

# Guthrie Street GAZETTE

5th June 2025

## Message from Mrs Grumley!

Dear Parents,

### Odd Socks Day

Odd Sock Day will be celebrated **tomorrow**. This day is in recognition of 'It's ok to feel a little odd some days!'. Every day at school counts for students. We understand some days are a bit harder to 'get going', some days we don't feel like ourselves or we just can't quite pinpoint what is happening inside of us.

'Odd sock day' is about reflecting on those times when we feel a bit out of sorts but can show resilience to persevere and come to school. Wear odd socks on this day to stand with others to say it's 'ok' to feel a bit odd, tomorrow will be better.

### Respecting Our Neighbourhood on the Way Home

It's important that we all show care and respect for our neighbourhood when walking home. Please remember not to touch other people's letterboxes or go onto their property and **never approach dogs behind fences** - even if they seem friendly. Staying on the footpath and being aware of our surroundings helps keep everyone safe and shows kindness to our local community. Let's all do our part to walk home safely and respectfully.

### School Uniform

Please remember to name your child's jumper so it can be returned to them! The weather has turned cold, and the mornings are rather fresh! This also means that by recess jumpers are taken off and left lying around on the ground. The lost property cupboard is almost full of unclaimed jumpers. If you are missing a jumper, get your child to check this cupboard.

### Long Weekend

Monday 9th June is the King's Birthday holiday and Tuesday 10th June is a Curriculum Day for students. The teachers will come to school on Tuesday to enhance their professional knowledge in reading comprehension.

## **Celebrating 100, 200 and 300 Reading Nights**

Just a friendly reminder to fill in your child's reading log each night. When students reach a reading milestone of 100, 200 or 300 reading nights they get to choose a book to keep. 'The more that you read, the more you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go. -Dr Seuss

Take Care,  
Angela Grumley

## **Calendar - Upcoming Events**

### **JUNE**

Friday 6th - Odd Socks Day

Monday 9th - NO SCHOOL: PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Tuesday 10th - NO SCHOOL: CURRICULUM DAY

Friday 13th - Regional Cross Country in Benalla | Year 5 Beechworth Excursion

Wednesday 18th - 2026 Foundation Tour, 11:30am | Year 3 Local Excursion visits

Friday 20th - Foundation Riverlinks Excursion

Tuesday 24th - 2026 Foundation Tour, 11:30am

Wednesday 25th - 2026 Enrolments Due

Friday 27th - Last school assembly, 2:30pm

Monday 30th - Student Reports available on COMPASS from 4pm

### **JULY**

Friday 4th - Last day of Term 2, school finishes at 2:30pm

Sunday 6th - Bunnings BBQ



ON THE LOOKOUT  
WE DO THE RIGHT THING  
BECAUSE THE RIGHT THING IS  
THE **BEST** THING TO DO!

We use this closed statement with our students to remind and to recognise when they make great choices.

It is a quick beginning and end behaviour we do and don't want to see continuing.

For example, in the school yard if kids are climbing on the poles a quick statement is "We do the right thing because the right things are the best things to do".

EQ Award Winners  
Friday 23rd May



JNF	Koah groves	self motivation and self control
NWF	Jack Minogue	self motivation
JPF	Arlo Annett	Self Motivation
1EP	Angus Naughton	Self Motivation
1LC	Tayla Cheong	Self Motivation
1JC	Lyra Walkden	Self Motivation
2LK	Riley Chircop	Building Relationships/ Self Motivation
2PP	Declan Scott	Building Relationships
2GP	Charlie Rath	Self Motivation
2MN	Mia Depuit	Self Motivation
3HD	Eli Adornato	Self Motivation
3GL	Bella White	Self Motivation & Self Control
3PH	Archer Rawlings	Self Motivation
4RM	Hagai Hatangimbabazi	Self Motivation & Self Control
4CJ	Logan Johnson	Empathy
4KT	Ashden Sims	Self Motivation
5CH	Freya Simpson	Self Motivation
5JH	Ellie Ross-Bowles	Empathy & Ability to build relationships
5JM	Ruby Clarke	Empathy
6GN	Moses McIntosh	Self Motivation
6AP	Indianna Linder	Self Motivation
6NR	James Swan	Building Relationships/ Self Motivation

ART: Kyisha Dennison 4KT

AUSLAN: Heba Chkhaydem

Friday 30th May





JNF	Ned Looby	self motivation
NWF	Jaylem Spencer	Self- Motivation
JPF	Phoenix Fantig	Self -Motivation
1EP	Vihana Chandubatla	All Pillars
1LC	Scarlett Owins	Self Control
1JC	Mia Polkinghorne	Self Motivation
2LK	Ashmeet Kaur	Self Motivation
2PP	Isla Crosby	Self Motivation
2GP	Emerson Don	Self Motivation
2MN	Walt McIntosh	Self Awareness
3HD	Odessa O'Shea	Self Control
3GL	Jeremih Williams	Self Motivation
3PH	Lucas Dignall	Self Motivation
4RM	Mila Freer	Self Awareness, Self Control & Self Motivation
4CJ	Harry Biram	Self Motivation
4KT	Khobe McCrimmon	Self-Motivation
5CH	Oliver White	Self-Motivation
5JM	Ebrar Khan	Self Motivation
6GN	Phoenix Cirillo	Self Motivation
6AP	Harper McCoy	Building Relationships
6NR	Jayden Fowler	Self Motivation

CREATIVE ARTS: Emmasyn McMellon

ART: Vienna O'Donnell

AUSLAN: Zara Robinson

## Fast 5 Player of the match award

These awards go out the standout players who demonstrate exceptional skills, teamwork, determination, and respect out on the court.





## In Other News





# ODD SOCKS DAY 6th of June

Wear odd socks to  
express that we all feel a  
little  
'odd' sometimes 😜😜



## NO SCHOOL

**MONDAY 9TH JUNE 2025**

**TUESDAY 10TH JUNE 2025**

# Lost Property Reminder

Currently our lost property cupboard is overflowing with lots of lost property items including jumpers, hats, drink bottles etc.

We kindly ask if you are missing an item to please come in and check the lost property section. We also kindly ask that you name your child's clothing and other items.

If unnamed items aren't collected from the lost property section within the next couple of weeks all unclaimed items will be donated to our second-hand uniform shop.







**GUTHRIE STREET  
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

## Parent Helpers at Guthrie Street Primary School

Parents can be involved in the following events throughout the year:

- School Council
- Parents Association
- Reading in class
- Working Bees
- Weekend Sports
- Christmas BBQ
- School Sports Days
- Bunnings BBQ fundraisers
- Fete
- Fun Run
- School Excursions
- Attending Assemblies
- Mother's Day / Father's Day stall
- School Camps

All volunteers must have a valid  
Working with Children's Check for  
any interactions with students.

Children whose parents volunteer at school often create a sense of belonging and connectedness that is conducive to positive behaviours, effective engagement and higher self-esteem



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## GSPS School Tours for 2026 Foundation Students

We are currently taking bookings for NEW FAMILIES only for Foundation Students that are commencing in 2026.

To book a school tour, please call the office on 58 211 944.





**SCHOOL TOURS  
FOR 2026  
FOUNDATION STUDENTS**

**TERM ONE**  
 Tuesday 18th March 2025, 10am  
 Wednesday 26th March 2025, 11:30am  
 Thursday 3rd April 2025, 10am

**TERM TWO**  
 Tuesday 29th April 2025, 11:30am  
 Wednesday 7th May 2025, 10am  
 Thursday 15th May 2025, 11:30am  
 Tuesday 27th May 2025, 10am  
 Thursday 5th June 2025, 10am  
 Wednesday 18th June 2025, 11:30am  
 Tuesday 24th June 2025, 11:30am

**BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIALS**  
 Groups of 10 (maximum)  
 03 5821 1944  
[guthrie.street.ps.shepparton@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:guthrie.street.ps.shepparton@education.vic.gov.au)

## Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF)

### Submitting an application

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) system is open for schools to enter applications from 29 January 2025. Parents/carers wishing to apply for CSEF payments for 2024 must submit their application form to the relevant school **before 28 June 2025**.

However, a parent/carer will only be required to submit an application form to the school in the following circumstances:

- the parent/carer is applying for the CSEF payment for the first time – i.e. an application form was not lodged with the school in the previous year, or
- circumstances have changed – for example, there has been a change in the care arrangement of the student, a change of name or CRN, or a new sibling has started at the school and the parent/carer wishes to apply for the CSEF payment for the new sibling also.

Where a parent/carer is not required to submit a new application, schools can rollover/copy the previous year's application on the CSEF system to the current school year.

### Application forms

Schools are able to accept and process applications up until 28 June.

- [Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund application form 2025 \(DOCX\)](#)

Applications are also available at our school office.

### **If there's shared custody**

The CSEF system only allows one application per student. Where there are parents/carers in shared custody situations (who both hold a concession card) the parent/carer who submits the eligible card first will be the parent/carer who is to receive the payment.



**NO SCHOOL ON THESE DATES**

**Friday 4th April -  
Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews; no formal school**

**Monday 21st April - Easter Monday**

**Friday 25th April - Anzac Day**

**Monday 12th May - Curriculum Day**

**Monday 9th June - Public Holiday**

**Tuesday 10th June - Curriculum Day**

**Friday 1st August - Student Led Conferences, no formal school**

**Monday 3rd November - Curriculum Day**

**Tuesday 4th November - Public Holiday**

**FURTHER DETAILS WILL BE POSTED ON  
COMPASS & OUR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER**







**GUTHRIE STREET P.S**

## **EVENTS FOR TERM 2**

**SAVE THE DATES**

21st April	NO SCHOOL - Easter Monday
22nd April	Term 2 starts
23rd April	Year 4 Polly Woodside/Immigration Museum
25th April	NO SCHOOL - ANZAC Day
29th April	Foundation 2026 Tour 11:30am
30th April	Fun Run
1st May	School Photos
7th May	Foundation 2026 Tour 10am   Interschool Cross Country
8th May	Mother's Day Stall
9th May	Mother's Day Breaky
12th May	NO SCHOOL - Curriculum Day
14th May	Grandparents/Parents/Special Friend Day 9am-10am
15th May	Foundation 2026 Tour 11:30am   Year 6 Bendigo Science Trip
16th May	Division Cross Country
20th May	Year 1 Kyabram Fauna Park
23rd May	Division Footy/Netball/Soccer Championships
27th May	Foundation 2026 Tour 10am
5th June	Foundation 2026 Tour 10am
9th June	NO SCHOOL - Public Holiday
10th June	NO SCHOOL - Curriculum Day
13th June	Regional Cross Country Benalla
18th June	Foundation 2026 Tour 11:30am
24th June	Foundation 2026 Tour 11:30am
27th June	Last Assembly 2:30pm
30th June	Student Reports available on COMPASS from 4pm
4th July	Last day of Term 2, finish at 2:30pm   out of uniform day
6th July	Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser

Please note: events can change so please ensure you keep up to date on COMPASS

## Upcoming Events

### **Become a Berry Street foster carer**

In our community, some children are not always able to live with their family.

Become a foster carer and support a local child at a crucial moment in their life.

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### Bookings now open!

	Monday - Friday Hours of Operation	Fees before Child Care Subsidy*	Out-of-pocket fees after Child Care Subsidy**
Before School Care (BSC)	6:30 AM to 8:45 AM	\$22.95	\$2.29
After School Care (ASC)	3:15 PM to 6:00 PM	\$27.54	\$2.75
Pupil Free Day	7:00 AM to 6:00 PM	\$80.33	\$8.03
Holiday Program***	7:00 AM to 6:00 PM	\$74.60	\$7.46

\*Standard fee costs before Child Care Subsidy / \*\*Standard fee costs after maximum Child Care Subsidy / \*\*\*Standard fee costs excluding incursions/activities

#### Cancellation Fees

(No Child Care Subsidy applied to Cancellation Fees)

**BSC/ASC within 48 hours** of session start time: **\$5.00**

**Holiday Program within 5 days** of session start time: **\$10.00**

Same day cancellation fee is out-of-pocket session fee.

#### Late Booking Fees

(Child Care Subsidy is applied to Late Booking Fees)

**BSC/ASC within 48 hours** of session start time: **\$5.00**

**Holiday Program:** book less than **5 days** from the session start time fee is **\$10.00**

#### Late Pick-up Fees

(Child Care Subsidy doesn't not apply to Late Pick-up Fees)

**\$1 per minute** after service close time.

To register visit [theircare.com.au](http://theircare.com.au)



**Service Phone number:**  
0447 781 110

Your service Coordinator will be available during session times.



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on 1300 072 410 or [info@theircare.com.au](mailto:info@theircare.com.au)

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and **ANZ will match it up to \$500.**

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18 years  
or older



A regular  
income  
(you or your  
partner)



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workshops



Are studying  
yourself or  
have a child  
at school, or  
starting next  
year



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Saver Plus was developed by ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is delivered in partnership with The Smith Family and Berry Street.  
It is funded by ANZ and Department of Social Services.

For more information, please call Community Liaison Bek Warrenner on 0417 307 406 or [enquiries@berrystreet.org.au](mailto:enquiries@berrystreet.org.au)



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## Guthrie St 2nd Hand Uniform Shop

If you would like any pre-loved Guthrie St uniforms please ring Ronika on 0458 281 833.





## Guthrie St IRON ON TRANSFERS

Iron on transfers are now available from the School Office.  
Red for Polo Shirts and Blue for windcheaters - \$2.50 each



### Guthrie Street Primary School

Please contact the office if you have any queries. You can also follow us on Facebook and Instagram @guthriestreetps

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