

NEWSLINE

SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NO. 545

Tuesday
March 12, 2024

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No. 7

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

DATES TO REMEMBER

March

Wednesday March 13 – Monday March 25

- NAPLAN – Year 3 & 5 students only

Friday March 15

- Easter Raffle Tickets & money due today

Sunday March 17

- Sunday Market BBQ (helpers needed)

Monday March 18

- 2pm Parents & Friends Meeting in the Nest
- 5pm School Council Sub Committee meeting

Wednesday March 20

- Easter Raffle drawn today.
- 4pm Year 7 2025 Sale College Information Session
- 5.30pm Year 7 2025 Sale College SEAL Program Information Session

Friday March 22

- National Ride to School Day

Monday March 25

- 6pm School Council meeting

Wednesday March 27

- Parent/Teacher/Student Interview Day (students attend for their interview time only)
- TheirCare not operating today

Thursday March 28

- Foodbank Food Fight
- Last day of Term 1 - 2.15pm dismissal

April

Monday April 15

- Student free day

Tuesday April 16

- First day of Term 2

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

CHRIS MALONE

Parent Teacher Student Interviews

Parent teacher student interviews will be held **on Wednesday March 27** (10.00am-5.30pm). On this day, students will attend school with their parent/carer only for the duration of their interview. This will count as your child's/ren's attendance for the day. Bookings are open and can be made via the Compass App (MA and JS interviews – please see Compass App for your specific times).



End of Term 1 Information

Term 1 will end on **Thursday March 28**. Students will be dismissed at 2.15pm. Term 2 will commence on **Tuesday April 16**.

Helpers Needed for the Sunday Market BBQ

Our school is manning the Sunday Market BBQ this **Sunday March 17**.

Ideally, we need 6 helpers from 7am – 2pm, but if we can get 8 or so helpers, then we could do half shifts. Please contact the school office to let us know if you're able to help.

NAPLAN (National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy)

NAPLAN for Years 3 and 5 students will commence tomorrow, **Wednesday March 13**. Information for families with students in these year levels is available on the Compass App.



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

TheirCare not operating on Wednesday March 27

TheirCare will not be operating on **Wednesday March 27.**

LIBRARY NEWS

EMMA-LEE ROSS



Parent Helpers Required

We are currently in need of parent helpers in the library. If you have some valuable, spare time to offer, it would be greatly appreciated. There are jobs available to help onsite at school or things you can do

from home. Please contact the office or see Emma Lee in the library.

PARENTS & FRIENDS NEWS

JADE WILLOX, PRESIDENT

Zooper Dooper Sales

Parents & Friends will be selling Zooper Doopers from the canteen every Friday afternoon in Term 1 following assembly. 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.

Next Meeting

The next Parents & Friends meeting will be held next **Monday March 18 at 2pm** in the Nest. Everyone is most welcome and encouraged to attend.

Easter Raffle

Parents & Friends annual Easter raffle is in full swing!

Raffle tickets were sent home with the eldest student in the family last week. Tickets are \$1 each. Please return tickets (sold or unsold) and money by this **Friday March 15.** The raffle will be drawn on **Wednesday March 20** here at school.

If any families would like to sell additional books of tickets, please call into the office for an extra book.

Parents & Friends thank everyone for their support.

Get ready to put on your running shoes and join us for the funnest, messiest school fundraising event EVER – Foodbank Food Fight!

Mark your calendars because on **Thursday March 28** (the last day of term), our school grounds will be transformed into a messy, fun Food Fight – even better, no real food will be used! We can't wait for the community to get involved and have an absolute blast!

We're hoping to raise as much money as we can for Foodbank Victoria. Please sign up at foodfight.com.au today to get involved! Get ready to make memories with your kids, while they run, laugh, and enjoy the day with their classmates!

Students can wear an old white top, casual clothes – something old that can get ruined!



Student absence notification
Compass app OR sale.ps@education.vic.gov.au OR
Phone call to school office

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
at the school office

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

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club will be held every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8.40am – 9.00am. Any helpers would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Mr Hayman if you can assist.

SPECIAL WEEKLY AWARDS

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

Grade	Name	Reason
FH	Isla	For the great start she has had at 545, and always trying to do her best
JA	Cohen	For his contributions in our book talks
JN	Kody	For his brilliant work in writing this week
JP	Flora	For working hard to improve her reading skills
JP	Vivaan	For his wonderful contributions during book talks
JE	Kyria	For her consistent hard work in all learning areas
JF	Chase	For becoming the first to fill up his bucket filler because of his deeds in and outside of the classroom
JF	Lilly	For her positive and thoughtful contributions to the class book talks
JS	Frankie	For her fantastic contributions during vocab
JW	Alyssa	For the effort that she has put into publishing her text this week
JW	Sam	For his insightful contributions when engaging in our whole class book talk
MO	Isla	For always trying her best at school and following the school values
MO	Andy	For creating an awesome persuasive paragraph using the correct structure and language devices
MA	Oscar	For his detailed explanation of when to use 'a' and when to use 'an' in writing
MS	Selena	For her brilliant persuasive letter to Darren Chester about why cities need more trees
SR	Aneeka	For approaching her maths learning with such a positive mindset and enjoying the learning process
SR	Clancy	For extending himself with his reading learning goals and for enjoying discussing what each task looks like
SG	Angela	For giving her best efforts in all areas of learning
SG	Brayden	For the attention to detail when revising his writing
SD	Lexi	For being self-aware of her skills and abilities, and always asking for help when she needs it
Music Mr Bartlett	Stella Ruby McCardel	For consistently excellent work in music For consistently adhering to the 545 values
Library Miss Ross	MS	For consistently being willing to help and tidy the library



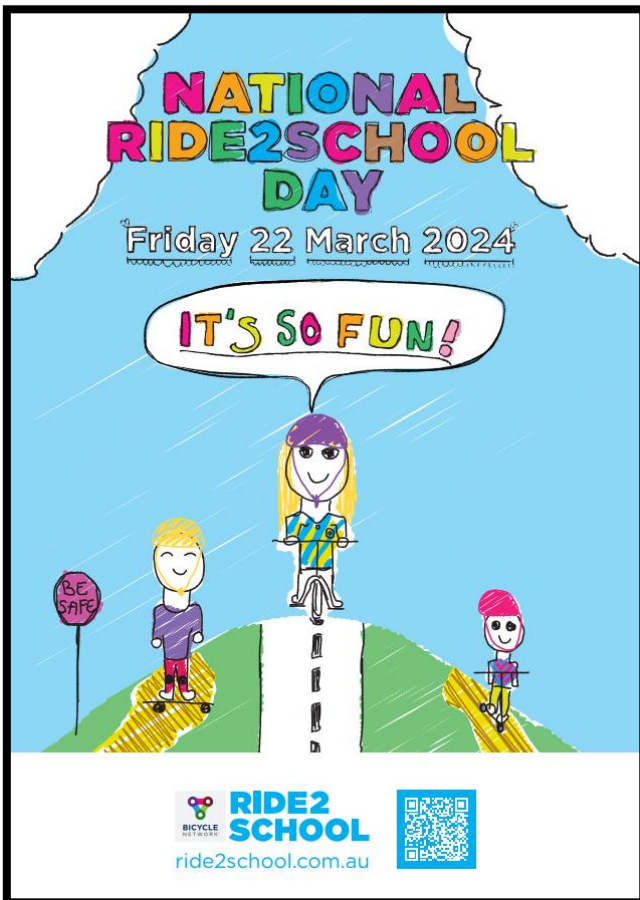
This Week's Weekly Award Winners

PE NEWS BEN CHIVERS

Friday March 22 is national walk/ride/scoot to school day. Students who ride, walk or scoot to school contribute to the minimum recommendation of physical activity level of 60 mins per day. It is also proven that students are more focused and ready to learn when completing exercise before school. To help promote this, the school is running three walking school buses from locations relatively close to the school, with teachers guiding each group. If you would like to join the walking school bus, please meet at one of the locations that suits by 8am. Please note these are walking school buses only, if students wish to scoot or ride they need to do this either with parents/carers or independently (bus routes overleaf).

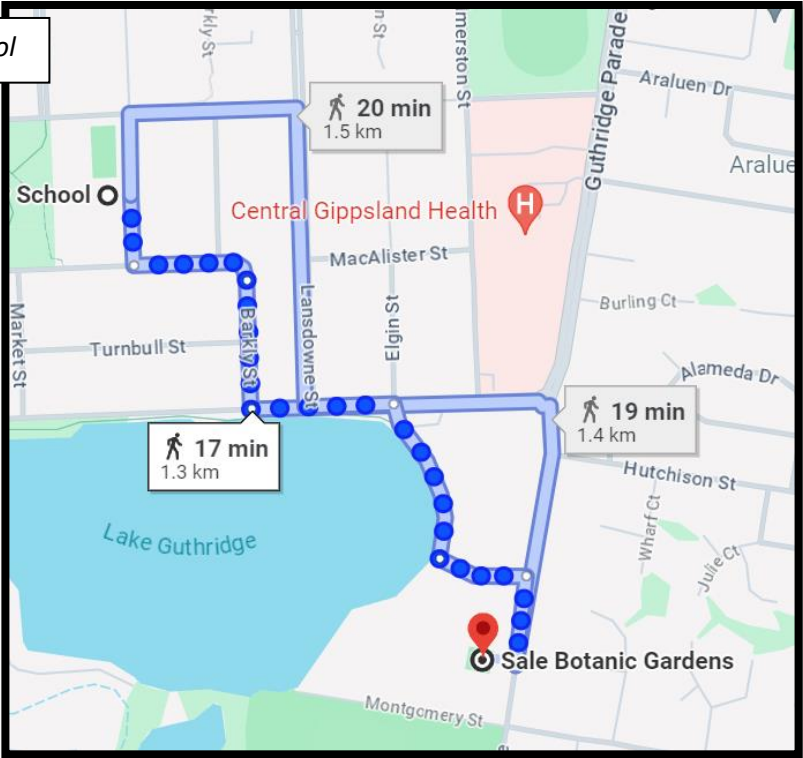


We will also be having a special morning breakfast to go along with our regular breakfast club beginning at 8:30am, with some special items on the menu. If any parents or carers would like to assist with breakfast or walk with the one of the buses, please contact Mr Chivers Benjamin.chivers@education.vic.gov.au.



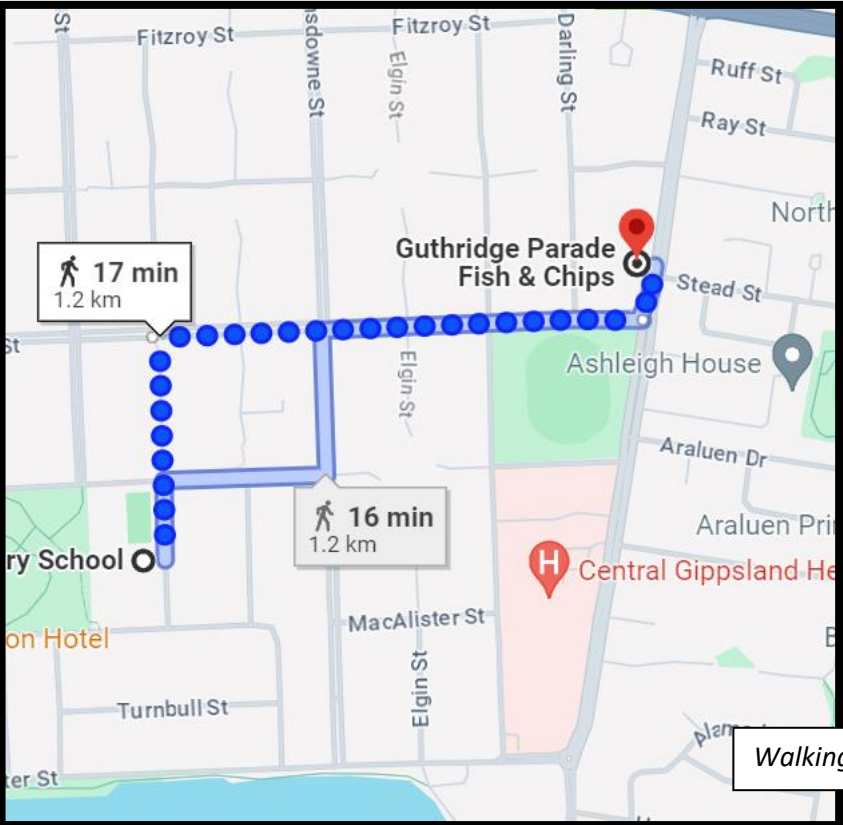
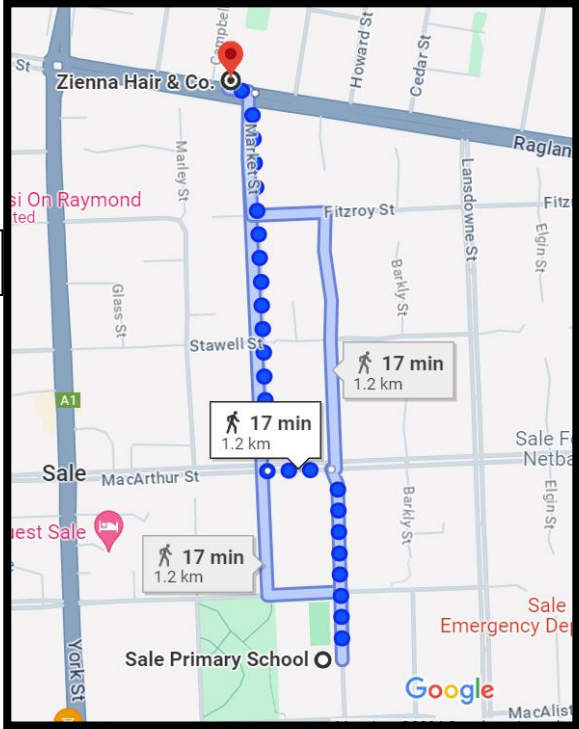
Two weeks into our Foodbank fundraiser and it's safe to say our 545 community are doing a wonderful job of fundraising and getting into the spirit of what this event is all about: raising money for Foodbank, the company that provides all of our breakfast club food, fresh fruit, milk, apples, oranges and carrots plus the delicious packs of Messy Monkeys. On Friday, we had raised nearly \$8,000! The slimed teachers were Miss Piddington and Mrs Love, and I'm not sure who had more fun, them, or our JSC reps Sasvindee and Sienna! Thank you to everyone involved and looking forward to our colour run at the end of the term.

Walking bus 1 – Fauna park to school



**Walking School
Bus Routes
Friday March 22
8am Departure**

Walking bus 2 – Raglan Street to school



Walking bus 3 – Guthridge Parade shops to school

ART ROOM NEWS

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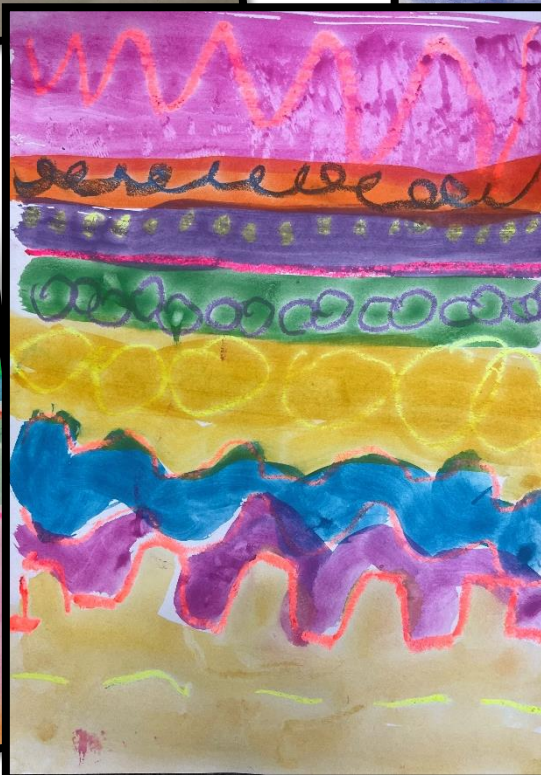


Foundation students have been learning about different kinds of lines. First, they watched a storybook called “Lines that Wiggle” all about the different lines there are around us. We had a short discussion on why lines are important in art. They then drew in oil pastel as many different lines that they could remember from the book and any others they could think of. They then painted between the lines in bright watercolours. Such a simple, engaging and

colourful art activity.

The Junior cohort collaborated to create the Rainbow Serpent. They watched an Auslan story told by an Indigenous elder about the Rainbow Serpent. They then each got a segment to create as they please, using markers, collage and pieces of fabric. As you can see, it looks magnificent.

Middle school students learned about kinetic art (art that moves) and created their own kinetic drawings. Seniors started on their new unit “Mythical creatures and beasts” creating their own mythical creature based on the work of Australian artist Pamela Irving. Stay tuned for the finished pieces before the end of term!





SALE CITY AUSKICK 2024

SALE CITY JUNIOR FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB
STEPHENSON PARK SALE

Online Registration Only -

<https://www.playhq.com/>
(Search Sale City Auskick Centre)
or scan the QR Code



AGE GROUP HELPERS NEEDED! CONTACT COREY SIEBEL & ANDREW HEATHERINGTON
COORDINATORS: COREY SIEBEL (0411 076 500) & ANDREW HEATHERINGTON (0466 818 841)

COLLEGE JUNIOR FC

College JFC is an independent, community run club where:
Players from all schools are welcome to join U9's, U11's, U13's & U15's
Every player is a valued team member and gets a game every week
Every player and their family will enjoy a safe, happy and fun environment

COME & TRY; WEDNESDAY 13TH MARCH 4pm
SAUSAGE SIZZLE, MEET THE COACHES, KICK A GOAL**

For more information or to enquire about the 2024 season please email collegejfc@gmail.com
**College Football Ovals: 2A Cunninghams Street, SALE

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ART ATTACK

autumn HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Kung Fu Panda 4
Art Experience
School of Rock
Colour Run

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RESPECT ACHIEVEMENT BELONGING

SALE COLLEGE

Every student will learn, achieve and succeed

2025 Information Night

Sale College invites all prospective families to our 2025 Information Night on **Wednesday the 20th of March**.

YEAR 7 2025 INFORMATION SESSION
4pm-5pm—School Tours
5pm-5.30pm—Information Session in the Guthridge Campus Open Learning Centre.

2025 SELECT ENTRY ACCELERATED LEARNING INFORMATION SESSION
From 5.30pm in the Guthridge Campus Open Learning Centre.

For more information visit our website:
www.salecollege.vic.edu.au
Or phone 51443711 or 51441711

Macalister Campus:
Corner of York and Macalister Street SALE Vic 3850
Guthridge Campus:
279-295 Guthridge Parade SALE Vic 3850

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:

- \$150 for primary school students
- \$250 for secondary school students

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about CSEF visit:

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/Pages/csef.aspx>

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.

