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ISSUE 15. Term 2 Week 5: 25th May, 2023

THE WEEK AHEAD

Mondays for the term

Swimming Program continues

Tuesday 23rdh May

Grade 5's Kinder Connection visit to Nature's Playground 9.40 am - 11 am

Wednesday 24th May

Grade 5/6 Winter Sports being hosted at Paynesville **Primary School**

Friday 26th May

SRC: Dress Up as a Pirate Day. Gold Coin donation for Kids with Brain Cancer

National Reconciliation Week: 27th May - 3rd June

UPCOMING WEEKS

Tuesday 29th May

Grade 5's Kinder Connection visit to Nature's Playground 9.40 am - 11 am

Wednesday 30th May

Grade 5's Kinder Connection visit to Uniting Kinder 9.00 am - 11 am

Tuesday 6th June

School Photos

Friday 9th June

SRC: 'Koala's of Raymond Island' Fundraiser. Dress Up in your PJ's, Onesie or Koala costume. Gold Coin donation

Thursday 15th June

Whole School Open Day, Prep Information Session and School Tours. Commencing 12 pm.

Sunday 18th June

Whole School Optional Special Event: Parents Verses Students Lawn Bowls at Paynesville Bowls Club 10am -11.45 am. Sausage Sizzle BBQ 12.00 - 1pm

Monday 19th - Wednesday 21st June

Grade 5/6 Coolamatong Camp

Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 8:30am to 4:00pm Friday 9:00am to 3.30pm

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Science Talent Search Project Award Winners.

31 - 47 Ashley Street (PO Box 38) Paynesville VIC 3880

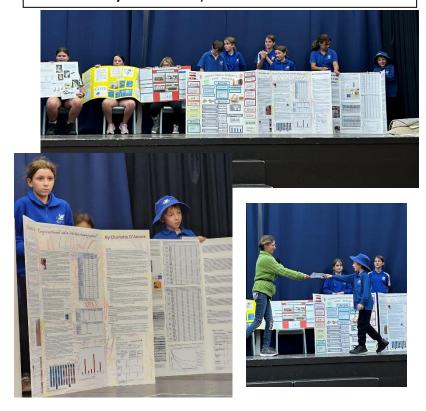
Upper Primary: 1st - Charlotte D'Amore

2nd - Sylah Coull-Barnes

3rd - Grace Hall

High Achievement Awards: Hayden Garth and Maddison Kelly

Lower Primary: 1st - Anthony D'Amore



TERM 2 DATES.

Term 2: Monday 24th April (Staff only) – Friday 23rd June.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS during term 2.

Monday 12th June: King's Birthday

Dear Parents, Carers, Families and Membes of our Community.

Road Safety is of paramount importance to us all. The safety of our students and families on our roads is at the forefront of our minds every day. A short time ago all students had education sessions as part of the RACV Safety Squad Incursion. Professionals came in to educate our students and promote the learning around what it is to be safe when walking, or on bikes and scooters etc when travelling to and from school and around our community. Last Friday many of our students participated in Walk to School Safely Day and walked with Trintiy, Jaime and I to also gain understanding. It is a vitally important message we need to send to our students daily to keep them and other road users safe. We will continue to work on this education



at school and hope you can have regular conversations with your children around this at home.

Another important reminder that the Speed limit in all places on Ashley Street and Waratah Street around the school is 40 km at all times. We need to work together to keep us all safe on the roads.

The winners of this year's Science Victoria- 'Science Talent Search' annual science competition at our school as judged by Mary and Mrs Lewis were Charlotte D'Amore in the Upper Primary and Anthony D'Amore in Junior Primary sections. Exceptional efforts and High Achievement for the other 4 students; Sylah Coull-Barnes, Grace Hall, Hayden Garth and Maddison Kelly who also did an outstsnding job in their scientific investigations. They were able to go around to each of the classrooms this week to show their projects - as a bit of a 'travelling science show'. All 6 projects will be uploaded on the STS website for entry into the Science Talent Search.

It has been so exciting for our grade 5 students and the children at Uniting Kinder Paynesville and Nature's Playground Paynesville to commence their Kinder Connection Program in the last 2 weeks. Our students have built relationships quickly with children at both of these Kinders and been so intent on ensuring the children are happy, engaged and safe. It is fantastic to see what amazing role models they are and to see the leadership qualities they display throught their experiences. This is a connection that will continue throughout the year in a range of ongoing and meaningful ways. It is such an important connection for all our kids and families in the Paynesville community.

Next Thursday 1st June our next PFA Meeting will be held in the Staff Room at 4pm. We have made the first Thursday of each month our meeting date. We have a fantastic small group at present and we would love to engage more members into our group now and into the future. Hope to see you there if you are interested on checking in or joining the group.

Winter Sports were held here on Wednesday and they were a great success thanks to Jarryd and the staff, parents and caterers that supported him in making this a fantastic network event for all our students.

Deb Mathers – Principal

Award Winners for last week.



WALK TO SCHOOL SAFELY DAY.

On Friday the 19th of May many of our students and staff joined together to walk together to school on Walk to School Safely Day. After arriving at school some of those who participated were supported by Trinity and jaime to put on their temporary Walk to School tattoos which were provided to help promote this important day.









This event seeks to promote better health, road safety, and caring for the environment. Walking to school encourages a more active and healthy lifestyle, and can help concentration and learning. Walking to school helps students to learn important road safety skills and rules.

Grade 6 shirts arrived and students were super excited!!!



They look great.

Nagle Expo

Grade 5/6's enjoyed their time at Nagle College Expo last Friday. They enjoyed some Art and other activities whilst they were there.







Grade Prep/1 Exploring Length in Maths







Grade 5 Kinder Connection Group

















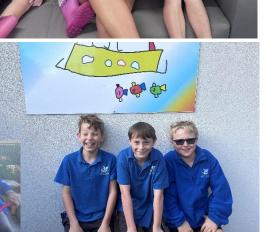


















Staff Member of the Week

As staff we are living our school values everyday and acknowledging the work each of us as staff does to promote and show these values. The staff member of the week for this week is Angela Stringer.

Student Wellbeing **Award.**

Our winner last week was Hope Shingles. Well done Hope for doing such a great job of supporting the wellbeing of others across the school.



Winter Sports

Tee Ball report

Thanks to our tee ball team for their enthusiasm and courage to learn a new game. Teeball is a complex game with many rules to learn so I congratulate the team for being so willing to listen and learn.

Thanks to Bec for organising equipment and players for most training afternoons, helping me mark out diamonds and fields, scoring and being assistant coach.



We won our first two games and each game the students learned a little more about the rules and strategies. We improved with our communicating, batting and throwing.

We lost to the Mitchell River Cluster in the last game and our respectful behaviour and good sportsmanship made Bec and I very proud. Great job Tee-ballers and hope to see you select Tee-ball again next year.

Kerry

Winter Sports- Soccer

By Liam Carmichael

On the 24th of May 2023, Grades 3-6 were lucky enough to be able to compete against other schools in both competitive and non-competitive groups.

In the first game we played 754 and won quite comfortably (2-0). We had a little rest and went onto the next match against Mitchell River Cluster with plenty of confidence after the win against 754. We scored a goal in the first 5 minutes to make it 1-0 to Paynesville. But we would only fall from there as some of Mitchell's players started to get the ball and we ended up conceding 2 goals without a response. The final whistle blew, and we lost. Mitchell Cluster went on to the final against Eagle Point only to lose 4-1. We were a very skilled team; we just couldn't click in game 2. The other Paynesville teams played well, and everyone enjoyed the day. Thanks to Mr Floyd and Jaime for coaching!







Netball- By Lucy Carpenter

Netball team A & B both had a successful day! Team A won against Mitchell River Cluster with an amazing 22-0 result. Team B also won against Mitchell River Cluster with 14-0. Then it was time for the battle of both Paynesville teams. It was a great competitive game with Paynesville A winning. Paynesville A played Lucknow in the grand final and ended losing 16-2. Overall, it was a great day! Thanks a lot, to Lisa and Mrs Lewis for training us up and coaching on the day.



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Paynesville P.S. Values Awards.



Value of the Week: POSITIVITY.

Students identified by staff this week to be demonstrating our School Values.

Nastasia Sokor-Krakowiak. P/1... For your enthusiasm toward learning.

Jaylen Howard-McKay. P/1... For always being positive during class contributing to discussions.

Serenity Singh. 5/6... For being a positive role model to the Kinder kids at Nature's Playground.

Annie Rickhuss. 2... For a.lways being so enthusiastic about everything!

Eshaan Kannan. 2... For always having a positive, enthusiastic approach to your classwork.

Kenzie Cartwright. 3/4... For always having a 'Can Do' attitude in reading and maths.

Ella Maddern. 5/6.... For leading a group in kitchen for a positive outcome.

Liam Carmichael. 5/6.... For his positive energy to engage his peers.

Lachlan McGrath. 5/6... For always having a positive outlook on situations.

Lucy Carpenter. 5/6... For her positive behaviour at swimming lesson.

River Blanco. 5/6... For being a positive role model for other students when learning a new skill.

George Molinaro. 3/4... For being positive in his T-Ball team and showing enthusiasm.

Melanie Guthrie. 3/4... For her positive 'Can Do' attitude in Art. Always brave to give things a go!

April Wyntjes. 3/4... By showing persistence in her learning.

Well done to all these students as well as so many others across the school that have worked to display actions showing our value of Positivity this week.

PIRATE DAY

Help raise money for kids with brain cancer. 26th Of May



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raise money

Dress up like a pirate.

And help us rrraise money
all you need to do is bring a
gold coin donation.





SCHOOL PHOTOS MUST BE ORDERED ONLINE.

Family/sibling photos need to be placed by 4.30pm 5/6/23. This is so Leading Image can be prepared for which siblings need a photo taken together.

ONLINE BOOKING



Your school has decided school photos will only be available to order online this year.

Choose your own FREE background



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- No need for envelopes to be returned to the school office
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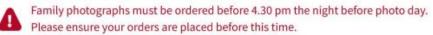
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OPEN DAY

with Prep Information Sessions and School Tours
Thursday 15th June



12pm - Prep info session

12:30pm - School Tour

1pm - Lunch

2pm-2:30pm – Open Day Activities in your child's classroom

3:30pm-4pm – Afternoon tea in the library

4pm - Prep info session

4:30pm - School Tour



Need more information?

Contact the school on

Ph 5156 6334 or email

Paynesville.ps@education. vic.gov.au

Find us at 31-47 Ashley Street Paynesville

We look forward to seeing you!



Paynesville Tennis Club is very excited to announce the inclusion of Tennis Australia's HOT SHOTS Junior development program in Paynesville at the A.J. Freeman Reserve.

The program is a 45 minute tennis specific gross motor skills development clinic open to players of all abilities aged 3 - 12.

Program are run <u>10:00am-10:45am</u> Saturdays throughout the year in conjunction with school curriculum terms

Lessons will cover:

- · Basic hand / eye coordination
- · Movement, Footwork & court coverage
 - · Ball and racket skills
- · Terminology, the court, and basic rules
 - · Team work, inclusion, and fair play

The program is **FREE** and idesigned as an introduction to tennis, played on a modified court and net.

Rackets, balls and all other equipment will be provided.

We look forward to providing our local community with Junior Tennis programs and can't wait to see you on court!

Please contact us for further information!

Mary Shallies - Program Coordinator:

Phone - 0422 706 668

Email - paynesvilletennisclub@gmail.com







FOODBANK



FREE Foodbank program at Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre!

Open Tuesdays & Thursdays 10am - 2pm

No proof of Centrelink payment required.

1 Foodbank visit per household, per week. Limits may apply on some items.

For more information contact Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre (PNC) on 5156 0214 or email info@pnc.vic.edu.au

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