

Achievement

Promoting excellence in education

Resilience

Creating problem solvers ready to accept challenges



Community

Building responsible citizens

Respect

Developing tolerant, considerate individuals

This week's value in focus is:

Fairness

Being fair in everything I do

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Calendar

Term 4 October

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| 30 th | Step into Prep 9am – 11:45am World Teachers Day |
| November | |
| 2 nd | Curriculum Day – no school |
| 3 rd | Melbourne Cup Day – Public Holiday |
| 16 th | Finance meeting 3.30pm School Council meeting 7pm |
| 24 th | Yr 5/6 Puberty Ed |
| 30 th – 4 th | Year 5/6 Cottage by the Sea Camp |
| December | |
| 7 th | Yr 5/6 Puberty Ed |
| 14 th | Yr 5/6 Puberty Ed |
| 18 th | End of Term 4 |

DRINK BOTTLES

Please remember that the bubble taps are not to be used.

All students **MUST** have their own drink bottle.



Around school this week



Victoria will join the rest of Australia in celebrating World Teachers' Day **TOMORROW Friday 30 October**, to recognise the outstanding work and dedication of all teachers.

This year's World Teachers' Day theme 'Teachers: leading in crisis, reimagining the future' reflects the incredible contribution teachers have made in 2020 and the staff at Dunolly Primary School certainly did just that.

The coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic has asked teachers all around the world to change their routines and adjust how they teach, to ensure students have the support they need to continue learning.

World Teachers' Day is an opportunity for our community to say 'thank you' to the teachers who continue to make such a profound difference to young lives throughout the state.

Send your teacher, science, art or music teacher a letter of thanks with the attached template or your own creation. See our facebook page for a link to customise your own photo.



#brightfuture





Bendigo Bank
Bigger than a bank

Student School Banking

Currently we are **unable to run the student school banking** but parents can still take their child's banking direct to the bank themselves – the local branch located at the RTC is open Monday to Friday 10am to 2pm

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep/1 – Aurora Pilbeam

Year 2/3 – Grace Freemantle

Year 4/5 – Bella Polinelli

Year 5/6 – Ashlee Moyses

We are a child safe school; committed to the safety and wellbeing of all children and young people. We have zero tolerance of child abuse.

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/health/protect/Pages/default.aspx>

We have policies and processes in place to protect the care, safety and welfare of children.



2020 Parent Opinion Survey

WE WANT OUR PARENTS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!

Our school is conducting a survey to find out what parents think of our school. The Parent Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education and Training that is conducted amongst all parents. It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of parents' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour, student engagement and experiences of remote and flexible learning. Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

All parents have been invited to participate in this year's survey via email. All responses to the survey are anonymous. This year, the Parent Opinion Survey will be conducted from **Monday 12th October to Friday 13th November.**

The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **20 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the fieldwork period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones. The online survey will be available in a range of languages other than English. These include: Arabic, Vietnamese, Mandarin, Chin (Hakha), Hindi, Japanese, Somali, Turkish, Punjabi and Greek.

The results will be communicated to parents through the annual report, Facebook updates and newsletter.

Please speak to Tracey in the office on 54681111 if you would like more information.

Camps Sports and Excursions Fund 2020

Changes have been made to the 2020 Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) to help support more families in need.

As many families are now facing financial difficulty due to COVID-19 the eligibility date has been extended from April 14th to October 5th. Parents who were not eligible at the start of the year but now have an eligible card can make a claim and receive 50% of the standard primary student rates.

Any parents who now have a valid means-tested concession card (e.g. healthcare, pension) can put in a claim for the CSEF.

If you did not claim the CSEF at the start of 2020 and now have an eligible card please call the school and ask Tracey to send home a claim form with your child.

Claim forms will need to be filled in and returned to school by Friday November 6th.

LAST WEEK'S STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



**CENTRAL GOLDFIELDS ART GALLERY
INVITES PRIMARY AND SECONDARY STUDENTS
TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR NEXT
**CRAFT COMPETITION
FOR SCHOOL STUDENTS****

1st Prize \$50 • 2nd Prize \$30 • 3rd Prize \$20

USE YOUR IMAGINATION AND CREATIVE SKILLS!

Students from all schools within the Central Goldfields Shire and Avoca region can submit one entry of any kind of craft.

Your entry must be delivered to Central Goldfields Art Gallery, Neill St, Maryborough on 27-28 November 2020, between 10am and 4pm.

For more information contact the Central Goldfields Art Gallery on 5461 6600 or email cgsc.art@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au

**MARYBOROUGH
CRAFT SHOP
INC.**

**CENTRAL GOLDFIELDS
ART
GALLERY**

**CENTRAL
GOLDFIELDS
SHIRE COUNCIL**



We're Back!

**Maryborough
Little Athletics Centre
2020/21 Track & Field
season will begin on**

**Friday 30th
October 2020**

**5.15pm arrival for 5.30pm
start each Friday evening
@ Jack Pascoe Reserve**

*New members
are always
welcome!*



**Fun, fitness and
friendship for children
and teens aged
5-15 years.**

Registrations now open!

0414 885 183 - David

MaryboroughVicLAC

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Gordon Gardens READY FOR PLAY

The new bicycle/scooter pump track is ready for play at the Gordon Gardens in Dunolly.

The outdoor fitness equipment will also be ready for use in November, once the shade structure overhead has been installed.

The \$140,000 project has been delivered as part of the Victorian Government Healthy Heart of Victoria Initiative, with each of the projects identified as part of the Gordon Gardens Master Plan developed in 2019.

Bicycle/Scooter Pump Track

The bicycle/scooter pump track is a modular system made of timber composite that will form a circular track of about 65 metres. It will be suitable for use from the early stages of riding a balance bike or scooter to larger bikes for young people and adults. It's the perfect playground and play space for all wheels and all ages, providing outstanding health and wellbeing benefits through fun.



Outdoor exercise equipment

The five pieces of outdoor fitness equipment were chosen in consultation with staff at Maryborough District Health Service and will be used as part of exercise programs for older adults. This equipment will benefit all the community to strengthen muscles without going to a gym – and it's free.

Thank you to the 38 community members who voted for the colour of the outdoor fitness equipment.

Blue blaze was the most popular colour with 10 votes!



Shade structure

A shade structure will be installed above the outdoor exercise equipment in the coming weeks so users have sun protection.

What is the Healthy Heart of Victoria initiative?

Funded by the State Government, the \$5 million Healthy Heart of Victoria initiative aims to make residents living in Loddon Campaspe communities more active, more often.

To date the Healthy Heart of Victoria initiative has funded the following projects in the Central Goldfields Shire:

- \$51,272 for the Maryborough Community House Kitchen Garden and Community Playground
- \$137,131 for the Goldfields Reservoir path upgrade, nature play park and parkrun, Maryborough
- \$29,647 for Basketball Court in Gordon Gardens, Dunolly

Who can I contact to find out more information?

You can contact Lynn Waters – our Healthy Heart of Victoria coordinator via email LynnW@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au. By phone Mondays to Wednesdays 9 am to 5pm on 0436 814 111. Or visit: www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/healthyheartofvictoria

