

## TERM DATES

2021

T1: 28 JAN- 1 APRIL

T2: 19 APRIL-25 JUNE

T3: 12 JULY-17 SEPT

T4: 4 OCT- 17 DEC

## EVENTS

### TERM 1

#### THURS APRIL 1ST

Early dismissal –

2.00pm

Assembly 1.45pm on  
the deck.

School finishes at

2.00pm.

### TERM 2

Friday 14th May -

School Photo day.

Online ordering only.



# Aireys Inlet Primary School Newsletter

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Week 8

## Principal's Report Jennifer Abel

It is with excitement that I share with you the news that last week I became a Grandmother for the first time. There is something special watching your own son hold his own son! Time goes so quickly. It seems like yesterday Jed was at Primary school. Treasure every day.

My holidays will be filled with lots of Grandy cuddles of Alvey Zander.



We are also excited as we await the birth of Glen Hurst and Holly's first child, due in the second week of the holidays. It is likely that Glen will take the first 3 weeks back as Paternity Leave as he supports his wife and settles into family life. We wish them the very best and look forward to the news of the birth. Lisa Speed will replace Glen in his absence.

Last week, we all joined in the fun to watch Glen try his skills at nappy changing. He was a star, beating us mothers in a timed nappy change. The students cheered him on, which was possibly the advantage! I had to admit I was a bit rusty!

## Principal's Report cont



Sophie Delaney will also be on leave for the first 3 or possible 4 weeks of term 2. Sue Brown will replace Sophie during this time.

Both Glen and Sophie will be planning the curriculum with Lisa and Sue to ensure a smooth transition into term 2.

### District Swimming News

Congratulations to Leo and Jude Trigg who represented our school and the Region in the Swimming Championships yesterday. Both boys competed in Breaststroke events and were competitive against a very challenging field.

### Rupert Server- Tennis News

Rupert will be competing in a national tennis competition during the holidays. He was telling me he will be playing with Leyton Hewitt's son. Rupert will get the chance to play against the top Junior players in Australia. We wish you the best of luck Rupert, we know you will do great!

### Baby and Toddler Bluearth / Playgroup

In term 2, we will be launching the Surfcoast Bluearth/Playgroup on alternate Tuesday mornings after drop off. Mitch will facilitate a Bluearth session with Baby and Toddlers for 30 minutes and afterwards the spare classroom will be transformed into a fun play space where the youngsters can access a selection of engaging toys borrowed from the Anglesea Toy Library.

This program is open for our school families and friends in the wider community.

**The first session will be held at 8.45am on Tuesday the 27<sup>th</sup> April (week 2, term 2).**

**If you are interested in attending or have friends that are interested, please let me know by emailing me at [Jennifer.Abel@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:Jennifer.Abel@education.vic.gov.au)**

# Principal's Report cont

## Do you have the skills that could support our School Council Subcommittee's or Working Party groups?

Last week School Council met and established the subcommittees, Finance, Education and Policy and Buildings and Grounds. This year we will be establishing the following Working Parties and are looking for parents with expertise to join the team.

Sustainability

School Promotion

Solar Panels

Grants

If you would like to join one of these groups. Please express your interest by emailing me.

Your input would be greatly appreciated.

## 2021 Curriculum and Pupil Free Days

Term 2- Tuesday June 15<sup>th</sup> (after Queens Birthday long weekend)- Focus Student Welfare and Term 3 Planning

Term 3- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> August, Combined Schools Curriculum Day- Focus Mathematics

Term 4- Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November. Report Writing Day

## Easter Egg Hunt

The students had a great time today finding counters hidden in the yard to exchange for eggs. Thank you to the many parents who donated Easter Eggs and who also came to assist. On behalf of the very happy students, I would also like to thank Miss Sophie and the Student Voice Team for organising such a fun event.



# Principal's Report cont

## **School Photo Day - Friday 14th May**

Our school photo day is Friday 14th May. Our school photo's are once again being photographed by Leading Image. This years school photo's ordering system will only be available by ordering online. It is very simple to do and we will be sending home a brochure explaining how to order your school photo's early Term 2. Please speak to the office if you need any extra information.

Have you seen our new Preppies 2021, as advertised in the Geelong Advertiser Tuesday, March 30th.



Thank you to Michelle Vernieux for taking this photo and also to Bern Snowden for sending this photo into us.

## **Happy Holidays**

Term 1 has come and gone so quickly. Just a reminder that school finishes at **2.00pm TOMORROW**. There will be a brief assembly at 1.45pm on the deck. Everyone is welcome to attend. On behalf of the school, I wish you all a fantastic Easter and holiday break.

# Merri (P/1) - Clare

One of the highlights of the past two weeks for the Prep/One class has been the annual visit from Harold and the Life Ed Van. The students were very excited to meet him and participate in a number of hands on activities that promoted a healthy lifestyle. Jasmin the presenter, was very impressed with the knowledge and healthy habits the students are already practicing, and here are some of the recounts that followed.....



# Merri (P/1) - Clare



Yay! Harold is here. We learned the food wheel. I love Harold. Harold had a long neck.

By Ned



Hooray! Harold was here at school. I was excited. Harold was going to be fun. I love Harold. Harold is the best.

By Zara



Harold the giraffe came to visit our class.

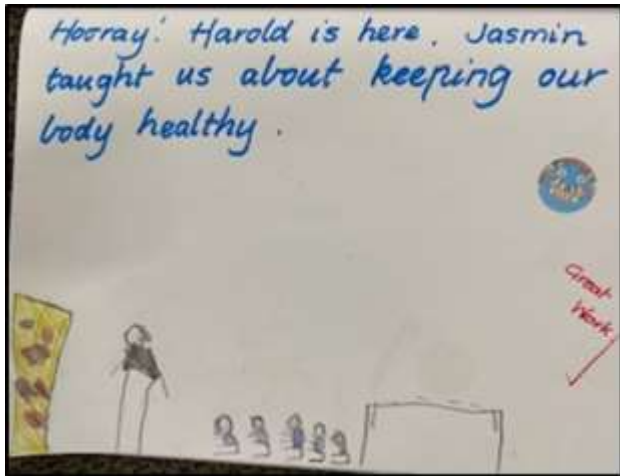
By Isabel



Yay! We saw Harold. He taught us how to eat healthy food.

By Nika

# Merri (P/1) - Clare



Hooray! Harold is here. Jasmin taught us about keeping our body healthy.

By Alby



Harold the giraffe came to school.

By Sunny



Harold is at school and the lady came in to the classroom and we went to the library and then we went back into our classroom and we saw Harold. Hi Harold and the lady!

By Ahki



Yay! We saw Harold. He taught us how to eat healthy food.

By Nika

# Yaluk (2/3) Glen

## Indonesian Scavenger Hunt

On Tuesday all students participated in an Indonesian Scavenger Hunt. They worked together in multi-age groups to find questions about Indonesian geography, animals and culture hidden around the school and then researched answers to each question.

We will announce the winners at our end of term assembly on Thursday.





# Yaluk (2/3) Glen cont.



# Warri and Yern 4/5, 5/6 Sophie, Laura and Cec

Warri & Yern

Sophie, Laura & Cec

Warri students have been working extremely hard on their Inquiry topic – Someone Else’s Shoes. Students worked collaboratively to research different disabilities such as Muscular Dystrophy, Epilepsy, Vision Impairment, Hearing Impairment, Autism Spectrum Disorder and Cerebral Palsy. After learning about their chosen disability, students then presented their research in creative ways using different technology like iMovie, Keynote and Garage Band, alongside practising their public speaking skills. I am extremely proud of everyone’s efforts and the amount of knowledge and respect they have shown towards people with disabilities and disorders.

The Yern students have been working hard to finalise their Term 1 assessment tasks. In Maths, they are having a lot of fun using their measurement, design and budgeting skills to create their “Dream Bedroom”. Sensible shopping choices have given some students a bit of leeway in their budgets for some really **COOL** luxury items. How does a bar fridge in your bedroom sound?

On the 18<sup>th</sup> of March, some of our Warri and Yern students competed in the SSA soccer. Our girls won 3 out of 6 games and our boys made it to the grand final undefeated, where they came in silver to Winchelsea. Well done on an amazing effort everyone!!



# P-6 Awards

<b>22nd March</b>	<b>CLASS AWARD</b>	<b>SWPB AWARD</b>
Merri (sun) P/1	Isabel Brubaker	Ahki Scoullar-Greig
Warri (sea) 4/5	Felix Thompson	Coco Byrne
Yern (moon) 5/6	James Heaton	Hannah Mitchell
<b>29th March</b>		
Merri (sun) P/1	Grace Wakeman	Jarli Scoullar-Greig
Yaluk (river) 2/3	Charlie Thompson	Lola Pesenti
Warri (sea) 4/5	Evie McCann	Jude Yorke
Yern (moon) 5/6	Malia Lawson-Moore	Zara Kelly

# School Community



**LJ & DELLY SAY  
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INTO  
IT!**

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# School Community



YMCA KIDS GO BUSH NATURE PLAY TEAM PROUDLY PRESENTS

## SURF COAST OUTDOOR ADVENTURE KIDS

*an outdoor school holiday day camp*

**A DIFFERENT ADVENTURE EVERYDAY!**

From mud pits to mountain bikes & canoeing to cubbies...



### **Come Once, Come Twice or More**

SOAK Does Skate - (Age 6-12) - April 6th

SOAK Day Camp (Age 6-12) - April 7th, 8th

SOAK Does Paddle (Age 6-12) - April 9th

SOAK Day Camp (Age 6-12) - April 12th, 13th

TEEN SKATE CLINIC (Age 11 plus) - April 8th

When: 9 am - 3:30pm

Cost: \$70 BYO Lunch

**Nature Play Week Celebrations - Family Bushwalk 10th & Workshops 15 & 16 April**  
Bug Hotel, Crown & Basket Weaving, Forrest School Tools, Fire & Camp Cooking

\$25 per Family - info online

**ALL Bookings Online, call 52619692 or [kidsgobush@ymca.org.au](mailto:kidsgobush@ymca.org.au)**

<https://ymcavic.venue360.me/public/events/homepage>



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**KIDS GO BUSH**



Health and Human Services

# School Community

## **SCHOOL HOLIDAY** **Eco Crafts for Kids & Teens**

### **FUN, CREATIVE AND MINDFUL CRAFT WORKSHOPS**

Crafting new items from repurposed materials

Examples might include making dream catchers from scrap material and yarn, pouches from old bike tubes, keep sake boxes from magazines, scrunchies from fabric.



### **AIREY'S INLET COMMUNITY HALL**

Fri 9th April

KIDS: 9:30-11:00am

TEENS: 11:30-1:00pm

Fri 16th April

KIDS: 9:30-11:00am

TEENS: 11:30-1:00pm

### **ANGLESEA COMMUNITY HOUSE**

Tues 6th April

KIDS: 9:30-11:00am

TEENS: 11:30-1:00pm

Tues 13th April

KIDS: 9:30-11:00am

TEENS: 11:30-1:00pm

### **Booking online essential**

Spaces are limited so book your slot early!

[www.artandhealing.com.au/book-online](http://www.artandhealing.com.au/book-online)

All equipment supplied

Kids 6-11 year olds, Teens 12+ year olds



# School Community

**STORYTELLING, DANCE, ART, MEDITATION**

**CLASSES ARE PLAYFUL, CREATIVE, FUN AND MAGICAL!**

contact: [info@artandhealing.com.au](mailto:info@artandhealing.com.au)



Weaving original music and stories with mindful meditation, breath awareness, expressive movement and art while nurturing children on inner journeys of self-enquiry, self-discovery and self awareness.

A Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) program, designed to assist children aged 5-9 with lessons, tools and skills that will help them to navigate life's challenges with greater understanding (of themselves and others), and greater resilience.

Classes follow the same format each week (story, dance, art, discussion) but focus on a different theme and learning experience.

### **Term 2 2021**

9 week program.  
Weekly during school terms.

### **Venues**

Airey's Inlet Hall  
Mon 3:00-4:30pm

Anglesea Community House  
Wed 4:00-5:00pm

### **Cost:**

\$180 per child

### **Bookings**

Numbers are limited and online bookings essential.  
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