

Newsletter No. 10 – 19th March 2021

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and active and informed citizens”***

Principal’s Message

School Council Annual General Meeting

The School Council Annual General Meeting is taking place this coming Monday night, in the school’s staff room from 6pm. All parents are welcome to attend as observers. The election of office bearers and presentation of the school’s Annual Report will take place at the meeting.

Bullying Policy Updated

Feel free to have a peruse of the school’s Bullying Policy, which has recently been reviewed by the Policy Sub Committee and is about to be tabled at School Council. This policy, among many others, are regularly reviewed by a Policy Sub Committee that meets monthly. The people on this committee include Natasha Frisby, Lisa Wills, Victoria Kennedy and myself. All policies are regularly updated on the school’s website under Forms – Policies.

Bookmarks for Sale

A small group of students will be selling bookmarks for \$1, in the undercover area each lunch time for the next two weeks. All proceeds are headed to the Royal Children’s Hospital Good Friday Appeal. They even take pre-orders for names, themes and animals!



Teaching & Learning Sub Committee

With the formation of the new School Council for 2021-22 happening next week, it seems a good time to invite any interested parents to be a part of the school’s Teaching & Learning Sub Committee. You don’t need to be on school council to be a part of this sub-committee and you don’t need any educational qualifications or experience to take part! Myself, Amelia, Gemma or Lisa can chat to you about the content of our meetings and our work so far.

Have a great weekend everyone,
Nick

The Next Four Learning Weeks @ Skipton:

Term 1 Week 9	
Mon Mar 22 nd	School Council 6pm
Tue Mar 23 rd	Planning Day for Staff
Term 1 Week 10	
Thu Apr 1 st	Casual Clothes Day (details to come) Assembly & Presentation of Badges (1pm) Last Day of Term 1 (1:30pm finish)
Term 2 Week 1	
Mon Apr 19 th	Student-Free Day
Tue Apr 20 th	First Day of Term 2 for students
Fri Apr 23 rd	Volunteers Afternoon Tea (2:30pm)
Term 2 Week 2	
Mon Apr 26 th and Tue Apr 27 th	Parent Teacher Conferences
Wed Apr 28 th	Cross Country

Net Set Go!!

Net Set Go will once again be running in Term 2 2021. Net Set Go is aimed at Primary School aged children who are wishing to learn all about netball. It is a great way to learn the basics and practice until you are ready for real match conditions. Coaches this year are Erin Fletcher (0400998723) and Liz Barr (0406240447) who will walk the students from school to the Recreation Reserve on a Thursday afternoon, starting on Thursday the 22nd of April. Parents will need to send a permission form to school, giving Erin and Liz permission to walk your child to Net Set Go. Students must be picked up from the Rec Reserve at 4.30pm. An extra snack and plenty of water is also a good idea!



AusKick!

The Skipton Football Netball Club is looking for a volunteer or two to run the AusKick program for this season 2021. It generally runs for Term 2 on a Thursday night at 5pm and is open to all primary school age children. If you would be interested or like some further information please call Andrew Bodman on 0417 541 545. You would require a Working with Children's check to volunteer also. Thank you.

2020 Grade 4 parents

If any students from this year's grade 5 group happen to have leads from their nextbooks at home, it would be greatly appreciated if they can be returned please. We are missing quite a few.

Garden Roster

We ask that each family take a fortnight to come in when convenient and do some gardening. Jobs include mowing including the nature strip, weeding and sweeping paths. First name in list to coordinate please.

19th March – 1st April:

Fiona Meek, Helen Purvis, Laura Leslie, Wendy Carroll

2nd April – 15th April:

Jimmy Collins, Tim Dunne, Troy McKeirnan

16th April – 29th April:

Anthony Mulcahy, Rosie Weatherly, Nina Swanson

Easter Raffle!

It's that time of year again when we ask all our families to drop off an Easter themed donation to our annual Skipton Primary School Easter Raffle. Donations can be left at School with Nat in the front Office. Tickets were sent home to each family on Tuesday and should be back by the 30th of March please. The raffle will be drawn on the last day of school and we hope to have lots of prizes to share. Thank you for your support.



Lunch Orders are now available from Kim. Orders are now available for collection at the school on Tuesdays, for lunch delivery on Wednesdays

Lunch Orders 2021			
Pie	\$4.20	Chicken Focaccia	\$8.00
Pastie	\$4.20	(chicken, avo, onion, cheese, spinach, mayo)	
Sausage Roll	\$3.20	Pasta Bake	\$6.00
Steamed Dim Sims	\$1.10	Fried Rice	\$6.00
Fruit Muffin	\$4.00	Tub of Fruit	\$5.00

Please place orders in on Tuesday by 10am for Wednesday delivery. Regards, Mumma Emu

**The Corangamite Shire Youth Crew
with Skate Park 4 Skipton**
PROUDLY PRESENTS

**SKIPTON SKATE PARK
LAUNCH EVENT**



**Skipton Skate Park, Jubilee Park
Saturday 27 March 2021
From 1 pm-5 pm
Free entry | All ages, all abilities
SKATE & STENCIL ART WORKSHOPS
WITH LIVE MUSIC**

A Victorian Government initiative
Fully supervised, drug, alcohol and smoke-free event
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