Selby Primary School a place to belong

The Bridge Issue 6, 2022



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

What a great start to the term. Everyone is back into the swing of things, learning, laughing, and playing together. During my classroom visits last week, I was struck by how quickly students have settled back into school and are engaging in their learning.

NAPLAN

Next week our **Year 3** and **Year 5** students will be participating in the NAPLAN test from 10 - 12 May. This will mean that students will complete the NAPLAN Writing, Reading, Conventions of Language, and Numeracy tests on computers. To find out more information about NAPLAN, visit www.nap.edu.au NAPLAN assessments provide parents and schools with an understanding of how individual students are performing at the time of the tests.

Mothers Day Stall

This Friday, May 6th we are holding our annual Mothers Day stall. We have a wide variety of hampers available with excellent quality gifts. I would like to acknowledge the work of Amanda O'Callaghan for bringing the day together. I would also like to thank the following companies who have generously provided items at cost price. Blacksmith Cafe, Tilley Soaps, Maxwell Williams, Ishka, and Ranges Tech.

2023 Prep enrolments

Prospective 2023 Prep families are able to register to attend a school tour. If you know of families looking to enrol their child at Selby, direct them to our school website for the enrolment process, timeline and relevant forms.

If you are a current Selby family and have a kindergarten child who is ready to commence school in 2023, we ask that you submit an enrolment form by the end of term to facilitate the planning of staffing and resources for the coming year.

Calendar

Friday 6th May

Mothers Day Stall

Tuesday 17th May

EDECCross Country

Tuesday 24th May

School Council Meeting

Wednesday 25th May

Parents/Grandparents Day

Monday 30th May

Healthy Harold Week

Monday 6th June

5/6 Camp - Canberra

Monday 13th June

Queens Birthday Public Holiday

Wednesday 15th June

Year 5/6 Lightning Premiership



Scott Burton



This year, Education Week runs from 22–28 May. The theme, '150 Years of Public Education' commemorates the past, celebrates the present and imagines the future of education in Victoria.

Education Week is an opportunity for our primary school to highlight our education journey.

This year, Selby Primary School is 71 years old. Since we opened, with Just 41 students on the 29th May 1951 we now have 188 students and have always been known as the "happy school upon the hilltop"

Selby Primary School will be celebrating Education Week by hosting Grandparents day on Wednesday 25th May 12pm to 2pm. We welcome parents and grandparents to attend and take some time to enjoy being in our classrooms and sharing in your child's learning.



Back Row: Alan Therridge, Malcolm Chesterfield, Jan Cox, Cynthia Rodgers, Unkown, David Metcher, Judith Richards, Unknown, Edward ..., Larry Breecher **Middle Row:** Helen Sutton, Unknown, Yvonne Etheridge, Unknown, Margaret Cranham, Margaret Taylor, Lynette Coy, Nola Cox, Sheila Matthews, Pamela McDonald. Barbara Bottrell

Front Row: Andrew Bickerton, Unknown

Principal: Mr. Clive Puls





Wednesday, 25th May

12pm - 1pm - Classroom visits
1pm - 2pm - Food and Performances

Come and see all the amazing things we've been learning at school this year as we celebrate 150

Years of Public Education.

Food and drink available to purchase

- Scones with jam & cream
- Sausage Sizzle
- Hot chocolate
- Tea & Coffee



PREP NEWS

Last week the Preps learned about the letter 's' like in the word 'sun'. To celebrate we had a 'Silly Sock Day' last Friday.



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3/4 SCIENCE INCURSION



Last week the year 3/4's participated in a science incursion - 'Hands on Science', that offered the students the opportunity to investigate solids, liquids and gases.

At the end of the session, each student made a bouncy ball to take home.





































Good Book Awards

Thom M - Prep B - Personal Best

Thom, you did a fantastic job in Investigations this week. You made so many great repeating patterns out of shapes. You were then able to confidently describe to me why it was a pattern. You worked with great focus and should be very proud of yourself. Keep up the outstanding work Thom!

Oliver D - 1/2A - Personal Best

What a fabulous recount of your holiday you wrote. Your sequence of events and spelling knowledge is fantastic!

Eve M - 1/2S - Confidence

Eve, you should be so proud of the progress you have made so far this year. You take on every challenge with a confident, positive attitude and this has definitely paid off!

Just imagine what you will achieved by the end of the year! Keep it up Eve.

Harry P-3/4J - Personal Best

Brilliant work with your maths last week Harry. Not only did you smash out heaps of addition and subtraction sums, you work was beautiful presented. Keep up the amazing effort!

Christi H- 3/4M - Respect

Christi, thank you for always presenting your work beautifully and respectfully.

Your writing is amazingly neat and well thought out.

Thank you for your efforts.

Billy Mc - 5/6H - Resilience

Billy, our recent Inquiry project was a real challenge for your group! Family holidays and Covid left you as the last man standing but you didn't let that put you off. You used your class time wisely and worked very hard on one of the trickier research topics to produce a presentation you should feel proud of. An outstanding demonstration of Resilience!

Sophie S - 5/6M - Personal Best

Sophie, your focus and determination during inquiry has been outstanding. You should be so proud of your teamwork with Elvie. I'm so excited to see your final presentation. Well done!

Elvie W - 5/6M - Personal Best

Elvie, I have been so impressed with your focus and hard work during inquiry. You have worked so well with Sophie and should be proud of your final presentation, I can't wait to see it. Fantastic effort.

Kaiden W - 5/6S - Confidence

Kaiden, I could not be more proud of you this year. You have never liked public speaking but you have continued to excel – presenting as part of your leadership position, auditioning for production and now doing a fantastic presentation in the classroom. Keep up the awesome work.



STUDENT VOICE TEAM (SVT)



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DRESS LIKE A PIRATE DAY!

FRIDAY MAY 13TH

BRING A GOLD COIN DONATION AND AN ITEM TO STOCK OUR KITCHEN CLASSROOM.







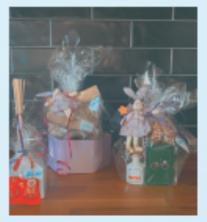
Special persons/Mother's Day stall Friday 6 May

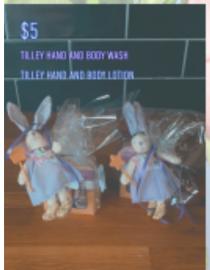
On Friday 6 May students will be able to purchase something for their mum/special person for Mothers Day.

A range of hampers will be available to purchase between \$5 and \$20 and plants for \$6 & \$10. Please send along a plastic bag for your child to bring home their goodies.















Parents & Friends Association

Selby Primary School

Thank you to Blacksmith Cafe, Tilley Soaps, Maxwell Williams, Ishka & Ranges Tech for your support.



ONLINE SILENT AUCTION

With the Trash 2 Treasure Market being postponed we have decided to go ahead with the Silent Auction. The auction is launching on Friday night 6/5/22 at 8:00 pm, and closing on Sunday 15 May at 8:30 pm.

There are a total of 54 items including a range of local restaurant and cafe vouchers, store vouchers, massage and beauty therapy vouchers, a cubby house, wine, jewellery, plants, and gorgeous customised Selby mascots, and much more. Please share the details so we can get as many people bidding as possible.

AUCTION DETAILS

https://www.32auctions.com/selbyprimaryauction

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BET YOUR BAILE ON!

The PFA is looking for baking enthusiasts to donate a range of home-baked items to the Term 2 cake stall - fundraiser.

If you would like to bake and donate, please bring your goodies - including an ingredients list - to the school office by 9am on Wednesday 22 June.



Balle Sale: Wed 22 June, 3.30pm





SELBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

2023 PREP ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN

PLEASE CONTACT US FOR A SCHOOL TOUR 9754 2675 selby.ps@education.vic.gov.au

https://selbyps.vic.edu.au/



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COME JOIN US ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES! **6.30pm – 8.00pm (Seniors & Juniors)**



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Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday

Friday

12.30 to 7.30pm 12 to 7.30pm 12 to 7.30pm 8am to 7.30pm 8am to 3pm



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For more information visit: www.amf.org.au

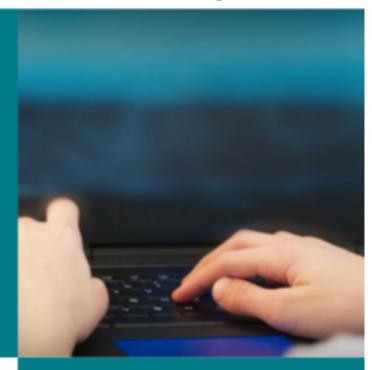
PARENTING IN A DIGITAL WORLD

LATEST TRENDS, RISKS AND RESEARCH

For parents and carers of kinder and primary school aged children.

Outcomes from this session:

- Understanding of the appeal of social media.
- How to support young people to stay safe.
- Know where and how to report inappropriate content.
- How best to support young people who are experiencing harm.
- Understand the latest research regarding online behaviours.



Tuesday 10th May 2022 7pm-8pm

This is a FREE online community session via zoom. Registration is required.

To register visit: https://www.trybooking.com/BZDZV















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Dads Matter

Dad's at their best - helping children to thrive

Are you a dad who would like to:

- Better understand your importance in your child's life?
- Have agreements that work?
- Further develop your relationship with your young people?
- Get your head around what they need from you?

Come along to these 6 online sessions. Share strategies, strengths and stories. Take some time out for you and celebrate the importance of being a Dad! When: Mondays (6 evening sessions)
9th May - 20th June 2022

(NO SESSION ON 13TH JUNE DUE TO PUBLIC HOLIDAY)

Time: 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Where: Online - Via Zoom

Who: Dads

Cost: Free (Bookings are essential)

Bookings or Questions:

Julia at Parentzone 9721 3629 or 0400 866 495

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LIVING WITH AUTISM 6 week parenting program bringing together parents living with a child with Autism

Are you the parent or carer of a child who has a diagnosis of autism?

This free 6 week parenting program is an opportunity to ask questions about the autism spectrum and we will support you to consider different approaches/strategies to help with parenting.

The group is free of charge but bookings are required.

WHEN:

Tuesday Afternoons 10th May - 14th June 2022 12.30pm - 2.30pm

WHERE:

Online - Via Zoom

COST:

Free of charge for parents in the Eastern Suburbs of Melbourne (Bookings essential)

To book please email Joanne.Templeton@anglicarevic.org.au
If you'd like more information feel free to contact Joanne on 0428 296 573



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