

Guthrie Street GAZETTE

9th November 2023

Message from Mr B!

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students,

We hope this newsletter finds you well and filled with anticipation for the exciting events lined up for the end of this year. We have a lot to cover in this edition, so let's dive right in.

Year 5 Phillip Island Camp: November 15th - 17th

Firstly, we are thrilled to announce the upcoming Year 5 Phillip Island Camp, which is scheduled to take place from November 15th to November 17th. This immersive camp experience promises to be an incredible opportunity for our Year 5 students to build lasting memories, foster new friendships, and engage in a range of exciting outdoor activities. Our dedicated teachers have put together a program that balances education and adventure, ensuring a fantastic experience for all participants. Parents, please ensure that all necessary payments and compass approvals are submitted promptly, as we approach this highly anticipated event.

Year One Activity Evening: Thursday, November 16th

We invite our Year 1's to join us on Thursday, November 16th, for the Year Activity Evening at our school. There will be some exciting activities onsite for our Year 1's.

Year Two Sleepover: Thursday, November 16th

On the same night our Year Two's get the opportunity to sleep over at school. This is a great Segway into our camping program which starts in Year 3. It is a great opportunity to build some resilience and independence in preparation for Billabong Camp in 2024.

More details regarding the Year One Activity Evening and Year Two sleepover can be found on Compass.

Class Structures for 2024

Planning for the future is essential, and we are already making preparations for the academic year 2024. We are currently working on creating class structures that will foster a positive and engaging learning environment for your children. The class structure for 2024 will be:

3 X Foundation
4 x Year 1
3 x Year 2
3 x Year 3
3 x Year 4
5 x Year 5/6

Parent Requests in Writing to Mr. B

In our ongoing commitment to serving the best interests of our students, we encourage parents to voice their concerns, suggestions, or any specific information about their child in writing to Mr. B that may help with class placements for 2024. This is NOT a platform for parents to be able to pick teachers for their child, but the more information we have, will help us to create safe and inclusive classes.

Warmer Weather Tips

With the arrival of the warmer season, it's important to ensure your child is well-prepared for the weather. Here are a few tips to keep in mind:

Dress your child in comfortable and weather-appropriate clothing.

Apply sunscreen to protect their skin from the sun's rays.

Encourage them to stay hydrated by bringing a water bottle to school.

Ensure their hat is on hand every day.

Remind them of sun safety practices, such as seeking shade during recess.

Finish the Year Strong

As we approach the end of the school year, we encourage our students to finish strong. This is the time for final tests, projects, and reflections on what they have achieved. We believe in the potential of each student and want them to strive for success in all their endeavors. Remember, hard work, works.

Mr. B

Reminders

Wednesday 15th-Friday 17th November- Yr 5 Phillip Island Camp

Thursday 16th November- Yr 1 Activity Night & Yr 2 Sleepover

Tuesday 21st November- Yr 5 Leaders Day

Thursday 23rd November- Kinder/Foundation Transition

Thursday 30th November- Foundation Activity Night

Tuesday 5th December- Yr 5 Aspirations Day

Thursday 7th December- Christmas BBQ

Friday 8th December- Yr 6 Melbourne Train trip

Tuesday 12th December- 2024 Orientation Day

Thursday 14th December- Yr 5/6 Murchison Pool

Friday 15th December- Last Assembly

Monday 18th December- Yr 6 Graduation

Tuesday 19th December- Foundation Concert

Wednesday 20th December- Last Day of School for 2023, 1.30pm finish

EQ Award Winners

The following students received their Emotional Intelligence Awards at Assembly on Friday 27th October.

EMF	Syrus Keenan	Self-Motivation
EPF	Riley Chircop	Self Awareness
JNF	Hunter Groves	Building Relationships
CGF	Indi Cann Jeremi Mugenyi	Building Relationships Self Motivation
12H	Elsie Kane	Empathy
12V	Lee-Roy Huthmann & Harlow Longmore	Empathy for others
12O	Jameson Winters Alba Borrman	Ability to build relationships Self Motivation
12P	Jack Savage	Self Motivation, Self Control
12W	Reid Montgomery	Self Motivation
12K	Olivia Rath	Self-Motivation
34C	Brodie Crouch	Self-Motivation and Empathy
34M	Rukaiah Saleh	Self Motivation
56C	Jake Davis	Self-Awareness
56Y	Jordan Carter	Self-Motivation & Self-Control
56R	Max Bridgeland Deagan Fitzgerald	Self Motivation
56P	Nevaeh Simcoe	Self Motivation
56J	Ben McCole	Self Control



Specialist Award Winners

These students received the specialist awards at assembly on 27th October.



GSPS SECOND-HAND UNIFORM DRIVE



Our supplies have depleted.
Please donate any second-hand uniforms
all sizes
but particularly small sizes for our 2024
Foundation students



**Drop off
at the
School
Office**

**BEFORE
20TH
November**

CPSTB CC & SMCU CC present

PINK STUMPS LADIES AFTERNOON

November 18th, 3p.m. to 6p.m.

Shepparton Bears FC rooms

Dress code: Pink

Entry: \$20 per ticket



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Where: 2 Wanderers lane
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Weekend

Cartoon Fun Workshops

The best fun program ever!

For children 4 - 15



Shepparton: Saturday November 18th - Sunday November 19th Launceston: Saturday November 25th - Sunday November 26th



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Saturday: 10am - 2pm / 2pm - 6pm / 6pm - 9pm Sunday: 10am - 2pm

\$39 per class

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EARLY BIRD

Book before 4.30pm Monday November 6th for the Early Bird Special.

Book all 4 classes (1, 2, 3, 4) & we'll give you child 4 Cartooning Books worth \$48. Books given at the program.

Enquiries: 8.30am - 4.30pm (EST)
Call 02 9343 0833 for the best price on the phone

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bookings@cartoonkingdom.com.au
www.illustrating-man.com.au
 Mail: Suite 2, 29 Newland St, Bondi Junction 2022

Bookings

- Go to: www.illustrating-man.com.au
- Click the **Cartoon Workshop** button on the home page
- Select: **Shepparton** or **Launceston**
- Covid-Safe
- Working with Children Checks
- A professional cartoonist will be running the program
- All art materials included

Dates & Venues

Shepparton
 Saturday November 18th - Sunday November 19th
 Gowrie Street Public School
 1-19 Gowrie Street, Shepparton Victoria

Launceston
 Saturday November 25th - Sunday November 26th
 Max Fry Memorial Hall
 60 Gorge Road,
 Trevallyn Launceston Tasmania

The Cartoon Programs have come back to Launceston & Shepparton

Weekend Cartoon Holiday Workshops

Shepparton: Sat Nov 18th - Sun Nov 19th Launceston: Sat Nov 25th - Sun Nov 26th

Class 1: Saturday 10am - 2pm

- **Theme:** Hawaiian. Wear anything colourful & tropical. Prizes for the best dressed.
- **Draw:** A 3D beach tropical island.
- **Draw:** A frog, snake & a turtle.
- **Play:** The exciting game 'Charge'.
- **Coral reef:** Draw life in the sea.
- **Draw:** Animated fruit & vegetables.
- **Competition:** Design a candy packet. Win USA candy!
- **Kids in the kitchen:** Make mocktails & decorate doughnuts.
- **Crazy science show:** With the mad Professor!
- **Balloon squishies:** Play the squishy game.
- **Face painting:** Get your face painted.
- **Make:** A tower with marshmallows & spaghetti.
- **Competition:** Design & win a sports watch.

Class 2: Saturday 2pm - 6pm

- **Theme:** Messy clothes & hair. Prizes for the 'worst' dressed.
- **Kids on wheels:** Bring in your scooters.
- **Play:** The Pivata game.
- **Draw:** Australian animals.
- **Draw:** A dragon & a castle.
- **Make:** Clay model food.
- **Enjoy:** Delicious Skittle S'mores.
- **Treasure hunt:** Find the treasure in the park.
- **Slime:** Make fun green gooey oobleck slime!
- **Play:** The shaving cream battle if you want to!
- **Draw African animals:** A giraffe, meerkat & an elephant.
- **Play:** Harry Potter™, Pokémon™ & Star Wars™ trivia for prizes.
- **Pokémon™:** Draw popular characters & trade your cards. Bring your Pokémon cards.

Class 3: Saturday night 6pm - 9pm

- **Theme:** Dress in dark clothes for murder in the dark.
- **Dress™ Challenge:** Guess the flavour while blind folded.
- **Play:** Sock wrestling 'Nerf gun' style.
- **Play:** The Indiana Jones™ Adventure game.
- **Draw:** Cute manga animals.
- **Draw:** Mario™, Minecraft™, Sonic™ & Yoshi™.
- **Competition:** Design a city from the future.
- **Nerf gun battle disco:** Bring in your nerf guns & goggles for a safe battle & disco.
- **Play:** Murder in the dark! An exciting game with balloons.

Class 4: Sunday 10am - 2pm Market Day - best class!

- **Theme:** Computer Games. Prizes for the best gaming costumes.
- **T-Shirt Art:** Design a T-Shirt. We'll supply the T-Shirts.
- **Draw:** Farm animals.
- **Draw:** Anime & Manga.
- **Draw:** Realistic people.
- **Draw:** 3D dinosaurs.
- **Flour battle:** Join in.
- **Design:** A car from the future. Win prizes.
- **Enjoy:** Hit & miss fruit jelly tastings - it's all the craze!
- **Waterfight:** Weather permitting. Bring a watergun.
- **Kingdom Markets:** Everyone prepares a shop for Market Day. Make cookies, sell old toys, books, etc... the children buy & sell using Kingdom money they have earned over the weekend. We'll give the children \$100 Kingdom dollars
- **Greatest Showman™ Talent Show:** Perform if you want to - singing, dancing, gymnastics, comedy, acting, etc...prizes for best act.



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Guthrie Street Primary School



About the program

TheirCare provides adventurous and stimulating Before & After School Care Programs in a safe environment for all children. During sessions children develop life skills, friendships, confidence and creativity through play.

Guthrie Street Primary School has partnered with TheirCare to provide this service to your school which includes quality care, booking flexibility, amazing programming for your children and commitment to deliver on our promise to your school community.

Operation Times	Fees	Out of Pocket	Average ^A
Before School Care 6:30am – 8:45am	\$20.00	\$3.00 - \$20.00	\$3.00
After School Care 3:15pm - 6:00pm	\$24.00	\$3.60 - \$24.00	\$3.60
Pupil Free Day 7:00am – 6:00pm	\$70.00	\$10.50 - \$70.00	\$10.50
Holiday Program 7:00am – 6:00pm	\$70.00	\$10.50 - \$70.00	\$10.50
Late Booking Cancellation Fee	Within 48 hours	\$5.00	
Cancellation Fee	Same Day	Full Fee	See BSC/ASC

Service Phone Number: 0497 781 120 Your service coordinator will be available during session times. TheirCare support is available during office hours if required on 1300 072 410

How to Enrol

Visit TheirCare website: www.theircare.com.au and click on 'Book Now' in the top right hand corner to register your child's details.



Want \$500 to help you with school costs?



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- ✓ Be studying yourself **OR** have a child in school (can be starting school next year)
- ✓ Have regular income from work (either yourself or your partner)*
- ✓ Be 18+ years old

*Many types of income and Centrelink payments are eligible

Here are some of the school costs the \$500 can be used for:



For more information, please contact your local Saver Plus coordinator:

Richard Pemberton
 enquiriesSP@berrystreet.org.au
 0407 567 312

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Guthrie Street Primary School

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