## NEWSLINE SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NO. 545

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

### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT CHRIS MALONE

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## DATES TO REMEMBER December

#### **Tuesday December 10**

> Statewide Transition Afternoon

#### Wednesday December 11

Grade 6 Graduation

#### **Thursday December 12**

- 4.30pm Sausage Sizzle
- > 5pm Annual Christmas Concert

#### Friday December 13

9.20am -12.30 Junior Athletics Carnival

#### **Monday December 16**

- 10.30am volunteer thank you morning tea
- Cultural/Heritage Dress Up Day

#### **Thursday December 19**

Last day of term 4 for students—3.15pm dismissal

#### January

#### **Monday January 27**

Australia Day Public Holiday

#### **Tuesday January 28**

Staff return to school

#### Wednesday January 29

Grades 1-6 students commence today

#### **Thursday January 30**

Grade 6 Top orders close

#### Friday January 31

> Foundation students commence today

#### **February**

#### Wednesday February 5

 No school for Foundation students (assessment day)

#### Wednesday February 12

No school for Foundation students (assessment day)



#### **Christmas Concert**

This year's Christmas Concert will be held this **Thursday December 12** here at school, commencing at 5pm. There will be a bbq (4.30pm) and raffle held on the night.



Parents & Friends will also be holding a Sweet Treat stall. They would really appreciate donations of slices, cookies or cupcakes to sell on the night (please no cream or nut items). Items can be dropped off on the morning of the

concert to the canteen from 8.30am.

We look forward to seeing all of our school community in attendance.

#### Thank You Morning Tea

As a token of our appreciation, volunteers who have been actively involved in school activities throughout the school year are being invited to attend a 'thank you morning tea'. The morning tea will take place in the Market Square at 10.30am next Monday December 16.

Whilst every effort is made to invite all parents and helpers that have supported the school throughout the year, invariably someone will be missed. Please accept this message as an invitation to ALL volunteers who have participated in school activities throughout the year (classroom programs, sport, music, camps and excursions, canteen, Parents & Friends, School Council etc) to come along and celebrate the end of the year at our morning tea



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 <a href="mailto:sale.ps@education.vic.gov.au">sale.ps@education.vic.gov.au</a>

#### 2025 Local Excursion Form

Last week, students will have brought home a 2025 Local Excursion Form. We are required to gain consent from parents/guardians annually for their child/ren to attend local excursions.

Please take the time to read the consent form and return it to the school office as soon as possible. Students will not be able to attend local excursions without a signed consent form.

The consent form is also available for download on our Compass App.

#### Last day of Term 4

The last day for students will be Thursday December 19. There will be a final assembly held at 2.45pm with students being dismissed at 3.15pm. Grade 6's and students leaving the school will be able to ring the bell at the conclusion of the assembly.

## MUSIC NOTES PHIL BARLETT, MUSIC TEACHER

We have our Christmas Concert coming this **Thursday** 



December 12. All of our choirs will be performing. Our junior and middle choirs are performing songs that are quite 'wordy'. At the end of today's Newsline are the lyrics for all of the songs performed by these two choirs. All students must know the words from memory. Please feel free to print the

words off.

#### 2025 GRADE 6 TOPS

2025 Grade 6 students will once again have the opportunity to purchase a 2025 grade 6 top, if they wish to do so. It is not compulsory for students to have, or to wear the top, but it is generally viewed as a memento of being in grade 6.

Students will be able to choose from either a long sleeved polo, a short sleeved polo, or both. The cost of the tops is \$36 for the short sleeved polo and \$38 for the long sleeved polo.

Parents are asked to go to our uniform supplier, JSM in Macarthur Street Sale to pay for and place their order.

Orders will close on **Thursday January 30, 2025**. At this time the order will be sent to the screen printers as a whole order.

This is a one off production run and there will be no opportunity for late orders."

## LIBRARY NEWS EMMA-LEE ROSS



#### **Books Due**

Just a reminder that all books are now due back. I will be coming around to classrooms each morning to collect any outstanding returns from students. Overdue notices will be sent home periodically between

now and the end of the year until books are returned. If there are any issues with overdue library books, please see your child's classroom teacher.

#### Stocktake Helpers Still Needed

From yesterday, we commenced our annual library stocktake. This involves scanning every book in the main area of the library and will take up most of the week. Full training is provided (it's an easy process). If this sounds like something you could help with, please come in and see me or call the school office on 5144 5545.

## JUNIOR HOUSE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL BEN CHIVERS, PE TEACHER



The Junior House Athletics Carnival has been rescheduled to this **Friday December 13** commencing at 9.20am – 12.30pm

## TWILIGHT SOCCER THANKS

Thank you to Rebecca Vanstone, one of our parents, for coordinating our school's Twilight Soccer teams this year. We thank her for the considerable time and effort that goes into organising 90 plus students into teams and communicating with families. I'm sure that all of the parents and guardians who had children participating in this year's competition will join me in thanking Rebecca. Thank you also, to those parents who took on team manager/coaching roles.

#### SPECIAL WEEKLY AWARDS

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

Grade	Name	Reason
FP	Ronika R	For enthusiastically taking on the new learning aspects of her new school and having a go at
		everything
	Tommy N	For taking on feedback and trying hard to apply it to his writing
JN	Lawson M	For displaying exceptional commitment to swimming this week, by participating with a
		positive attitude and consistently giving his best effort
JE	Jesse G	For showing great listening and growth in confidence in swimming this week
JS	Braxton H	For changing to a growth mindset and working well with his team after not being picked for
		the toilet paper Santa activity
	Aubrey C	For settling well into a different classroom, and for the confidence and creativity she brought
		to her Christmas play
MM	Aivah S	For asking for support when required
МО	Alixia L	For always being persistent when faced with a challenge in maths
	Skyla S	For consistently demonstrating the school values, participating in class discussions, and
		having a positive attitude
MS	Lachie H	For the wonderful progress he has made with his number facts
SW	Scarlett Q	For the creativity she displayed in the presentation of her poetry
	Penny B	For her excellent time management skills in class
SC	Harper A	For the fantastic comparisons she made between the book and the movie 'James and the
		Giant Peach'
	Brodie C	For the amazing Power Point slide he made for his poem 'Love'
	Stella W	For the awesome creativity she has put into writing her poems
SR	Aneeka B	For being a quiet leader in the classroom and for consistently displaying our school values of
		'Respect', 'Learning' and 'Belonging'
	Ishana D	For the great effort she has put into her poetry writing
	Makayde D	For the clear character comparisons she has made between the movie and the book of
	<b>.</b>	'James and the Giant Peach'
SG	Angela L	For an excellent final year at 545
<u></u>	Zepplen H	For completing a great shape poem titled, 'Christmas Tree'
SL	Willow S	For the great effort she has been putting into her poetry writing
Ms	Earlene V	For her continued help and support in the art room
Cooper	Holly G	For her continued help in the art room
Art	Will S	For his continued help and enthusiasm in the art room
	Nate W	For his continued help and assistance in the art room



# FOUNDATION DATES FOR START OF TERM 1 2025

#### Foundation students will commence school on Friday January 31.

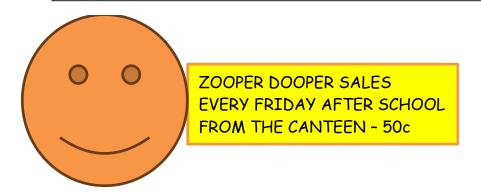
Wednesday January 29 and Thursday January 30 have been set aside for initial assessment.

Wednesday February 5 and Wednesday February 12 will be used to complete assessments.

These Wednesday sessions will also allow students a rest before commencing full weeks of learning from Monday February 18.

Foundation students will be allocated a time on one of the assessment days to come into school to meet with their teacher. The assessment task will take approximately 45 minutes and be held in your child's classroom. You don't need to stay with your child during the assessment.

A letter will be sent home to families with your child's allocated assessment time.



## JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL CULTURAL/HERITAGE DRESS UP DAY

On **Monday December 16**, our Junior School Council will be hosting a whole school Cultural/Heritage dress up day. It will be a day where everyone can dress up respectfully in their culture or heritage to celebrate their country of birth.

We are doing this because we want to recognise and celebrate all of the different cultures we have at Sale Primary School, and to celebrate how many different cultures and people make up our 545 community.

If you don't want to dress up in your country of origin, you can just wear casual clothes. You can also bring a flag of your country if you want to.

This is a chance to celebrate your culture/history.

Please make sure that your costume is respectful of your heritage/culture.

# SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL P&F Christmas Concert SWEET TREAT STALL DONATIONS





Annual Sweet Treat Stall & Christmas Concert Donations greatly appreciated and can be dropped at the Canteen on Wednesday 11th afternoon or Thursday 12th morning



The Sale Primary School
P&F sincerely appreciate the
assistance of our school
families at this time. For
more information please
contact Jade on 0400926621



Glasses for Kids is a Victorian State Government and State Schools' Relief initiative. Next year our foundation, grade 1, 2 and 3 students will have the opportunity to participate, should families wish, in the Glasses For Kids Program.

An information poster, flyer and consent form have been put on Compass.

Hard copies have been sent home with students. Families of our 2025 Foundation students have received their copies at last week's orientation session.

We ask that the consent form/optometrist questionnaire be returned to the school office by Friday December 6.

Testing will be held at school the week beginning Tuesday March 11, 2025.



#### **Junior Members**



The Junior Volunteer Development Program (JVDP) provides safe, enjoyable and challenging activities for young people aged 11 to 15 years of age.

The Junior Volunteer Development Program (JVDP), also known as Juniors/Junior Brigade aims to introduce young people 11-15 years to CFA by providing them with the opportunity to become good fire safe citizens while engaging them in activities that:

- build their self-esteem and self-confidence.
- develop their ability to manage personal and social relationships.
- create learning opportunities and <u>to develop</u> new skills.
- encourage positive group dynamics.
- build the capacity of young people to consider risk, make reasoned decisions and take control.
- develop a world view which widens horizons and nurtures social commitment.

Registration is free! Scan QR Code Below and register your expression of interest.



When: Tuesday & Thursdays 5:00pm - 6:30pm
Where: Peter Glover Training Complex Brennan Park Desailly
Street Sale

Junior members DO NOT respond to emergencies



Student absence notification

Compass app OR sale.ps@education.vic.gov.au OR

Phone call to school office

Whole School Assembly 2.45pm every Friday

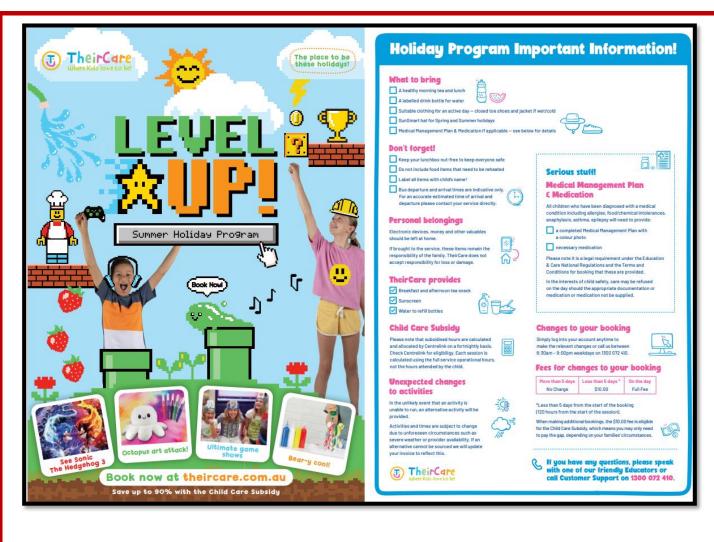
School Uniform available from JSM, Macarthur Street, Sale

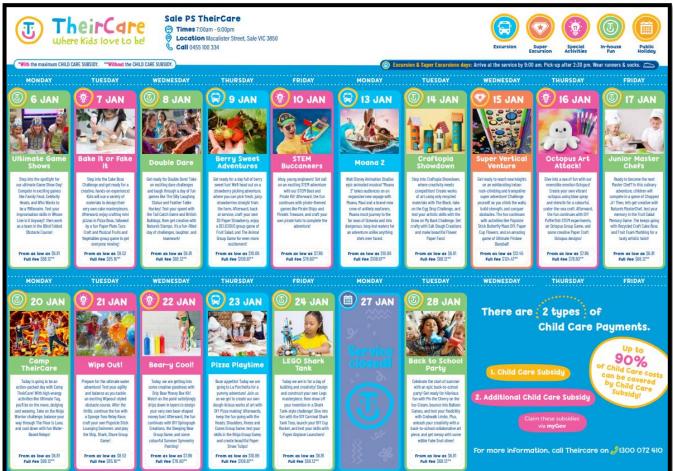
School Supervision – students are supervised between the hours of 8.45am and 3.30pm

Second Hand Uniform Sales at the school office

**Rapid Antigen Tests** 

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







#### Good Old 545

Dear former and current members of Sale Primary School, '545' Community,

An opportunity exists for former and existing members of our school community who would like to support the school and leave their mark on history.

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

Cost: \$50

Plaque dimensions

150mm x 60mm (inclusive of 18 characters, including spacing x 2 rows)

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Orders are taken throughout **March** (for production in April) and throughout **November** (for production in December) each and every year, ensuring that plaques of each year will be mounted before the end of each school year.

Orders will be taken in March and November each year.

Please note that no late orders can be accepted after the end of these months.

Order forms are available from the school office for any former 545 community members that wish to leave their mark.

Regards

Chris Malone	
Principal	

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#### BONES

#### JUNIOR CHOIR

#### BYE BYE

#### MIDDLE CHOIR

#### VERSE 1

|Gimme, gimme, gimme some time to think I'm in the bathroom, looking at me Face in the mirror is all I need (ooh) Wait until the reaper takes my life Never gonna get me out alive I will live a thousand million lives (ooh)

#### PRE CHORUS

My patience is waning. Is this entertaining? Our patience is waning. Is this entertaining?

#### CHORUS

I-I-I got this feeling, yeah, you know Where I'm losing all control 'Cause there's magic in my bones I-I-I got this feeling in my soul Go ahead and throw your stones 'Cause there's magic in my bones

#### VERSE 2

Playing with a stick of dynamite
There was never grey in black and white
There was never wrong 'til there was right (ooh, oh)
Feeling like a boulder hurtling
Seeing all the vultures circling
Burning in the flames I'm working in
Turning in a bed that's darkening

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'Cause there's magic in my bones

#### BRIDGE

Look in the mirror of my mind
Turning the pages of my life
Walking the path so many paced a million times
Drown out the voices in the air
Leaving the ones that never cared
Picking the pieces up and building to the sky

#### PRE CHORUS

My patience is waning. Is this entertaining? Our patience is waning. Is this entertaining?

#### CHORUS x2

I-I-I got this feeling, yeah, you know Where I'm losing all control 'Cause there's magic in my bones I-I-I got this feeling in my soul Go ahead and throw your stones 'Cause there's magic in my bones

#### Bye bye x2

Verse 1 I'm doing this tonight

You're probably gonna start a fight I know this can't be right Hey baby come on I loved you endlessly When you weren't there for me

So now it's time to leave and make it alone

#### Pre Chorus

I know that I can't take no more, It ain't no lie I want to see you out that door, Baby bye bye bye

#### Chorus

Don't want to be a fool for you
Just another player in your game for two
You may hate me but it ain't no lie
Baby bye bye bye
Don't really want to make it tough
I just want to tell you that I've had enough
It might sound crazy but it ain't no lie
Baby bye bye bye

#### Verse 2

You just hit me with the truth
Now girl you're more than welcome to
So give me one good reason
Baby come on
I've lived for you and me
And now I really come to see
That life would be much better once you're gone

#### Pre Chorus

I know that I can't take no more, It ain't no lie I want to see you out that door, Baby bye bye bye

#### Chorus

Don't want to be a fool for you
Just another player in your game for two
You may hate me but it ain't no lie
Baby bye bye bye
Don't really want to make it tough
I just want to tell you that I've had enough
Might sound crazy but it ain't no lie
Baby bye bye bye

#### Post Chorus

I'm giving up I know for sure I don't' want to be the reason for your love no more Bye bye!!! I'm checking out, I'm signing off I don't want to be the loser, and I've had enough

#### Bridg

I don't want to be your fool in this game for two So I'm leaving you behind I don't want to make it tough But I've had enough And it ain't no lie BYE BYE

#### Chorus

Don't want to be a fool for you......

#### **AUSSIE JINGLE BELLS**

#### JUNIOR CHOIR

#### Verse 1

Dashing Through the bush In a rusty Holden Ute Kicking up the dust, Esky in the boot Kelpie by my side, singing Christmas songs It's summer time and I am in my singlet, shorts and thongs!

#### Chorus

Oh, Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Jingle all the way Christmas in Australia on a scorching summer's day, hey Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Christmas time is beaut Oh what fun it is to ride In a rusty Holden Ute!

#### Verse 2

Engine's getting hot, Dodge the Kangaroos Swaggie climbs aboard, he is welcome too All the family's there, sitting by the pool Christmas day, the Aussie way, by the barbeque!

#### Chorus

Oh, Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Jingle all the way Christmas in Australia on a scorching summer's day, hey Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Christmas time is beaut Oh what fun it is to ride In a rusty Holden Ute!

#### Verse 3

Come the afternoon, Grandpa has a doze
The kids and Uncle Bruce are swimming in their clothes
The time comes round to go, we take a family snap
Then pack the car and all shoot through before the washing
up.

#### Chorus x2

Oh, Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Jingle all the way Christmas in Australia on a scorching summer's day, hey Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Christmas time is beaut Oh what fun it is to ride In a rusty Holden Ute!

#### **DECK THE SHED**

#### MIDDLE CHOIR4

Rally, rally round the table, fa la la la la la la la la la Fill your belly while you're able, fa la la la la la la la la la Joyce and Joany, Dave and Daryl, fa la la la la la la la la Sing an Aussie Christmas Carol, fa la la la la la la la la la