

# NEWSLINE

Tuesday March 7, 2017

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No. 05

## OUR SCHOOL VALUES

### RESPECT, HONESTY, ENJOYMENT, RESILIENCE & SUCCESS

#### Dates to Remember

##### March

###### Thursday March 9

- 7.30pm Garden Party Meeting (Everyone is welcome)

###### Monday March 13

- Labour Day Public Holiday

###### Wednesday March 15

- School Closure Day – Staff Writing PD
- 6.30pm School Council Sub Committees
- 7pm School Council Annual Reporting Meeting
- 7.30pm School Council Meeting

###### Friday March 17

- 545 Garden Party

###### Monday March 20

- Student/Parent/Teacher Interview Day – students attend school for their interview only

###### Monday March 27

- 545 House XC Carnival @ Catholic College Ovals

###### Friday March 31

- Last day of Term 1 – 2.30pm dismissal

##### April

###### Tuesday 18

- First day of Term 2

###### Friday 21

- 545 ANZAC Day Service

###### Monday 24

- School Closure Day – Staff at PD

###### Tuesday 25

- ANZAC Day Public Holiday

**Whole School Assembly 8.50am every Monday**

**School Banking – every Monday**

**Uniform Shop Open Tuesday & Wednesday 8.30am-9.15am**

Jenny's involvement is part of the whole school directions for 2017 where we aim to improve our approaches to be the best we can be for our students.

#### Carmel Small

Another school improvement focus is on writing! Once again, the school will engage with consultant Carmel Small who will lead the staff in best practice in Literacy sessions with a strong emphasis on the writing process.

Carmel's involvement begins with a **whole school closure day Wednesday March 15**. **There will be no school for students on this day** as teachers will be undertaking an intense day's learning as part of their professional development. This commitment will translate into best practices being enhanced in our Literacy learning times.

#### Parent-Teacher-Student Interviews / Interim Reports

To further enhance our communication with and engagement of parents, the school will also be conducting Parent-Teacher Interviews on **Monday March 20**.

**As approved by School Council, normal programs will not run on this day**, students will only be expected to attend for the duration of their Parent-Teacher-Student Interview. Online booking information can be found in this Newsline. I encourage all parents to make a booking with their child's teacher.

These interviews will be supported by an Interim Report that identifies each student's Social Relationships and Work Habits and their Attendance Data for Term 1.

**Please Note: These reports are not progress reports on academic progress, this information will be provided in June.**

#### Asia Pacific Children's Convention

In July the Australia-Japan Society of Victoria will send six children (3 boys and 3 girls) to the 29<sup>th</sup> Asian-Pacific Children's Convention in Fukuoka Japan, which will be held for approximately 12-15 days.

This year, Finn, who was selected as our school representative, has been lucky enough to be selected as one of these students. This is a fantastic achievement. Congratulations also to Caitlin who got down to the last 12 students in the selection process.

For the past 28 years the Australia-Japan Society has sent a group of children accompanied by a Chaperone and Assistant Chaperone/Peace Ambassador to participate in this Convention and it highly recommends this wonderful opportunity being offered to Victorian students. It is a unique event, which



#### Principal's Report – Brad Evans

##### Jenny Mackay

This Wednesday sees the return of Behaviour Management Consultant Jenny Mackay to our school. Jenny worked with the staff and students of Sale Primary School in 2011 where she was instrumental in supporting the development and implementation of our Traffic Lights Program and our Values. These initiatives were hugely successful and she returns this week to re-connect with the school on this work. We will re-visit effective strategies in dealing with a broad range of student management and well-being needs and this will be followed on by a focus on meeting the needs of male students in particular.

School Supervision: Children are supervised between the hours of 8.45am and 3.45pm.

allows approximately 240 eleven-year-old children from 43 regions around the Asian Pacific region to share in a truly international exchange.

The children and Chaperone/s will initially stay in orientation camp along with other countries' participants before going to stay with a Japanese host family.

What a fantastic opportunity for Finn and for all of us who will no doubt learn a lot from Finn about Japan on his return.

**Information Nights**

Thank-you to all of the staff, parents and students who attended our recent Information Nights! These were very well received by all those that were able to attend and hopefully this is the start of ongoing dialogue between teachers-students and parents about the learning that is occurring across the school as well as identifying the many opportunities for parents to get involved in our school.

**Swimming Carnivals**

Congratulations to the Sale Primary School Swim Team who finished 3<sup>rd</sup> at last Tuesday's Sale & District Swimming Carnival. All students did their very best and were supported by Mrs Courtney, Mrs Wilson and Mrs Scott along with many parent volunteers and supporters. 8 students have competed at today's Wellington Zone Carnival. This will be followed by the Gippsland Region Carnival on **Thursday March 16**. Good luck to all participants!

**Garden Party**

The Garden Party is just under 2 weeks away and I encourage all staff, parents and students to get involve with this wonderful whole school event on **Friday March 17** (4:00 – 8:00 p.m.) Lots of opportunities to be involved exist including being a member of the Garden Party Committee (meeting on Thursday Nights at the school – starting at 7:30 pm) and / or enlisting as a volunteer during the night!

Michael Peverill (School Councillor & Garden Party Committee Member) spoke at Assembly again yesterday and outlined and updated a number of positive changes that are to be enacted this year. Please keep your eyes out for all Garden Party information that will come out via Newslines / the SKOOLBAG App / Garden Party Facebook Page and special notices sent home with students.

**Supervision / Attendance**

Hours of supervision at Sale Primary School begins at 8:45am and concludes at 3:45pm. While we understand that some students arrive early, there is no yard supervision until 8:45am. and parents are encouraged to drop students off at school as close to this time as possible. Like-wise in the afternoon, parents are encouraged to collect their students as close to 3:30pm as possible. In the even that a child is not collected by 3:45 pm; they will be sent to the office to await collection.

Parents are also reminded that school begins at 8:50am. (Monday Morning Assembly) and 9:00am. (Tuesday – Friday) and it would be appreciated if

students could be here on time. In the event that students are late to school, they must report to the office for a late slip.

**Friday Fitness**

If you haven't yet had the opportunity to join us for Friday Fitness (9:00am), please try and do so! Not only is it a positive way to stay fit and healthy it is also a great opportunity to see how wonderful our senior students are in running the activities as well as supporting and encouraging their younger peers throughout the session!

**Be part of 545's History**

Following the very successful introduction of 'Good Old' 545' commemorative wall plaques, the next opportunity will be made available for current and former members of the school to leave their mark throughout the remainder of this term!

In partnership with Gippsland Trophy House, brick mounted plaques will be created and secured on a feature wall within the school to permanently preserve your involvement at the school.

At a cost of: **\$50**

Plaques dimensions are: 150mm X 60mm (inclusive of a maximum of **18 Characters including spacing X 2 Rows**)

E.G.:

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Orders forms have been made available with this week's Newline and will remain so throughout March for production in early April. Additional order forms are also available from the Main Office and on Garden Party night.

**Orders are now on sale and will close on Friday March 31 (end of Term 1). Please note: No late orders can be accepted after this date.**

**Parents and Friends – Miranda Peverill Canteen**

Canteen will now open Wednesday and Friday lunchtimes from 1pm-1.30pm for the sale of icy poles, primas and snacks.

**Price list**

Frozen Prima	\$1.80c
Lemonade icy pole	\$1.10c
Frozen yoghurt	\$1.30c
Icy stick	.50c
Salt n Vinegar Delites	.60c
Popcorn	.60c

If you would like to help in the canteen on these days, please either fill out the eform on the Skoolbag App or contact Helen Holliday on 0438 378 687

**Term 1 Roster – 1pm – 1.30pm**

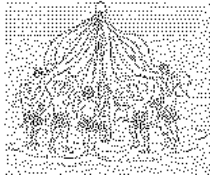
<b>Wed March 8</b>	Misty Croker & Liz Day
<b>Fri March 10</b>	Sharon Ray & Sally Bettenay
<b>Wed March 15</b>	<b>NO CANTEEN DUE TO GARDEN PARTY</b>
<b>Fri March 17</b>	<b>NO CANTEEN DUE TO GARDEN PARTY</b>
<b>Wed March 22</b>	Danielle Peverill & Christy Towers
<b>Friday March 24</b>	Rebecca Duck & Jenny Scoble
<b>Wed March 29</b>	Myra Lindrea & Kelly Daymond
<b>Fri March 31</b>	Jenny Oliver & Helen Holliday

**Garden Party 2017**

This year's Garden Party will be held on

**Friday March 17.**

The next Garden Party meeting will be held this **THURSDAY March 9, at 7.30pm**, in the Parents Room here at school. Many hands make light work!!



Everyone is most welcome to offer any suggestions on how we can make this fundraiser even better. See you there!

**Thank You**

On behalf of the whole '545' community, the P&F would like to extend an enormous THANK YOU to the Leeson and Wilson families for their generous donation of a set of 51 brand new sports jackets. Pictured here are sponsors Anita Wilson and her dad, Garry, admiring the students as they prepared for the Sale and District Swimming Carnival. The students looked fabulous and wore the jackets with pride. Later that morning, the students were also happily surprised with swim caps; what a professional look for our wonderful swimmers! Huge thanks to Debra Hall for making this possible.

**545 Netball Club**

**Saturday Netball Competition**

SNA's 2017 Saturday Netball Competition will run from Saturday 22 April to Saturday 24 August. If you are wishing to play in a 545 team, forms and further information is available from the School Office and must be returned to the school office by this **Friday March 10.**

**Sale College 2018 Select Entry**

**Accelerated Learning (SEAL) Program**

Brochures and application forms are now available from our senior teachers for the 2018 Select Entry Accelerated Learning Program (SEAL) at Sale College.

The timeline for SEAL applications are as follows:

**April 19** – 2018 SEAL Information Session 3.30pm in the Guthridge Campus Library

**April 28** – SEAL Applications due at Sale College

**May 1-12** – Interview process for applicants and parents

**May 13** - SEAL Exam 9.30am (this is a Saturday)

June – offers posted to successful applicants

**Reports – Separated Parents**

In the case of separated parents, each parent is entitled to a copy of their child's interim, mid-year, and final report. To ensure that you receive your copy, please notify the office, or return a reply slip to the office to assist us in updating our mailing list.

Please forward copies of my child/ren's reports to the following address:

Children's names and grades:

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Non custodial parent's name and address:

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## **Special Weekly Awards**

Special Weekly Awards were presented to these children at assembly on Monday March 6, 2017

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Reason</b>
PBP	Phoebe	For her excellent thinking about rhyming words
PGS	Rick	For his wonderful writing using the letter sounds he knows
PN	Miles	For his fabulous efforts in writing. Keep up the great learning
PS	Kian	For working so hard on letters and sounds
JC	Ethen	For his lovely manner, his smile brightens up our room
JJ	Thomas	For working hard at all times and for being such a respectful and responsible student
JK	Isla	For her fantastic recount on the footy clinic
JP	Gemma	For all of her hard work and for always volunteering her own time to help in the classroom
ML	Charmaine	For always putting 101% effort into her school work
MS	Liam	For being a positive and enthusiastic class member
SC	Josh	For his great use of adjectives in his swimming trials recount
SD	Ben Cambell	For his valuable contributions to class discussions For making great connections between his learning on camp and within the classroom
SG	Cooper	For being a very successful member of the school's swimming team
SJ	Noah	For his enthusiasm and motivation in researching his project around 'bugs'
SL	Katelyn	For always having a smile on her face and for giving everything a go without hesitation
	Ryan	For a fantastic start to Grade 6

**Daniel, Eden, Shani, Locklyn and Luke were awarded Junior School Council Values Awards at last Friday's senior assembly**

**This Week's Weekly Award Winners**

**Teagan, Imogen and Maria were this week's Playground Award Winners**

## Sale and District Swimming – Bree Courtney

Last Tuesday, 26 students represented 545 at the Sale and District Swimming Carnival at the Sale outdoor pool. Our students competed against all the other schools in the Sale District, including St Mary's P.S, St Thomas' P.S, Gippsland Grammar, Longford, Maffra, Araluen and Guthridge. For the third year in a row, Sale Primary School finished in 3<sup>rd</sup> place, which is a fantastic effort. The overall results are listed below. NB: the small school shield is for school with less than 200 enrolments:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Gippsland Grammar 214
- 2<sup>nd</sup> St Thomas' 208
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sale Primary 169
- 4<sup>th</sup> St Mary's 160 (awarded small school shield)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Maffra Primary 119
- 6<sup>th</sup> Guthridge Primary 81
- 7<sup>th</sup> Longford Primary 76
- 8<sup>th</sup> Araluen Primary 31

I would like to extend a big thankyou to our parent helpers on the day; Di Collins, Jenny Roberts and Deb Hall on the recording table and Mick Hatwell as the race starter.

Individual events and relay results for 545 are listed below:

**Ben won age champion for the 12 year old boys age group, placing 1<sup>st</sup> in all individual events; 50m Freestyle, 50m Backstroke, 50m Breaststroke and 50m Butterfly. Congratulations Ben!**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place in individual events progress to Wellington Division.

### 50m FREESTYLE

- Paige– 6<sup>th</sup> 12yo girls
- Rudy– 4<sup>th</sup> 11yo boys
- Jesiah– 6<sup>th</sup> 11yo girls
- Stuart – 7<sup>th</sup> 10yo boys

### 50m BACKSTROKE

- Maeve– 5<sup>th</sup> 10yo girls
- Sophie – 4<sup>th</sup> 12yo girls
- Riley– 2<sup>nd</sup> 11yo boys
- Jasmin– 6<sup>th</sup> 11yo girls
- Stuart– 7<sup>th</sup> 10yo boys

### 50m BREASTSTROKE

- Maeve– 6<sup>th</sup> 10yo girls
- Krystal– 4<sup>th</sup> 12yo girls
- Thomas– 2<sup>nd</sup> 11yo boys
- Ella– 2<sup>nd</sup> 11yo girls
- Darcy– 4<sup>th</sup> 10yo boys
- Maeve– 4<sup>th</sup> 10yo girls

### 50m BUTTERFLY

- Mike – 4<sup>th</sup> 11yo boys
- Jesiah – 5<sup>th</sup> 11yo girls
- Molly– 2<sup>nd</sup> 10yo boys/mixed race (girls may compete in the boys events)
- Maeve– 4<sup>th</sup> 10yo girls

### 4 X 50m FREESTYLE RELAY (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> placed teams progress to Wellington Division)

- 12/13yo boys – Finn, Isaac, Cooper, Ben– 1<sup>st</sup> place
- 12/13yo girls – Sophie, Krystal, Isla, Paige– 4<sup>th</sup> place
- 11yo boys – Rudy, Thomas, Riley, Maddix– 4<sup>th</sup> place
- 11yo girls – Jesiah, Jasmin, Ella, Ava– 4<sup>th</sup> place
- 10yo boys – Stuart, Crue, Brooklyn, Will– 4<sup>th</sup> place
- 10yo girls- Maeve, April, Molly, Georgia– 4<sup>th</sup> place

### 4 X 50m MEDLEY RELAYS (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place teams progress to Wellington Division)

- Open Boys/Mixed –
  - Riley (Backstroke)
  - Thomas (Breaststroke) 1<sup>st</sup> place
  - Ben (Butterfly)
  - Isaac (Freestyle)

Open Girls - Sophie (Backstroke)  
Ella (Breaststroke) 5<sup>th</sup> place  
Maeve (Butterfly)  
Krystal (Freestyle)

### Wellington Division Swimming – Bree Courtney

All the best to the following 9 students, who are representing 545 and the Sale District in the Wellington Division Swimming Carnival today at the Sale Outdoor Pool.

Ben– 12yo boys 50m Breaststroke and Butterfly

Riley– 11yo boys 50m Backstroke

Thomas– 11yo boys 50m Breaststroke

Ella– 11yo girls 50m Breaststroke

Molly– 10yo boys/mixed 50m Butterfly

Maeve– 10yo girls 50m Breaststroke

Ben, Isaac, Cooper, Finn– 12/13yo boys 4x50m Freestyle Relay

Riley (Backstroke), Thomas (Breaststroke), Ben (Butterfly), Isaac (Freestyle) – OPEN Boys/Mixed Medley Relay

### House Cross-Country – Monday March 27, 2017

545's annual House Cross Country carnival is traditionally held late April/early May in the first few weeks of Term 2. However, this year, due to a very busy timetable in the first two weeks of Term 2, including two public holidays, a school closure day, the commencement of our swimming lesson program, and our annual Anzac Day service, we have decided to hold our Cross-Country carnival on **Monday March 27, 2017**.



The Sale and District Cross-Country is being held on Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May, so in order to select our school team for this event we need to ensure we complete our House Cross-Country prior to May 3<sup>rd</sup>.

More information on the cross-country will be sent out in the next couple of weeks. We require many parent helpers to assist as course supervisors and recorders, so if you are available to help it would be greatly appreciated!





 **Book School Interviews Online**

Dear Parents

Sale Primary School Parent/Teacher/Student interviews will be held on **Monday March 20, 2017 from 11am-6pm**

Go to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) and follow the instructions below.

**BOOKINGS OPEN WEDNESDAY MARCH 1 AT 5.00PM**  
**BOOKINGS CLOSE THURSDAY MARCH 16 AT 12NOON**

 School event code


Go to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au)  
 Enter THIS school event code. Then follow the 3 simple steps.

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**1**  Enter your details

**2**  Choose teachers

**3**  Choose times

 When you click **finish**, your interview timetable will be emailed to you automatically - **check your junk mail folder** if you do not receive your email immediately. You can return to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) at any time, and change your interview time - until bookings close.

**BOOKINGS OPEN TODAY SO THAT ALL FAMILIES MAY BOOK AT THE SAME TIME**

For parents that don't have access to the internet at home, at work, at a friend's house or on their phones, please contact the school office on 03 5144 5545 so that an appointment can be made for you.

Interview times are strictly 10mins. If you require more time, please contact your teacher directly to make alternative arrangements.

Parents can change their interview time, any time prior to the closing date, by re-visiting the [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) website, and using the event code. Parents wishing to change their interview times after the closing date, should contact the school directly on: 03 5144 5545.

**WE WANT YOU AND YOUR PONY!**

COME ALONG AND TRY PONY CLUB  
**STRATFORD PONY CLUB FUN DAY!**  
 SUNDAY 19TH MARCH 2017  
 9.45AM TIL APPROX 2PM  
 1000 RESERVE, OLD REDBANK ROAD, STRATFORD

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE NOVELTIES, SHOWJUMPING, OBSTACLE COURSE AND MORE  
 ALL AGES UNDER 20 CATERED FOR (UNDER 18 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT)

**\$15 PER RIDER**  
 (LUNCH & MORNING TEA PROVIDED)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND BOOKINGS PLEASE CONTACT 0497439077



**15 MARCH 2017 COME TRY DAY**

**TIME 4PM**

SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND DRINKS PROVIDED

EQUIPMENT PROVIDED

BEGINNERS WELCOME!

WE ARE LOOKING FOR PLAYERS FOR THE UPCOMING SEASON

**Sale Baseball Club**  
 The Club would like to invite kids aged between the ages of 8 and 16 to come and try T-Ball and Baseball afternoon



**LOCATION: STEPHENSON PARK**  
 Contact: Andrew Pembrey to register interest and for more information.  
 0607 002 934  
 Andrew.pembrey@fistmail.com