



Coburg West Primary School

Friday 15TH September 2023

CWPS ACTIVITY CALENDAR		
DATE	ACTIVITY	DETAILS
Monday 2 nd October	Start of Term 4	11 ½ Weeks of learning!
Friday 6 th October	Colour Run	Prep to Grade 6
Wednesday 18 th October	Special Photo Day	Grade 6
Thursday 19 th October	Prep Transition 2024 - Play & Stay	9.30am – 10.30am
Thursday 26 th October	Prep Transition 2024 - Session 1	9.15am – 10.30am
Wednesday 1 st November	Prep Transition 2024 - Session 2	9.15am – 10.30am
Monday 6 th November	Curriculum Day	Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 7 th November	Melbourne Cup	Pupil Free Day
Thursday 16 th November	Prep Transition 2024 – Session 3	9.15am – 10.30am
Monday 20 th November	Grade 2 Bush Day	8am to 6pm
Friday 15 th December	Meet the Teacher	11.45am – 1.15pm

VICTORIAN TERM DATES FOR 2023			
	START	ENDS	LAST DAY DISMISSAL
TERM 3	Monday 10 th July	Friday 15 th September	2:30pm Dismissal
TERM 4	Monday 2 nd October	Wednesday 20 th December	1:30pm Dismissal

Dear Parents

What an amazing term it's been. Term 3 has been action packed and I hope everyone is taking a well-deserved breather! We can look back on so many highlights – Grade 4 Camp, the Shore Reserve Showdown, the Writers Festival were some of my highlights.

As I said at assembly on Friday I am very grateful to our staff at Coburg West for providing so many great experiences for our students. Not just the quality teaching and learning that happens but the extra opportunities as well. The talented athletes had their chance to compete against the best in the Inner North and our panning week was enhanced by great hands on learning opportunities like pasta making. Dr Petersen is currently visiting our sister school in Milan.

It was also a brilliant way to finish off term listening to the first performance of our junior drum band – amazing job on your first show everyone. Also the Rock Band really impressed – a huge thanks to Ryan W and Ms Caulfied for getting them performance ready – so much talent in this year's crop! As usual our drum band end our assemblies and it is such a rousing way to begin the holidays.

One brilliant achievement that I wanted to share with the community was the work of Will B and Lucas B in the Maths Talent Quest. I hope some of you saw their work shared at assembly but I am thrilled to say Congratulations! These talented young students have been chosen to represent Victoria in the National Maths Talent Quest. Over 460 entries from over 55 schools. A maximum of one entry from every year level, from each category is chosen to represent the state. National judging is hosted by MASA in 2023 and judging is currently taking place, with the expected completion this week. Representatives from each state participate in the judging, and each investigation is judged multiple times. We wish them the best of luck.

We are hoping that everyone reading this has created their account – see info below:

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CWPS COLOUR RUN!

When: Friday 6th October 2023

Where: Shore Reserve

What is the purpose of the day?

Initiated by the passion of 2 students, Estelle K. & Marcus K, CWPS is organising this Colour Explosion Fun Run to support the Alannah & Madeline Foundation (and Variety Australia). If you haven't already created a profile and/or started donating go to australianfundraising.com.au and start today.

What do children wear on the day?

Students can come to school in casual dress and wearing a white top.

Please be mindful that the colour run chalk may stain clothing and shoes, so old clothing is recommended to be worn. It is also recommended that families bring old sheets or towels to lay in their cars if they are driving children home who have run through the coloured chalk.

Is any help needed?

YES! Please sign up to help on the day at the following link <https://signup.com/go/oivpUpG>

Below is an outline of the day, please note that these are the suggested run times however we could be either running ahead or overtime so please allow some flexibility if you wish to attend. All families are welcome!

TIME	ACTIVITY
8:50am – 10:30am	All students at CWPS for activities in their classrooms.
10:30am – 11:00am	Early RECESS
11:00 – 11:45am	Students prepare to walk to Shore Reserve.
11:45 – 12:00pm	Whole School Launch of the Colour Run
12:00 – 12:30pm	ROTATION 1
12:30 – 1:00pm	ROTATION 2
1:00 – 1:30pm	LUNCH at Shore Reserve
1:30 – 2:00pm	ROTATION 3
2:00 – 2:15pm	Teachers, Families & Friends Run (if there is chalk remaining)
2:15 – 2:30pm	Students can be dismissed from Shore Reserve if they are collected by a parent and signed out by: Grade Prep, 1 & 2 – Mark Colagrande Grade 3 & 4 – Patricia Amerena Grade 5 & 6 – Dan Copping
2:30pm	Students not dismissed from Shore Reserve will commence their walk back to school
2:45pm – 3:25pm	LUNCH Play Time in the yard
3:25 – 3:30pm	Students will move to their line up spaces and be dismissed when the home bell rings.

	ROTATION 1	ROTATION 2	ROTATION 3
Grade 2 Grade 1 Grade Prep	COLOUR RUN! 1x lap	TEACHER-LEAD ACTIVITY Shore Reserve North Playground	TEACHER-LEAD ACTIVITY Shore Reserve South Playground
Grade 3 Grade 4	TEACHER-LEAD ACTIVITY Shore Reserve South Playground	COLOUR RUN! 2x laps	TEACHER-LEAD ACTIVITY Shore Reserve North Playground
Grade 5 Grade 6	TEACHER-LEAD ACTIVITY Shore Reserve North	TEACHER-LEAD ACTIVITY Shore Reserve South	COLOUR RUN! 2x laps

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	Playground	Playground	
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Again we look forward to the whole community coming together to have fun and raise money for a brilliant cause.

Please enjoy the holidays if you are taking a break. Enjoy the footy, the Royal Melbourne Show or just some time to relax and be with loved ones. I know my break is going to be slow paced after such a busy term! Thanks to everyone for their support in my time as Acting Principal in Mark's absence. We are looking forward to seeing him next term!

Happy holidays everyone

Dan Copping

CWPS VALUES CERTIFICATES

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Grade	Student	Value	Student	Value	Presented by
Prep Y	Dot	We Are Learners	Louis	We Are Respectful	Ms. Youla
Prep L	Eve	We Are Learners	Hendrik	We Are Respectful	Mrs Lebon
Prep S	Clementine	We Are Learners	Chloe	We Are Respectful	Ms Zschunke
1D	Max	We Care About Each Other	Ellie	We Are Learners	Mr Peric
2C	Zayn	We Are Learners	Ada	We Care About Each Other	Ms Cavoli
2F	Sebastian	We Care About Each Other	Jaxon	We Are Learners	Ms Fonte De Vos
2N	All of 2N	We Care About Each Other	Lily	We Are Learners	Stefan
3B	Anna	We Are Learners			Ms. Blackman
3R	Tayla	We Are Learners	Clyde	We Are Respectful	Mr Robinson
3S	Huon	We Are Respectful	Sebastian	We Are Learners	Mrs Spiteri/Mrs Pavich
4K	Freddy	We Are Learners	Maggie	We Are Learners	Mr Krauss
4K	Edie	We Care About Each Other	Patrick Niamh	We Are Respectful We Are Learners	Mrs Lebon & Mrs Saville
4M	Niamh	We Are Learners			Ms McKenzie/Ms Corn
4P	Alexis	We Are Learners			Ms Preston
5M	Alvie & Gemma	We Care About Each Other	Yasir	We Are Learners	Ms Mardesic
5R	Natasha	We Care About Each Other	Lani	We Are Learners	Mrs Rigby
5T	Stephanie & Stefan	We Are Learners	Avielle	We Care About Each Other	Mr Torpey
6A	Grace	We Are Learners	Sam	We Are Respectful	Mr Aitken
6F	Nasia	We Are Learners	Violet	We Are Learners	Ms Franco
6R	Penelope	We Care About Each Other	Callum	We Are Learners	Mrs Rigby

CWPS GOOD CITIZENS These students are acknowledged and thanked by their House Captains for being Good Citizens by exhibiting positive behaviours which reflect our School Values.

	8 th September	15 th September
Green House	Jett Prep L	Alice 6A
Red House	Andre 2N	Erol 4M
Gold House	Zac Prep Y	Reyaansh 3S
Blue House	Beadie 3R	Panos 5T

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WOW!
**The 2023 Premier's
Reading Challenge
has officially ended for
this year.**



What an **AMAZING** journey we have had! Over 5000 books have been read across the school and a wonderful, new, CWPS record breaking **92 students** committed to this challenge throughout the year and successfully completed it.

We are all so proud of you!

Remember that although this challenge is over, don't stop reading, continue to immerse yourself in the magic of books.

Over the next few weeks, I will be busily calculating who has read the most books in each grade and I will announce the winners of those lucrative Premier's Reading Challenge badges when the certificates arrive later in Term 4. In the interim, celebrate your success, it's a great achievement.

Patricia Amerena
English Leading Teacher



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CWPS Community Group News

What's happening in term 4

SEPTEMBER

- **NOW - Mangoes** - available to order on Qkr now until the **24th October**. *Delivery in early December*

OCTOBER

- **2nd Oct - Big Hamper Raffle** - a new fundraising idea that gets everyone involved! See compass and/or FB for the information about what your grade is donating!
- **6th Oct - Crazy Camel Artwork** - online ordering will be available for 2-3 weeks, *delivery mid to late November*
- **9th October - Scholastic** - Christmas Edition! Get all your book orders ready for Christmas. **Orders open until 23rd October** for late November delivery.
- **14th Oct - Referendum BBQ** - volunteers needed for final event. Sign up here - <https://signup.com/go/AAVNRJd>
- **21st Oct - Big Night Out** - tickets available via Qkr now (\$30pp includes drink on arrival and DJ entertainment) - our big fundraiser for 2023 so get your tickets now. Raffle and Silent Auction on night.

NOVEMBER

- **13th Nov - Gnoccheria Drive** - orders open for 3 weeks and will be delivered to school first week in December

Dates for the Diary Community Meetings

October - 7.30pm (Coburg RSL)

Get involved

ecwpscg@gmail.com or join the
[Facebook group](#)

Big Night Out

FEATURING LIVE SET BY
CWPS RESIDENT DJS DAVE-JACQUES-VU

Saturday 21 October 7.30pm

Parkview Function Room
Pirana Park, 19 Harding St, Coburg

Parents only social event + major school fundraiser
LIVE AUCTION | RAFFLES | PRIZES

Tickets on Qkr \$30 includes entry + drink on arrival + more!

wear a touch of sparkle

Italian - Grade 5 & 6 Pasta Making Activity



This week in Italian we participated in a fun pasta making activity. We learned how to make pasta from scratch. We went into the OSCH (Out of School Hours) building and got into groups of four.

We started by watching a demonstration from Mrs Di Vincenzo and Mrs Petersen on how to make the dough. First, we put una tazza di farina (one cup of flour) and un uovo (one egg). Then we kneaded the dough by pressing it in the palm of our hand, and slowly adding in un po d'acqua (a little bit of water). Next we rolled it through the pasta machine a few times until it was thin. Then we threaded it through the machine to shape the pasta into fettuccine or spaghetti. We then placed the pasta in a zip-lock bag and added a pinch of flour so the strands did not stick.



The pasta was then ready to be taken home and cooked. We are all so excited to take the pasta home and add our own favourite sauces. We all very much enjoyed this pasta making activity. A big thank you to the parents Sabrina (Alessio A's mum), Peter (Eric B's dad), Karen (Maudie A's mum) and Josephine (Rose and Lucy B's grandmother), but most of all Mrs Di Vincenzo and Mrs Petersen for organising this super fun activity.

By Mila R, Florence H, and Priscilla L, Grade 6R Italian Students.

Short story competition

Creators of all ages are invited enter the 2023 Merri-bek Libraries short story competition

Write a story in 500 words or less, or
recorded in 3 minutes or less

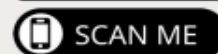
Your story can be about anything, your only
guideline is that the story includes the word
library

Entries close 8 October
Winners announced 31 October
Great prizes to be won!

Entry details

Pick up an entry form from any
Merri-bek library, scan the QR
code or check the library website.

merri-bek.vic.gov.au/libraries



Merri-bek Language Link

Italiano	Italian	9280 1911	Türkçe	Turkish	9280 1914	普通话	Chinese (Simplified)	9280 0750
Ελληνικά	Greek	9280 1912	Tiếng Việt	Vietnamese	9280 1915	National Relay Service: 13 36 77 or relayservice.com.au		
عربي	Arabic	9280 1913	ਪੰਜਾਬੀ	Nepali	9280 0751			

INNER NORTH MORELAND ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIP 2023



The INM Athletics Championship was held on Wednesday the 6th of September at the Meadowglen International Athletics Track Epping. The weather was sunny and the students were super excited to test their skills in either field or track events. The 15 students from Coburg West P.S did an amazing job representing our school in this competition.

They all performed extremely well and achieved some very good results. Students who finished in first or second place will have an opportunity to go through to the next stage of competition at the Northern Metropolitan Regional Athletics Championship held on Wednesday 11th of September. We had three students who achieved these results: Estelle K- Long Jump, Angelique L- Shotput and Felix V- Discus. I will let the students know of their opportunity once other details have been finalised.

It was fantastic to see so many parents and caregivers at the track supporting the athletics team. Congratulations to all participants and well done on representing the school to such a high standard.

Chris Harvey
Sports Coordinator
Coburg West Primary School



Grade 4 Camp Report

On the 21st of August, 60 excited Grade 4's and 8 well rested teachers ventured off to Mt Evelyn Recreation Camp. The excitement in the build up was palpable, with a total of 832 questions asked in the three pre-camp meetings. Notable questions included:

- *Do I need pyjamas?*
- *What happens if I wake up at 3am?*
- *Will there be pancakes?*
- *Do they make spaghetti like my parents?*

They did in fact make spaghetti bolognese on the first night but the jury is still out on whether it lived up to the home made favourite! There were however no complaints about the extensive supply of food, with the students being treated to breakfast, morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea, dinner and dessert each day. They would need this sustenance to tackle the 6 outdoor activities on offer. The giant swing was a favourite in which the students did an incredible job to challenge their fear of heights and push themselves outside their comfort zone. The fly fox and crate stack added more opportunities to be harnessed up and in the air. Low ropes was made all the more entertaining by one group singing their way around the course! Incredibly, all the teachers survived archery in which several bulls-eyes were scored. Bike skills was a huge hit in which the camp staff created an environment for the students to extend their skills.

All Grade 4 students should be congratulated on their exceptional behaviour. The teachers were proud of the way Coburg West's values were upheld across the entire 3 days. The camp environment was energetic and inclusive - a resounding positive experience!

- *Isaac Krauss*





Some words from Grade 4's!

Seb - The Spaghetti Bolognese was amazing!

Maggie - I thought I would fall asleep at dinner but the excitement of camp kept me awake

Martha - I loved sitting around the camp fire with marshmallows

Zara - It was a great experience for all the kids and teachers!

Evangelia - IT WAS THE BEST!!

Freddy - When I pulled the rope on the giant swing I thought it snapped!

Samuel - When I woke up it was so weird to see all of my friends in one room!

Georgia - Camp was so fun I want to do it all over again

Noah - When I heard the teacher's footsteps I went straight to bed!

Eve - The giant swing was so fun

Maddie - I felt like I was going to laugh so hard when I saw Mr Krauss lying on the floor half asleep in the morning



Doris Blackburn
Preschool



DORIS BLACKBURN PRESCHOOL

COMMUNITY FETE

Sunday 17th September

11am - 3pm

20 WOODLANDS AVE

PASCOE VALE SOUTH

Come join us for:

★ CHILDREN'S CRAFT STALLS

★ FACE PAINTING

★ RAFFLES

★ VARIETY OF FOODS & DRINKS

★ AND LOTS MORE...



PLEASE NOTE PARKING WILL BE EXTREMELY LIMITED!

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FOOD FESTIVAL

22-23-24 SEP 12:00PM - 9:00PM



WEEKEND BREAKFAST 9:30AM - 12:00PM

TURKISH FOOD - GÖZLEME - TURKISH BEVERAGES - JUMPING CASTLE - FACE PAINTING - ANIMAL FARM

CAMPBELLFIELD MOSQUE 46-48 MASON STREET CAMPBELLFIELD 3061



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OPEN DAY

JOIN US ON THE 23RD OF SEPTEMBER
TO SEE OUR STUDENT FACILITIES AND
HAVE ONE-ON-ONE Q&A SESSIONS WITH THE
COLLEGE LEADERSHIP TEAM FOR
ENROLMENTS IN 2024 & 2025

23 Sep 2023

11:00AM - 1:00PM

03 9077 7066

44 MASON ST, CAMPBELLFIELD 3061

Open day will be followed
up with a food festival

Tram network upgrade

Stage Two – Melville Road, between Cumming Street, Brunswick West and Braemar Street, Pascoe Vale South

August 2023

Update 3

Department of Transport and Planning (DTP) and Yarra Trams regularly carry out maintenance and renewal work across the tram network to improve operations and passenger experience. We have replaced the tram tracks on Melville Road, between Fitzgibbon Avenue and Albion Street during Stage One of our works. We thank the community for their patience while we made the tram network safer.

Stage Two works are continuing. Melville Road, between Cumming and Braemar streets will continue to have disruptions until 19 September, including a full road closure.

New information – We are installing underground cables at the intersection of Reynard Street and Melville Road. See the last page for more information.

	Early works	Major works
When	9pm to 5am, continuing until Friday 8 September 2023 (Sunday to Thursday nights only)	(24-hour works) – Stage One: Between Fitzgibbon Avenue and Albion Street – Complete. – Stage Two: From 9pm, Friday 8 September to 5am, Tuesday 19 September 2023 between Cumming and Braemar streets.
What's happening	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Setting up site and traffic management. – Identifying underground services through non-destructive digging and taking core samples of the road and tramway. – Installing new poles and removing old redundant poles. – Delivery and welding of rails. – Installing site sheds. – Reinstating the site. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Setting up site and traffic management. – Delivery and welding of rails. – Excavation of old and installation of new road surface and tram tracks. – Power and pole renewal. – Kerb to kerb fencing. – Installing traffic signal. – Road and line marking. – Reinstating the site.
What to expect	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Nightly lane, intersection and parking closures on Melville Road between Cumming and Braemar streets. – Mostly medium levels of noise during the night. Some high levels of noise. – Vehicles, trucks, machinery and contractors on site. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 24-hour works. – Full kerb to kerb road closure and fencing of Melville Road. – Extremely high levels of noise. – Detours for bike riders, pedestrians and traffic. – Service changes to Route 58 trams.



For more information visit:

[Melville Road, Brunswick West and Pascoe Vale South Tram Track Works - Yarra Trams](#)