

Appin Park News

LEARNING
FOR LIVING
I SHOW RESPECT
I AM RESPONSIBLE
I CARE

5th October 2023

Save the Date

October

- 9 Assembly
- 16 School Council

November

- 7 Melbourne Cup Day

December

- 1 Student Free Day
- 8 Grade 6 Graduation
- 12 Statewide Transition
- 14 Family Night
- 20 Last day - 1.15pm finish

Hello Appin Park Families

It is great to back for the beginning of a busy and exciting term 4.

I'd like to take the opportunity to thank Craig Kerlin for stepping up into the role of acting principal whilst I was away. It was reassuring to know that our beautiful school was in good hands and the feeling about the place this week was very calm and positive.

I feel very fortunate that I was able to take some time out to caravan through the Northern Territory and Western Australia. It gave me an appreciation of just how much there is to see and the diversity across the different environments from rocky gorges with beautiful swimming holes to stunning coastlines, it really was remarkable. After 18,000kms, it was nice to come home.

Term 4 has started smoothly, and I commend our staff for the work they have undertaken in planning and preparation. The swimming program commenced this week and will continue for 2 more weeks. Thank you to those families who have paid, payment is due tomorrow. Please keep a close watch on the newsletter and Class Dojo for upcoming events.

CASEA continue to work with us this term and have availability for targeted student/parent support sessions. The team are highly experienced. This is an opportunity to talk about any concerns you may have in relation to your child's social and emotional wellbeing. Consultation sessions are generally for 1 hour. CASEA can offer support and information on topics such as: Ways to respond to children's emotions, what children need to develop socially and emotionally, calming/regulation strategies, parenting styles & strategies and possible referral pathways to access further support. If you are interested in taking part or finding out more, please contact me at the office.

A reminder that all students are required to wear a broad brimmed hat (preferably navy) throughout term 4 when outside.

Fiona Carson - Principal



Certificates of Recognition

Lucas Doig *Elyssa Hudson* *Zaidyn Barker* *Atelaite Cokanauto* Jesse Walkerden*
Seth Webster Mizzi *Luke Welch*

CHILD AND YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE (CYMHS)

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Albury Wodonga Health

CASEA

(CYMHS and Schools Early Action Program)

Please join us for our CASEA Parent information session

TOPIC: Sensory Regulation in children

Aims of the session:

- To develop an awareness and understanding of sensory processing.
- To be curious about how different environments influences your child's sensory responses.
- To explore strategies that will support the majority of children to stay regulated throughout the day.

Monday 16th October at 2pm

Appin Park Primary School – Library

Nil cost – please just turn up on the day ready to listen, learn and ask questions.

If you have any questions please contact Lucia (CASEA) on 0448 032 763 or lucia.torrisi@awh.org.au

Wangaratta jazz & blues

Staging the Last Hurrah

2023 COMMUNITY PROJECT

JOIN US TO PAINT THE TOWN JAZZY BLUE

You might remember last year we drove "One More Mile" This year we are setting the stage for a celebration of over 30 years with the 'Midnight Special'

Highly experienced Wangaratta visual art educator David Godkin is leading this final workshop titled "The Midnight Special". It borrows from a traditional old blues song popularized by the artist Leadbelly (AKA Huddie Ledbetter). The simple, but fun drawing workshop will focus on musicians and time.

The aim... is to create a community work to display in selected Wangaratta CBD windows for the final festival.

Please, consider involving your school or group (or part of your school) for this last special occasion.

All ages welcome

Workshops

Oct 11th 4:15pm St Bernards

Oct 12th 4pm Wang Library

To book a spot – contact David Godkin godrie2106@gmail.com or 0439 040 868

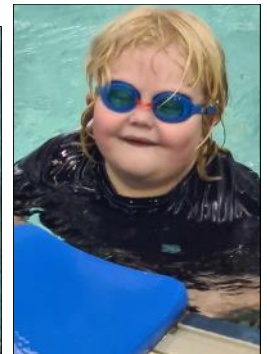
WWW.WANGARATTAJAZZ.COM/GET-INVOLVED

FROM THE JUNIORS

At the end of last Term the Foundation, Grade 1 & 2 students all enjoyed being part of the junior sleepover. Students had a pizza dinner at school and played some games out in the dark on the oval - hide and seek was a big hit! We then watched a movie and went to sleep. After waking up, it was time to pack up all the sleeping bags, have breakfast and then enjoy the last day of term. Thank you to all staff and parent volunteers for their help in making this event a success.



Students have also started the annual swimming program this week.



Come join us for a fun walk, and improve your trip to school!

Starting from a safe drop-off point at Arlington Park Ave, you can walk, scoot or ride up to school and check out the stickers and decals along the way.

Meet us there at 8am, collect your prize for participating and start your journey on a new path to school!

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Where to meet:



Distance: 700m

10 minute walk to school

Date: Monday 9th October 2023

Time to meet: 8.00am

Appin Park
Primary School

AFL PLAY

WANGARATTA SUMMER HUB

GET INVOLVED IN FOOTY WITH THE FAMILY THROUGH VARIOUS PROGRAMS ALL SUMMER LONG

PLAY NAB AFL AUSKICK

- > 4 weeks \$40
- > For participants aged 5-8



PLAY AFL SUPERKICK

- > 5 weeks \$50
- > For participants aged 8-12

PLAY AFL NINES YOUTH & OPEN

- > Youth - \$65pp for participants aged 13-18
- > Open - \$100pp for participants older than 18



FIND YOUR LOCAL SUMMER HUB & SIGN UP NOW!

