Cavendish Primary School

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Principal's Notes:

Dear parents and friends,
Finally, a whole week at school with no interruptions! We have had a few coughs and colds in the school recently and I appreciate parents being cautious when sending their child to school when they are unwell. We are all trying hard to do our part in keeping everyone safe and well. The students are continuing with washing hands, using sanitizer in between times and coughing into their elbow.

Staffing update

We are very pleased to announce that Mrs Elisha Nettleton will be teaching the Year 5 and 6 class on a Monday and Thursday. The Year 5 and 6 class will enjoy the terrific team of Mrs Nettleton and Miss Thompson . Mrs Carolynn Murray will be continuing teaching the Foundation and Year 2 class on a Friday while I am in the office. We are very fortunate to have these teachers and we give them a very big welcome to our school.

Upcoming Book Week

Next Thursday, we will have our annual Book Week parade and morning activities featuring the short listed books. Mrs Bell has organised a whole school voting competition to discover what Cavendish Primary's School favourite book for the Early Childhood and the Picture Book of the Year categories. Then, we will compare our results against the national award winners which are announced this coming weekend. This year the parade will be just for the students and teachers as visitors are not permitted. Check Seesaw and the newsletter for some great photos of the costumes after the parade.

Sporting Schools Program

We have been lucky enough to organise as part of our Sporting Schools Program some table tennis lessons in Hamilton at HILAC. The Junior class (Prep-2) will attend 2 x one hour session on Tuesday 24th and 31st August. The Senior class (Grade 3-6) will attend 2 x one hour sessions on Tuesday 7th and 14th September. Children will be transported to town by Jon Herrmann at 1:35pm from school to start their lessons at 2pm. Lessons will finish at 3pm and the children will return to school in time for bus runs and the end of the school day. Of course, these lessons are all pending Covid and lockdowns. Fingers crossed!!

CAVENDISH PRIMARY SCHOOL

AUGUST 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	**2**	3	4	**5**	6	7
8	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**	**13**	14
15	***16***	**17**	**18** School Council 7pm -WebEx	**19**	**20** MARC Van	21
22	**23**	24 Juniors—Table Tennis at HILAC	25	26 Book Week Dress Up Day	**27** Ruby's Birthday MARC Van	28
29	**30**	**31** Juniors—Table Tennis at HILAC				

SEPTEMBER 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	**2** Jump Rope for Heart Jump Off day	3 MARC Van	4
5	**6**	7 NAPLAN—School Readiness Test & Seniors Table Tennis	**8**	**9**	**10** Red Cross session Years 3-6	11
12	***13***	**14** Seniors—Table Tennis at HILAC	**15**	**16**	**17** MARC Van **Last day of Term 3 - 2:30pm**	18
19	**20**	21	22	**23**	**24**	25
26	**27**	**28**	**29**	30		

NAPLAN Online School Readiness test

On the 7th of September, all children in Year 3 to 6 will participate in the Online School Readiness Test for NAPLAN. This will allow the students to practise for their own next NAPLAN test. It is not a test where we get their results as in their normal NAPLAN tests but it is getting the school to test the capabilities of our computer network and having necessary supporting equipment.

School Photos

We have currently postponed our school photos as Frank Monger, our school photographer lives in Mt Gambier and is unable to cross the border currently. We will keep you up to date about this in the next few weeks. We are waiting to see if restrictions ease and Frank will be able to take them . All money will be held over in the meantime.

Thank you to Mrs Murray who has been teaching the F/2 class the last few mornings as I lost my voice!

Lisa Ferrier

School Council

Michael Todd: President

Simon Thomas: V/President

Alicia Lewis: Secretary

Sally Purnell: Treasurer

Ben Cross

Karl Price

Callie Leese

Nikaila Glenn

Lisa Ferrier

STUDENT LEADERSHIP TEAM

School Captains: Isabel Hurley and Ruby Packman

Junior School Council Presidents: Sydney Todd and Tasha Smee

Bus Captains: Ctayah Roberts, Addison Nettleton, Hugh Price, Lexi Thomas and Fletcher Price

Music Captain: Codi Walmsley

Library Monitors: Max Wright, Talia Price and Fletcher Price

House Captains: *Wannon* - Ruby Packman & Tasha Smee

Glenelg - Isabel Hurley, Sydney Todd & Codi Walmsley

PARENTS' CLUB

Presidents Trish Hurley

Vice Presidents Kate Thomas & Didi Todd

Secretary Merryn Coughlin

Uniforms Callie Leese

2021 calendar — key dates

August

Thursday, 26th - Book Week—book character dress-up day

September

Friday, 10th - Red Cross Year 3-6 session with Heather Macgugan

Friday, 17th - Last day of term 3 - 2.30pm dismissal

October

Monday, 4th - First day of term 4

Wednesday, 13th - Musica Viva performance

Thursday, 28th - MARC Readers Cup at Dunkeld PS for selected students

November

Tuesday, 2nd - Melbourne Cup holiday

Friday, 19th - Pupil-free day

Mon 22nd - Fri 26th & Tues 30th - Fri 3rd Dec— Swimming Lessons HILAC 1-2pm

December

Friday, 10th - Swimming carnival - Balmoral Pool

Wednesday, 15th - Presentation evening, 7pm / **Friday, 17th**- Final day of term 4

Notices distributed at school this week:

- **Table Tennis permission note**
- **Reminder notice for the parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey**

School Mission Statement:

Cavendish Primary School provides a warm, friendly and caring environment that enhances and challenges learning, personal growth and well-being of students. The school has high expectations for staff and students and aims to create a stimulating and supportive environment for all its students to excel in their learning and personal growth.

Student Awards

Nate Weilbaecher - terrific writing using adjectives & punctuation

Sienna Huf - brilliant writing

Thomas Hurley - outstanding effort in class

Jack Quinn - wonderful focus & effort in all subjects

Mietta Price & Noah Weilbaecher - co-operative partner work in Maths

Justin Coates — exceptional effort in Art

Music with Frau Barber

Prep/2 - have been learning the song “Pudding on the Hill’ on the marimbas.

Grade 3/4 - have been working on the piece called “Bovis the Bassman”

Grade 5/6 - have been learning the song “Believer” which has a drum accompaniment with the marimbas

Mrs Barber is very impressed with all the children’s improvement. These musical pieces will hopefully be played at the Spring Market in November (Fleece & Flower Show).

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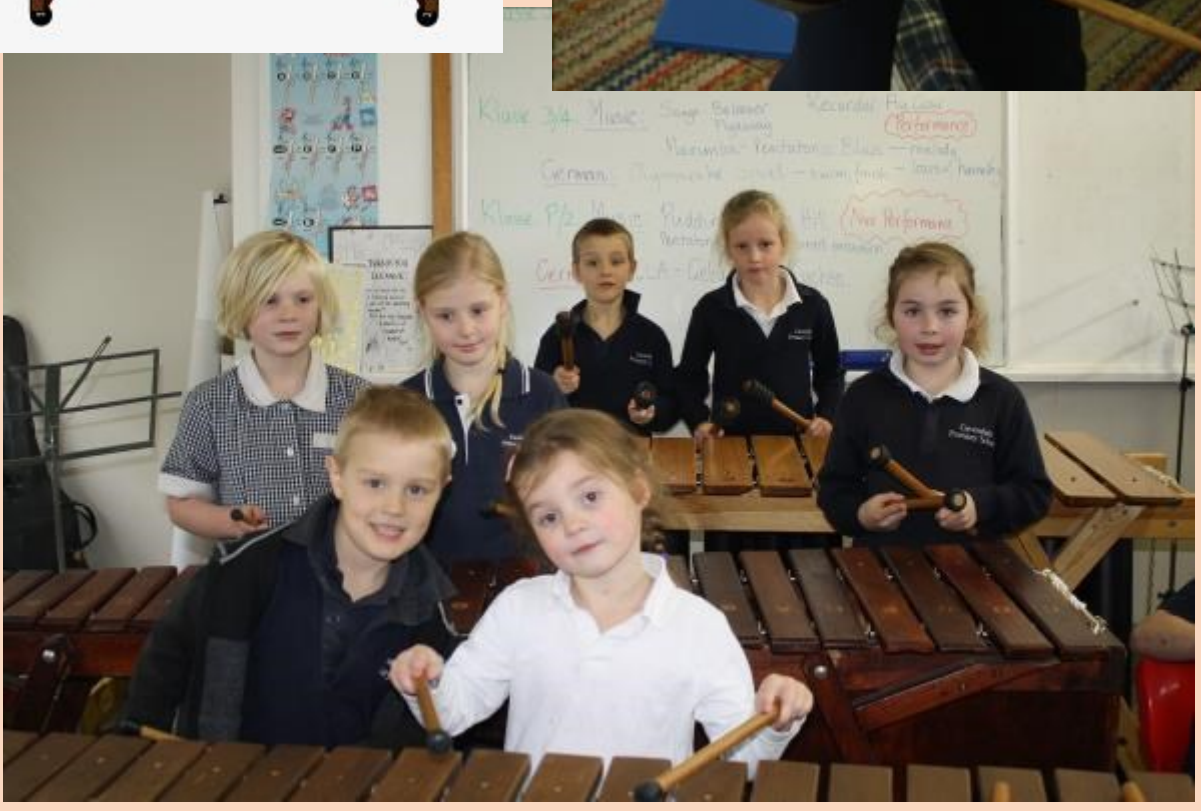


Some of the Year 5/6 children have been reading a selection of the shortlisted books for Book Week to our students each morning.

Book Club orders online

We are asking that in the future if all Book Club orders could please be done online only.

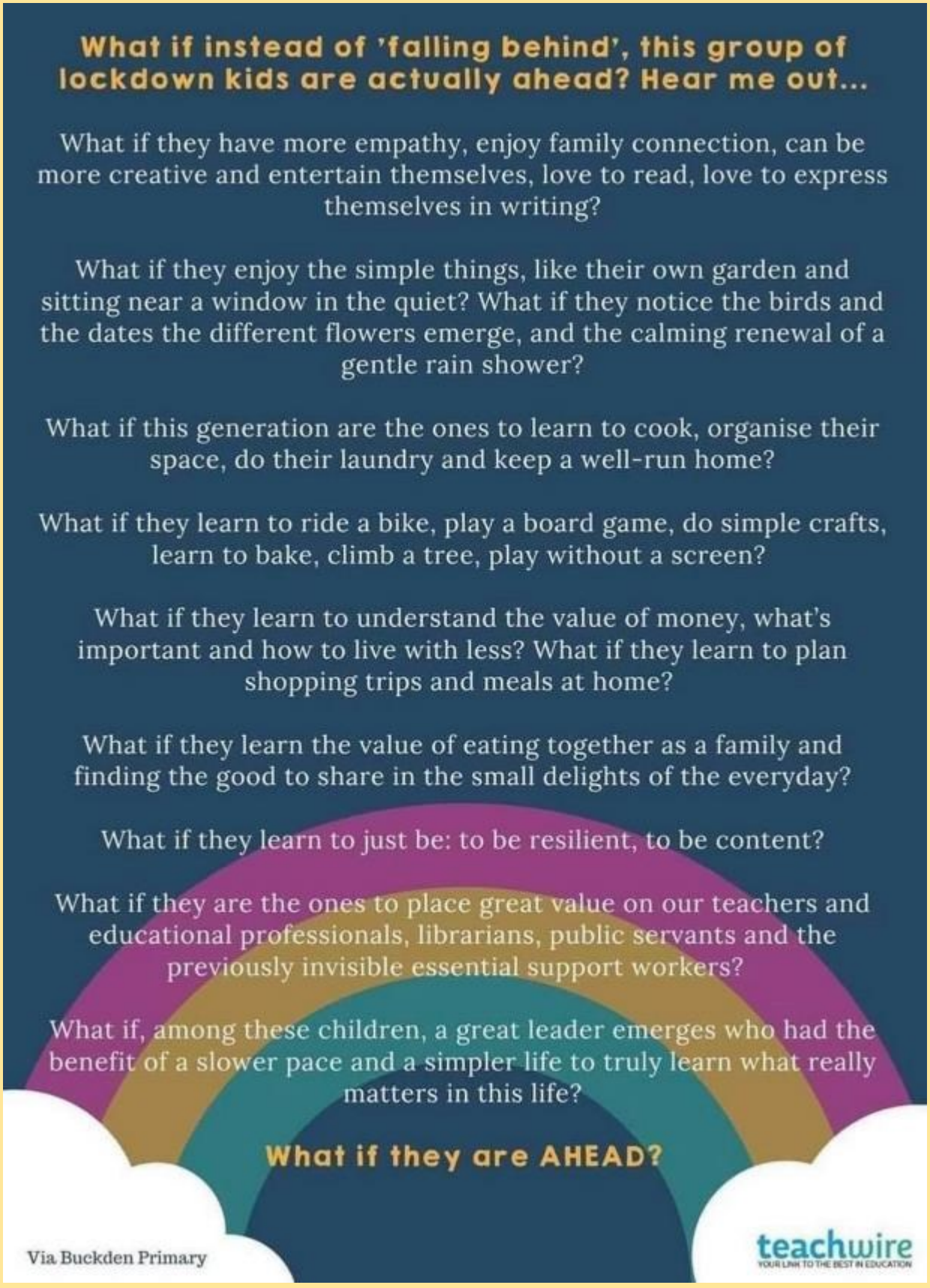
Current Book Club orders are due on Tuesday 31st August.

Are you getting your Book Week costumes ready?

~ Thursday 26th August ~

This is an another way to thinking about the impact of Lockdown and Remote Learning!

It is really important that we remember the emotional and social needs of our children too and not just always the academic.



Photography Competition

If students would like to enter the Landcare competition photos can be collected from school or there are several drop off points in local towns. See the Upper Glenelg Landcare facebook page for entry requirements.

Photos must have attached: Name, Age, School, contact details including address, category and a brief description on photo.

Joke of Week

Q. What day of the week are most twins born?

A. Twosday

Birthdays for August

Hunter Keymer-Newley (5th)

Pippa Quinn (12th)

Ruby Packman (27th)

We thank the following businesses and organisations for their sponsorship and support of the School and we encourage all school families to support the businesses and clubs that support the school.

Kerr & Co, Techwool Trading, Mibus Bros. Portland, Coates Electrical, Nutrien Ag Solutions Hamilton, Hamilton Produce, Mitre 10, Coles Supermarket, Dunkeld & District Community Bank ®, Lions Club of Cavendish, Bunyip Hotel, Bridge Café, Toyworld, Cavendish Community Service, Tops n Tails

THANK YOU!

School Bank Account Details

Name: Cavendish Primary School Council

BSB: 633000

Account: 145589081

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Visit our school web page and Facebook page!!

You can access our newsletters and look for upcoming events on the webpage and see a range of photos of the students on our Facebook page.

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