

Appin Park News

LEARNING
FOR LIVING
I SHOW RESPECT
I AM RESPONSIBLE
I CARE

5th August, 2021

Save the Date

All events are to be confirmed.

September

- 8 School Athletics
- 16/17 Junior School Sleepover
- 17 Last day of term

Hello Everyone

This week staff and students have enjoyed the opportunity to get back into a relatively normal week of schooling. In moving through the classrooms students have been busy writing different types of poems, completing mini-Olympics or potato Olympic activities, measuring distances and heights athletes have completed in maths lessons and continuing to practise reading strategies. Students have also learned about many of our Olympic athletes and heard the stories of how they have been able to continue to train and be successful at such a high level throughout some challenging experiences.

On Monday our student leaders, Josie, Chloe and Ned helped me serve Milo from the canteen at recess to help students warm up before going to play. It was lovely to see groups of friends standing around chatting as they enjoyed their hot drink.



Parent Teacher Interviews

A reminder the parent teacher interviews will be held next week, either via WebEx or phone calls. Bookings close tomorrow so we encourage all our families to get onto Compass and make a time with classroom teachers. If you have been part of SSG meetings this week it may not be necessary to make another time.

National Tree Day

As part of National Tree Day, the Rural City of Wangaratta has donated 50 small grasses and shrubs to our school. We began planting these today outside the new office windows. The remainder will be planted in other locations around the school tomorrow. Some students will be part of a planting project in our local community later this term.



APPA Pie Drive

Please support APPA in their latest fundraising efforts for our school by ordering pies or lamingtons through our pie drive. Notes went home last week. A very handy dinner for these cold Winter nights.

*Fiona Carson
Principal*



Book Club orders due Monday 9th August. Please note we do not accept cash orders. All orders need to use "Loop" - Book Club's online ordering system.

APPA PIE DRIVE



Pie Drive order forms were sent home last week. Please return forms to school by Wednesday, 18th August for delivery on 25th August. Please contact the office if you need another form. Orders can be returned with students, via the school email and/or paid for using Eft-pos (Please indicate this on the form. We will contact you if paying this way).

What's happening in the 5/6 Unit

A
Drop
of rain is
like a sudden
knock at the door.
Unexpected, yet often
Welcomed with a smile. It
Can brighten your day or
Ruin your plans. It can make you laugh
Or make you sad. Whether the raindrop
Is moving fast or slow, big or small,
It always gets everyone's attention. A raindrop
Contains many secrets. It is a bubble of
Anticipation and surprise. It cleanses
The earth. It feeds the flowers. Fills the holes.

Chloe Cooper

Spring brightens up the world like rising sun waking everyone up from Winter. When I think of Spring, I think of the blossoming trees and the smell of freshly cut grass as silage season starts. With spring comes along tons of cute little lambs. Spring's warm days are like a ray of sunlight emerging from the clouds. Spring is an amazing season

Riley White

Stars as a glittery as diamonds in the sky. They light up the night like a lantern in the dark. Stars a map, guiding you through the world. Thousands of them shimmer across the galaxy, like people at a wedding. Stars are beautiful gems shining in the sky.

Clare Williams



The Potato Olympics!



Today Mrs Vescio's Foundation class joined up with Miss Gambold's class to participate in the Potato Olympics! Students worked in pairs to create and name a potato athlete to represent their country. They then had to complete in challenges to earn points! Well done to our Potato Olympic winners.

