

NEWSLINE

SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NO. 545

Tuesday
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No. 29

'Maximising growth in the whole child – academically, socially and emotionally'

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

CHRIS MALONE



Gippsland's Biggest PJ Day

Thank you to all of our students and teachers for participating in Gippsland's Biggest PJ day last Wednesday.

We raised an amount of \$536.15 to support the Gippsland charity, A Better Life for Foster Kids. Well done everyone!

Last Day of Term 3

Parents are reminded that this **Friday September 15** is the last day of Term 3. There will be a special assembly held at 1.40pm and students will be dismissed at 2.15pm.

Term 4 will commence on **Monday October 2**.

2024 Planning

Planning for 2024 has commenced. We would appreciate being notified of any of the following situations:

- New enrolments (2024 foundation and other levels) – if you know of any new enrolments, please notify the office.
- Transfers out – if you are not returning to 545 in 2024 (Grade 6s excluded), please notify the office of your impending departure.

Footy/Sporting Colours Day – this Friday September 15

To celebrate the AFL finals (and for some end of term fun!), this **Friday September 15** (last day of term) students and staff are invited to wear the colours of their favourite footy or sports team to school.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday September 15

- Footy / Sporting Colours Day
- Last day of Term 3 – 2.15pm dismissal (assembly 1.40pm)

October

Monday October 2

- First day of Term 4
- Term 4 swimming program commences

Monday October 9

- 2pm Parent s & Friends Meeting

Wednesday October 11 – Friday October 13

- Senior School Camp

Friday October 27

- Garden Party

November

Monday November 6

- Student Free Day

Tuesday November 7

- Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

December

Wednesday December 6 – Friday December 8

- Middle School Camp

Wednesday December 13

- Grade 6 Graduation

Thursday December 14

- Christmas Concert

Tuesday December 19

- Last day of Term 4 – 3.15pm dismissal



All policies related to the care, safety, and welfare of students at Sale Primary School are available from school reception upon request. Visit the school or contact sale.ps@education.vic.gov.au

PARENTS & FRIENDS NEWS

KATIE WEIRE, PRESIDENT

Next Parents & Friends Meeting

The next Parents & Friends meeting will be at 2pm on **Monday October 9** in 'The Nest'. Everyone is most welcome and encouraged to attend.

MUSIC NEWS

PHIL BARTLETT



End of Term Performances

Our bands and our taiko group will be performing at assembly on the last day of this term. Parents are more than welcome to attend to watch their child perform. We look forward to seeing and hearing our fine musicians.

545's Got Talent – Junior Finals

The Grand Final of 545's Got Talent for juniors in grades JW, JN and JS tomorrow **Wednesday September 13** at 1.00pm in the music room. Parents are welcome to attend.

BIKE EDUCATION

GRADE 4 STUDENTS CANCELLED

ELLIE STEIN



Unfortunately, due to a lack of parent helper assistance Bike Ed has now been cancelled. We understand that a lot of students will be very disappointed, as are we but we do not have the required supervision to proceed.

WELLBEING NEWS

DEREK HAYMAN

Respectful Relationships

This week most of our grades are finishing up Topic 6, Help Seeking and are moving onto Topic 7 looking at Gender and Identity. Students will engage in learning activities that assist them to challenge stereotypes and critique the influence of gender norms on attitudes and behaviour. They learn about human rights and focus on the importance of respect within relationships. The activities promote respect for diversity and difference.

Tuning in to Kids

Emotionally Intelligent Parenting For Parents of Children Aged 3-12 Years

Would you like tips and strategies to:

- Better understand and communicate with your child?
- Help your child learn to manage their emotions and deal with conflict?
- Manage challenging behaviours?
- Parent anxious children?
- Raise resilient children?

Dates: Wednesdays 4th October - 15th

November

PLEASE NOTE: NO SESSION 18/11/23

Time: 9:30am - 11:30am

Cost: FREE

Venue: Online via ZOOM

Children with emotional intelligence:

- Have greater success with making and keeping friends
- Show improved concentration at school
- Have fewer illnesses

Register: scan the QR code, follow the MS forms link

<https://forms.office.com/r/s8j22s0tOU>

OR contact

Parentzone.Gippsland@anglicarevic.org.au

P: (03) 5135 9555



Please note these are interactive sessions and will not be recorded.

WELLBEING GROUP

MARCUS COPE

WELLBEING SUPPORT OFFICER

Over the last month our group of students have been working hard preparing a new veggie garden to be planted next term. The students have, and will continue, to participate in activities such as:

- growing, preparing, and cooking food (how healthy food helps us concentrate at school),
- physical activity (how looking after our body helps our overall physical and mental health),
- breathing and relaxing techniques (how mindfulness supports our overall health and success at school)

Great job everyone, keep up the good work.

AUSLAN END OF TERM NEWS

MICHELE CALDOW



I cannot believe that we are at the end of Term 3.

This term the Auslan goals were as follows:

Foundation students: Sign alphabet confidently and begin signing simple sentences.

Junior students: Signing sentences in a basic

conversation with another - questions and answers.

Middle and Senior students: Using signs to present thoughts, ideas, questions and answers and conversations.

The students have constantly surprised me with how much they can, and have achieved!!!!

Once again thanks for all the support

Happy signing.

BOOK FAIR THANK YOU

EMMA- LEE ROSS



We would like to extend our sincerest thanks to our school community for our successful Book Fair held last week. Final figures are still being calculated, but it will result in many new books for our school.

Thank you!

Next term on October 16, we are very privileged to have renowned author and illustrator Mark Wilson visit our school. Mark will talk to students about reading, writing and the practice of professional authors. If you would like to order a book that you can get signed by Mark on the day, please head to

www.lamontauthors.com.au and select "Buy our Author's Books" by Monday October 2.

Our students attending an assembly with the 'Gippsland's Biggest PJ Day' representatives last Wednesday. Thank you everyone for your fundraising efforts for 'A Better Life for Foster Kids'

**TERM 4 SWIMMING & WATER
SAFETY PROGRAM
DAVID DOCHERTY**



Students in the grades listed will be participating in a 4 week swimming program next term. Due to works at Aqua Energy, instead of our usual program running for a term, students will participate in the program twice per week (every Monday and

Wednesday) for four weeks, commencing **Monday October 2.**

Students will need to bring bathers, towel, goggles etc. in a separate bag to take to the pool.

Information regarding payment details will be posted on our Compass App.

Classes	Depart 545	Swim	Depart Pool
FB & SH	9.10am	9.20am – 10.00am	10.20am
FH & SR	9.50am	10.00am – 10.40am	11.00am
FP & SC	10.40am	10.50am – 11.30am	11.50am
FS & SL	11.20am	11.30am – 12.10pm	12.30pm
SW	12.00pm	12.10pm – 12.50pm	1.10pm

** senior students will miss one session due to camp **

**Footy/
Sporting
Colours
Day**

FRIDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2023
To celebrate the AFL Finals (and for a bit of fun), everyone is welcome to wear their favourite sporting colours to school.

NBL

SUNCORP SUPER NETBALL

NRL

NBA

KFC BBL

AFL

HYUNDAI A-LEAGUE




HAVE A BLAST!

GET INTO WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST. IT'S A FUN AND ACTIVE PROGRAM FOR KIDS OF ALL ABILITIES – WHETHER IT'S YOUR FIRST TIME WITH A BAT OR YOU'RE A BACKYARD CRICKET STAR!

Collegians Cricket Club
Thursday 5pm-6pm 12th Oct to 14th Dec, Feb 8th -29th
Craig McGregor 0418 587 662
craigmcgregor16@bigpond.com

www.playhq.com search Collegians Cricket Club, Register, Cricket Blast

JOIN A CREW NEAR YOU TODAY   



MARK WILSON





On 16th October Mark will be visiting our school to talk to students about reading and writing. This is a fantastic opportunity to learn even more about the practices of professional authors and how they write the interesting and engaging stories we love.

Students have the opportunity to pre-purchase books! To order go to: www.lamontauthors.com.au and select "Buy our Author's Books".

All orders must be completed by **2nd October** to receive the books to be signed during Mark's visit.

We urgently need foster carers.



No hero needed, just you.


We're currently seeking foster carers in Gippsland who can provide short or long term care for vulnerable children and young people in our community.

We welcome enquiries from people with diverse backgrounds and family types. With ongoing training and support, Uniting will be with you every step of the way.

"It's a really purpose-filled role. You can't underestimate the importance for a child of having an adult they can trust."
- Sarah, Foster Carer

Call us
03 5144 7777

Learn more
unitingvictas.org.au/foster-care



It's Hat Time!!

In line with our Sun Protection Policy, students are now required to wear sun hats outside until the end of April. If families need to purchase a hat, they are available from JSM, Macarthur Street, Sale





SEASON 2023-24 NOW OPEN FOR REGISTRATIONS

WE ARE
LITTLE ATHLETICS



LOOKING FOR AN AFFORDABLE SUMMER SPORT?

Come & Join Us for our Summer Season at Sale Little Athletics Centre!

We are so excited to welcome past and new members this year!

Little Athletics caters for children aged 5 – 17 and includes sprints, middle distance running, hurdles, throws and jumps.

2023/2024 Track & Field Season commences on Saturday 7th October 2023.

Location: Lions Park, Sale VIC 3850

Day: Saturday – 8:45am and some Wednesday night competitions.

\$160 per athlete – discount for 2 or more children applies.

2 come and try days available to use for new members.

REGISTER AT: <https://lavic.com.au/centres/sale/>

Email: sale@lavic.com.au or Phone: 0458 456 121



Stay up to date on our Facebook page: Sale Little Athletics Centre

FUN, FITNESS, FRIENDSHIP



FREE!
REGISTRATIONS
ESSENTIAL

Frogs Alive

Learn how to identify calls belonging to local frog species, and embark on a guided frog habitat exploration, when Bairnsdale's Wildlife Unlimited visit Nakunbalook.

5.30pm-7.30pm
Monday, 18 September
Nakunbalook Environmental and Cultural Education Centre, Sale

To book, search 'Frogs Alive' on [eventbrite.com.au](https://www.eventbrite.com.au)




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Want to make new friends, have fun and play cricket?

Then join the Sale Cricket Club family today. Registrations are now open. No experience required.

Juniors (U16, U14, U12 and U11):

<https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/5f14d6>

Woolworths Cricket Blasters (ages 5 - 9) Wednesdays

4:15-5:15pm @ Sale Oval:

<https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/2eea6e>

'Become a Lizard in season 2023/24!'



Come and Try!

Registrations are now open for all junior cricketers wanting to join the Longford Cricket Club. We offer a fun and supportive learning and playing environment in the following age groups:

- Junior Blasters (ages 5-10)
- Under 12's, 14's & 16's

To register:

Join us on Wednesday, 13th September at 4:30pm @ Stephenson's Park, Sale for our 'Come and Try' session. Take part in some fun cricket skills and games, followed by a free BBQ! All welcome!

For more information contact:

Wayne Langford (Junior Co-ordinator) – 0407 543 198

Brett McMaster (Coach) – 0418 512 599

Student absence notification

Via our Compass App

Whole School Assembly 3.00pm every Friday

School Uniform available from

JSM, Macarthur Street, Sale

School Supervision – students are supervised between the

hours of 8.45am and 3.30pm

Second Hand Uniform Sales

Contact the school office for information

Rapid Antigen Tests

Rapid Antigen Tests are available from the school office. If children are experiencing flu like symptoms, please test and stay home until well.