

NEWSLINE

SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NO. 545

Tuesday
November 14, 2023

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

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

CHRIS MALONE

DATES TO REMEMBER

November

Wednesday November 15

- Grade 6 graduation bear/balls orders close

Friday November 17

- 1.45pm – 3.00pm – 2024 Foundation orientation session

Monday November 20

- 6pm – School Council Meeting

Friday November 24

- 1.45pm – 3.00pm – 2024 Foundation orientation session

December

Friday December 1

- 1.45pm – 3.00pm – 2024 Foundation orientation session

Wednesday December 6 – Friday December 8

- Middle School Camp

Monday December 11

- School Council Meeting

Tuesday December 12

- Statewide Transition (times to be confirmed)

Wednesday December 13

- Grade 6 Graduation

Thursday December 14

- Christmas Concert

Tuesday December 19

- Last day of Term 4 – 3.15pm dismissal



2024 Foundation Orientation Sessions

This **Friday November 17** will see the second of our 2024 Foundation orientation sessions commence. It was wonderful to meet our new Foundation students last week.

2024 Planning

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.

This week, students will be involved in selecting 4 or 5 friends to possibly be in a class with for 2024. Students are not guaranteed their first choice, but we will endeavour to have at least one student on their list. As you can appreciate, class creation takes a serious amount of time.

Rapid Antigen Tests

A reminder to our school community that we still have a large number of rapid antigen tests available from the school office if needed.

Last Day of Term 4

Families are reminded that the last day of Term 4 for students will be **Tuesday December 19**. Students will be dismissed at 3.15pm.

There will be an end of year assembly, followed by the 'ringing of the bell' for departing students.



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

Zooper Dooper Sales

Parents & Friends will be selling zooper doopers from the canteen every Friday afternoon.

3.15pm-3.35pm. They will be 50c each. It would be great if small change could be used as it is difficult to give change for large notes.

GRADE 6 GRADUATION

SAVE THE DATE!!

The Grade 6 Graduation will take place on the evening of **Wednesday December 13**.

Families of our Grade 6 students are asked to 'save the date'.

Further information will be coming home shortly.

GRADE 6 GRADUATION BEARS/BALLS

Orders for the grade 6 graduation bears/balls are now open. If students in grade 6 wish to order a bear or ball to have fellow classmates sign at the end of the year, orders and payment need to be returned to the office by **tomorrow Wednesday November 15**. Copies of the note are available on the Compass App.



STATEWIDE TRANSITION DAY FOR YEAR 6 STUDENTS ATTENDING SALE COLLEGE IN 2024

Included in this Newslines is information for families of Year 6 students attending Sale College Year 7 in 2024 regarding Statewide Transition Day on **Tuesday December 12**.

JUNIOR STUDENTS

DRAMA NIGHTS

MEL MORGAN

Junior students have been rehearsing Julia Donaldson plays and will be performing at our end of year Drama Nights (see flyer in this Newslines for dates and classes).

Each Drama Night will start at 5pm and run until 7pm. Biscuits and hot drinks will be provided in the foyer after the plays are finished, and families are welcome to bring a plate of snacks to share.

Students will only be able to participate if they are accompanied by a parent/carer on the night.

You are welcome to dress your child in a costume, though this is optional and casual dress is also appropriate.

Please stay in touch with Miss Morgan via the chat function on Compass for more details.

RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS

UPDATE

DEREK HAYMAN



After a full year of teaching through the 8 topics of the Resilience Rights and Respectful Relationships classroom resource, most classes are about to start on topic 8, Positive Gender Relations. Learning activities within this topic focus on building an understanding of the effects of gender-based violence and focus on the standards associated with respectful relationships. Students develop the skills needed to solve problems and set boundaries within relationships as well as develop peer support and help seeking skills that can be applied in response to situations involving gender-based violence in family, peer, community or on-line relationships.

SPECIAL WEEKLY AWARDS

Special Weekly Awards were presented to the following students at last Friday's Assembly

Grade	Name	Reason
FB	Chase Patrick	For a wonderful start in FB For giving all learning a go
JN	Cooper	For always displaying leadership qualities by supporting, motivating and inspiring his classmates
JC	Harry	For the effort he puts in with his learning everyday
JL	Lilly	For the effort she has put into her reading this semester
JB	Hamish Hazel	For thinking of others For being such a welcoming member of JB
JW	Ruby	For always being respectful
MH	Gemma Ivy	For her great improvement in her Essential Assessment test For being calm and resilient when faced with a week of scary things
MA	Zoe Harry	For being a fabulous member of MA For taking time with his learning to achieve great results.
MS	Olive	For her enthusiasm for learning and giving everything a red hot go
SW	Bessie James Oscar	For her respectful behaviour in the classroom and care she shows for other students For his excellent learning behaviours and self motivation during independent learning time For his dedicated efforts in class to complete all assigned tasks
SC	Paul Lachlan Jana	For his great work creating his own flowchart using 'branching' in math. For the fantastic contributions he makes during whole class reading discussions For the amazing efforts she puts into all aspects of her learning
SR	Alastair Luke	For consistently seeking to improve his numeracy skills For challenging himself and being more engaged with his learning, particularly in maths
SH	Angela	For always trying her best and seeking clarification where necessary to successfully complete her learning tasks
Music Mr Bartlett	Frankie Hugo	For being a valued member of the music class For being a valued member of the music class
Art Ms Cooper	Ben Cordell Theo Izack Charlie	For giving yourself an honest and critical self assessment in art For giving yourself an honest and critical self assessment in art For giving yourself an honest and critical self assessment in art For giving yourself an honest and critical self assessment in art For giving yourself an honest and critical self assessment in art

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.

Dear Parents / Guardians
of Junior Students

Your presence is requested at the

Sale 545

Juniors

Drama Nights

Featuring Dramatic Performances

Of Julia Donaldson stories

By Grade 1-2 Students

Time: 5:00 – 7:00pm

Wed Dec 6th JN and JL

Thurs Dec 7th JC and JW

Tues Dec 12th JS and JB

Hot cuppas and biscuits provided in the foyer
you are welcome to
bring a plate of something yummy to share

ART ROOM NEWS

LOU COOPER



Foundation students have been experimenting with printing, creating these cute as a button chameleons. Firstly, they watched Eric Carl's "The Mixed Up Chameleon" then drew their chameleons (with a little guidance). The students then made their colour prints by colouring with markers on alfoil, lightly misting the foil then pressing their chameleon drawing on the foil creating many beautiful swirly colours. The following week they made branches out of

twisted brown paper, stuck on green leaves and finally their chameleons. I absolutely adore these!

Middle students finished their still life unit. We looked at artworks by Tiffany Kingston, discussing materials, techniques, foreground/ background, overlapping and composition. Students drew around 5 different pot plants, painted their background in watercolour, coloured oil pastels on the pots and painted black or dark blue paint on the pots (over the top of the pastels). The following week they used a sgraffito technique (or scratch art) creating patterns on their pots (similar to Tiffany Kingston's) then used Posca pens, markers and pencils on their leaves creating different texture and tones. I am so proud of the middle school students and how much effort they have put into their still life pieces.



Dear Parent/Guardians,

The State-Wide Transition day for Grade 6 (Year 7, 2024) at Sale College will be held on Tuesday 12th December 2023.

Students will spend a full day at Sale College, experiencing a variety of subjects. The students will have the opportunity to meet some of their teachers for next year and be in their 2024 classes. They will need to bring their snack, lunch, a drink bottle and a pencil case for the day. **The canteen will be open for the day.** They will also need to wear their primary school uniform.

Students need to arrange their own transport to and from school. If they will be travelling by bus in 2024, they are able to catch these buses on the transition day. We will all meet on the basketball courts at 9am to welcome students and divide into class groups before students begin their activity rotations for the day.

Should you have any further questions don't hesitate to contact the school on 5144 3711.

Sincerely,

Jordan Stubbe
Year 7 Assistant Team Leader
Sale College - Guthridge Campus



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FOR SCHOOL NEWSLETTERS

9 November 2023

JOIN NIPPERS AT SEASPRAY THIS SUMMER

Want your child to be part of the Nippers program at Seaspray Surf Life Saving Club this summer?

If so, it's time to get registered and get along to Aqua Energy to have your Nipper's swimming ability assessed.

Nippers is a beach education program for children aged between five and 13 that introduces participants to life saving. They learn valuable water safety and life saving skills and gain confidence in the surf. It is not a learn-to-swim program.

Sessions will be held on most Sunday mornings and two Thursday evenings in December, and on Sunday mornings and Thursday evenings during January.

All participants must have their swimming ability assessed by a qualified swimming instructor. **Assessments will be done on Sunday 26 November at Aqua Energy in Sale.**

The assessment times are:

9am: Under Ten, Under Eleven, Under Twelve, and Under Thirteen

9.30 for a 10am start: Under Six, Under Seven, Under Eight, and Under Nine

Please enter through the outdoor entrance just off Guthridge Parade. Those who are not Aqua Energy members may be asked to pay the entrance fee (\$4.90 for children aged up to 15). If you are an Aqua Energy member, please bring your membership tag.

Before assessment day, please make sure your child or family is registered and the appropriate Seaspray Surf Club membership is paid.

To help us out on the day, please ensure you are clear of your Nipper's age group. Remember, age groups are determined by a child's age on 30 September, 2023. That means, a child who turned 10 years old on 1 November will be in Under Ten, as they were nine years old at the end of September.

Children must be aged 5 years or more as of September 30, 2023 to participate in Nippers. The program is not designed to cater for children aged younger than this.

For details of the assessment requirements for each age level, please visit https://lsv.com.au/wp-content/uploads/Pool-Junior-Evaluation-Preliminary-Assessments-2022_20231.pdf

If you have questions about Nippers at Seaspray and the season ahead, please visit <https://www.seaspraysurfclub.org.au/club-activities/nippers/> or email us at nippers@seaspraysurfclub.org.au.

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