# Selby Primary School a place to belong



The Bridge Issue 11, 2022

#### **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

I hope that you have all had an amazing first few weeks back at school. It has been a very smooth start to Term 3, with students quickly settling into a positive and productive learning environment.

A special acknowledgment to our 2022 Prep students for completing their first 100 Days of School. I would like to thank all parents/carers and staff for their efforts in building positive relationships and in supporting our students.

#### **Production**

An amazing amount of work has gone into our 2022 Production. We still have some tickets available for each show, so if you are still yet to purchase a ticket jump On trybooking.com.au and secure your seat now!!

#### **Curriculum Day**

Each year all Victorian Government Schools are allocated 4 curriculum days and 2 staff planning days to use for professional learning and/or undertaking other work that cannot be undertaken on other school days. These days are extremely important to all schools, as they are an opportunity to work together as a whole staff to build our knowledge and understanding of new and emerging teaching and learning approaches. Like all professions, teachers must constantly update their knowledge and continue to build new skills that respond to the needs of students.

This Friday 5th August the staff will be using one of these days. Please ensure you have made arrangements for your child who will not be required at school on this day.

#### **Toilet Upgrades**

We have recently signed contracts with our builders and settled on a timeline. I am pleased to announce construction will commence on Friday Saturday 10th September 9th September with the aim to have brand new facilities by the end of the Term 3 holidays.

#### **Prep Tours and Enrolments**

If you have a young one that will start with us in Prep in 2023, please ensure that you have completed your child's enrolment. Enrolment confirmations were sent out last week with dates of our transition days.

**Scott Burton** 

### Calendar

Wed 3rd/Thurs 4th August

**School Production** 

Friday 5th August

Curriuclum Day No students

**Tuesday 9th August** 

School Council School Swimming Program begins

#### **Wednesday 17th August**

Adam Wallace Incursion

**Wednesday 24th August** 

Book Week Dress Up Day

**Friday 2nd September** 

Fathers Day Stall

State Schools Spectacular



## **Every minute and every day counts!**

At Selby Primary School we are committed to providing your child with an excellent education. The building blocks of a great education begin with all students coming to school each and every day. Regular school attendance is vital and missing school days can have a big impact on your child's future – missing one day a fortnight will add up to missing four full weeks by the end of the year. From Prep to Year 12 that adds up to 1.5 years of school!

5 days off per year is approximately a day off every 8 weeks	=	Just 5 days off per year adds up to 7 weeks of missed schooling throughout your child's time at Primary School.
10 days off per year is approximately a day off every 4 weeks	=	10 days off per year adds up to 14 weeks of missed schooling throughout your child's time at Primary School
15 days off per year is approximately a day off every 2 1/2 weeks	=	15 days off per year adds up to 21 weeks of missed schooling throughout your child's time at Primary School
20 days off per year is approximately a day off every 2 weeks	=	20 days off per year adds up to 28 weeks of missed schooling throughout your child's time at Primary School

Just as important as regular attendance is punctuality. Our music plays at 8:53am with the aim that students will be in class, organised and ready for their school day to start at 9:00am. If you are finding that you are regularly late, please take the time to look at the morning routines and see if there is something which can be changed to help you get your child to school on time each day. As well as the missed learning time, your child being late also impacts the other students in the class as the teachers time is taken up re-introducing the learning tasks and means that your child is playing catch up from the time they enter the room. If the school can be of any assistance please feel free to make a time to see me to discuss the issue.

Being late to school can have a considerable impact over the whole school year. The table shows you just how much time can be missed through a year by being just a little bit late every day.

5 minutes late every day = 3 days of school lost a year

10 minutes late every day = 6.5 days of school lost a year

15 minutes late every day = 10 days of school lost a year

20 minutes late every day = 13 days of school lost a year

30 minutes late every day = 19 days of school lost a year

## **National Championships**

The Inline Speed Skating community within Australia returned to celebrate our return to the National Inline Speed Championships for 2022. Usually run in January each year, we were able to return to Brisbane for some overdue competition these holidays.

With competitors from Victoria, West Australia, Queensland, South Australia, New South Wales, and international competitors from New Zealand, Will proudly carried the state designation during the opening ceremony.

Will competed in the Cadets division in the road events, which saw competitors from the ages of 12-15, while competing in the 12&Under boys division for track (indoor) events – and achieved 2 silver medals from his 3 races.

In the 200m dual time trial, Will recorded 25.03seconds, coming in second. He also achieved Silver in the 750m sprint.

Congratulations Will!









## Japanese News



Our Grade 5/6 students had lots of fun with Japanese cultural sessions. They learnt how to fold an Origami Crane and tried to write Japanese Calligraphy.

The students have been aiming to make 1888 paper cranes since last year and have nearly made 188!









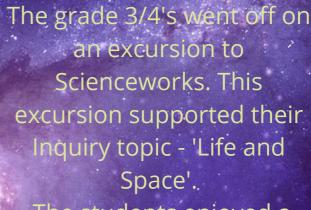






ScienceWorks





The students enjoyed a interactive demonstration in the 'Lab' that explained how the Earth's rotation on its axis affects the day and night cycle and why we have seasons on Earth.

Then we travelled to the 'Beyond Perception' exhibition that pushes scientific boundaries' and creative thinking.













## **Good Book Awards**

#### 1/2A - Mia A - Personal Best

Your array pictures and groups were beautifully presented and showed your understanding of "groups of". Super maths!

#### 3/4J - Aurelia W - Confidence

Aurelia, you have been outstanding during the production. Not only does your confidence shine on stage, you are a natural leader and someone who is always willing to encourage others.

Thank you for always being so positive.

#### 5/6S - Lylah W - Confidence

Lylah, you have been a pleasure to watch throughout production this year. Your enthusiasm and the way that you have taken on your character has been fantastic – you bring such joy to everything that you do.

#### 5/6S - Lily M - Personal Best

What a soccer super star!!
You were amazing last week kicking the winning
goals in our final match.
I think that you may have found your sport!!





## Check in regularly to your parent portal to keep up to date with all school news......

#### **Absences**

Please check for any unexplained absences your child may have, and provide explanations through Compass.

#### Events currently uploaded to Compass......

#### **Consent and Payment**

• Adam Wallace Author Visit

Swimming Program

DUE 16/08/2022

DUE 22/07/2022

PLEASE MAKE A NOTE OF EVENT DUE DATES AS PAYMENT AND CONSENT MUST BE MADE ON OR BEFORE THE DATES LISTED ON COMPASS.



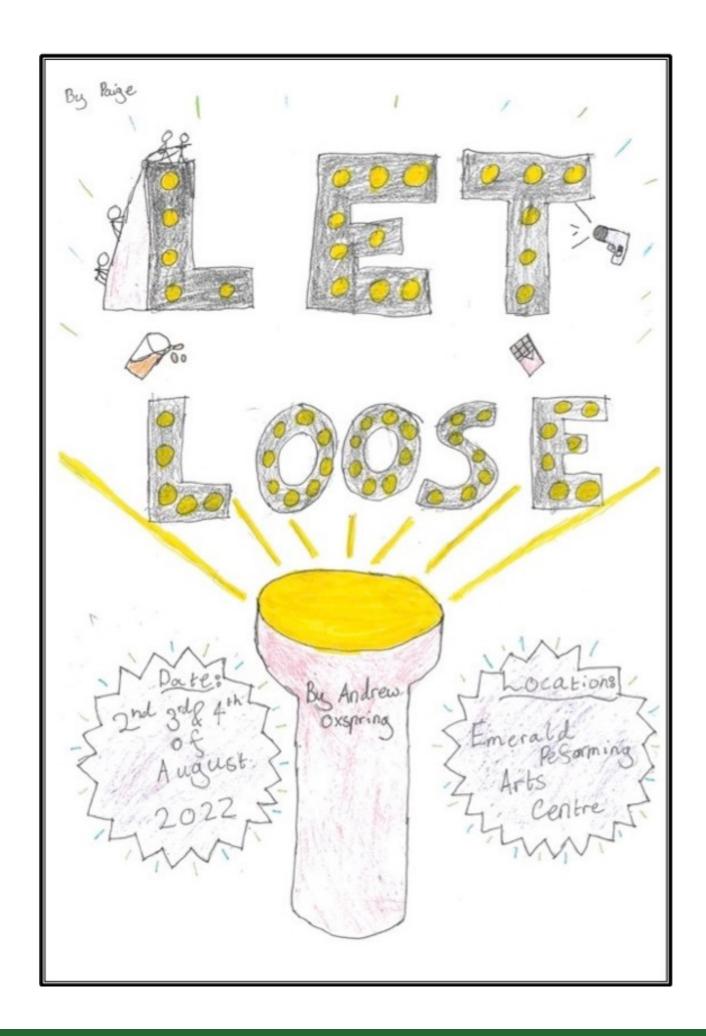
#### **CAMP AUSTRALIA**

Last week's program was Picasso week, children will be creating with bubble painting, buff & cling wrap painting. For our sports box basketball, dodgeball, line tiggy and octopus.

If you would like ot book your child into the program please visit www.campaustralia.com.au or call 1300 105 343.

Hope to see you soon, Sherie







## **SELBY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

2023
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Tuesday

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Thursday

Friday

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## UPCOMING PROGRAMS IN THIS AREA

SYNDAL SOFTBALL CLUB JELLS PARK WHEELERS HILL

5 WEEK PROGRAM: Thursday 18th August Thursday 25th August Thursday 1st Sept Thursday 8th Sept Thursday 15th Sept

4.30pm to 5.30pm

To register please go to

https://www.revolutionise.com.au/ syndalsoftballcl/events/148931/



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## Summer Season 22-23 REGISTRATIONS OPEN

**FOR PLAYERS U8-U23** 

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE AUGUST 26TH



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SCAN HERE TO REGISTER



BASKETBALL CLUB

BELGRAVE SOUTH RED DEVILS

## LITTLE DEVILŞ

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#### **EMERALD SECONDARY COLLEGE**

#### 2023 - THE PLACE TO BE

- New curriculum model and structure for 2023
- New caring pastoral & wellbeing program for 2023
- Focus on Positive Education and Student Voice in 2023
- Academic Rigour
- SEAL (Select Entry Accelerated Program) positions available
- Pathways focussed new Vocational Major in 2023
- Extensive Sport Program
- New Middle Years electives coming
- Refurbished Year 7 space will be ready
- Our exciting Building Program and renovations continue

#### **ENROL NOW**



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#### EMERALD PRIMARY BASKETBALL STADIUM

#### TERM 3 PROGRAMS

Emerald Lakers Basketball Club announce Term 3 Programs and are excited to have TheProject. Academy facilitate a weekly program to encourage kids to improve, gain confidence and have fun whilst learning basketball skills. Coach James Clarke is an experienced and professional coach who runs programs for all kids at every level. Coach Clark wants everyone to have the same chance and opportunities and has adapted a program for all to enjoy.

Register: theproject.academy. or www.emeraldlakers.com.au

EMERALD LAKERS BASKETBALL PROGRAMS ARE OPEN TO EVERYONE WHO WANTS TO HAVE FUN

Little Lakers 4-8 years - 4.15pm Laker Read 6 - 12years 'beginner - 5.15pm TheProject.Academy - 6.15pm 'young players



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