

NEWSLINE

SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NO. 545

Tuesday
March 19, 2024

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

DATES TO REMEMBER

March

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

Wednesday April 17

- 2025 Foundation Open Day

Monday April 22

- 2pm Parents & Friends Meeting

Thursday April 25

- ANZAC Day Public Holiday

May

Tuesday May 7

- School Photo Day

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**.

Early Arrivals to School

We have noticed that a small number of students are arriving at school early (8am). Just a reminder to families that staff supervision for students starts in the school yard at 8:45am and finishes at 3:30pm. We have quite a few students who access before and after school hours care at TheirCare, which may be useful if you need additional supervision for your children before or after these hours.

TheirCare not operating on Wednesday March 27
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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

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 **Monday April 22** in the Nest. Everyone is most welcome and encouraged to attend.

Easter Raffle

Parents & Friends annual Easter raffle is in full swing!

Please return tickets (sold or unsold) and money by tomorrow morning at the latest as the raffle will be drawn at lunchtime, tomorrow **Wednesday March 20** here at school.

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
FB	Quincy	For using the sounds she hears in words in her writing
FP	Lucas	For always trying his hardest in all his learning
	Jed	For always being a kind and caring member of our class
JE	Charlie	For his amazing persistence and hard work in reading and writing
JF	Sophie	For being a great learner by showing enthusiasm to share and participate in the mini lesson
	Hamish	For his respectful participation in SSP and being loud when giving tricky sounds and words a go
JN	Zen	For his enthusiasm and effort with his writing
JP	Calix	For working hard to complete all learning tasks and being a great learning buddy to his peers
	Thomas	For being a great leader within JP and setting high expectations for himself and his peers
JS	Caleb	For consistently applying himself positively to learning tasks
	Hazel	For her thoughtful contributions about how Margaret Wild used "repetition" in her text "Little Humpty"
JW	Jobe	For positively contributing in his writing clinic to add dialogue within a text
	Millah	For thinking deeper in reading clinics to come up with a great text-to-self connection
MA	Jackson	For challenging himself when finding the unknown number on a numberline
	Olive	For being resilient when facing challenges
MC	Jensen	For challenging himself and independently writing an interesting story using the boat prompt
	Mija	For making deep connections with her footprints during reading
MO	Austina	For always trying her best at school and following the school values
MS	Ace	For being a supportive and encouraging learning buddy
SC	Melian	For providing thorough details and evidence from the text when writing reading responses
	Betsy	For the fantastic effort she is putting into her reading goal
SG	Millie	For always displaying our value of Belonging around the school
	Noah	For his excellent approach to gathering information and learning about Germany this week
SL	Brooke	For her enthusiasm and focus when investigating Thailand for her information report
SR	Jack	For trying hard with his information report
	Jess	For always looking for ways she can extend her learning, particularly in maths
SW	Oscar	For his dedication to completing all learning and helping to set up the laptops all week for NAPLAN
	Chelsea	For her excellent reading responses
MUSIC	Chelsea	For consistently good work in music
	Alyssa	For being a valued contributor to the music class



This Week's Weekly Award Winners

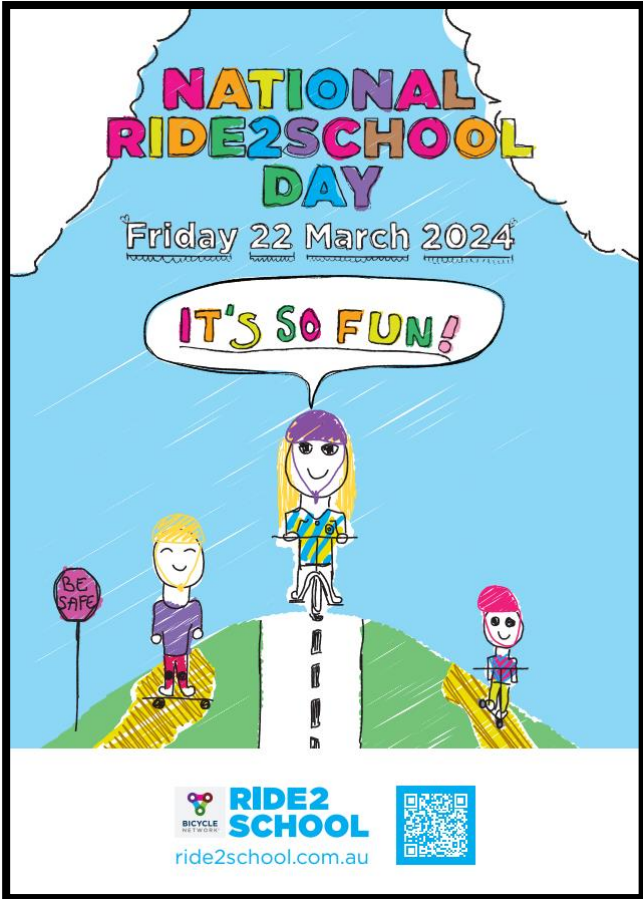
PE NEWS
BEN CHIVERS

This 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).



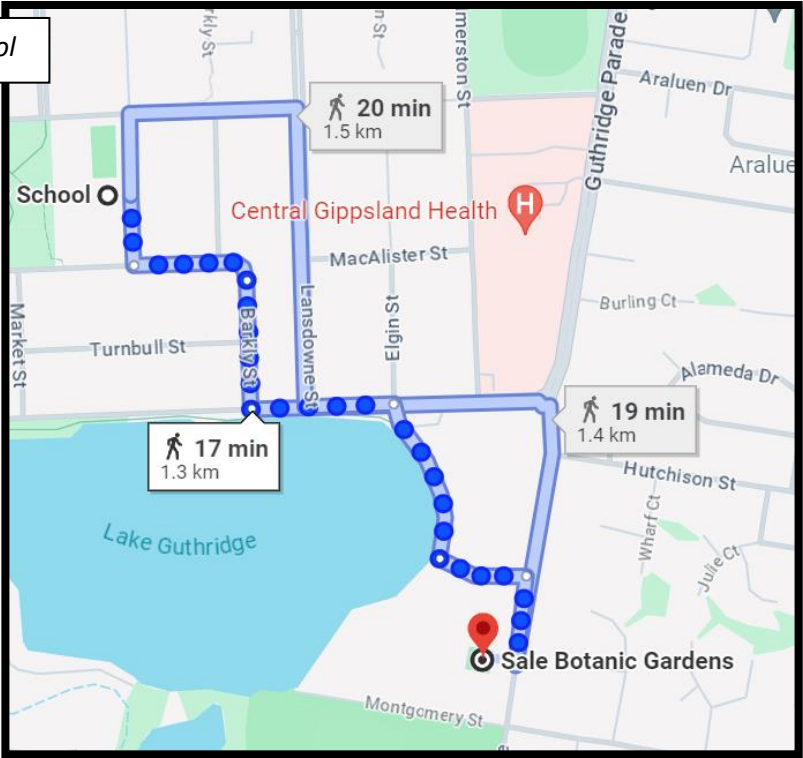
We will also be having a special morning breakfast to go along with our regular breakfast club beginning at 8:30am, with some special items on the menu. If any parents or carers would like to assist with breakfast or

walk with the one of the buses, please contact Mr Chivers Benjamin.chivers@education.vic.gov.au .



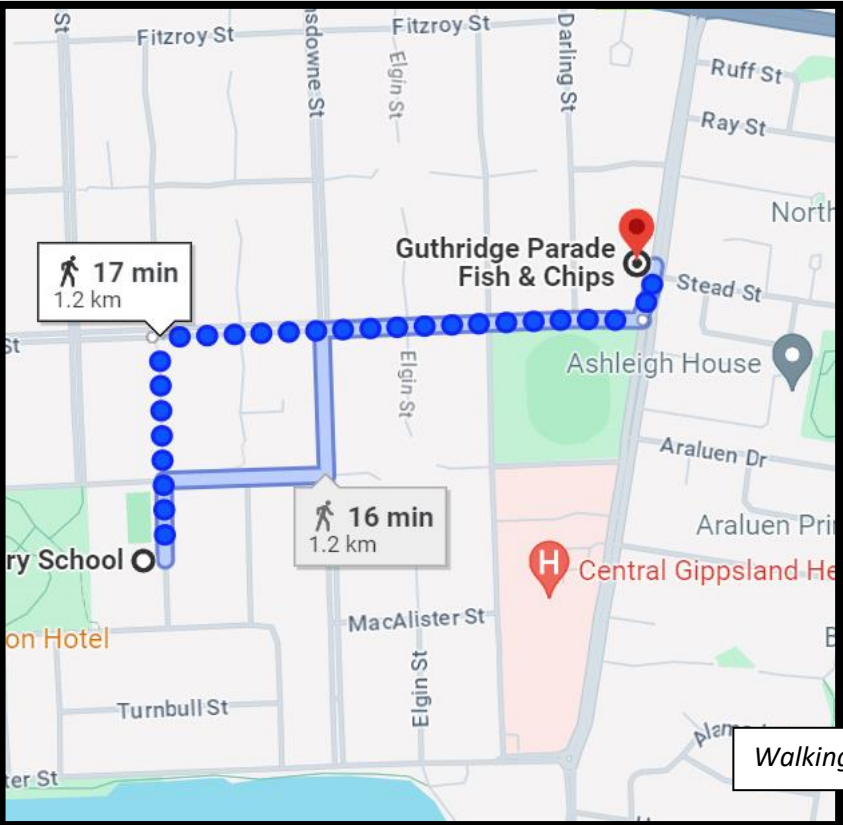
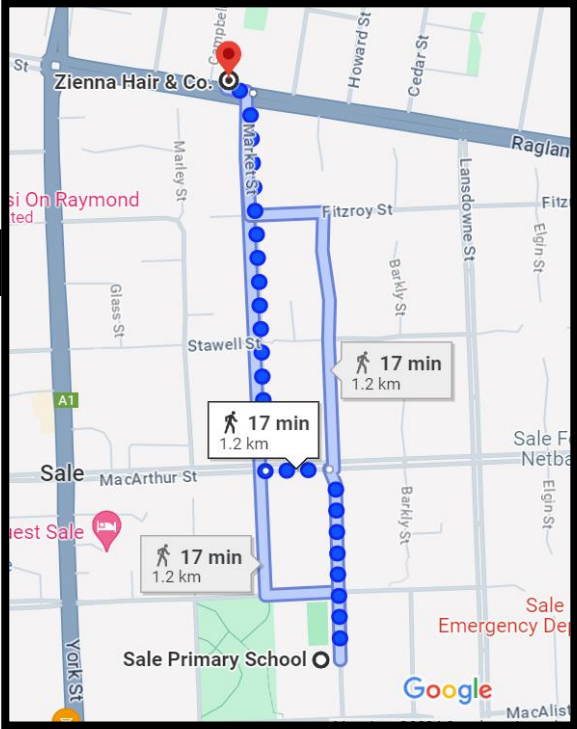
Last
Week's
Sliming

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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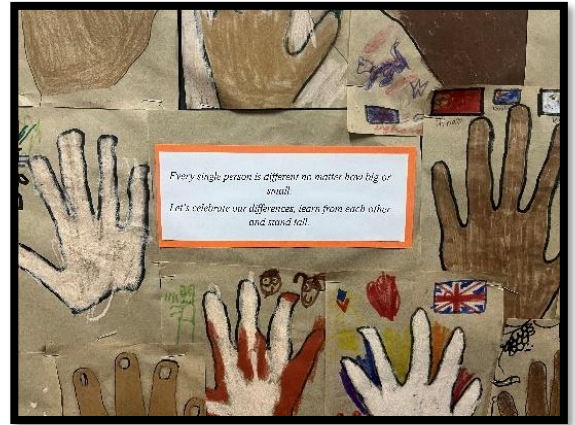


Harmony Week is celebrated to recognise Australia's diverse culture and brings together Australians from all different backgrounds. It's about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone. Orange is the colour to represent Harmony week, which signifies social communication, freedom of ideas, meaningful conversations and encouragement of mutual respect.

Last Week in the art room all cohorts participated in an art experience that recognised differences, celebrated cultural backgrounds and connected all students.

Foundation and Juniors watched "the colours of us" storybook, Middles and Seniors watched "Skin again." We all discussed what Harmony Week was about and why we celebrate it. Students traced their hands then coloured their hand in pastel or marker that matched their skin colour. Students then drew flags of their families countries in the background or things that represent themselves and their identity.

The display is on the wall in the main building if you want to check it out :)





SEASON STARTS
Friday 19th
April 5pm

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)

Join us at the
**Bunnings
Easter Family Event**



BUNNINGS warehouse

A family event with entertainment, D.I.Y. plus a Sausage sizzle fundraiser with all funds going to the Good Friday Appeal
Date: Thursday 21st March 2024
Time: 5:30pm-7:30pm

Activities and fun for the whole family

*Games	*Easter Hunt	*Painting
*Popcorn	*Colouring	*Spinning Wheel
*Passport Raffle Prizes		



Refer to your local store for details and book your spot using the QR Code above.

For more information contact us on 51436200 or visit www.bunnings.com.au/sale

BUNNINGS warehouse



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ART ATTACK

autumn HOLIDAY PROGRAM



Kung Fu Panda 4
Art Experience
School of Rock
Colour Run

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Save up to 90% with the Child Care Subsidy

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.

