

Principal's Report

TERM 4

It was extremely heartening to see yesterday that Education Minister, James Merlino, and Chief Health Officer, Brett Sutton, give a strong indication that students would return to school next term.

Mr Merlino is quoted as saying he is 'confident that our schools will return to face-to-face teaching in Term 4'.

At this stage we are still unsure what this will look like however it was great news to hear that our students returning to school is imminent.

The Baxter Primary School community have done a fantastic job at facilitating remote and flexible learning, keeping our students motivated and providing consistency with their work.

I will keep the community informed of any departmental directives that come through, as soon as possible.

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

I was extremely pleased to see a fantastic response to our online parent teacher interviews. Any parents that were unable to facilitate a meeting today, please contact your child's classroom teacher to arrange a more practical time.

2021 ENROLMENTS & VIRTUAL TOUR

A reminder to all families that we are currently accepting Foundation enrolments for next year. We are very excited to launch our virtual tour via our website very soon and will share it with the school community in coming weeks.

Nick Schneider
Principal

P.E. & HEALTH

I would like to thank each & every one of you who took part in last weeks PE lesson.

The planning and creativity that took place in constructing the "Ninja Warrior" obstacle courses was amazing.

I sat through hours and hours of video and photos of all of the activities and physical challenges that people attempted. The footage was incredibly entertaining and it was lovely to see some families working together; parents commentary, siblings cheering, everyone chipping in with design ideas.

WELL DONE!

There could only be 4 prize winners per grade. This made my job extremely difficult, as you were all winners in my eyes. I am pleased to announce that the winners in each grade are:

FF: Haiden W, Aria P, Makayla-Jane K, Kody M
FBD: Kira B, Ryan H, Summer N, Hugo H
1/2A: Heath E, Chace E-H, Felicity R, Kalarni S
1/2B: Matilda K, Max L, Zara G, Max C
3/4H: Liam S, Aden P, Siena R, Eoin F
3/4T: Jordyn D, Coby P, Kirra C, Kaylee J
5/6M: Caleb B, Maddi S, Ruby H, Charlotte S
5/6S: Brad H, Ethan P, Connor R, Madi A

Congratulations to the above mentioned students. You will receive a high bounce ball when we all return to school. Thank you once again to everyone who took part.

Jodie Baxter
P.E. & Sport Coordinator



TERM DATES

Term 3

Monday 20th July—Friday 18th September

Sunday 6th September—Father's Day

Friday 11th September—Footy Day
 Entries close for Remote Learning Family Showcase
 (see next page)

Friday 18th September—Last day of Term 3



To our students who have celebrating a birthday today, or who are celebrating a birthday over the next two weeks, we hope you are made to feel super special:

Aden P	Isabella E	Beau K
Jake W	Declan C	Kalarni S



REMOTE LEARNING FAMILY SHOWCASE

Thank you for all of your positive feedback in response to our Gratitude and Tips videos from the BPS Staff!

!!!NOW IT'S YOUR TURN!!!

Create a video of your own remote learning tip, or some footage of you showing how you have had some fun and success with home learning tasks!

Submit your videos to your classroom teacher VIA compass, or directly to baxter.ps@education.vic.gov.au.

**1st Prize
\$150 JB HI-FI Voucher**

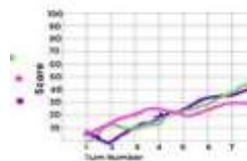
2nd Prize \$100 JB HI-FI Voucher

3rd Prize \$50 JB HI-FI Voucher

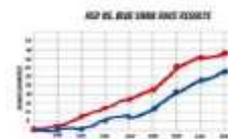
ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 11th SEPTEMBER

P.E. & HEALTH (cont)

This year we will be supporting Footy Colours Day by wearing our footy colours on **Friday 11th September**. This could include AFL, AFLW, NRL or soccer. Mrs. Baxter will send out some football based activities for the day so that we can recognise this day "virtually". There will be prizes to win and plenty of giveaways. The school will be making a donation on our behalf, so all you have to do is get involved and have some fun!



3/4H



Show your support for

KIDS WITH CANCER

Fight Cancer **FOOTY COLOURS DAY!**

Kezle Apps - Australian Jillaroos with kids from the education support program Jett, Chase and Swai

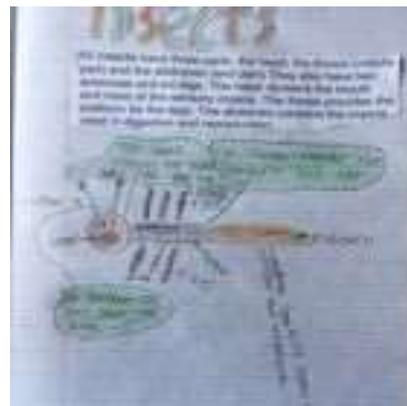
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What is Footy Colours Day?

Fight Cancer Foundation's Footy Colours Day is a national fundraising campaign supporting kids living with cancer.

Where does the money go?

Every dollar raised helps kids with cancer to continue learning during treatment and recovery through Fight Cancer Foundation's education support programs.



VISUAL ARTS



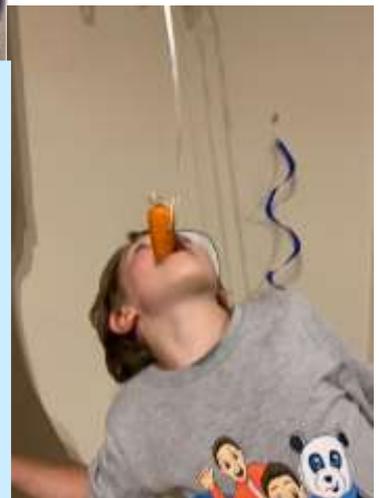
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Saya juga makan nasi goreng ayam untuk Hari Kemerdekaan!



Selamat ke75 Hari Merdeka semuanya!
Happy 75th Indonesian Independence Day!
17th August is a very special date in Indonesia where the whole country celebrates national pride and patriotism with the national Independence Day holiday. This date marks the 75th anniversary of when Indonesia became free from Dutch (and Japanese) colonisation. It is usually a huge party celebration with lots of decorations, games, ceremonies etc throughout the country but sadly the 75th anniversary commemorations were largely impacted by COVID restrictions. Thanks to all of our students who got involved in this special day at home!



How to Wash Your Hands

Well if for some reason you lost your memory and can still read somehow, this tutorial is for you. So today I am gonna show y'all how to wash your hands. Once you try this you can brag at your friends about how smart you are that you can actually wash your own hands.

You will need:

- a tap (make sure it works and can shoot out water)



- squirtable soap like this:
- hands (preferably yours - make sure they are still attached)

Step 1 squirt one bit of soap onto one of your hands it doesn't matter which one.

Step 2 scrub both of your hands together and you should see the soap spreading all over your hands.

Step 3 make sure it goes to the back of the hands and the thumbs.

Step 4 turn on the tap, if you don't know how the next step will show ya.

Step 5 there are 2 types of taps the images below will show you the types.



Of course there are some other types of taps out there but these are most likely to be in your house. If you don't have a house you must try and get one. A house is a must have!

Back to the taps - with the image on the left, one of them has some words on top. It reads HOT and the other says COLD. Some people say you should use warm water but according to one of BRIGHT SIDEs vids he says cold water is best (if you don't know who bright side is click here <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4rIAVgAK0SGk-yTfe48Qpw>)

Step 7 put your hands under the water flow.

Step 8 scrub till clean.

Step 9 if you use the tap on the right there is a circle on it half of it is blue representing cold and the other half is red representing hot turn it in the direction of the blue side.

Step 10 put your hands under the water flow.

Step 11 scrub till clean and you are done.

Now you have washed your hands you'll be the coolest guy you know, knowing that you can actually wash your own hands. Your friends will be like OMG that person knows how to wash his or her hands.

THE END ;)

Jack C-G 56M

Caring for our Community during Coronavirus



Care packages for those in need



Mornington Peninsula Shire, in partnership with local Community Support Centres, is offering care packages for our most vulnerable and isolated community members who are impacted by the Coronavirus pandemic on the Peninsula. Care packages will be sent to eligible households through contactless delivery.

Care packages will include non-perishable food and essential hygiene items.

You are eligible to receive a care package if you:

- are being impacted by Covid-19 due to self-isolation
- are considered 'at risk' of getting COVID-19
- have no support locally to access supplies
- are experiencing significant hardship due to the current situation.

How do I register to receive a care package?

Phone the Shire on 📞 1300 850 600

If you need the assistance of an interpreter phone 📞 131 450

TTY/voicemail: 📞 133 677

Speak and listen: 📞 1300 555 727

SMS relay: 📞 0423 677 767

If you are deaf or have a hearing or speech impairment contact us through the National Relay Service:

📞 communications.gov.au

A top-down view of a picnic basket. On the left, there are pink peonies. In the center, a wooden cutting board holds a knife, strawberries, blue cheese, bread, and cinnamon sticks. To the right, there's a sliced orange and more strawberries. The basket is lined with a white and grey checkered cloth.

· THE MAYOR'S ·
**Family
Picnic**

Sunday 20 September 2020

**12pm Live Stream on
Frankston Events Facebook page**

NEWS

Frankston City Council would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land and provide that acknowledgement to the first peoples of this nation.

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Community Notices

HALL FOR HIRE The Baxter Primary School Hall is available for hire on weeknights and weekends by community groups and associations. The hall comes complete with a kitchen, PA system, toilets and is fully heated. Rental contracts may be discussed by calling the office on 5971 1391. Public liability insurance is required by hirers.



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When attending Baxter Childcare Centre, your child will experience a high quality program with caring, qualified educators.

- **Open 6:30 am- 6:00pm**
- **Care for Children 6 weeks to School Age**
- **Nutritious Meals provided by our Service Cook**
- **Nappies Provided**
- **Kindergarten Program**

Children are our focus, we are committed to guiding and encouraging each child through their early years to have unique and meaningful experiences.

Please contact our Service Manager to make arrangements to have a look around and meet our team of friendly educators, or alternatively just drop by

Baxter Childcare Centre
111 Baxter Tooradin Road
Baxter VIC 3911 Ph. 03 5971 1651
For more information visit our website
www.sparrowearlylearning.com.au

Baxter Kindergarten and Children's Centre
Ph: 03 5971 1868 • 26 Olstead Drive, Baxter 3911
ABN 79 832 914 907 • REG 2961

play, explore, learn

- 3yo Kinder 5 hours per week
- 4yo Kinder 15 hours per week
- After Kinder care also available

Email: info@baxterkindergarten.com.au
Please contact the kinder on 5971 1868 with any queries. 2019 Kinder registrations are now open with the Mornington Shire Council. All 3yo & 4yo Kinder registrations for 2019 attendance must be done online, through the council.

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For more information call into Shop 4, Pearcedale Village Shopping Centre Tooradin Road, Pearcedale or phone 5978 7566.

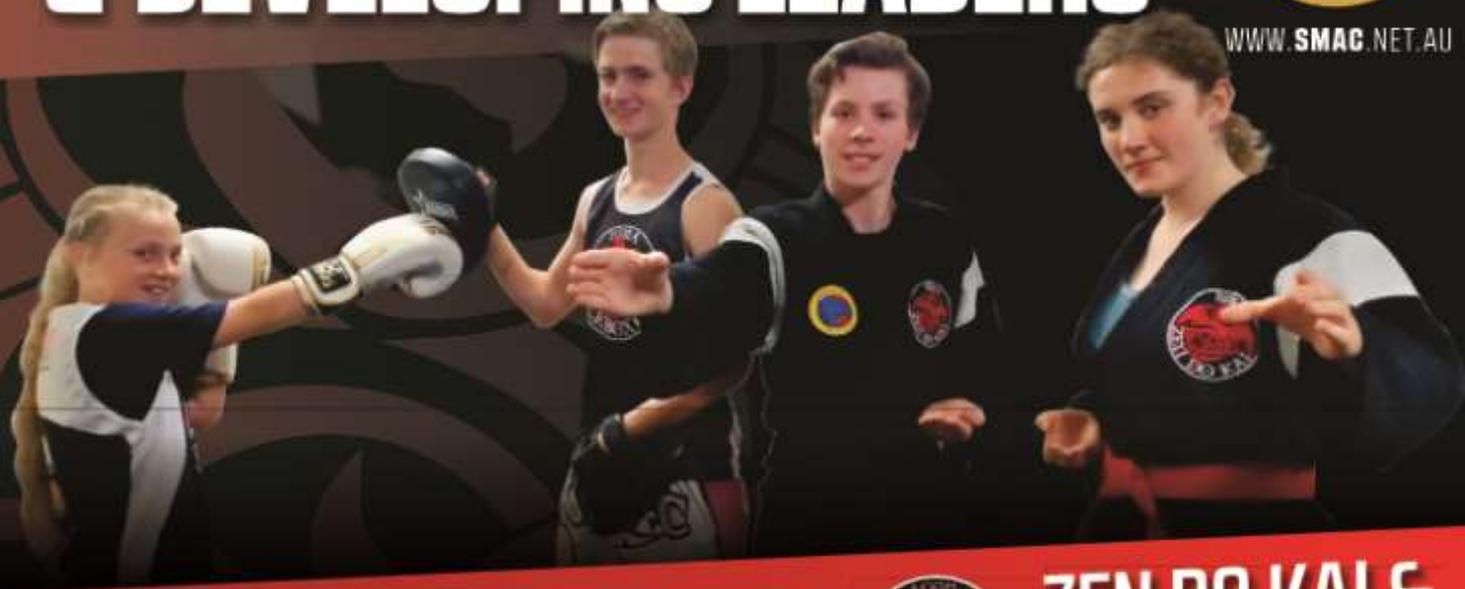
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