

## Principal's Report

### Welcome Back

I'd like to take this opportunity to welcome all of the members of our school community back to Baxter PS for Term 3. We are looking forward to a challenging, yet productive, semester for all of our students.

### Attitudes to School Survey

We have just received our response data from our student's Attitudes to School Survey.

We had some extremely pleasing results and I will present them to School Council next Tuesday night and then share this information in our next newsletter.

### 'Bounce into Baxter' Foundation transition 2023

Next week on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> July from 9:15am—10:15am we will have our second transition session for our future students for next year. We are really excited about our new group and can't wait for them to begin.

Our third transition session will be on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August from 9:15—10:15am.

### Roadworks

I would just like to say thank you and show my gratitude for the patience that our school community is showing during the roundabout upgrade.

I understand that the extra travel time and parking can be quite frustrating but hopefully the short-term inconvenience will enable a smoother flow of traffic once the works are completed.

Please be reminded that the staff carpark is closed for drop off and pick-ups. If you are utilising the Grant Road side of the school, please park across the road at the service station, where the students can cross safely at the crossing.

### Farewell

It is with great sadness that we farewell Carol this week. Carol has worked with Baxter PS as our cleaner for the last 15 years. Carol will be missed

by all the staff and students. We wish her the very best with her new adventures.

### Tree works

Over the holidays we had a number of tree works undertaken in response to an audit we had completed.

### Nick Schneider Principal

## IMPORTANT DATES

### TERM 3

Monday 11th July — Friday 16th September

Friday 22nd July—Pajama Day  
Gold coin donation

Tuesday 26th July—Foundation Transition Session  
9:15—10:15am

Monday 1st August — Friday 5th August  
Junior Swimming Program



## Peninsula Uniform Shop

The uniform shop will be open at school from 3pm—3:30pm every second Thursday, in Room 2.

Thursday 28th July  
Thursday 11th August  
Thursday 25th August

Orders can also still be placed online through Peninsula Uniforms.

### 2nd Hand Uniform Shop

Open in Room 2 for parents to browse any time.  
Gold coin donation requested.

## BREAKFAST CLUB



Breakfast Club is currently being offered to students every Wednesday morning from 8:30—9:00am.



Proudly bought to you by Foodbank Victoria & sponsored by Woolworths Baxter.

# Principal's Award Winners

## Term 2

Congratulations to our Principal Award recipients for Term 2:

*Parker N*  
*William M*

*Lilah S*  
*Zara G*

*Drew O*  
*Lachlan W*

*Harvey R*  
*Kaylee J*

*Coby P*  
*Ayla S*



### On a musical note...

I am happy to announce that there are currently places available for guitar lessons every Tuesday, during school hours.

Students who learn 10 songs are invited to go busking with me at Bittern market, with all donations going directly to the student!

Anyone who is interested in guitar lessons can give me a call on the number below. Please be sure to leave a message if I am unable to answer your call and I will respond ASAP.

Looking forward to teaching you—  
**Glen**  
**0437 440 265**



### Pizza This Pizza That

Thank you to our Principal's Award sponsor for 2022. Pizza This Pizza That are generously providing a voucher to each winner and we greatly appreciated their ongoing support.



**Ray White**  
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Navigate to the Families Portal link above and register to create an account.

Use the School Code: **BAXTER** for FREE access.

Available on-demand for 90 days from Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2022



### WEBINAR TOPIC 1

#### PLAN, PREVENT AND PROTECT

The Cyber Safety Project Team will share insights and practical resources to help support and manage online child safety in the home. Introducing parents to a simple methodology: **PLAN** for the use of technology at home, **PREVENT** unsafe encounters and **PROTECT** children who connect, learn and play online.



### WEBINAR TOPIC 2

#### KEEPING KIDS SAFE ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Whilst it is impossible to know the ins and outs of every single social media platform, there are commonalities across social platforms today. Knowledge is power so we will discuss trending platforms such as Instagram, Snapchat, TikTok and Yolo and provide practical tips that can be immediately implemented to keep kids safe.



### WEBINAR TOPIC 3

#### KEEPING KIDS SAFE WHO GAME

Gaming today is social. It's where young people go to play, connect and communicate with friends. This webinar will uncover the appeal of gaming, expose the ways game developers encourage young people to regularly play and provide practical tips for helping to manage screen time and the development of self-regulation skills in young gamers.

**PROUDLY PRESENTED BY THE CYBER SAFETY PROJECT**

*Cyber Safety Project has been endorsed by the eSafety Commissioner.*



## SAVER PLUS INFORMATION SESSION FOR: PARENTS WITH PRIMARY & SECONDARY SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN (4YO KINDER TO YEAR 12 & HOMESCHOOLED)

A drop in session for parents with school aged children (4yo kinder - Yr 12 & homeschooled). Find out how you can build your financial resilience and get up to \$500 for education costs for your education or your child's with this free program. We will discuss how Saver Plus works, the eligibility criteria and how to sign up.



### Meeting Details:

Date: Tuesday 26th July, 2022

Time: 12:30 - 1:30pm AEST (Drop in)

Zoom Meeting:

[https://bsl.zoom.us/j/66331238361?](https://bsl.zoom.us/j/66331238361?pwd=Z0swYWYrb3pONHB0VXVIbHI3OU5TZz09)

[pwd=Z0swYWYrb3pONHB0VXVIbHI3OU5TZz09](https://bsl.zoom.us/j/66331238361?pwd=Z0swYWYrb3pONHB0VXVIbHI3OU5TZz09)

Passcode: 536569

### RSVP:

Click on this link below or scan the QR code to register for the session:

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[saverplus.org.au](https://saverplus.org.au)

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## PARENTS BUILDING SOLUTIONS

For parents, step-parents, grandparents, families and carers of children aged 3 - 18 years. Come along for one, two or three sessions.

Free for all. Click on the QR code to express interest in the session/s.

### Helping your child deal with emotions

Wednesday 10th August 9.30 - 11.30

### Dealing with conflict

Wednesday 17th August 9.30 - 11.30

### Building resilience and self esteem

Wednesday 24th August 9.30 - 11.30

**DAY:** Wednesday

**TIME:** 9.30 - 11.30am

**WHEN:** August 10, 17, 24

**WHERE:** The Corner  
Wilson's Road  
Morningson

**COST:** FREE

**INQUIRIES:**  
Michelle Brown 0429174150  
Michelle.Brown@anglicarevic.org.au  
Register via the QR or the link  
<https://forms.office.com/r/seEylQm4t>



**PARENTZONE**

# 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 and toilets. Rental contracts may be discussed by calling the office on 5971 1391. Public liability insurance is required by hirers.

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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](http://www.sparrowearlylearning.com.au)

## Baxter Kindergarten and Children's Centre



Community run and minded, our kinder welcomes your enrolment enquiries for our 2021 three and four year old programs

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