Term 1, Week 5 - Friday 1st March 2024

NEWSLETTER - DATES TO REMEMBER

Week	Date	Events
6	4 - 8 Mar	Tues 5th - Fri 8th - Grade 3-6 Swimming
		Tues 5th - Division Swimming (selected gr3-6 students) at Broadmeadows
		Thurs 7th - Classroom Helper Training, 2.45pm-3.15pm
		Fri 8th - Assembly, Student Badge presentation, 9am in the Hall
7	11 - 15 Mar	Mon 11th - Labour Day public holiday, no school
		Wed 13th - Welcome morning tea for new families & Parent Club second hand uniform sale, 9am-10am
		Wed 13th - School Council AGM, 6pm
		Thurs 14th - 2025 Foundation Information session, 6pm-7pm
8	18 - 22 Mar	Mon 18th - 2025 Foundation Information session, 11.30am-12.30pm
		Thurs 21st - Regional Swimming Championships (selected gr3-6 students)
9	25 - 29 Mar	Wed 27th - Parent Club AGM, 9am
		Wed 27th - 2.45pm-3.45pm End of term Learning Expo
		Thurs 28th - Last day of term, 2.30pm finish
TERM 2		
1	15 - 19 Apr	Mon 15th - First day of term 2, 8.50am start
2	22 - 26 Apr	Tuesday 23rd - School photo's
		Wed 24th - 2025 Foundation Come & Play session 1, 2.30pm-3.15pm
		Thurs 25th - Anzac Day public holiday

Hard copy notes sent home from the office this week - Book Club

Classroom Helper Training

Wednesday 28th February at 9.00am – 9.30am or Thursday 7th March 2.45pm – 3.15pm

If you would like to help in the classrooms, we would love to have you! In order to do this, you need to have completed a training session with Mrs Cooney. Once you have completed the course please see your class teachers to discuss your availability. Everyone is most welcome.

All classroom helpers must have a current Working with Children Check, available online through the Department of Justice.

Please note: if you have previously done the course you do not to attend.

A word from Mrs Cooney...

Swimming

Last Friday Ms Henry accompanied our swimming team to Seymour for the District Swimming Carnival. Our students competed against students from a number of other schools in the Mitchell area. Congratulations to all our competitors. Well done to Blake, Kiera and three of our relay teams - girls 10 years freestyle, boys 11 years freestyle, boys 12/13 freestyle, who have been successful in advancing to the next stage of competition.

Child Safety and Wellbeing Policies

Broadford Primary School is committed to providing a child safe and child friendly environment, where students are safe and feel safe.

Our child safety and wellbeing policies outline the measures and strategies we have in place to support, promote and maintain the safety and wellbeing of our students:

- Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy
- Child Safety Code of Conduct
- Child safety Responding and Reporting Obligations Policy and Procedure
- Complaints Policy
- Student Wellbeing and Engagement Policy
- Bullying Prevention Policy
- Volunteers Policy
- Visitors Policy
- Digital Learning Policy

As valuable partners in promoting and maintaining child safety and wellbeing at Broadford Primary School we welcome and encourage your feedback. These policies can be viewed at https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1|fploG0tVMUs09vBatR3JZyTECl2UtUY?usp=sharing or a hard copy can be obtained from the school office.

If you have any suggestions, comments or questions in relation to our child safe policies and practices, please contact the principal or assistant principal.

Progress Reports

To support student learning, all students have a reading, writing and mathematics goal tailored to their individual needs. Twice per term these goals will be communicated with you via Compass. You can now view your child's current goals on Compass. Communicating these goals enables families to be partners in their child's learning. If you would like to know more about how you can support your child or discuss their learning, please contact your child's teacher.

On Wednesday 27th March from 2.45pm – 3.45pm we will be holding our end of term Learning Expo – this is an opportunity for your child to share some of their learning with you. We warmly invite all families to join us.

School Leaders Badge Presentation

Annabelle Cleeland, our local member in parliament, will be attending our assembly on Friday 8th March to present our school captains, house captains and Junior School Councillors with their badges. Please note that this assembly will take place at 9am, not at our usual time of 2.45pm.

School Council

Nominations for school council have now closed and I am pleased to announce that Trent Saunders and Andrew Kendrick have been re-elected for another two years. I look forward to continuing to work with them and having their continued support on School Council. I would like to thank Matthew Warren for his involvement in school council over the last four years and his contributions to the school.

We still have one parent vacancy on school council so nominations will be reopened until Wednesday 6th March. Please contact the school office for a nomination form.

The school Council AGM will be held at 6pm on Wednesday 13th March.

Mrs Jennene Cooney
Principal



WELCOME TO BROADFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

School Tour & Information Sessions:

Thursday March 14th 6:00pm - 7:00pm Monday March 18th 11:30am - 12:30pm

Come & Play Sessions:

Wednesday 24th April 2:30pm - 3:15pm – P.E Session Monday 13th May 2:30pm - 3:15pm – Art Session Tuesday 4th June 2:30pm - 3:15pm – Classroom Session

Foundation 2025 Important Dates

Enrolment applications accepted from 15/4/24 Enrolment applications due no later than 26/7/24 Enrolment applications confirmed by 9/8/24

Please phone 5784 1221 to book in for these sessions

SPORT NEWS

Last Friday the 23rd of February, we had 25 swimmers represent our school at the Mitchell South Sports Association District Swimming Championships at Seymour Outdoor Pool.

All of our swimmers tried their very best and some have made it through to Division Swimming to be held at Broadmeadows on Tuesday 5th of March.

Well done to all of our swimmers for having a go and good luck to- Keira Mc, Blake S (Backstroke) and 3 relay teams- Emma S, Layla B, Paige E, Olivia W, Jake E, Taylor C, Harrison W, Seth H, Ryder H, Hunter, Jett L, Blake S.

Thankyou to parents for coming to support the students, especially Heidi H and Jamie H.

- Ms Henry











Your invited to attend Broadford Primary Schools Morning tea and coffee

Wednesday 13th March Room 17 - (Front of school to the left) at 9am - 10am

This will also include a secondhand uniform sale (gold coin donation per item)

Secondhand Uniform Sale

DATE: Wedl3th March

TIME: 9ang 10am

LOCATION Room 17

Each item is a Gold Coin Donation

Parents and Friends Club are hosting their annual Easter Raffle!

We are asking for help with Easter Themed donations such as arts and crafts, giftwares, decorations, ornaments or even small gift cards and of course chocolates.

Donations welcome up until 18th March

Kelly Club OSHC Enrolment

Enrolments are now open for 2024 Kelly Club OSHC.

Please enrol via the QR code or the following link.

https://prodadmin.myxplor.com/enrollment v2/centre/Y9fHQw4und3plnYnzn124356Hw







