



August 5, 2020

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Throughout the year we have been faced with challenges that we never thought we would ever experience. As we head into this new period of restrictions it is important for us to remember that we are part of a fantastic community that I know is offering so much support in these times.

I thank you for all that you have done in the past few weeks to support your child with their learning. We appreciate that you are juggling your own demands as well as your child's and that this is a huge task. Please do not put pressure on yourselves, or your children, at the expense of your wellbeing. It is ok for you to decide not to complete all of the work on a set day or choosing those activities that you may be able to complete as a family. Please remember that we are here to support you and your family and whilst we know times are tough for many of our families that it is ok to ask for help.

THE SELBY PS BIG WALK

August 3rd
to
September 1st

Stay connected and healthy
during lockdown by joining up
for the
Selby Primary Big Walk!

Get out and about, record your progress,
and compete against your classmates and
other grades.

A medal for the student who records the
most kms in each grade!

A trophy for the grade (1 junior, 1 senior)
that walks the furthest!

Head to
selbyps.vic.edu.au/bigwalk
to track your walking and see your classes' progress!



Staff have been busy preparing for the challenges of remote learning and it has been great to receive feedback about the learning program. We endeavour to offer a variety of learning experiences during this time and we have made some changes to the program based on feedback we received. One of the challenges we face is that we are not able to meet everyone's needs perfectly. Whilst you may have an idea of what works best for your child we have to consider the big picture impact that changes/suggestions may have.

The Specialist teachers are providing a range of activities each Friday which offer opportunities to participate in the specialist program and it has been great to see the work that the kids have been posting. These activities can be completed on Friday or throughout the week at a time that suits. The Performing Arts tasks are all our production songs and dances which we are going to be developing over the term and it has been great for me to learn how to easily draw a penguin using the Adam Wallace inspired Art. I know those that have been posted are being printed off and displayed at school on our Remote Learning gallery wall.



JOIN US FOR Storytime



One thing that we are going to introduce is a regular story time each week. Join me on Webex as I read a book and do a follow up activity at 3pm next Wednesday. It is a chance for parents to grab a cuppa, get some work done, sit and take a well earned break whilst your child participates in an interactive session.



Room Number 571-369-200

Meeting Number: 165 299 4269

2021 PREP ENROLMENTS

Enrolments at Selby Primary School for Prep 2021 are now open. Parents are asked to complete an enrolment form and return it to the school office by Friday August 7 to assist with planning for 2021. If you know of family or friends who may be interested in hearing more about a Selby education for their children, please ask them to contact the school office to arrange a virtual school tour. Thank you for your assistance with this.

ON SITE ATTENDANCE

I have been advised by the Education Department to review and reduce the number of students and staff on-site due to Stage 4 restrictions.

Requests for onsite supervision must be made in writing using the approved Education Department application form. This form has now been updated to further restrict access to onsite supervision. The main change is a move away from 'essential workers' to 'permitted workers'. The Victorian Government has provided a list of these work areas.

Application forms must be received by the school by 3.00pm each Thursday and ***all families who seek this service must complete an application which is accompanied by a 'permitted worker' letter.*** A 'permitted worker' letter may be requested from your employer.

Stay safe, stay 5km from home and stay warm

David Orlandi

Principal



SELBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

2021 PREP ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN

TO BOOK A TOUR

PHONE 9754 2675

EMAIL SELBY.PS@EDUCATION.VIC.GOV.AU



Anxious kids

- from anxiety to resilience



**Wednesday
26 August
7pm to 8.30pm**

Online event



Dr Jodi Richardson

**\$10
Bookings
essential**

**For parents,
carers and
educators**

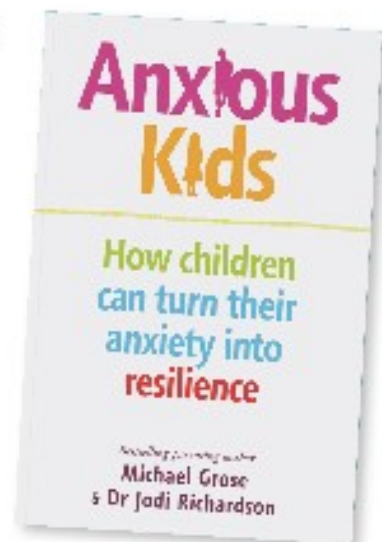
It's easy to feel overwhelmed when your child suffers from anxiety, but there are many things you can do to help.

In this webinar Dr Jodi Richardson will share her experience and talk about:

- What do kids need to develop resilience?
- Building distress tolerance in children.
- Why are so many kids anxious?
- What happens in an anxious brain.
- The contagious nature of anxiety.
- How parents can better manage their own stress.
- Essential tools for parents and children to manage anxiety and more.

Dr Jodi Richardson is a mental health and wellbeing author, speaker and educator. She's dedicated to helping parents and teachers understand anxiety in their children and students, how it makes them feel (and why), and how to respond in ways that empower anxious kids with the insights and skills they need to thrive.

A mother of two primary-school-aged children, she is the founder and director of *Happier on Purpose*, the mental health and wellbeing expert for parenting ideas and is co-author of the best-selling book '*Anxious Kids: How children can turn their anxiety into resilience*'.



How to book

Book online at: www.trybooking.com/BKEMV

For more information, please contact Cathie Wills, Children's Services Project Officer, on 9294 5740 or email childrens.services.events@maroondah.vic.gov.au

Emerald Secondary College Science Academy is now open for applications for Year 7's in 2021.

Students who are accepted into the Science Academy experience a program where they will have the chance to explore in-depth topics and indulge their curiosity. This will be done by exploring the depths of subjects like science, mathematics in greater detail. Students will also have access to special incursion and excursion programs with the aim of enriching their experiences within Science and mathematics in greater detail.

The program is aimed at students with an enthusiasm for the sciences and a joy of learning. As a result, greater emphasis is placed on the references and communications during the testing.

Applications to the program are due to Emerald Secondary College office by the 3rd of August. Alternatively, you can email co-ordinator Brad Gibbs at gibbs.bradley.b@edumail.vic.gov.au

Any enquiries can also be addressed to the same email, or by contacting Emerald Secondary College on 59685388.



Emerald Secondary College
Science Academy



4/08/2020

Dear School Community,

Temporary closure of retail stores

Following the Victorian Government's recent announcements regarding Stage 4 restrictions across Metropolitan Melbourne, we will be closing our retail stores until further notice. These closures will commence from **Wednesday 5th of August**. We apologise for any inconvenience that this may cause.

We are still able to operate for online orders, which can be placed through our online store at the following link:

<http://store.beleza.com.au>

To account for the forced closure of our stores, we will be offering 50% off for shipping costs for orders across Victoria. Please be advised that due to restrictions placed on manufacturing, there may be some delays to placed orders. We will work to communicate these to you as soon as possible, should they occur.

We would like to thank you for your patience and understanding over the recent months. We wish you all the best for the coming weeks and hope you all stay safe. We look forward to seeing you back in store as soon as we can.

Kind regards,

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IMPORTANT UPDATES

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Click on the button to join our [Members Only Facebook Group](#). Use our Members Only group to keep in touch with our HSD community and check our updates and great news items.

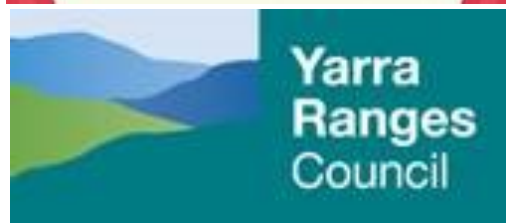
Members Only Facebook Group

All students receive not only weekly live Zoom classes but access to an all new remote learning platform with tonnes of tutorials, activities, choreography & more

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Yarra Ranges Council – Early Years are partnering with Playgroup Victoria to offer 4 FREE online *ALL Come Out to Play!* sessions for families and Playgroups across Yarra Ranges. *ALL Come Out to Play!* helps children learn about respectful relationships and gender equality through music, song & dance. They are LIVE and totally INTERACTIVE! So clear some space and get ready to sing, dance and have fun!

Families can book into 1 or all of the sessions.

Registration is essential for each individual session to receive your log in details.

*Registrations open Monday 27th July 2020

Thursday 6th August 10am <https://www.trybooking.com/BKOWK>

Tuesday 11th August 11am <https://www.trybooking.com/BKPED>

Thursday 20th August 10am <https://www.trybooking.com/BKPEC>

Tuesday 25th August 11am <https://www.trybooking.com/BKPEE>

What to bring to the session? All you need is to clear some space and bring your dancing feet, your singing voices and your sense of fun, oh if you have any musical instruments (i.e. maracas, etc.) and a scarf or a bit of fabric, that would be handy but certainly not essential.

Yarra Ranges Council Family and Children's Services invite
Dad's, Step Dads, Grand Dad's and father figures
to a FREE interactive webinar

Dads Den

Modern Day Parenting



**Tuesday 11th
August**

7PM-8:30PM

Early Childhood Education trainer and fathering expert Darren Varley will lead Dads through an interactive sessions which explore the important role a Dad has in their child's life:

- Tools to further connect with your child.
- Partnership of parenting.
- Supporting your child's development and play.
- Talking, sharing and developing trust.
- Services and supports for Dad's.
- Meet some other great Dads!

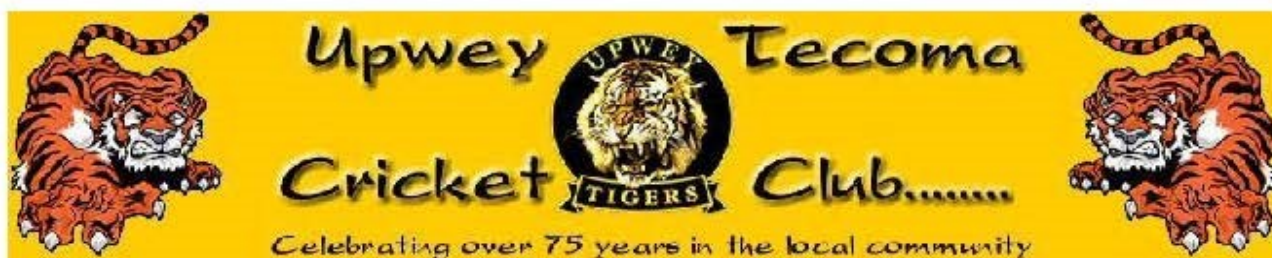
Registration Required as places are limited:

<https://www.trybooking.com/BKMXA>



For enquiries please contact:
Michelle Lehmann -
Early Years Community Support Officer
earlyyears@yarraranges.vic.gov.au





Junior Cricket 2020-21 Season

We are looking for Girls & Boys to play cricket for season 2020-21.

This season we are looking at fielding teams in the following Grades:

Under 12's—Friday Nights - Subs \$150

Under 14's—Friday Nights - Subs \$200

Under 16's—Saturday Mornings - Subs \$200

Also looking for 6-10 year old's to start a Junior Blaster squad that would play on Wednesday Nights.

The Upwey Tecoma Cricket Club is located in Chosen Ave in Upwey which is just off Burwood Highway. We have fantastic New clubrooms, great cricket nets and two great grounds. We have a great bunch of junior coaches who are ready to teach you how to play cricket and make sure you have lots of fun while you do it. So don't spend all summer with nothing to do – come along and make a heap of new friends and have fun in the sun .

1st Indoor / outdoor Training will be dependent on Govt Covid-19 restrictions being lifted so stay tuned to our website / facebook page or register your interest now with our Junior Co-ordinator and go on the mailing list to keep up to date with what is happening & when.



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