# NEWSLINE SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL NO. 545

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No. 23

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

# DATES TO REMEMBER

July

#### Wednesday July 31

Book Club orders close

#### August

Wednesday August 7 – Friday August 9
➢ Middle School Camp – Phillip Island
Monday August 12
2pm Parents & Friends Meeting

Thursday August 15

545 House Athletics Carnival

Monday August 19

Netball Registrations Close

**Tuesday August 20** 

Book Week Dress Up Day

#### Friday August 23

- Student Free Day
- Sale & District Athletics Carnival

#### Friday August 30

- Father's Day/Special Person's Day Stall
- Parent Opinion Survey closes

#### September

Monday September 9 – Friday September 13

Annual Book Fair

#### Monday September 9

- 5.30pm Finance Sub Committee Meeting
- 6.00pm School Council Meeting

Friday September 20

2.15pm dismissal – last day of Term 3

## October

### Monday October 7

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First day of Term 4

We want our parents/guardians/carers to tell us what you think!

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT CHRIS MALONE

Our school is conducting the annual Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey offered by the Department of Education and is seeking your feedback. The survey is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of families' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour,

> and student engagement. The survey is optional, but we encourage and appreciate your participation. Our school will use the survey results

to assist in identifying areas for improvement and professional development needs in the school, to target school planning and improvement strategies.

The Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey opened yesterday Monday 29 July to Friday 30 August 2024.

The invitation to the survey, including the link and pin code required is on our Compass App. Please contact the school office if you would like more information.

All families are invited to participate in the survey. The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **20 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones.

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 The online survey will be available in English and 10 other languages including Arabic, Greek, Hakha Chin, Hindi, Japanese, Punjabi, Simplified Chinese, Somali, Turkish, and Vietnamese. Resources are also available in additional languages to assist parents / caregivers / guardians who speak a language other than English at home. Please reach out to your child's teacher, or the school directly for survey guides in your language.

The survey results will be communicated to parents/caregivers/guardians through annual reporting and to the School Council.

Last year the sample size collected did not unfortunately provide the school with enough feedback to make any significant changes. Please speak to your child's teacher if you would like more information.

#### Photographing, Filming & Recording Students at Sale Primary School Consent Form

Last week, updated Photographing, Filming & Recording Students Consent Forms were sent home with students. We ask that parents/carers take the time to read the updated Consent Form and return it to school as soon as possible.

#### Last Week's Practice Fire Drill

Last Wednesday, during our lunch break, we held a mandatory practice fire drill. All students, staff and visitors were required to evacuate to our emergency assembly area, which is located on the back oval. Everyone did an amazing job.

One area identified as a concern, is that visitors coming into the school are not reporting to the front office and signing in on our Compass Kiosk. We ask parents and visitors to our school to please ensure that they sign in when visiting. Thank you for your support and understanding.

# LEARNING IN SR (SENIOR SCHOOL) JENNA ROBBINS

Last week in SR, we wrote reading responses around significant Aboriginal Australians who shared their culture with the British colonists when they first came over to Australia. The students chose their type of response, such as writing their opinion on the text, making a text connection or discussing what the author's message is, making sure they included a quote from the text to support their view. They then created displays to showcase their learning. As you can see, they got very creative with how they presented their posters

## LIBRARY NEWS EMMA-LEE ROSS



#### Book Club

Issue 5 of Scholastic Book Club was sent home last week! To order, please use the Loop app or return your order form to the Front Office with the correct money. Orders due by **Wednesday July 31**.

Please note: The free book offer is only available when ordering

through the app.

#### Book Week & Annual Dress Up Day

Coming up in week 6 is the Children's Book Council of Australia - Book Week celebration. Our annual dress-up day will be held on **Tuesday, August 20.** On this day, students are invited to dress up as their favourite book character. Although not necessary to follow, the theme this year is: "Reading is Magic". We look forward to seeing all our beloved book characters come to life!





# PARENTS & FRIENDS JADE WILLOX, PRESIDENT

#### Next Meeting

The next meeting of Parents & Friends will be held on Monday August 12 at 2pm here at school. Everyone is most welcome and encouraged to attend.

# ART ROOM NEWS LOU COOPER

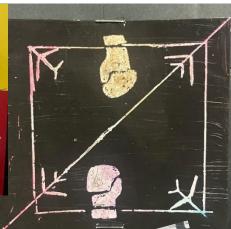
Bonjour! Across all year levels, students were in Olympics mode the past 2 weeks.

Foundation students created collage Olympic torches using tissue paper, cellophane and textured paper. Juniors made clay gold medals after learning some interesting facts about the gold medals handed out at this years Olympics.

The Middle cohort created 3D Olympic athlete foil sculptures and the Seniors made scratch art pictograms. We looked at and discussed the history of Olympic pictograms and how different the Paris pictograms are. The Seniors used metallic pastels and black paint as their base then the following week used skewers to scratch and create their wonderful pictograms.

Some of these are on display on the big board near the office







# SPECIAL WEEKLY AWARDS

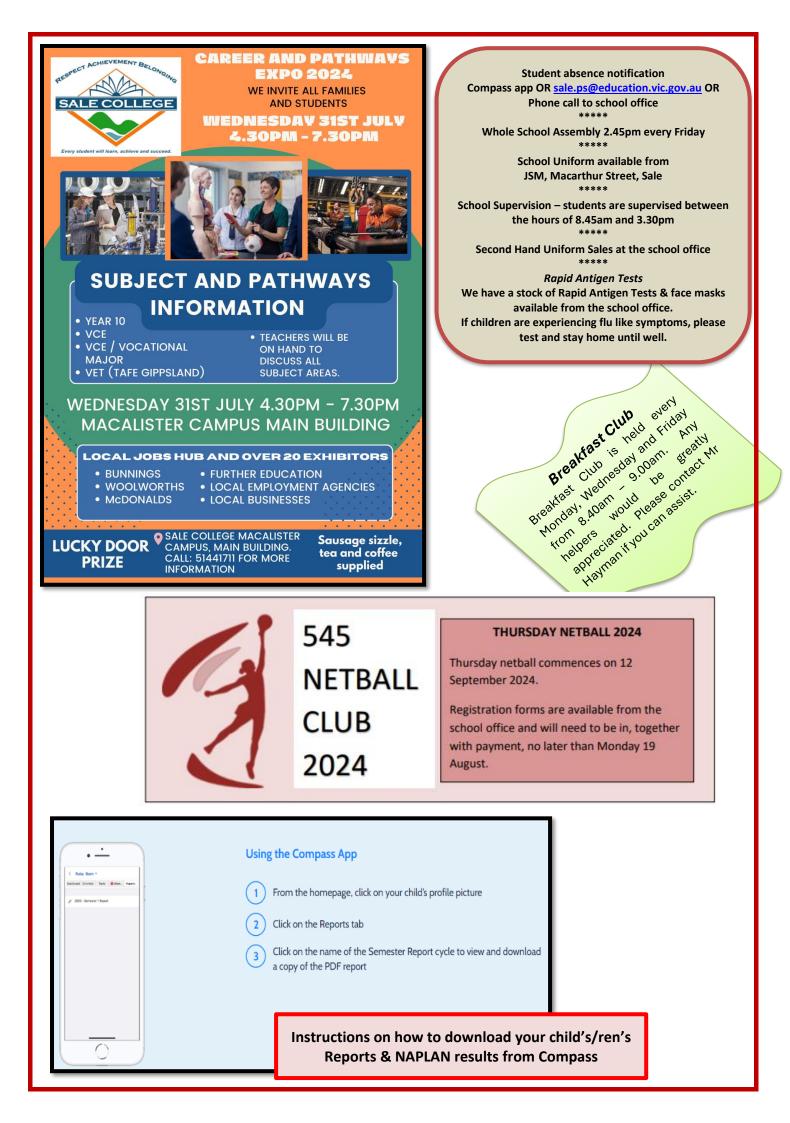
Special Weekly Awards were presented to the following students at last Friday's Assembly

Grade	Name	Reason
FB	Andy	For a wonderful start at 545
FP	Tulip	For working hard to achieve her reading goals
FH	Zara	For making lots of contributions to our classroom discussions
JA	Teddy	For the passion and respect he showed when creating a story embedding Gunaikurnai
	ready	words and symbols
JN	Kody	For his positive attitude in maths this week, and being prepared to challenge himself
		with the Olympic "Crack the Code' activity
	Zaidee	For her efforts with her math goal-based learning this week, and challenging her
		understanding of skip counting by 5's
JP	Lilah	For showing enthusiasm in completing all learning tasks
	Archie	For utilising his time wisely and for working hard to achieve his writing goals
JE	Allerah	For her fantastic learning of synthesising this week
	Jehi	For his dedication to improving his spelling in his writing
JF	Jai	For doing his best to smash his maths goal of counting by 5s
	Sunny	For being a hard worker who always tries his best during goal-based learning
JS	Frankie	For consistently being a supportive and thoughtful learning buddy
JW	Zeke	For his work ethic when completing his maths goal-based learning
	Lauren	For her meaningful contributions when engaging in a range of class discussions
The Junior	Mr Hall	For designing a template and supporting us to type up our postcards for the Australian
School		Olympic Team
MM	Cohen	For being a kind friend to others out in the yard
	Charlie	For showing our value of Belonging by including others
МС	Charli	For continuously challenging herself to go deeper with her thinking and explanation of
W/C	Chun	things
	Charlie	For his wondering contribution to discussions when inferring what is happening in our
	Chunic	wordless picture books
	Dancer	For being a wonderful member of MC
MA	Kai	For his dedication to achieving his maths goals
MS	Layla	For her willingness to try anything and give it her best shot
SW	Tyler	For his positive attitude toward learning
	Henry	For practising his speaking and listening skills with confidence
SC	Mack	For his poster response to the story of Patyegarang
	Fletcher	For his excellent factual description on the Essendon Football Club
SR		For always asking for help with his learning so he can complete any task to the absolute
Sr	Logan	
	Clancy	best of his ability
	Clancy	For spending a lot of careful time planning his poster on Patyegarang and for taking on
	leage	feedback on how to improve it.
SG	lsaac Sianna	For his active participation and effort during mathematics
SD	Sienna	For her willingness to help and support others in the classroom
	Sam	For his effort and participation in clinic groups and conferences
	Tom	For his outstanding effort and creativity in his response to the story of Yarri and Jacky
CI.	Macan	Jack For completing a fantastic week of learning and for making great choices
SL	Mason	
	Paul	For the effort and creativity in his response to the story about Bungaree
Mr Bartlett	Oscar	For being a valued contributor to music at 545
Music	Isaac	For being a valued contributor to music at 545
Ms Cooper	Мауа	Creating a wonderful foil Olympic athlete in art this week
Art		





Last Friday our Foundation students celebrated 100 days of school







Warm regards,

Kirby Lawson TheirCare coordinator