattering and enthusiastic bunch. The bus headed on the road and was filled with excitement. When we reached our destination we laid down the tarp on the ground and set up ready to cheer on our peers. We saw all the other schools arriving and this made us even more excited. We were competing schools such as, Gippsland Grammar, Lucknow, St Mary's, Marlo, Orbost, Newmerella, Lakes Entrance, Toorloo Arm, Eagle Point, Nicholson & Mallacoota

Overall we had a great day swimming and cheering on our peers! It was a wonderful experience.

We would like to congratulate the following students for competing in the Bairnsdale Division Swimming Carnival: *Maddison Silver, Aaliyah Dollman, Harrison Rebeiro, Blaise Smith, Ollie Connally, Jesse Downing, Elise Mahony, Billie Piper, Ivy O'Donnell, Evie McMeekan, Indie Whelan, Jake Richardson, Charlie Smythe, Olivia Cheng, Sunny Eiseman, Leon Alwyn, Georgia McGuinness, Jesse Gilbert, Harley Crellin & Hudson Williams.*

Billie Piper from the 9/10 girls relay team stated that she found the swim rather cold yet enjoyable for she was able to swim with her friends and interact with others. In the end the girls relay came second with a possible chance of them making it through to Regional as we are waiting for results.

While interviewing the 9/10 boys relay team Jesse Downing said that it was fun to compete against other schools, swim with friends and that he was happy to meet his other friends. The boys relay team finished the day with a 3rd place ribbon.

Harley Crellin - it was fun there but the water was cold! There were heaps of people to talk to and it was a fun day. It was super fun competing against other schools!

On the behalf of the swimmers in the division event we would like to give a big thank you to Kelly Richardson for helping out at the Orbost pool in District and at the Bairnsdale pool for Divison Swimming.

We would also like to thank Mrs Neal and Miss Witherow for organising the day, looking after us and supporting us on the day!

Written by Sunny E & Olivia C

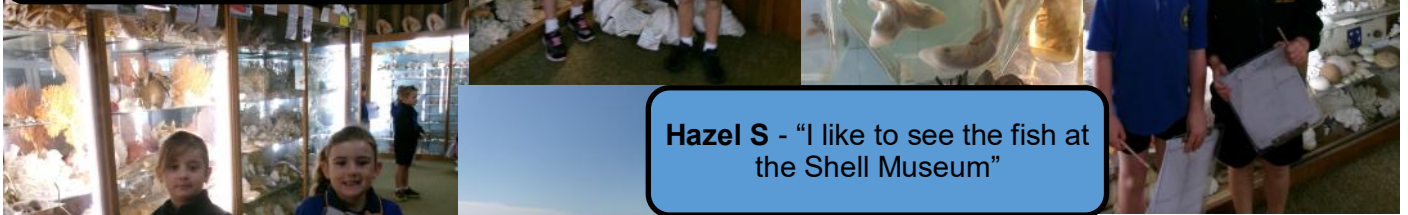




Year One - Excursion to the Shell Museum



Ruby - "I loved going to the Shell Museum because there were glowing shells"



Hazel S - "I like to see the fish at the Shell Museum"



Lyah-J - "I got to see a starfish. I always wanted to see one"



Franklin - "I enjoyed the day, my favourite part was when we visited the Shell Museum"



Year One - Excursion to the Shell Museum

Sophia - " It was so much fun! I collected some seashells"

Jeremy - " I liked going to the beach because the sand was soft"



St Brendan's Parish News

2025 Jubilee Year: Pilgrims of Hope

What exactly *is* a Jubilee Year?

Imagine a reset button for the soul. That's kind of what a Jubilee Year is. It has roots in the Old Testament, where every 50 years, debts were forgiven and slaves were freed – a chance for a fresh start. The Catholic Church adopted this idea, creating its own version typically every 25 years. It's a special period dedicated to spiritual renewal, forgiveness, and a deeper connection with God. A Jubilee Year offers everyone, regardless of background, an opportunity for reflection, hope, and perhaps even a personal discovery.

Why is this Jubilee Year happening?

The core idea behind a Jubilee is to encourage people to live better lives, filled with kindness, compassion, and a deeper connection to something bigger than themselves. It's a chance to hit the pause button on our busy lives and ask ourselves some important questions. Where are we going? What truly matters? How can we make the world a better place?

(Catholic education Diocese of Wollongong)

St Brendan's Parish will be looking for lots of different ways to be part of the Jubilee Year over the next few months. One way, designed to help build spiritual renewal, is to take part in a traditional prayer known as *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*. In this prayer, the consecrated host is displayed in a special vessel in the Church and people are invited to come and pray before it. Adoration will take place for 12 hours, from 8am to 8pm on Wednesday 5th March and again on Saturday 15th March. If you could spare a few minutes to come and pray, anytime during these days, you would be most welcome!





BUN-RAISE

with us this **EASTER**

At Bakers Delight, we're all about our local community, so this Easter we'd like to offer your school, club or organisation the opportunity to bring some additional delight to your network with our Easter Fundraising Drive!

HOW DOES IT WORK?

<p>THE RRP OF OUR HOT CROSS BUN 6 PACKS ARE</p> <p>\$10.00</p> 	<p>WE WILL PRICE OUR HOT CROSS BUN 6 PACKS TO YOUR ORGANISATION AT</p> <p>\$7.00</p> 	<p>AND SUGGEST SELLING THE HOT CROSS BUN 6 PACKS FOR</p> <p>\$10.00</p> 	<p>RAISING \$3.00 FROM EVERY HOT CROSS BUN 6 PACKS SOLD!</p> 
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We'll provide you with forms to gather all your orders.

Need more convincing?

We pride ourselves on maintaining the highest possible quality products by using only the finest ingredients. We will happily provide free samples of our baked fresh daily Hot Cross Buns.

Interested in fundraising with us?

If you wish to organise a Bakers Delight fundraising drive, simply contact us or visit us in-bakery to start the conversation.

Matthew Stephenson
 Bakers Delight Lakes Entrance
 Shop 4, Lakes Entrance Shopping Centre, 371 Esplanade,
 Lakes Entrance
 T: +61 3 5155 5941

**ORDER FORMS HAVE
 BEEN SENT OUT TODAY.
 PLEASE RETURN BY:
 MONDAY 24TH MARCH**

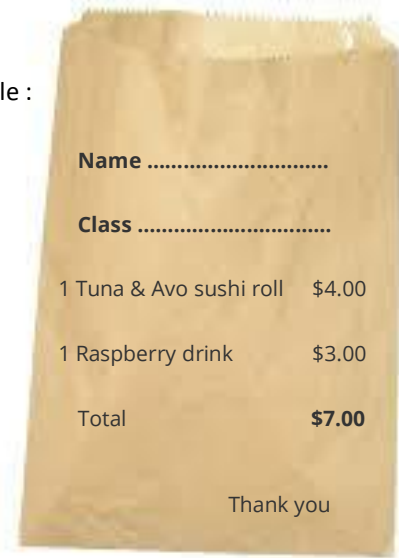


Lunch orders are available on a Friday and are supplied by Mamma Vu's Kitchen.

- All orders will need to be in by **Thursday morning - before 12pm** for lunch on Friday
- **NO LATE ORDERS** will be accepted
- Please make sure that all orders are on a brown paper lunch order bag with the correct money
- Siblings will require one bag each
- Name and class needs to be clearly stated on the bag

Please see attached menu and please take note of prices.

Example :



Lunch Order

ST BRENDAN'S STUDENT LUNCH ORDER



SUSHI ROLLS

Salmon & Avo	\$4
Avocado	\$4
Cucumber	\$4
Tempura Vege	\$4
Teriyaki Chicken	\$4
Chicken Katsu	\$4
Panko Prawn	\$4
Tuna & Avo	\$4

DRINKS

Lightly Sparkling Mineral Water	\$3
Lime, Raspberry, Watermelon, Mango,	

HOT FOOD

Fried Rice	\$7
Fried Pork Gyoza (6pc)	\$7
Spring Rolls (4pc)	\$7
Chicken Hokkein Noodle	\$10
Honey Chicken + Fried Rice	\$10
Teriyaki Chicken + Fried Rice	\$10
Chicken Oyster Stir fry + Fried rice	\$10

RICE PAPER ROLLS

(2 roll + sauce)

Tofu	\$9
Lemongrass Chicken	\$9
Pork	\$9
Prawn	\$9
Pork & Prawn	\$9

• Do you have a current health care/pension card?
• Did you know you can get a discount on school fees?
• Please contact the school office for more information.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's background and their outcomes.

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors. Excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works while sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are a part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is:

- \$154 for primary school students
- \$256 for secondary school students

HOW TO APPLY

New applicants should contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from the website below.

If you applied for CSEF at your child's school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

You only need to complete an application form if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments:** your child has started or changed schools this year.
- **changed family circumstances:** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing this year.

Check with the school office if you are unsure

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about CSEF visit:
<https://www.vic.gov.au/camps-sports-and-excursions-fund>



2025 SCHOOL SAVINGS BONUS (SSB)

The School Savings Bonus is a State Government initiative designed to assist families with cost-of-living pressures. Under this funding, each eligible student is entitled to a \$400 bonus for application towards activity levies and uniform purchases from approved supplier.

Within our school, all CSEF applicants are eligible to receive this funding.

All families who have a Centrelink Health Care Card and have not applied for CSEF in the past are encouraged to contact the school office and initiate an application this year.

Please refer to the below link for more information:

<https://www.vic.gov.au/receiving-school-saving-bonus#non-government-school-information>



When picking up and dropping off your child we ask all parents to observe the following procedures at St Brendan's CPS.

Collecting Students from School Grounds – Child Safety As you would understand, child safety is the number one priority for schools. As circumstances evolve, we want to ensure we have the best possible practice in place. Please note the following requirements for collecting students at the end of the day.

Collecting from the church gate – (New arrangements)

Students in years Foundation, One and Two will remain with their class teacher at the end of the day just outside their classroom. The church gates will be open at 3.15pm, at which time parents are required to enter the school grounds to collect their children from the class teachers. This action is in place to avoid situations where students leave the school grounds and run into the church gate car park area without an adult being present.

Please use the appropriate car park entry and exit. Please do not drive across the footpath to enter or exit the car park. We have students and other pedestrians using the footpath.

Collecting from the administration office

Please enter the gates and collect your child from the junior classroom area or your child from years Three to Six may meet you just inside the gates. Students are not to leave the grounds and cross the car park area without an adult walking with them.

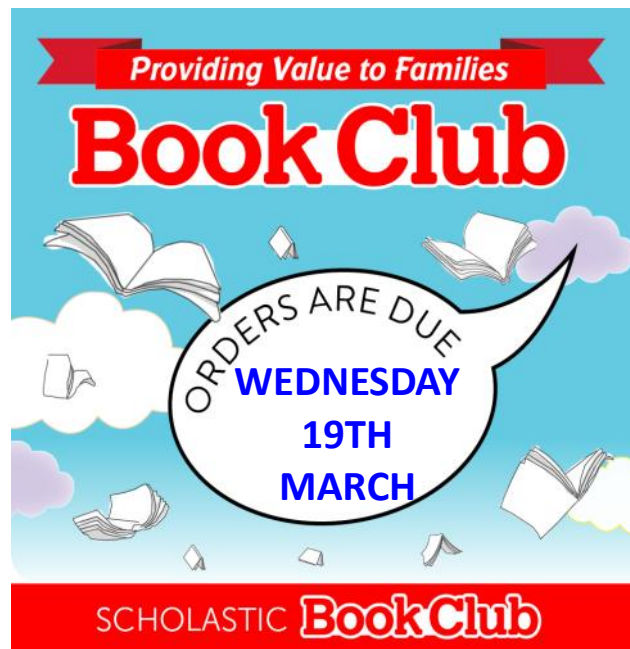
If dropping students off in the morning, you must also walk them into school. Please do not use the disabled parking bay without permission to do so.

Collecting from car line

Typically, St Brendan's staff are there to organize students into cars at the end of the day. If you wish to park and collect your child, please use the crosswalk and an adult must walk with their child/ren. Drop off at the beginning of the day should take place at the bus stop area.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Regards,
Matthew Hamer
Principal



St Brendan's Op Shop has second hand school uniform available.

St Brendan's School uniform available \$3.00 per item unless otherwise marked.
Open 10am-3pm Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.



Uniform - Together with The Athlete's Foot, Bairnsdale, we have a new School Rewards Program that is a great fundraising opportunity for St Brendan's. \$5 from every pair of shoes purchased is being donated back to your school. This applies to the whole family across our fantastic range of school, sports, work and casual.

The holidays is a great time to check your child's uniform and purchase new items. A reminder that we will be going into Summer uniform on return to Term 4. Check dress length for girls and make alterations before returning.

\$5 DONATED BACK TO YOUR SCHOOL?

The School Rewards Program is a great fundraising opportunity, with \$5 from every pair of shoes purchased being donated back to your school. This applies to the whole family across our fantastic range of school, sports, work and casual.

ASK ONE OF OUR FRIENDLY STAFF IN STORE FOR MORE DETAILS

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APPOINTMENT
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MyFit 3D

Experience MyFit3D designed to accurately measure your foot size, width, arch and gait. Teamed with our expert analysis by our Fit Technicians, we guarantee to find your kids the perfect fitting shoe that will take the impact of their everyday activities. We are so confident that we even have a 30 day FIT guarantee* - new or worn.

Shoes Off

MyFit 3D Scan

Expert Analysis

Perfect Fit

Now That's Fit

ST BRENDAN'S

2025 SHOE GUIDE

Bairnsdale
133 Main St, Bairnsdale, VIC 3875
03 5153 1444

The Athlete's Foot

APPROVED SCHOOL SHOES

<p>ADELA Junior \$119⁹⁹</p>	<p>EVE Junior \$119⁹⁹ Senior \$149⁹⁹</p>
<p>INDIANA Junior \$129⁹⁹ Senior \$129⁹⁹</p>	<p>RILEY Junior \$114⁹⁹ Senior \$149⁹⁹</p>
<p>APEX YOUTH Junior \$129⁹⁹ Senior \$149⁹⁹</p>	<p>JEEPERS Junior \$119⁹⁹</p>

RUNNING SHOES

<p>860 Junior \$129⁹⁹</p>	<p>GEL-KAYANO Junior \$179⁹⁹</p>
<p>CLIFTON Junior \$199⁹⁹</p>	<p>1080 Junior \$159⁹⁹</p>
<p>CONTEND Junior \$89⁹⁹</p>	<p>GT-1000 12 GS Junior \$119⁹⁹</p>

We range a variety of shoes in different widths to suit narrow and broad feet.

**AVAILABLE
IN-STORE**

Clark's Roc & Harrison 20% OFF discount pricing valid from 31/12/2024 - 20/02/2025. School styles only. Price displayed is RRP

BASKETBALL SKILLS CLINICS

STUDENTS IN GRADE 2-6

**FIRST COME AND TRY DAY
THURSDAY, 13TH MARCH, 2025**

Starts at 3:30pm @ LESC Hall



LAKES ENTRANCE



SECONDARY COLLEGE PROGRAM

Where: 11 North Street, Lakes Entrance, Vic, 3909
Registrations for a term 2 start - From 27th Feb
To register, follow the link:
playhq.com/basketball-victoria/register/f6bcc0

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT ME ON
ADAM EVANS MOB: 0413 249 871
EMAIL: ADAM.EVANS@EDUCATION.VIC.GOV.AU**

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VIKINGS

**FIND US ON
FACEBOOK**

**JOIN OUR
COMMUNITY!**

REGISTRATION CLOSES: 14TH MARCH
START DATE: SAT 26 APRIL (ROUND 1)
FINISH DATE: SAT 16 AUGUST (FINALS)
HOWITT PARK, BAIRNSDALE
12 ROUNDS, PLUS SEMI-FINALS AND FINALS
AGE GROUPS: 7S, 9S, 11S, AND 13S

CONTACT: EASTGIPPSLANDSOCCERLEAGUE@OUTLOOK.COM

LAKES ENTRANCE NETBALL ASSOCIATION

MONDAY NIGHT JUNIOR COMPETITION

TERMS 1 & 2

9&U - 4 - 5 PM 13&U - 5 - 6PM

- Commencing Monday 24th Feb with two weeks of skills & training for all age groups
- 13&U games begin Monday 17th of March to allow time for grading and teams to be made
- 9&U - 20 mins skill sessions + shortened game
- 12 weeks of netball
- Cost: \$70 + Netball VIC annual membership
- Registrations closes Monday March 24th



lakesentrancena@gmail.com

Survey for Lakes Entrance water plan

Local families are being invited to share their views on how water should be managed in Lakes Entrance and surrounding areas.

A short (5 minute) [survey](#) is now open, giving community members an opportunity to help shape future plans for water.

East Gippsland Shire Council, in partnership with East Gippsland Water, catchment-management authorities, and the Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA), is developing an Integrated Water Management (IWM) Plan for Lakes Entrance, Kalimna, Lake Tyers, Lake Bunga and Toorloo Arm.

The plan will focus on improving water, wastewater and storm-water services.

More information is [here](#) (or via this link <https://yoursay.eastgippsland.vic.gov.au/lakes-entrance-integrated-water-management-plan>)

The survey will close on 14 March and can be found [here](#) (or via this link <https://yoursay.eastgippsland.vic.gov.au/lakes-entrance-integrated-water-management-plan/surveys/community-insights-on-water-related-challenges-and-opportunities-in-lakes-entrance>)



Lakes Entrance



Seagulls

Lakes Entrance Junior Football will be starting training for season 2025 on Wednesday 5th March 2025

All age groups will start from 4.30pm

PLEASE NOTE :

Registrations are not currently open and more information will be provided in the coming weeks.

EGJFA DATES OF BIRTH FOR AGE GROUPS 2025

AGE GROUP	START DATE	END DATE
UNDER 11	01/01/2014	31/12/2015
UNDER 13	01/01/2012	31/12/2013
UNDER 15	01/01/2010	31/12/2011

A player must turn 10 in 2025 in order to play in the Under 11s.

We encourage all kids aged under to continue with Superkick/Auskick program.

FEMALES MAY PLAY IN UNDER AGE FOOTBALL UP UNTIL THE AGE OF 14

For any enquiries to contact Junior President Matt Zagami on 0407 170 178

Registrations are not currently open and more information will be provided in the coming weeks.

Please enter oval from caravan park entrance and park as their is limited parking at Bowls Club entrance due to cricket & netball training sessions . We look forward to seeing you all there .



Nagle College
Bairnsdale

ENROLMENTS YEAR 7 2026

Nagle College is an active and proud Catholic learning community that provides a rich holistic education to the young people of East Gippsland.

Applications for Year 7 in 2026 will open on Monday 31 March 2025.



ENROLMENTS TIMELINE



Applications Open



Applications Close



Enrolment Interviews



Offers of Placement Made



DISCOVER NAGLE YEAR 7 INFORMATION EVENING

WED 2 APRIL 2025

We welcome you and your family to learn how Nagle College can support your child's secondary school journey.

There are 3 sessions:
4.00pm, 4.45pm & 5.30pm

Sessions are limited.
Bookings essential.



For further information, visit our website: www.nagle.vic.edu.au



A FREE WEBINAR Digital media literacy & safety

Supporting Primary & Secondary students

Join us for an exclusive webinar featuring two of Australia's leading experts in youth wellbeing and cybersafety as they provide invaluable insights into how to support young people navigate the online world safely and responsibly.

This webinar is Part I of a two-part series. In this session, topics include:

- New Social Media Regulations
- Cyberbullying
- Exposure to Hate Speech
- Online Safety and Fraud

Suitable for: Parents, grandparents, carers, educators, school leaders.

Online, Wednesday
19 March, 2025
7.00 pm



Dr Michael Carr-Gregg

Renowned child and adolescent psychologist, Michael has years of experience working with young people and families and was Chair for the Cybersafety Committee.



Susan McLean

As Australia's foremost cybersafety expert and founder of Cyber Safety Solutions, Susan will offer proactive strategies to help keep young people safe.



Don't miss out.
FREE event.
Scan to register.



**As Pilgrims of Hope
Come experience a spiritual
journey praying the Rosary
with Mary in contemplation
with her son Jesus.**

**St Mary's Parish Bairnsdale
invites you to an online community
Register for this free weekly ZOOM gathering on
Monday nights: 7.00pm - 7.30pm
Join us whenever you can!**

**Contact Michelle to receive a link to participate
Email: stm.michelleg@gmail.com
or phone 03 5152 2942**



KIDS & TEENS AFTER SCHOOL CLAY

An after school art alternative? Saltwater is safe, inspiring space for your kids & teens to learn the fundamentals of clay and the process of pottery - all while keeping social and exercising their creative flow. Over eight weeks we're covering all the basics of wheel throwing, hand building, and glazing. Monday eves over an 8-week-term for youth's aged 6-17 years.

Designed for complete beginners, or the experienced potter, this is the perfect way to begin your child's ceramic journey. Guided term sessions by one of our amazing instructors.

KIDS CLAY (ages 6 - 12)	TEENS CLAY (ages 12 - 18)
MONDAY AFTERNOONS (TERM 1)	MONDAY AFTERNOONS (TERM 1)
◦ Time: 4.00pm - 5.30pm	◦ Time: 5.30pm - 7pm
◦ Session Dates: February 10th - March 31st	◦ Session Dates: February 10th - March 31st
\$260.00pp	\$280.00pp

visit our website for more details or contact us via the details below.



the saltwater creative co
66 marine parade, lakes entrance, VIC
www.thesaltwatercreativeco.com - 0448 669 063

**FREE | BOOKINGS NOT REQUIRED
AGES 5 - 12**

**EAST GIPPSLAND
SHIRE LIBRARIES**

LEGO Club 2025



**Junior LEGO enthusiasts are
invited to attend our after-school
LEGO Club sessions**

Head into your local library and flex your creative muscles making the LEGO builds of your dreams!

Donations welcome: the library will gladly accept donations of old or new LEGO brand pieces for our LEGO Club collection.

This is an unsupervised event - attendees must be accompanied by an adult.

Bairnsdale Library
Tuesdays
4.00 pm - 5.00 pm

**Lakes Entrance
Service Centre**
Wednesdays
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm

**Orbost
Service Centre**
Mondays
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm

**Paynesville
Service Centre**
Wednesdays
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm

**Omeo
Service Centre**
Wednesdays
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm

**Mallacoota
Service Centre**
Wednesdays
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm



FREE | NO BOOKINGS REQUIRED

**EAST GIPPSLAND
SHIRE LIBRARIES**

We're Back!

Rhymetime Returns



Join us for our first Rhymetime session of 2025!

This is a wonderful opportunity for children to explore the magic of stories and the joy of reading. Enjoy engaging tales that inspire creativity and imagination, along with fun songs and rhymes!

Rhymetime sessions are designed for children under 2 years and their parent/carers and run for approximately 30 minutes.

Bairnsdale Library
Wednesday 5 February
10.30 am - 11.00 am

**Lakes Entrance
Service Centre**
Wednesday 5 February
11.00 am - 11.30 am

**Orbost
Service Centre**
Thursday 6 February
10.00 am - 10.30 am

**Paynesville
Service Centre**
Monday 3 February
10.30 am - 11.00 am

**Mallacoota
Service Centre**
Tuesday 4 February
10.00 am - 10.30 am

