



Broadford Primary School

Respect Responsibility Resilience Readiness

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Term 2, Week 1 - Friday 19th April 2024

NEWSLETTER - DATES TO REMEMBER

Week	Date	Events
2	22 - 26 Apr	Tues 23rd - School photo's Wed 24th - 2025 Foundation Come & Play session 1, 2.30pm-3.15pm Thurs 25th - Anzac Day public holiday Fri 26th - Grade 3-6 School Cross Country, Broadford Common, 11.30am-1.30pm Fri 26th - Assembly, 2.45pm
3	29 Apr - 3 May	Fri 3rd - Grade 5/6 District Round Robin, Assumption College, Kilmore Fri 3rd - Foundation Wild Action Animal Show incursion, 10am-11am Fri 3rd - Book club orders due
4	6 - 10 May	Wed 8th - Mother's Day Stall Fri 10th - National Walk Safely to School Day Fri 10th - NO ASSEMBLY due to walk to school day
5	13 - 17 May	Mon 13th - 2025 Foundation Come & Play session 2, 2.30pm-3.15pm Tues 14th - District Cross Country (selected grade 3-6 students), Kilmore Racing Club
6	20 - 24 May	Fri 24th - Assembly, 2.45pm
7	27 - 31 May	
8	3 - 7 Jun	Mon 3rd - Curriculum day, Student Free Day Tues 4th - 2025 Foundation Come & Play session 3, 2.30pm-3.15pm Fri 7th - Assembly, 2.45pm
9	10 - 14 Jun	Mon 10th - King's Birthday public holiday Wed 12th - Grade 4 Adanac Camp Thurs 13th - Grade 4 Adanac Camp Fri 14th - Grade 4 Adanac Camp

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

CAMPS 2024

Grade 3 - Lady Northcote Camp, Glenmore
Wednesday 21st August to Friday 23rd August

Grade 4 - Adanac Camp, Yarra Junction
Wednesday 12th June to Friday 14th June

Grade 5 - Phillip Island Adventure Resort, Cowes
Wednesday 24th July to Friday 26th July

Grade 6 - CYC City Camp, Melbourne
Monday 28th October to Wednesday 30th October

****\$100 deposit is now due for all camps****

A word from Mrs Cooney...

Welcome

Welcome back to term 2. I hope you all enjoyed an amazing Easter and took some time to slow down and relax over the school holidays. It is great to see everybody back and ready for the term ahead and we are looking forward to an amazing term of learning. There are a number of special events planned this term including cross country and districts sports, the Mother's Day stall, our annual 'Walk to School' followed by breakfast, incursions and excursions and our first camp for the year.

This term we welcome Ms. Stephanie Reiter to our teaching team. Stephanie will be working across the senior school, and Ella McWhinney has joined our Education Support team. Ms Reid is on leave for the first three weeks of term and Mrs. Power will be in room 16 during her absence. We look forward to welcoming Mrs. Hyde back from long service leave on Monday.

Keeping in touch

At the start of each term you will receive a newsletter outlining the learning foci for your child in the term ahead. Your child's teacher will also send regular updates of what is happening in the classroom. Mid term and end of term you will be able to access Compass to see your child's progress report and see their progress against their learning goals. At the end of this term you will receive a Semester 1 report and have the opportunity to attend our student led conferences. There will also be an opportunity at the end of term to visit our Expo showcasing some of the learning that has occurred in term two. If you have any concerns during the term about your child's learning or wellbeing please contact their teacher in the first instance. Our leadership and wellbeing staff are also available to discuss any concerns.

Our fortnightly newsletter contains information about what is happening across the school and 'Dates to Remember' are published on the alternative fortnight. Information is also available on Compass and our Facebook page.

Yard Duty Supervision

Student safety at Broadford Primary School is our highest priority and the safe and appropriate supervision of students is an important element of our duty of care to students. Part of this duty is ensuring parents and students are aware of our student supervision arrangements before and after school.

Before school: School grounds are supervised at 8.40am. Before school, school staff will supervise the school playground and surrounding areas.

After school: School grounds are supervised until 3.30pm. After school, school staff will supervise the Gavin Street, Snodgrass Street and Powlett Street exit gates.

Students on school grounds outside these times will **not** be supervised (unless they are attending a before or after school care program or supervised extracurricular activity).

Parents/carers are requested to ensure that students do not attend school outside of these supervised times unless they are attending before or after school care, or a pre-arranged supervised activity.

Families are encouraged to contact The Kelly Club at www.kellyclub.com.au for more information about the before and after school care facilities available to our school community or if you would like any further information about our student supervision arrangements.

For a copy of our school's Yard Duty and Supervision Policy please contact the school office for an electronic or hard copy.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs. Jennene Cooney

Principal

Magnificent Maths

Did you know that playing card games and board games with children helps to develop their early numeracy skills? They help build confidence with numbers and counting, sorting and ordering and chance, not to mention the development of strategic thinking! Who didn't want to roll a double six when playing Monopoly?! To get started, all you really need is a simple pack of playing cards, Uno cards, Snakes and Ladders or Monopoly! All of our students learn maths games at school, so they can even teach others in their family to play a new game.

Check out our Grade 3/4 superstars learning about Angles. They have learnt about the parts of an angle, the types and names of angles and even used protractors to measure them!



Good afternoon BPS families,

We are fast approaching National Walk to School Day which will take place on Friday 10th May!

BPS has made this a fantastic event for years and we want 2024 to be just as wonderful. In order for the day to run smoothly, we are asking for volunteers to meet at school on the morning of the walk and assist with setting up and preparing breakfast for the students as they arrive from their walk. As most staff are walking with the students, we appreciate all the parent assistance offered .

It would be terrific if volunteers could meet at the school canteen around 8:20am.

Volunteers will need to have a current working with children check that has been shown to the office.

Please email your expression of interest and availability to Miss Carly Simons asap: carly.simons@education.vic.gov.au.

Walk to School Day is a way to promote active travel to and from school. Although the official event is dedicated to only one day each year, we hope that this encourages and motivates students to consider walking safely to school on a regular basis. There are many ways to make this safe and achievable! If you live far away, you can drive halfway and walk an age-appropriate distance. Perhaps you have friends that live nearby or on the way, that you can enjoy the walking journey with. There are so many benefits to walking!

Kind regards,

Miss Carly Simons



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



Mother's Day Stall

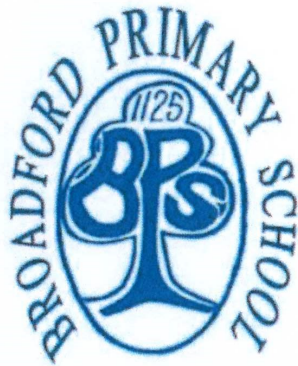
Wednesday 8th May

Price range from \$1 - \$7

Special Persons table will
also be made up.

If possible could each child BYO bag
to help carry gifts home

If you would like to volunteer
please contact the office



GOOD
MORNING



BPS Breakfast Club is back on!

Starting Wednesday
13th March from
8:20am until 8:50am in
the Community Hub
(+every Friday and
Wednesday after)





KELLY CLUB
GET READY TO JOIN THE FUN
ENROLMENTS OPEN FROM DECEMBER 1
0478153546
SCAN ME
broadford@kellyclub.com.au

The advertisement features a young boy in a blue t-shirt, upside down, against a blue and yellow background. It includes the Kelly Club logo, a QR code, and contact information.

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/Y9fHQw4und3plnYzn124356Hw



Broadford
Secondary College

This year Broadford Secondary College invites your family to book a tour of our school to see our facilities, learn about our programs and have an opportunity to ask any questions you might have about the move from primary to secondary school for your child.

These tours run for approximately one hour and will replace our annual Open Night. Every family will receive an information pack on arrival.

We look forward to welcoming you into our school.

Tours will be run on the following dates;

Wednesday 13 March 4pm
Thursday 21 March 5pm
Tuesday 26 March 10am
Wednesday 17 April 5pm
Tuesday 23 April 4pm
Wednesday 24 April 5pm
Tuesday 30 April 4pm
Wednesday 1 May 5pm
Tuesday 7 May 4pm
Wednesday 8 May 5pm

Bookings for the tours are essential through <https://www.trybooking.com/CPVPP>

Only one ticket is required per family but please indicate how many people will be attending in your group.

All enquiries about school tours, transition or enrolments should be directed to

Cathy Coppinger,
Assistant Principal
broadford.sc@education.vic.gov.au

DRUMBEAT

for kids



Harnessing Hope
Outside support for inside healing

Discovering Relationships Using Music, Beliefs, Emotions, Attitudes and Thoughts



This DRUMBEAT program is for children (9-13 years) who have experienced unhealthy relationships or been exposed to historical family violence

Dates

9 Weeks
24 April - 19 June

When

Wednesdays
4pm - 5pm

Where

FamilyCare
64 High St, Seymour

Join us for nine weeks of drumming and fun. The program can help your child in the following ways:

- improve their mental wellbeing
- increase their self-esteem
- reduce their stress levels
- build their communication and teamwork skills.

This Program is FREE of charge
For further information and enquiries, please phone
Karen on 0408 358 218

To register call
FamilyCare's Central Intake 1800 161 306