



**Term 2 Week 4**  
**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2021**

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# Bundarra Primary School

<b>TERM 2 2021</b>	
21 <sup>st</sup> April-23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Senior Swimming Program Wednesdays. 56C 11am-12pm, 56G 12pm-1pm & 45M 1pm-2pm
11-13 <sup>th</sup> May	Naplan – G3 & G5
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	District Cross Country School Council – 7pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	GRIP Leadership
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Division Cross Country - Warnambool
Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> May	Region Cross Country - Warnambool
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Winter Series
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday – No School
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	School Council – 7pm
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	2:15pm Education Week Music Showcase
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Student Led Conferences
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Last Day Term Two for Students 2:15 dismissal
<b>TERM 3 2021</b>	
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	First Day Term Three
1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Grade 3/4 Camp - Grampians
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	Last Day Term Three for Students 2:15pm dismissal
<b>TERM 4 2021</b>	
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	First Day Term Four
TBC	Junior & Middle Swimming Program
25 <sup>th</sup> -28 <sup>th</sup> October	5/6 Camp - Sunnystones
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day Term Four – 2:15pm early dismissal

**\*Please note dates are subject to change**

Be Your Best Self!

# SUPER students



## Jeremy Boreham

is a super student because he has a "can do" attitude! He puts a great amount of effort into everything he does and is motivated to achieve great things in 2021. Jeremy is a fantastic role model to everyone around him, displaying excellent teamwork and encouraging leadership skills. He is a respectful classmate, making everyone feel safe, welcome and included. Well done Jeremy! You are an absolute star!

## Claire Munday

is a super student because she has stepped into Grade Five with confidence and a smile on her face. She eagerly takes on all challenges and loves to learn new things! Claire has a wonderful work ethic and always does her personal best. She is also a considerate classmate and a thoughtful friend, always looking out for others. Well done Claire! You are a very deserving super student!

## Konnar Johnstone

is a super student because he takes pride in everything he does. He is always keen to improve and happily takes on feedback about his learning. Konnar pushes himself to work outside of his comfort zone and encourages others to do the same. He loves to help and eagerly takes on extra responsibilities around the school. Well done Konnar! You are a valued member of the 56C team!



## Ngata from Mrs Hulonce...

### NAPLAN THANKS & WELL DONE

This week we have had a mixed up timetable as things have been altered to provide the best possible opportunities for our Grade 3 and 5's. We thank everyone who has helped us keep a quiet environment during testing times.

*Thanks to our staff for being flexible and accommodating through numerous timetable changes. You're awesome!*

NAPLAN is one important measure of student achievement, and we analyse the results afterwards to determine next improvement steps. *We thank our dedicated Grade 3 and 5 students for doing their best this week. Well done!*

### Education Week 2021

Every week is Education Week at Bundarra! So, in week 6, we are celebrating and highlighting our important work with the following activities:

- HISTORY WEEK
- Numeracy workshops with Shyam Drury from Alcoa. (linking up with St Johns)
- Kupa Ngäl Open Classrooms 2:30 Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May

We invite family and friends to attend The OPEN CLASSROOM, all you need to do is Sign in at the office/ or scan the code to your phone to check in.

### LOTE Student reports FYI

As this is the first time we are reporting on our Dhauwurd Wurrung language program, we are starting students across all grades at a beginning level. This means your child's reported progress for Aboriginal Languages will not be at the level as expected by their grade level. We wanted to start work right away and this is the starting point. Over time, as we all become more proficient with language, student growth will become more closely matched with expected achievement levels.

### Enrolments for 2022 are being taken now!

If you have a child starting Foundation in 2022 we encourage you to enrol soon! Any parents who'd like a look around our school can make a tour time by calling 523 4122. All schools in Portland encourage students to go to their Neighbourhood School.

We recommend you go online and look at <https://www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au> to find your closest school. For more information about Bundarra see <https://www.bundarraps.vic.edu.au/> or call 5523 4122

## "Be active, be healthy, be happy"

### Be Active

Choosing better health does not have to be difficult. Deciding to be active, eating healthy foods, reducing stress, connecting with your neighbours, and dropping bad habits are just some of the little changes that can make a big difference to our health and wellbeing.

The good news is that the best time to make a change is now.

### Try these quick tips for achieving better health:

- Say hello to your neighbours and see how they're going – connecting with the people around you helps improve your mental wellbeing.
- Keep a bottle of water in your bag to stay hydrated. Add some chopped up strawberries or cucumbers for extra flavour.
- Help yourself to choose healthy food – make sure you are not hungry when you go to the supermarket.
- Feel like you belong – phone a friend, join a community group or volunteer.
- Go for a walk – 30 minutes a day, five days a week, may prolong life expectancy by up to three years.

## ASSEMBLY

2:15pm Fridays

in the undercover area

Adults welcome.

Must sign in via QR code at the office

# Star Students

**F21:** Savannah Murrell

**12L:** Jack Bradley

**12W:** Dion Hollis

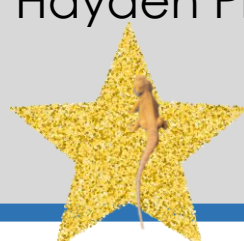
**34B:** Alegrah Field

**45M:** Kyan Taylor

**56G:** Xavier Tait

**56C:** Imarni Henderson

**P.E:** Hayden Pryor-Hollis



## WE WANT OUR STUDENTS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!

We value student voice as a means to improving student engagement, wellbeing, and quality instruction, and are conducting a survey to find out what your child thinks of our school.

The AtoSS is an annual student survey offered by the Department of Education and Training to assist our school to gain an understanding of students' perceptions and experience of school. Students will be asked about their thoughts and feelings in relation to their school, their learning, peer relationships, bullying and life in general.

Students from Year 4 to 6 at our school will participate in the survey. Your child will complete the survey online during school hours using a purpose built secure online survey tool. It is important to note that we are not in any way "testing" your child. Your child has the right to refuse or withdraw from the survey at any time.

Your child will be provided with a unique login to complete the survey. The student login is an assigned identifier that may be used to link data for statistical and research purposes only. All responses to the survey are kept anonymous in the response file. Personal identification data will not be recorded in the survey response file. This ensures that the confidentiality of your child's responses is protected at all times.

This year the Attitudes to School survey will be conducted at our school over the period Monday 26 April to Friday 11 June. The survey takes around 20-45 minutes to complete and occurs during your child's class time.

The survey results will be reported back to the school in an aggregate form throughout the survey period. All survey data that is made available in reports are for groups of students only so that no individual student can be identified. Data suppression rules are used for schools with low student numbers per year level.

Last year we used the survey results to plan our School Annual Improvement Plan focus areas- prompting curriculum theme weeks, basketball court upgrade, languages curriculum, SRC activities and KUPA NGAL (Friday afternoon activities).

If you would like more information, please speak to your child's teacher or visit:

<https://www2.education.vic.gov.au/pal/data-collection-surveys/guidance/attitudes-school-survey>

# MORE SUPPORT TO MAKE BUNDARRA PRIMARY SCHOOL INCLUSIVE FOR ALL STUDENTS

The Andrews Labor Government is helping more schools build inclusive play areas, sensory gardens and outdoor learning areas to support students with disabilities and additional needs.

In total there are 74 projects across the state that will share in over \$12.5 million under Round 6 of the Labor Government's Inclusive Schools Fund.

Labor Member for Western Victoria, Gayle Tierney announced that Bundarra Primary School would receive \$200,000 for an outdoor inclusive learning space within a landscaped environment, including yarning circle, as part of the fund.

There are many innovative ideas included under the fund, which supports the construction of inclusive playgrounds, as well as indoor and outdoor inclusive learning spaces. This round will fund projects such as accessible wheelchair friendly playground surfaces, quiet musical areas, and sensory zones with a range of tactile surfaces.

The Inclusive Schools Fund is helping government schools better cater for the social and educational needs of all young people, including those with a disability or additional needs. This is the sixth round of funding.

Since the Fund was established by the Labor Government in 2015, more than 300 creative projects to build inclusive learning spaces and inclusive playgrounds have been announced.

The Fund is ensuring that students with disabilities get the same opportunities as other students.

Inclusive education is about ensuring that all students, regardless of disabilities or other differences, are able to fully participate, learn, develop and succeed in Victorian government schools.

More information about these projects is available at [schoolbuildings.vic.gov.au](https://schoolbuildings.vic.gov.au).

## **Quotes attributable to Member for Western Victoria, Gayle Tierney**

*"This is great news for Bundarra Primary School students, who will get the benefits of new inclusive spaces to cater for a wider range of options for teaching and learning."*

*"As we build the Education State, we're continuing to invest in schools to ensure students of all abilities can access a great education regardless of background or educational needs."*

## **Quotes attributable to Minister for Education James Merlino**

*"This funding is about giving every child the best chance to meet their potential – regardless of their background or circumstances."*

*"Disability shouldn't be a barrier to learning and achieving – these innovative projects are all about giving our primary schools the infrastructure they need to inspire a passion for learning in all students."*

## DIVISION ATHLETICS



Congratulations to Konnar Johnstone, Hrehaan Gurung, Bailey Cotter and Lucas Arnold who represented Bundarra at Division Athletics last Friday. Bailey won Shot Putt and came third in Discuss and the boys relay put in extra effort. Well done!



# Community News

**Valuing Our Water**  
photo competition

22 March - 27 May 2021

WANNON WATER GLENELG HOPKINS CMA

**Win a Go Pro camera or tourist vouchers!**

Enter our photo competition for your chance to share in around \$3000 worth of prizes.

**Students need to take a photo that captures how they value water in south-west Victoria.**

More details: [wannonwater.com.au](http://wannonwater.com.au)

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# 2022 ENROLMENTS

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# **Bundarra Primary School** *Lunch Order Menu*

## **Hot Food**

Roast Chicken, Lamb or Beef  
Gravy Roll- \$5.50

Vegie Burger (Lettuce,  
Tomato, Cheese and Mayo)-  
\$5.50

Lasagne- \$3.20

Spag Bol- \$3.20

Hawaiian Pizza- \$3.00

Steamed Dim Sim- \$1.20

Baked Bean Jaffle- \$3.00

Homemade Soup (Pumpkin,  
Veg or Chicken and Corn) -  
\$2.50

## **Salad Rolls**

Roast beef, chicken, ham,  
corn beef. (Lettuce, tomato,  
beetroot, cheese, carrot)-  
\$6.50

## **Sandwiches**

Vegemite Sandwich- \$2.00

## **Lunch Pack**

Vegemite or cheese roll,  
Cheese stick, Sultanas,  
apple or banana- \$5.50

## **Meat & Salad Bowl**

(Your choice of meat, boiled  
egg, carrot sticks, mini  
tomatoes and cheese- \$5.50

## **Snacks**

Apple or Blueberry muffin-  
\$2.50

Biscuits and cheese- \$2.50

Popcorn- \$1.00

Yoghurt- \$2.50

Fresh fruit- \$1.50

## **Drinks**

Nippy's Milk (choc,  
strawberry or honeycomb) -  
\$2.80

Golden circle fruit drink  
Orange, Orange mango,  
sunshine punch, apple) -  
\$2.00

Please make sure you write  
your order clearly on a paper  
bag with your child's name  
and class along with the  
correct money. Orders are to  
go in the lunch order tub in  
your child's class room.



**Lunch orders are available every Thursday and Friday.**

Short Street Takeaway and Cakes. 80 Short Street Portland. 5521 1021