Appin Park News



7th October, 2021

Save the Date

October

12 & 13 Year 3/4 students at school 14 & 15 Year 5/6 students at school 19 & 20 Year 3/4 students at school 21 & 22 Year 5/6 students at school 26 All students at school

December

17 Last Day of Term 4

Hello Everyone

Welcome to term 4. It's hard to believe we are in the final term of the year and although the return back is a little confusing, we are hoping that by Tuesday 26th October we will all be back together.

Return to school - Week 2 & 3 (Mon 11th Oct – Mon 25th Oct):

- F-2 continue to attend every day
- Yr 3/4s attend Tuesday and Wednesday
- Yr 5/6s attend Thursday and Friday

Week 4 (from <u>Tuesday</u> 26th Oct): All students, all year levels return onsite.

These decisions have been made with the intent to:

- 1) minimise the number of total students onsite; and
- 2) reduce cohort mixing should there be a positive case.

The request for supervision form is available for next week via the link on Compass and our Facebook page.

Andrew Storer will be on leave from next week for 3 weeks. Robyn Dykes will be looking after 3/4S and providing supervision for onsite students. Craig Kerlin will run WebEx meetings for all 3/4 students and prepare the learning packs. He will also be available to contact via Dojo.

Remote Learning Packs 3-6

Learning Packs for grade 5/6 students will be available for collection tomorrow (Friday) from 1:30. These will have learning tasks for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Learning for 3/4 students will be shared via Dojo and a Webex meeting on Monday morning and a Learning Pack will be sent home with students on Wednesday afternoon for at home learning Thursday, Friday and Monday.

Until we have further advice the following covid safe measures are still in place:

- Please wear your mask if coming on school grounds;
- Students are to be dropped off and collected via the drive through or front and back gates;
- We ask that parents and carers do not come onsite at this stage unless absolutely necessary and that the QR code is used to check in;
- Avoid congregating at the gates where possible.

In other news we have had to postpone our school swimming program until further notice. We are hopeful that we may be able to get some sessions in during November, but again will need to wait for further easier of restrictions before doing so.

Disappointingly we have had to cancel our production for 2021, again due to restrictions and audience capacity limits at the Wang PAC. We know this is disappointing for our students many of whom have worked very hard at preparing but it is not something we have any control over.

Now that we are into term 4, please check that your child comes to school with their broad brimmed hat as per our Sun Smart policy. Caps and visors are not considered a suitable alternative.

Fiona Carson - Principal

Certificates of Recognition

Charlie Cook *Chaz Nash*



Enrolments for 2022 Foundation students now being taken

Please contact the office on 5722 1326 or visit our website for more information. Watch our virtual tour! https://www.facebook.com/appinparkps/

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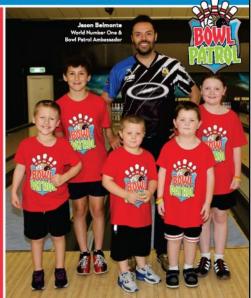
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Woolworths Cricket Blast!

City Colts Cricket Club will be running Woolworths Blaster cricket program for season 2021/22.

Junior Blasters is for those junior cricketers who are either just starting out or have done only a season or two.

As a guide Junior Blasters is suited to Prep-Grade 2. It is a fun session where everyone learns the skills of cricket and plays plenty of games.

Master Blasters is more game based and is for children who have played cricket for a couple of seasons but are not quite ready for underage junior competition.

Both sessions are run on a Friday night from 5.30pm at the Bill O'Callaghan Oval (Barr Reserve) under the direction of a Level 1 accredited coach. First session will be on Friday 22nd October.

Register via Playcricket.com.au, enter Wangaratta as location and select City Colts as the centre, or for more information please contact::

Ross Moore 0409 186 640 or rmmoore@esc.net.au





October is Mental Health Awareness Month

How do you take a proactive approach to support your mental health? Visit www.smilingmind.com.au for tips and ideas for all the family.





Saturday 9 October | 8am to 11am Wangaratta Works Depot, 51-69 Newman St



