

NEWSROUND

Principals Message

Another awesome week this week at the school with a vast amount of preparations in place for the upcoming Trivia Night that shall take place on the Next **Friday 30th of August**. We look forward to seeing you there for a fun filled evening.

LITERACY UPDATE

Students moving forward in Literacy. The news is fantastic with our Prep students well in advance I Reading beyond expected levels and much movement in learning across the school. Call through and check in with your child's teacher as you shall be amazed with the growth in learning.

THIS WEEK AHEAD

We will be hosting some more Kindergartens on Thursday. This is an exciting time for our school with over 60 students coming through to check out what great facilities that we have out here. If you are around between the hours of 10.00 am and 11.30am on Thursday 29th August then it would be great to have the extra set of hands.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY (OH&S)

Another reminder, due to OHS concerns we are no longer able to heat hot lunches such as noodles for students. We apologise for any inconvenience.

UNIFORM

This year we have been doing an overhaul of our uniform and it is currently looking amazing, This is a compulsory component of your students schooling. We have attached a uniform order form to the back to this newsletter. This is including the Tracksuit that we have had approved by School Council. If you are looking for what it looks like, please check out page 5 of this weeks newsletter and have a look at our awesome models. This will continue our refreshing of our school image and is amazing to see the school pride shown by the students.

GREATER SHEPPARTON COLLEGE NEWS

Friday's - 9:15am – 10:15am @ McGuire Campus

The Shepparton Education Plan is providing a significant, transformational our students will continue their school journey. Students will be empowered to learn and achieve, experience high quality teaching practices and the best conditions for education.

The Senior Leadership Team at McGuire College is inviting parents and carers to join them over morning tea to answer your questions about the Shepparton Education Plan and the new Greater Shepparton College (interim name).

A series of morning tea sessions will be held every Friday from 16th August, 9.15 to 10.15 am until the end of Term 3. The number of places for each session will be limited and bookings are essential for catering purposes.

For more information contact the College on 5858 9800.

Talk to you next week.

Ms. Jean Varty



FROM THE ARCHIVES



With much thanks to former student Lloyd Freer, we have been able to identify most of the students in these photos from back in 1944-1945. Mr. Freer has been amazing in the knowledge he has of the school and the grounds and it is amazing to hear.

With next year being our 145th year of being open, this is an amazing connection to have. We look forward to a few more photos surfacing and contacts being formed to see what we can organise for a 'Return to Ardmona' Day. Keep your eyes peeled on that one!

DID YOU KNOW?

Ardmona Primary School won the Statewide Best Garden 9 years in a row!! HOW AWESOME!

DID YOU KNOW?

Ardmona Primary School back in 1948 had 133 students! That's 640% more students than today!

FROM THE STUDENTS

Over the last number of weeks we have highlighted some writing samples from students in this part of the newsletter. This may be a reflection on the week that has past or something that they might be interested in. This articles are written by the students and only edited to help them with their learning.

This week we continue to highlight the writing/thinking of the students with the following coming from a combined effort from Grade 5 Student, **Beau**, and Grade 4 student, **Harry**, who decided to write about what is happening in Maths. This is their musings:

"Everyone is doing great! Especially the Grade Preps, Tayler, Samuel, Hudson, Lilli and Lennix. They are Math Brainy's. The big kids are doing great in Maths as well, like Harry, Charlie, Izzy, Jedd, Brock, Connor, Ruby, Declan, Jamie-Lea and Beau! Every single kid is doing fantastic in maths. The teachers are making sure everyone is learning maths perfectly. That is very great, don't you think this is amazing parents? Yes! Your children are learning so much at this school. I hope your kids are happy to learn maths again!"



*Beau
Lummas (Gr.5)*

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*Harrison
Barker (Gr.4)*



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Awards



Higher order thinking. Numeracy mindsets. Congratulations this week to Hudson Matthews who has a genuine passion in study of numbers and problem solving. Hudson enjoys any opportunity to learn and challenge his peers and staff with his number work. Congratulations Hudson! You are amazing!



Stars of the Week!

For making great improvements with her reading.

Ruby is applying some great reading strategies to help her decode unknown words. Keep up the fantastic work Ruby!

Ruby MADILL (4-6)
Tayler LUMMAS (P-3)

It has been great to see Tayler's attitude to school this week. She has been joyful and very happy around the school. Great work Tayler, it is great to see how far you are coming along in your school work too. Well Done!



Prep Enrolments for 2019/2020.

We are currently accepting enrolments for the 2019/2020 School Year. There are information packs at the front office. If you have a Prep for 2019, or know someone who does please don't hesitate to contact the office on Thursday's or Friday Mornings to arrange to collect a pick up of the Enrolment Pack. Also please pass this information on to any interested families you might know.



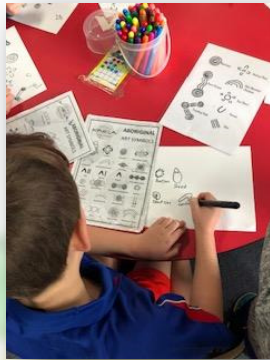
Classroom News:

Grade 4-6: In literacy this week we have been continuing on looking at our reading strategy of building our vocabulary.

We have also been busy assessing students reading and I am thoroughly impressed with the improvements everyone is making! In numeracy we are still exploring fractions and this week have looked at equivalent fractions.

Just a reminder to please listen to your child read aloud every night!

- Mr. Junks



Grade F-3: Have been working across the school joining the middle years group for learning in English and Numeracy over the week.

Focus has been on Readers notebooks and reading with fluency and expression.

Number facts are being extended with fluency tasks stimulated by our daily bingo challenge and number of the day research where students are looking at place value, value add and take away .

Congratulations to students who have been working on inquiry units and research in the area of science.

Topics include animals, seasons etc.

- Ms. Varty

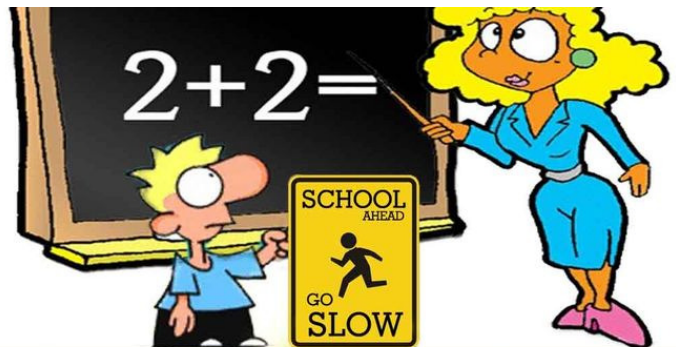
Kindness Quote
of the Week!



BE A KIND PERSON.
YES, EVEN TO JERKS.
LET THEM BE A JERK.
YOU BE A KIND PERSON.

Karen Salmons
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Principals Joke
of the Week!



Teacher: Why are you Late Today?

Student: Because of sign down the road.

Teacher: What does a sign have to do with your being late?

Student: The sign said,
"School Ahead, Go Slow!"

Latest Pic SMS.com

'ROAR' AWARDS

ROAR stands for "Recognising Outstanding Attendance Rewards" and we are weekly going to be congratulating students who receive have 100% attendance for the week prior:

From **8th August - 21st August**, the following students obtained **100%** in attendance:

Lilli Blake (Gr.3)

Lennix Ponting (Gr.3)

Samuel Ponting (Gr. Prep)

Connor Barker (Gr.6)

Harry Barker (Gr.4)

Izzy Barker (Gr.5)

Jedd Loffel (Gr.4)

Beau Lummas (Gr.5)

Jamie-Lea Lummas (Gr.4)

Charlie Ralph (Gr.5)



**KEEP
CALM
AND
Get Perfect
Attendance**

**Perfect
Attendance!**



Congratulations to the above students and keep up the good work in making sure you are getting to school!

GRADE PREP TO THREE TO 7th AUG 2019:
84%

GRADE FOUR TO SIX TO 7th AUG 2019: 86%

KEY DATES:

AUGUST:

**30th: TRIVIA NIGHT @ Parsons Cricket Pavilion,
Midland Hwy, Mooroopna (See Flyer Attached)**

SEPTEMBER:

13th: ARDMONA PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN DAY

UNIFORM INFORMATION

The school currently has a range of sizes in school uniform sizes for shirts and shorts at this point and also some more school hats.

School Polo Top from \$35

School Shorts from \$20

School Bucket Hat \$15



Lennix (Gr.3) and Tiarne (Gr.5) model the school uniform with Bucket Hat that is available to purchase!

While **Ruby (Gr.4)**, models the NEW tracksuit. If you would like to order some uniform, please see the attached form!

Undera Kindergarten

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www.gppn.com.au



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- Uniquely located next to Undera Primary School with Transition to School program
- Qualified and caring educators

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FROM GREATER SHEPPARTON COLLEGE

TRANSITION

Shepparton



'Transition' is a weekly meeting group for Grade 6 students going into Year 7. Students from various schools around the Goulburn Valley will gather to build social support, develop life skills, and enhance resilience.

To support the transition into secondary school and adolescence, members meet out of their regular school and home environments during Term 4 of 2019 and Term 1 of 2020. Meetings will cover various topics related to school & life, explore different values, all while having a bit of fun and going on the occasional outing.

Information Sessions for parents, guardians and students

Information Session 1	Tuesday 27th August 2019, 1.00pm - 2.30pm
Information Session 2	Tuesday 27th August 2019, 6.30pm - 8.00pm
Information Session 3	Thursday 29th August 2019, 1.00pm - 2.30pm
Information Session 4	Thursday 29th August 2019, 6.30pm - 8.00pm
Where:	CCS Family and Relationship Services, 68 Wyndham Street, Shepparton

Weekly Meetings

Term 4 2019

When: Tuesdays, 8th October - 17th December 2019
(10 weekly meetings, no meeting on 5th November due to Public Holiday)

Term 1 2020

When: Tuesdays, 28th January - 24th March 2020
(9 weekly meetings)

Time: Meetings from 4.00pm - 5.30pm

Where: CCS Family and Relationship Services, 68 Wyndham Street, Shepparton

Groups are subject to maximum and minimum numbers determined seven working days prior to start date. Please register early



TRIVIA NIGHT

Tickets Now Available



**GREAT PRIZES AND RAFFLES
TABLES OF 10
DRINKS AT BAR PRICES
BYO SNACKS
\$10 PER PERSON**

ONE Week To Go!

FRIDAY AUGUST 30TH

**PARSONS CRICKET PAVILION, MIDLAND
HIGHWAY, MOOROOPNA**

6:30 PM FOR A 7.00PM START

**RSVP - 03 5829 0273
OR TEXT BOOKINGS WITH YOUR
NAME AND NUMBER OF PEOPLE
TO**

0423 300 741



PROTECTING KIDS IS EVERYONE'S JOB NO MATTER WHAT YOUR JOB.

WHITE BALLOON DAY

GOLD COIN DONATION
ON THE DAY!

FRIDAY 6 SEPTEMBER 2019

Part of National Child Protection Week



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Our Kids

White Balloon Day is funded by Commonwealth's Department of Social Services, National Initiatives

BE BALLOON SMART

Bravehearts does not endorse nor encourage the release or use of balloons outdoors. Please consider the impact of balloons on our environment and dispose of used balloons wisely.

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OPEN DAY

FRIDAY 13th SEPTEMBER 2019

580 Turnbull Road
Ardmona

11.30am - 1.30pm



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UNIFORM ORDER

(Prices Include GST)



STUDENT NAME: _____

YEAR: _____

ITEM	SIZES	PRICE	ORDER		
			Number Ordered	Size	Total \$
POLO SHIRT – 'Aussie Pacific' – Short Sleeves	6-16	\$35			
POLO SHIRT – 'Aussie Pacific' – Short Sleeves	S & up	\$40			
SHORTS – Red – LWR	6-16	\$20			
SHORTS – Red – LWR	S & up	\$25			
TRACKSUIT – 'Eureka' – Jacket with Pants	4-16	\$85			
TRACKSUIT – 'Eureka' – Jacket with Pants	S & up	\$85			
HAT – Bucket	S-M	\$15			
				TOTAL	

***Please note, all uniforms come including embroidery of logos.*

Any enquiries, please phone the office on 5829 0273. A payment plan can be set up for your payment if that would help you out.

Feel free to either email, the school at ardmona.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

Please make cheque payable to **Ardmona Primary School** or

Direct Deposit

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ACC Number: 00 906 494



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