



**It's tHAT time of year again, don't forget to bring your hat to school!**

## Warragul & District Specialist School Newsletter

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# DATES TO REMEMBER

## OCTOBER

### Tuesday 11th

- Dr Sari Hayllar school appointments
- School Council Meeting

### Friday 21st

- Seniors - Echo Basketball Cup

### Friday 28th

- Crazy Colour Day & Lunchtime Disco

## NOVEMBER

### Tuesday 1st

- Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday

Welcome back to term 4.

It was wonderful to see students return to school excited to catch up with friends and staff. Many students shared their holiday news with each other, while others just smiled in delight to see a familiar friend or staff member.

School programs commenced this term in full swing with many students heading straight out of the school on work skills programs and other excursions. It was exciting to see students getting straight back into learning and eagerly engaging in their school program upon their return. Lots of buzz bucks were handed out in acknowledgement of their hard work.

Please remember that during first and fourth term our school follows sun smart practises. Please ensure that your child has a suitable sun smart hat to wear when outside and is dressed appropriately on sunny days. Staff will assist students to apply sunscreen when going outdoors and will monitor that your child is getting an appropriate amount of liquid. Please provide a suitable water bottle for your child to use at school.

I hope that fourth term is a wonderful term of learning and development for your child!

**CANTEEN IS ON THIS WEEK - PLEASE NOTE MENU CHANGES FOR TERM 4!**

*Matt*



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Phil has been instrumental in establishing All Abilities Tennis with the Warragul Tennis Club. It is a wonderful program and the kids get so much enjoyment from it. If you would like further information please contact Phil on the number listed below.

# All Abilities Tennis Warragul Tennis Club



Warragul Tennis Club  
Burke St, Warragul



Every Wednesday  
beginning 5th of  
October, 2022



4:00pm - 5:00pm



\$5 per session



Contact Phil on  
0423 245 036 for  
more information



A fantastic opportunity to participate in an inclusive tennis program. Previous Tennis experience is not required to come and have a go.



# MIDDLE SCHOOL

Middle school ended Term 3 by coming together and having a swing at a lolly-filled pinata, which had been made by Room 20.

We wore blindfolds and were spun around before having a go. We were sure to be safe!

- *Sandra*



# SENIORS

It was a beautiful sunny day for our first day back for Term 4 and our Senior Baw Baw Skills group got off to a great start!

This week features the Plumbing Trade Skills group. Today's focus was measuring and cutting steel sheets into circles, squares, triangles and rectangles. We learnt to use the tin snips, hammer and anvil, drill and pop rivet gun. We were all very pleased with our work!



- Liz



# SENIORS

Yesterday the senior Landcare group travelled to the far eastern fringes of the Baw Baw shire and completed part of the Thompson to Erica rail trail. The purpose of these bushwalks as part of Landcare is to build geographical knowledge of our local environment and to participate and engage with community facilities. This walk also tested the student's stamina and resilience after the school holidays.



The trail started at Thompsons' railway station and continued above the Thompson River. Max, Pippa and Zeth kept going despite their exhaustion and finished the walk with smiles on their faces. Nathan kept an eye on the other students and showed great compassion and Josiah, Dylan, Isaac, Marcus and Seth all finished a bit muddier but with plenty of energy.

Over the next few weeks on the days that we are not doing our volunteer work we will be catching trains and buses to practise reading timetable and using our Myki cards. The students are to bring their own Myki cards and money to practise topping it up and tapping on and off. We will again explore different parts of the Baw Baw shire.

- Phil





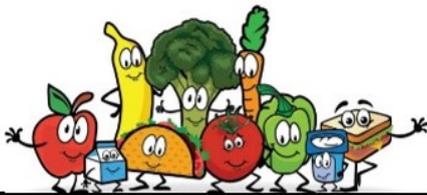
# STUDENT Awards

## We are Safe, Respectful Learners!



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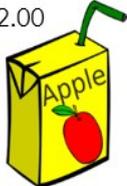
For talking to peers and staff in a **RESPECTFUL** manner.



## School Canteen Order

Term 4 2022 (Thursdays)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Room / Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

FOOD - Please tick		DRINKS - Please tick	
<input type="checkbox"/> Party Sausage Rolls (2) - \$2.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Tomato Sauce 	<input type="checkbox"/> Party Pies (2) - \$2.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Tomato Sauce 	<input type="checkbox"/> Strawberry Milk \$ 2.50 	<input type="checkbox"/> Apple Juice \$ 2.00 
<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken Nuggets (6) - \$4.00 	<input type="checkbox"/> Dim Sims (3) - \$2.50 <input type="checkbox"/> Soy Sauce 	<input type="checkbox"/> Chocolate Milk \$ 2.50 	<input type="checkbox"/> Orange Juice \$ 2.00 
<input type="checkbox"/> Fried Rice - \$5.00 	<input type="checkbox"/> Frog in a Pond \$1.50 	<input type="checkbox"/> Icy Pole \$0.50 	<input type="checkbox"/> Cupcake \$1.00 
			<b>Total: \$ _____</b>  <b>Enclosed: \$ _____</b>

### Our Commitment to Child Safety

Warragul & District Specialist School is committed to safety and wellbeing of all children and young people. This will be the primary focus of our care and decision-making. Warragul & District Specialist School has zero tolerance for child abuse.

Warragul & District Specialist School is committed to providing a child safe environment where children and young people are safe and feel safe, and their voices are heard about decisions that affect their lives. Particular attention will be paid to the safety of children with a disability as well the cultural safety of Aboriginal children and children from culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds.

Every person involved in Warragul & District Specialist School has a responsibility to understand the important and specific role he/she plays individually and collectively to ensure that the wellbeing and safety of all children and young people is at the forefront of all they do and every decision they make.