



Term 2, Week 11 - Friday 28th June 2024

## NEWSLETTER - DATES TO REMEMBER

Week	Date	Events
1	15 - 19 Jul	Mon 15th - First day of term 3, <b>8.50am start</b> Fri 19th - Grade 5/6 Summer Round Robin, Kilmore
2	22 - 26 Jul	Wed 24th - Fri 26th - Smile Squad Dentist visit Wed 24th - Grade 5 Phillip Island Camp Thurs 25th - Grade 5 Phillip Island Camp Fri 26th - Grade 5 Phillip Island Camp Fri 26th - 2025 Foundation enrolments due Fri 26th - Assembly, 2.45pm
3	29 Jul - 2 Aug	
4	5 - 9 Aug	Tues 6th - Fri 9th - Scholastic Book Fair, 8.30am-8.45am & 3.25pm-3.45pm Fri 9th - Assembly, 2.45pm
5	12 - 16 Aug	Wed 14th - Beauty & the Beast excursion (selected grade 5/6 students) Fri 16th - Common Curriculum Day, Student Free Day
6	19 - 23 Aug	Wed 21st - Grade 3 Lady Northcote Camp Thurs 22nd - Grade 3 Lady Northcote Camp Fri 23rd - Grade 3 Lady Northcote Camp

Hard copy notes sent home from the office this week - Nil

# CAMPS 2024

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

**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

## ***A word from Mrs Cooney...***

As we reach the end of another successful term, I want to extend my gratitude to our school community. The achievements reached and student growth, are a testament to the dedication and hard work of our students, parents, and staff.

Thank you to our families for your continuous support and involvement in your children's education. Your partnership is crucial to the success of our students and the school as a whole.

A special highlight of this term has been our student-led conferences. These conferences provided a unique opportunity for our students to take ownership of their learning and reflect on their achievements. It was wonderful to see students articulate their goals, celebrate their successes, and identify areas for improvement. Thank you to our teachers for facilitating these conferences and to our parents and carers for your active participation. If at any time throughout the year you would like to discuss your child's progress with their teacher please contact them to arrange a time to meet.

I also want to express my gratitude to our dedicated staff. Your passion for education and commitment to our students' wellbeing make a significant impact every day.

As we move into the holidays, I hope you can take some time to relax, recharge, and enjoy some well-deserved rest. I look forward to seeing everyone again next term refreshed and ready for another exciting term filled with learning and growth.

Thank you once again for a fantastic term. Have a wonderful break!

*Mrs. Jennene Cooney*  
*Principal*

## **SPORT NEWS**

Congratulations to Poppy and Amelia who competed at the Regional Cross Country last week. Well done on a great achievement.

Poppy will go onto compete at the State Cross Country in July.

Good luck Poppy.

# Mental Health Services and Support

## Beyond Blue

24/7 mental health support service

**1300 22 4636**  
beyondblue.org.au

## headspace

Online support and counselling to young people aged 12 to 25

**1800 650 890**  
(9am to 1am daily)  
headspace.org.au/eheadspace

## Kids Helpline

24/7 crisis support and suicide prevention services for children and young people aged 5 to 25

**1800 55 1800**  
kidshelpline.com.au

## 1800 RESPECT

24/7 support for people impacted by sexual assault, domestic violence and abuse

**1800 737 732**  
1800respect.org.au

## QLife

LGBTI peer support and referral

**1800 184 527**  
qlife.org.au

## Lifeline

24/7 crisis support and suicide prevention services

**13 11 14**  
lifeline.org.au

## Suicide Call Back

24/7 crisis support and counselling service for people affected by suicide

**1300 659 467**  
suicidecallbackservice.org.au



## Mensline

24/7 counselling service for men

**1300 78 99 78**  
mensline.org.au

## 13YARN

24/7 crisis support for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people

**13 92 76**  
13yarn.org.au

If you are concerned about someone at risk of immediate harm, call 000 or go to your nearest hospital emergency department.



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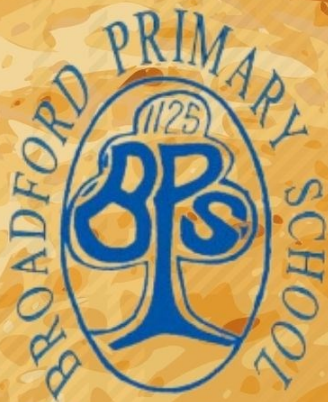


## Apply now to enrol your child in Foundation for 2025

The Department of Education has released a new statewide timeline for enrolling in Foundation for the 2025 school year. If you have a child starting primary school in 2025, it's time to enrol. Make sure to **submit your enrolment application by Friday 26 July 2024**.

It is important to follow the statewide timeline to enrol your child in Foundation. Enrolling your child in line with the timelines allows us to plan our classrooms, staffing and transition activities and ensures your child has the best start to school. For more information, please read about when and how to enrol your child in Foundation at <https://www.vic.gov.au/enrolling-foundation-prep>. If you are seeking to enrol your child into Foundation next year, please contact our school office on 5784 1221, in person or via email to request an enrolment form.





Good  
Morning



# BPS Breakfast Club!

Cereal,  
Toast,  
Toasties,  
Fruit & Hot  
Milo or Plain  
Milk!

*Winter*  
**SPECIAL**  
PORRIDGE!

Wednesdays & Fridays  
8:20am until 8:50am in the  
Community Hub





## Broadford Kelly Club

Call: 0478 153 546

Casual or Permanent Positions Available for:

Before School Care is 6:40am - 8:50am

Casual \$27, Permanent - \$25

After School Care - 3:20pm - 6:20pm

Casual \$34, Permanent - \$32

Holiday Program is 6:40pm - 6:20pm

Daily - \$80



Scan the QR Code to enrol your Children or use the link below:

[https://prodadmin.myxplor.com/enrollment\\_v2/centre/Y9fHQw4und3plnYnzn124356Hw](https://prodadmin.myxplor.com/enrollment_v2/centre/Y9fHQw4und3plnYnzn124356Hw)



**General Information:** We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. We provide quality childcare in safe and fun surroundings for children out of school. Our holiday program is focused around sports, games, and outings to local attractions. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid, child protection and activity planning/delivery.

**Who can attend:** Children aged 5-13 yrs

**What do you need to bring:** Shoes and appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food.

**Food:** Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea/lunch/afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12.30pm to 1.00pm each day.

**Program activities:** Program activities are adapted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers. Program activities may vary without notice dependent on weather conditions and program numbers.

**Payment details:** Payment is required 7 days from receiving an invoice. An invoice will be issued once attendance has been completed and will be adjusted based on CCS subsidies.

**CCS (Child Care Subsidies):** Kelly Club is CCS approved with Services Australia which means you can enjoy a subsidy of up to 90% of your fees, depending on your circumstances. This is then paid directly to Kelly Club on your behalf. For more information visit [www.my.gov.au](http://www.my.gov.au)

**Cancellations:** Kelly Club requires 24 hours written notice for a booking cancellation. Fees will be charged if notice is not received. Kelly Club will require 5 days written notice for booking on excursion/incursion days and 3 days written notice for a booking cancellation for excursion/incursion days. Event Day Fees: Excursion fees - up to \$40 per child. Incursion fees - up to \$30 per child.

**Please note:** Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Club accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst on the program. If your child/ren are collected late after the conclusion of the program you will be charged \$1 per minute.

**Website:** [www.kellyclub.com.au](http://www.kellyclub.com.au)  
**Contact:** Courtney Byrne  
**Email:** [broadford@kellyclub.com.au](mailto:broadford@kellyclub.com.au)  
**Phone:** 0478 153 546  
**Facebook:**  
**Address:** 17 - 23 Powlett St, Broadford

## JULY 2024 HOLIDAY PROGRAM

BROADFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEK 1		Mon 1 July	Tues 2 July	Wed 3 July	Thurs 4 July	Fri 5 July
WEEK 2	WEEK 1					
		<b>ENVIRO-DAY</b> The Earth is our home so let's look after it! I wonder what we will see when we look closer with an epic outdoor scavenger hunt.	<b>TREASURE QUEST</b> Every pirate needs a patrol! Wear your best pirate costume and hit the deck in a race against your pirate pals to build the best ship!	<b>EXCURSION DAY</b> Join us for an awesome trip to Fighting Lyons. Essendon for a ninja session. Up to \$40 extra for the day. Please remember a big lunch, drink bottle, shoes and a hat.	<b>COLOUR BLAST</b> Wear your favourite colour and step inside the rainbow with prism science and rainbow fruit kebabs. If you're lucky you might just find a pot of gold.	<b>SOCCER CLINIC</b> Incursion Come and learn how to play Soccer with a local Soccer Coach. Please bring an enclosed shoes and water bottle. Extra Up to \$30.
WEEK 2	WEEK 2	Mon 8 July	Tues 9 July	Wed 10 July	Thurs 11 July	Fri 12 July
		<b>DODGEM'</b> It's a day full of dodging! Will you be the moving target or can you dodge your way out of this one?	<b>BOP TILL YOU DROP</b> Incursion Day Come and Join us in a Structured disco, Karaoke & interactive popstar show. Up to \$30 extra for the day.	<b>NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM</b> When the sun sets, the museum comes to life! There'll be dinosaurs & mummies roaming around. We'll whip up a midnight snack with our newfound friends.	<b>EXCURSION DAY</b> Join us for an awesome trip to Werribee Open Range Zoo. Up to \$40 extra for the day. Please remember a big lunch, drink bottle, shoes and umbrella or raincoat.	<b>PJ PARTY</b> Put on your snazziest PJs and rock up to Kelly Club today for an epic slumber party. There'll be no time for sleep! Just party games, a movie with popcorn, and a midday snack!

FULL DAY: \$80

EVENT DAY: Excursions up to \$40  
Up to \$30 for incursions

ADDITIONAL COST FOR EXCURSIONS/INCURSIONS NOT CLAIMABLE FOR CCS

**CCS  
PROGRAM  
SUBSIDIES  
AVAILABLE!**  
\*Conditions apply

BOOK ONLINE NOW AT [www.kellyclub.com.au](http://www.kellyclub.com.au)





## Library Services Activities

Join us for some fun school holiday activities in our libraries located in Beveridge, Broadford, Kilmore, Seymour and Wallan.

Activities are free but booking is essential for most activities, so secure your spot now!



### Hila Tells Stories - Stone Soup Magic

Ages 3-10 years. Booking required.

Get ready for a magical and interactive show that invites children and their parents to gather around a cosy "fire". With music, imagination, and storytelling, Hila brings to us beloved multicultural folktale, 'Stone Soup.'



**Kilmore** 10.30 - 11.30am, Saturday 6 July

### Perilous Quest Workshop

Ages 9-12 years. Booking required.

Create a hero, make a map and set off on the ultimate adventures. To survive, you'll need your imagination and some clever objects in your hero's backpack. Participants will be able to create a comic book which can be developed into a detailed story.



**Wallan** 10.30am - 12.30pm, Wednesday 3 July

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### Marvellous MiniBeasts

Ages 5-12 years. Booking required.

Become a minibeast expert with this hands-on session that includes stick insects, butterflies, yabbies and more.



**Kilmore** 10 - 11am, Tuesday 9 July

**Seymour** 10 - 11am, Friday 12 July

### Choose your own Adventure

Ages 10-15 years. Booking required.

Create a story your friends can read again and again – because it has multiple branching story paths, and four different endings!

Participants will be able to choose and create their own adventure story book.



**Wallan** 10.30am - 12.30pm, Thursday 11 July

### Yarn Turtle Craft

Booking required.

Looking for some fun and unique winter craft to do with kids. Make a turtle with popsicle sticks and yarn.



**Broadford** 1.30 - 2.30pm, Friday 12 July

**Kilmore** 1.30 - 2.30pm, Thursday 4 July

**Seymour** 10.30 - 11.30am, Tuesday 2 July

**Wallan** 10.30 - 11.30am, Tuesday 9 July

### Matchstick Coasters

Booking required.

Our design, your own coasters are great low-mess craft activity and perfect for gifting. Infuse some fun and personality into personal space decor through these do-it-yourself coaster project ideas that you're sure to love!



**Broadford** 10.30 - 11.30am, Thursday 4 July  
10.30 - 11.30am, Tuesday 9 July

**Kilmore** 1.30 - 2.30pm, Wednesday 10 July

**Seymour** 1.30 - 2.30pm, Wednesday 3 July

**Wallan** 1.30 - 2.30pm, Tuesday 2 July



## Twirligig~ Rainbow Paper Spinner Toy

Bookings required.

It twirls as it spins and makes all kinds of beautiful patterns. It rounds out to a ball as it spins. They are tons of fun to play with!



<b>Beveridge</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Wednesday 3 July
<b>Broadford</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Friday 5 July
<b>Kilmore</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Thursday 11 July
<b>Seymour</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Wednesday 10 July
<b>Wallan</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Thursday 4 July 10.30 - 11.30am, Friday 12 July

## Story Rocks

Bookings required.

There are many ways to tell stories and sky's the limit. Use rocks to create and represent your various elements of your story. This activity involves, painting creativity writing and thinking. Set of 13 illustrated story stones with under the sea theme.

<b>Beveridge</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Wednesday 10 July
<b>Broadford</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Tuesday 2 July
<b>Seymour</b>	10.30 - 11.30am, Thursday 4 July
<b>Wallan</b>	1.30 - 2.30pm, Wednesday 10 July



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## Gardening Workshop by Kathleen Tant

Bookings required.

<b>Beveridge</b>	10.30am, Thursday 4 July
<b>Broadford</b>	10.30am, Thursday 11 July
<b>Kilmore</b>	10.30am, Tuesday 2 July
<b>Seymour</b>	10.30am, Tuesday 9 July
<b>Wallan</b>	10.30am, Friday 5 July

## Free Play Activities

All day activities run from 10am - 4pm with no bookings required, just turn up and use our materials for a range of activities.

Parent supervision required.

## Boardgames

Playing board games with friends is a great way to relax, and we have a huge selection of games for adults and children to play while



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you are in the library. Games vary from branch-to-branch, so please enquire at your preferred branch as to what is available.

Games include:

- Chess
- Scrabble twists and Turns
- Jumbling Towers
- Who is it?
- Trivial Pursuit
- Game of Life
- Uno
- Monopoly
- Jigsaw Puzzles

Board games are for use in the library and are not for loan.

<b>Broadford</b>	10am - 4pm, Friday 12 July
<b>Kilmore</b>	10am - 4pm, Wednesday 10 July
<b>Seymour</b>	10am - 12pm, Saturday 13 July



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<b>Wallan</b>	10am - 12pm, Saturday 6 July
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## Lego (6+)

Calling all Lego® fans! Bring your imagination to build your own brick creations in a mix of guided and free form sessions.

Suitable for school-aged children. Children under 12 years must be supervised by a responsible adult.

<b>Beveridge</b>	10am - 4pm, Monday 8 July
<b>Broadford</b>	10am - 4pm, Wednesday 3 July
<b>Kilmore</b>	10am - 12pm, Saturday 13 July
<b>Seymour</b>	10am - 12pm, Saturday 6 July
<b>Wallan</b>	10am - 12pm, Saturday 13 July

## Lego Technic (6+)

Try LEGO Technic. Have you ever wanted to dive into the world of advanced LEGO building? Now's your chance to take on the challenge and unleash your creativity and engineering skills. Children under 12 years must be supervised by a responsible adult.

<b>Beveridge</b>	10am - 4pm, Monday 1 July
<b>Kilmore</b>	10am - 4pm, Wednesday 3 July 10am - 4pm, Friday 12 July
<b>Seymour</b>	10am - 4pm, Thursday 11 July

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## Leisure Services Activities

### Pool Monster Inflatable

Ages 5 years and over

Come have fun in the pool with the inflatable madness at the Seymour Sports and Aquatic Centre.

**Seymour** 12.30pm - 2.30pm, Friday 5 July  
12.30pm - 2.30pm, Friday 12 July

**Cost:** \$10 for non members. No bookings required.

### Intensive Swim Program

Ages 3 years and over

Fast track your child's skills these school holidays with intensive swimming lessons. Booking essential. Call (03) 5735 1500 or drop into the Seymour Sports and Aquatic Centre to book your spot.

**Seymour** Monday 1 July - Friday 5 July  
Monday 8 July - Friday 12 July

**Cost:** \$84.90

Terms and conditions apply.



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## Leisure Services

**Kilmore Leisure Centre**  
White Street, Kilmore  
Phone: (03) 5734 0600

**Seymour Sports and Aquatic Centre**  
Pollard Street, Seymour  
Phone: (03) 5735 1500

**Facebook:** MitchellShireLeisureServices



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## Customer and Library Service Centres

**Broadford Customer and Library Service Centre,**  
113 High Street, Broadford  
Monday to Friday: 8.30am - 5pm

**Kilmore Customer and Library Service Centre**  
12 Sydney Street, Kilmore  
Monday to Wednesday and Friday: 9am - 5pm  
Thursday: 10am - 6pm  
Saturday: 9am - 12noon

**Seymour Customer and Library Service Centre**  
125 Anzac Avenue, Seymour  
Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 10am - 5pm  
Tuesday and Thursday: 10am - 6pm  
Saturday: 9am - 12noon

**Wallan Customer and Library Service Centre**  
Wellington Square Shopping Centre  
12/81 High Street, Wallan  
Monday and Friday: 9am - 6pm  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday: 10am - 6pm  
Saturday: 9am - 12noon

**Greater Beveridge Community Centre**  
Corner Lithgow Street and Mandalay Circuit, Beveridge.  
Monday and Thursday: 9am - 4.30pm

**Facebook:** MitchellLibraries

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## Youth Services

Only open during school terms. Closed school holidays.

**Wallan Youth Room**  
Wallan Multi Purpose Centre, 42 Bentinck Street, Wallan  
Wednesday and Thursday: 3.30pm - 5pm

**Broadford Youth Room**  
154 High Street, Broadford  
Monday: 3.30pm - 5pm

**Seymour Youth Room**  
Pollard Street, Seymour  
Tuesday: 3.30pm - 5pm

**Facebook and Instagram:** MitchellYouthServices



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