



Bethal Primary School

Newsletter

Month: November

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Upcoming events

Tuesday 30th November	Whole school virtual assembly by NED's Mindset Mission http://www.mindsetmission.com/
Thursday 2nd December	Session 3 Prep Transition
Tuesday 7th December	Year 6 Transition Day to Year 7
Thursday 9th December	Prep Parent Information night 5pm - 6pm in the BER Building
Friday 10th December	Year 1/2s Incursion - Aboriginal Culture Day
Monday 13th December	Curriculum day - Student Free Day
Wednesday 15th December	Year 6 Graduation 6pm - 8pm Semester 2 Reports released at 3.30pm
Wednesday 15th December	Christmas raffle being drawn
Friday 17th December	Last day Term 4 - Students finish at 1.30pm



Principal's Message



Dear Parents and Friends,

We are continuing to practice **COVID safe measures**.

Masks are mandated for all students in 3-6 and staff while indoors. Masks are also recommended for all other students.

All staff are vaccinated and practice social distancing while indoors.

Air purifiers have been placed in every classroom.

All visitors to the school are to QR code in and are to be vaccinated.

Parents will be able to come into the school office when necessary.

Good hygiene is being practised by all.

All students are being kept in their unit bubble and most specialist classes are being held in classrooms.

Students who attend school with any flu-like symptoms are being sent home.

Students will be allowed to go up to their rooms at 8.45am. Students should not be dropped off too early as the entrance gates will be closed. Students should not come to play before school; however, they can attend breakfast club on Wednesday and Thursday.

NEW OPERATIONS GUIDE REGARDING PARENTS ON-SITE

Parents and carers who enter school buildings must also have had at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine and must have had two doses of COVID-19 vaccine by 29 November 2021 or have a valid medical exception with the following limited exceptions:

- when attending to administer medical treatment to their own child when the treatment cannot be administered by the school
- when attending to collect their child who is unwell and cannot leave the school building unaccompanied by their parent/carer.
- when attending for a momentary period that does not involve any sustained contact with staff or students, for example, to collect a completed art project or similar.

Parents and carers attending any event or activity inside a school building including, but not limited to tours, graduations, kindergarten transition, whole school events are required to show evidence of vaccination.

Meetings and other discussions (such as Student Support Group meetings) with parents and carers who do not meet vaccination requirements should be held virtually.

Parents and carers attending school sites for drop off and pick up who do not enter school buildings do not need to comply with vaccination requirements.

Any parent / carer who needs to access an early childhood education and care service (including OSHC) via the main entrance of a government school building is required to check in using the Victorian Government QR Code Service but do not need to show their vaccination status.

ENROLMENTS

This is the final reminder for any child who turns 5 before April 30th 2022, to enrol at school. Our three foundation classes are filling up and we will need to add families to our waiting list.

We are also taking enrolments for all other year levels for 2022.

ROAD SAFETY

It seems that many of us have forgotten how to keep our children safe when crossing the road outside the school. **ALL CHILDREN AND ADULTS ARE TO USE THE SCHOOL CROSSING. Please do not double park or call children across the road.**

LOST PROPERTY

Please ask your child to look through the lost property box if they have lost any windcheaters or jackets. Lost property clothing will be donated to a charity at the end of the year. There are many articles of clothing which haven't been labelled with the child's name. Please make sure all clothing is labelled.

BETHAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Bethal Scholarship is awarded to grade 4 students who have made outstanding achievement and a valuable contribution to the school community over the year. It is a total of \$250 per year to assist with their education in Grade 5 and Grade 6. The funds can be used to pay for camps, excursions, books, etc.

This year's recipients will be presented with their scholarship at our next assembly. Congratulations to **Maryam Alqas Musa, Assil Yamak, Muhammad Raza and Zack Buchhorn.** I'm certain that these students will prove to be worthy recipients and continue to do excellent work.

SUNSMART

All students should have a school hat to wear during the day for outdoor activities. If they are not wearing a hat they will need to sit in the pergola.

Ms. T. DeMercurio

Principal

أولياء الأمور والأصدقاء الأعزاء،

نحن مستمرين في ممارسة تدابير الأمانة COVID.

الأقنعة إلزامية لجميع الطلاب من مرحلة 3 إلى 6 وكذلك للموظفين أثناء التواجد في الداخل المدرسة. يوصى أيضاً باستخدام الأقنعة لجميع الطلاب الآخرين.

تم تطعيم جميع الموظفين وممارسة التباعد الاجتماعي أثناء التواجد في داخل المدرسة.

تم وضع أجهزة تنقية الهواء في كل فصل دراسي.

يجب على جميع زوار المدرسة إدخال رمز الاستجابة السريعة ويجب ان يكونوا ملقحين.

سيتمكن الأهالي من الحضور إلى مكتب المدرسة عند الضرورة.

يمارس الجميع النظافة الجيدة.

يتم الاحتفاظ بجميع الطلاب في غرفهم الخاصة بهم ويتم عقد معظم الفصول المتخصصة في الفصول.

يتم إرسال الطلاب الذين يذهبون إلى المدرسة ولديهم أي أعراض تشبه أعراض الأنفلونزا إلى المنزل.

سيسمح للطلاب بالصعود إلى غرفهم في الساعة 8.45 صباحاً. لا ينبغي توصيل الطلاب مبكراً جداً إلى المدرسة لا يمكنهم دخول إلى الملعب لأن البوابات مغلقة. يجب ألا يأتي الطلاب للعب قبل المدرسة. يمكنهم الحضور باكراً في أيام نادي الإفطار يومي الأربعاء والخميس.

عمليات التسجيل

هذا هو التنكير الأخير لأي طفل يبلغ من العمر 5 سنوات قبل 30 أبريل 2022 للتسجيل في المدرسة. تمتلئ فصولنا التمهيدي الثلاثة بسرعة وسنحتاج إلى إضافة عائلات إلى قائمة الانتظار.

نحن نأخذ أيضاً التسجيلات لجميع مستويات الأخرى لعام 2022.

السلامة على الطرق

يبدو أن الكثيرين منا قد نسوا كيفية الحفاظ على سلامة أطفالنا عند عبور الطريق خارج المدرسة. يجب على جميع الأطفال والبالغين استخدام عبور المدرسة. من فضلك لا تترك سيارتك في الموقف غير المخصص لك أو استدعاء الأطفال عبر الطريق.

الممتلكات المفقودة

يرجى التحديث مع طفلك بالنظر في صندوق الممتلكات المفقودة إذا فقد أي كنزة أو سترات. سيتم التبرع بملابس الممتلكات المفقودة لجمعية خيرية في نهاية العام. هناك العديد من الملابس التي لم يتم تصنيفها باسم الطفل. يرجى التأكد من كتب اسم طفلك على جميع الملابس.

منحة دراسية من مدرستنا

تُمنح المنحة الدراسية من مدرسة باثل لطلاب الصف الرابع الذين حققوا إنجازات بارزة ومساهمة قيمة في مجتمع المدرسة على مدار العام. يبلغ إجمالي المبلغ 250 دولاراً سنوياً للمساعدة في تعليمهم في الصف الخامس والصف السادس. يمكن استخدام الأموال لدفع تكاليف المخيمات والرحلات والكتب وما إلى ذلك.

سيتم تقديم منحهم الدراسية للمتلقين لهذا العام في اجتماعنا القادم. ألف ميروك

Maryam Alqas Musa, Assil Yamak, Muhammad Raza, Zack Buchhorn

أنا على يقين من أن هؤلاء الطلاب سيثبتون أنهم يستحقون المنحة وسيواصلون القيام بعمل ممتاز.

الوقاية من الشمس

يجب أن يرتدي جميع الطلاب قبعة المدرسة يجب ارتداؤها خلال النهار للأنشطة الخارجية. إذا كانوا لا يرتدون قبعة فسوف يحتاجون إلى الجلوس تحت العريشة.

Ms. T. DeMercurio



Dear Parents/Carers,

Our school is hosting NED's Mindset Mission, a live streaming all school event, on **Tuesday 30th November from 10am to 10.45am.** A world-class performer takes our students on an interactive educational journey filled with storytelling, illusions, yo-yo tricks and humour.

NED's message and memorable friends inspire students, promote academic achievement, and support our school goals. Never give up Encourage others Do your best®

Our school received this programme at no-cost because another school community has paid-it-forward to us. Now it's our turn—you can help by purchasing a NED-messaged yo-yo and accessories. A yo-yo is both a mindset tool and tangible reminder of NED's message. While learning to yo, children will make mistakes, try again, and improve.

Read more at www.MindsetMission.com/yoyos.

Bethal Primary School

Christmas Raffle

Tickets \$1.00 each

Prizes: Xmas Hampers

Return tickets by Tuesday 14th December
sold or unsold.

Drawn Wednesday 15th December



Dear Parents/ Carers,

IMPORTANT

As of the 1st of December, students in grades 3 to 6 will be asked to leave their school laptops at school in preparation for 2022. As per signed *equipment loan agreement*, please ensure your child return their laptop, charger, and case. If damaged laptops are returned, a \$100 invoice will be issued to cover the cost of the insurance claim.

Thank you!



This month's update

Breakfast Club is back!

For the rest of the year, Breakfast Club will take place every Wednesday and Thursday morning between 8:15am and 8:45am in the BER building.



Having Fun in Foundation!

Foundation students are having fun this week using their 5 senses to write.



Coding Time!

Grades 1/2 are having fun using OSMO!

Students are using OSMO tangram and numbers to learn about shapes and practise counting. They are also learning how to code with OSMO Awbie.



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<https://bethalps.vic.edu.au/>

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**ENROL YOUR CHILD
FOR 2022 NOW!**

**Bethal Primary School is
taking enrolments for
2022 now.**

**For information about
enrolments please call**

9309 7626

or email

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STAY CONNECTED and JOIN US ON WHATSAPP and ZOOM!



on WHATSAPP

This week-

We're Going on a Bear
Hunt & making a teddy!

Next week-

Learn to tell the Time!

New activities posted
every Tuesday!

Contact Suzan



SEWING on WHATSAPP

This week-

Learn how to make a
Lavender Bag!

Next week-

Do Seam Finishes by
hand!

Step by step slides and
Youtube videos posted
every Tuesday!

Contact Jenny



Bethal Primary School COMMUNITY HUB



Sewing classes
Coffee & Chat
Playgroup
English classes

Mondays
Tuesdays
Wednesdays
Thursdays

WOMEN'S WELLBEING
Fitness
Computer classes
breakfast club

Please contact

Nella or Suzan



ENGLISH on ZOOM

Tuesdays &
Wednesdays 4p.m

English for Taife

Get ready to study!

Thursdays 9:30a.m

English for Beginners

Learn basic English!

Thursdays 1p.m –

English for
Conversation

Learn how to speak in
English!

Contact Nella



WOMEN'S WELLBEING on ZOOM

Join us on
Wednesdays 1p.m for a
Coffee & Chat!

Contact Nella or Suzan

Contact Nella: 0407 844 403 / Suzan: 0405 019 440



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COVID COMPLIANT EVENT



Whittlesea Agricultural Society

presents

THE WHITTLESEA COMMUNITY *Christmas Tree Extravaganza*



December 10th - 23rd. Open daily from 12pm - 9pm. Gold Coin Entry
Administration Building, Gate 1 McPhees Rd, Whittlesea