

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Hi Everyone,

At the end of term, I will be leaving Gladstone Views Primary School. I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you very much for having me as your Acting Principal. Gladstone Views Primary School is such an amazing school and I thank you for all your wonderful support over the past two years.

Your Acting Principal for Term 3 will be Sebastian Naselli. Sebastian is very experienced and is the perfect person for the job.

We also say goodbye to Mr Trent Crane. Mr Crane has worked at Gladstone Views Primary for the last 7 years. It has been such a pleasure working with Mr Crane and on behalf of the whole school community, we thank Mr Crane for his dedication, passion, commitment and outstanding work and we wish him all the very best.



Assessment and Reporting

This week you will receive your child/ren's report. It's important time to stop, reflect and celebrate their successes in learning. As I read through the reports I was struck by the individual strengths of our learners at Gladstone Views PS and how eloquently the teachers conveyed their unique knowledge of each child. It was a highlight to read about all the different ways our students make our school a special place and those who take an active role in improving our school.

Three Way Conferences

As advised in last week's COMPASS Newsfeed, the Semester 1 Three Way Conferences will take place on **Tuesday 12th July 2022**. This will be a Pupil Free Day (students not permitted to come to school). Students are only to come to school for the Three-Way Conference with their parent/carer. Parents and Carers can book their meeting times through the COMPASS App which has already gone live. Families will have the option to have a face-to face meeting or an online meeting.

End of Term Arrangements

A reminder that the last day of Term 2 is on **Friday 24th June at 2:20pm**. After Care will commence from 2:20pm to 6:00pm. Our end of term assembly will commence at **1:30pm** in the gym and all parents/carers are invited to attend. Term 3 commences on **Monday 11th July**.

Foundation 2023

Already, we have had a lot of enquiries about enrolments for **2023** and already we have 43 enrolments for Foundation 2023! If you know someone who lives in Gladstone Park and is interested in our school, please ask them to telephone the school office to book a place on one of our tours.

If you already have children at our school and have a Foundation student for next year, please make sure you come and collect the enrolment pack so we can add you to our list!!

Finally

As Term 2 draws to an end, I would like to acknowledge the amazing staff for their incredible work and dedication to their job. As you know, the teachers and Education Support Staff are amazing and I would like to thank the staff for their incredible work and for their dedication to their job.

I would also like to thank the Leadership Team, Suzy Black, Michelle Borderick, Samantha Cataggio and Michelle Rizk for their amazing hard work and for their enormous support.

The students at Gladstone Views Primary School are very unique! The last couple of years has been challenging on the students but their determination and resilience has been outstanding!

At Gladstone Views Primary School, you work together as a team and I have been very fortunate to be part of such a positive and engaging community. I wish the whole school community all the very best for the future!

Happy holidays everyone, be happy and be safe!

Belinda Karlsson
Acting Principal

School Diary Dates 2022

Last Day of Term 2- Friday 24th June 2022- Students dismissed at 2:20pm (After-Care-2:20pm-6:00pm)

First Day of Term 3-Monday 11th July 2022



This term the Year 2 students have been learning about Design Technologies, in particular how plants and animals are grown for food, clothing and shelter and how food is selected and prepared for healthy eating. On Tuesday the 7th of June we visited the Collingwood Children's Farm. Students got the chance to observe and interact with some of the animals while learning about the food and fibre products that they provide us with. Students learnt to use correct terminology for the animals and understand how some products are altered for human use.





During the term, Students had a visit from St John's First Aid in Schools Program.

Our Foundation and Year 1 students saw how Johnny Bear identifies an emergency, puts the Danger, Response and Send for help strategy into action and helps call 000. Students learnt the first aid chant that will help them remember what to do in an emergency.

The Year 2 Students learnt how to spot DANGER in an emergency, RESPOND accordingly and SEND for help. They were guided on what number to call and acted out scenarios to get them comfortable calling 000 in real life.

The Year 3/4's revised 'DRS' which involves assessing for dangers, obtaining a response and calling Triple Zero. Then focused on learning how to check airways and breathing and how to place a patient into the recovery position. Students had the opportunity to apply the knowledge they learnt through an interactive game based on the DRSAB action plan.

The 5/6's revised DRSAB and learnt a practical CPR component, guiding students through how to perform CPR and when it is required in a First Aid situation. Students then participated in group problem-solving scenarios based on a variety of first aid situations allowing them to apply their knowledge.





ITALIAN DAY **WEDNESDAY 3rd AUGUST**

Dear Parents and Carers,

The time has finally arrived! GVPS will be celebrating Italian Day on **Wednesday 3rd August (Term 3 Week 4)**. It will be a sport theme, so you have the holidays to think of an outfit to wear! It could be dressing up in the Italian sport colours (*azzurro* (light blue) and *bianco* (white)) or an Italian sport/character outfit (Eg. Soccer, Rocky Balboa, etc) or even the Italian colours (*verde* (green), *bianco* (white) e *rosso* (red)). The poster attached to this Newsletter explains all the activities and timetable planned for the day, including cannoli making, playing bocce, Italian Art and lots more, including a pizza and gelato lunch! Parents/Carers are welcome to attend student performances in the gym from 9:15-10am and the Incursion show 'Dammi il Cinque' at 2:20pm in the gym.

Order forms for the pizza and gelato lunch will be sent home on **Monday 11th July** (first day of Term 3) and need to be returned to your classroom teacher by **Thursday 21st July**.

Have a great holiday and looking forward to celebrating Italian Day next term!

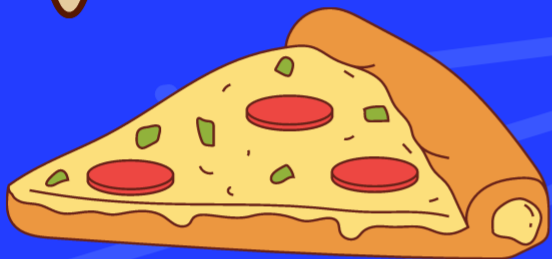
Laura Marcucci

Italian Teacher



GVPS ITALIAN DAY

WEDNESDAY 3RD AUGUST 2022



DRESS UP IN THE ITALIAN SPORT COLOURS (LIGHT BLUE AND WHITE) OR AN ITALIAN SPORT OUTFIT (SOCCER, FORMULA 1 ETC).

YOU CAN EVEN DRESS UP IN THE ITALIAN COLOURS (GREEN, WHITE AND RED!)

9:15AM - 10AM ~ STUDENT PERFORMANCES (GYM)

10AM - 11AM ~ ART ACTIVITIES WITH PRIZES! (CLASSROOMS)

12PM - 1PM ~ CANNOLI MAKING (CLASSROOMS)

1PM - 2PM ~ BOCCE GAMES (CLASSROOMS OR OUTSIDE)

2:20PM - 3:20PM ~ DAMMI IL CINQUE ITALIAN INCURSION (GYM)

PLUS!

PIZZA AND GELATO LUNCH

TEACHER VS STUDENT SOCCER MATCH AT LUNCHTIME (3-6)

ITALIAN RELAYS AT LUNCHTIME (F-2)

PARENTS/CARERS WELCOME TO ATTEND STUDENT PERFORMANCES AND THE ITALIAN INCURSION IN THE GYM. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP OUT IN THE CLASSROOM, PLEASE EMAIL YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER

Description of activities:

Eagles Basketball clinics	Basketball tricks, games & skills.
Swim fun and games	Fun times in the water.
Bricks for kids (lego fun)	Get creative with loads of lego.
Kayak fun and games	Fun in the water with our Kayaks.
Singstars	Learn the basics of singing.
Hume Tennis clinic	Technique, skills and fun with Hume Tennis club.
Inflatable fun times	Fun times in the pool with our large inflatable.
Raised salt painting	Creating a master piece you can take home using salt..
Taekwondo Just for fun	A fun and exciting introduction of a Taekwondo class.
Hip Hop Dance fun	Learn basics of hip hop in a safe environment.
Soccer clinic	Learn new skills and moves.
AFL clinic	Enhance skills and make friends in our fun AFL clinic.
Craft Fun Times with Deb	Creating art using paper and other objectives.
Basketball clinic	Basketball and games galore.
\$3 slide fun	Enjoy some time on our fun slides.
\$2 pool entry	Come in and have some fun times in the pool.

Children under 5 years:

Must be accompanied into the centre and the water by a responsible parent guardian (16 years or older) and must stay within arm's reach before and after aquatic programs have finished and during any recreational play activities. **Must** wear a pink wrist band that will be provided upon entry at reception.

Children under 10 years:

Must be accompanied into the centre by a responsible parent/guardian (16 years or older) and constantly actively supervised. Parents/guardians must position themselves to have a clear view of the child with no physical or structural barriers between them and the child/children and must wear a yellow wrist band that will be provided upon entry at reception.

* Inflatable fun times and Kayak fun & games children must be 7 years and over.



Children 5 to 13 years

Price : \$12 per activity

Date	Time	Broadmeadows Aquatic and Leisure Centre (BALC)	Sunbury Aquatic and Leisure Centre (SALC)	SPLASH Aqua Park and Leisure Centre (SPLASH)	Craigieburn Sports Stadium (CSS)	Things to remember - *Drink bottle *Art smock for craft and food activities. *Swimming attire and towel for all water activities *Comfortable attire for all sporting activities
Mon 27 June	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	Hip Hop Dance Fun Kayak fun and games	Inflatable fun times Hip Hop Dance Fun	\$2 pool entry Swim Fun and games		
Tue 28 June	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	\$2 pool entry Bricks for kids (Lego fun)	\$2 pool entry Taekwondo Just for fun	Kayak fun and games Taekwondo Just for fun	Eagles Basketball clinic	
Wed 29 June	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	Hume Tennis clinic Swim fun and games	Craft fun times with Deb Inflatable fun times	\$2 pool entry Craft fun times with Deb	Hume Tennis clinic	
Thur 30 June	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	Kayak fun and games AFL clinic	Swim fun and games Raised salt painting	\$3 slide fun Singstars		
Mon 4 July	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	Swim fun and games Soccer clinic	\$2 pool entry	Swim fun and games \$3 slide fun		
Tue 5 July	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	Inflatable fun times Basketball clinic	Bricks for kids (Lego fun) \$2 pool entry	Swim fun and games Bricks for kids (Lego fun)	Eagles Basketball clinic	
Wed 6 July	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	Raised salt painting Taekwondo Just for fun	Swim fun and games	Kayak fun and games Hip Hop Dance Fun	Soccer clinic	
Thur 7 July	10am to 11.30am 1pm to 2.30pm	Kayak fun and games Singstars	Singstars \$2 pool entry	Kayak fun and games Raised salt painting		

ALL BOOKINGS AND PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE by the 24 June 2022 onsite or via online portal

<https://envibe.hume.vic.gov.au/Course/Enrol>

KEILOR PARK SOCCER CLUB

LITTLE EAGLES SEMESTER 2



GIRLS & BOYS | 16TH JULY - 1ST OCTOBER



Keilor Park Soccer Club welcomes expressions of interest from boys and girls for Semester 2 of the 2022 Little Eagles program - a fun and safe introductory program designed for new players between the ages of 4 - 7 years.

The Program runs on Saturday mornings kicking off at 9.00am and our coaches facilitate activities which guide on the core and foundational soccer skills in a fun environment.

If your child is excited to expand their skills or keen to start their soccer journey, this is the time, all are welcome!

First session is FREE!

**SCAN THE QR CODE TO
REGISTER**



or send us an email with your details at info@KeilorParkSoccerClub.com.au





HUME LEISURE CENTRES

FREE COMMUNITY SPLASH DAY

Join in the fun at SPLASH Aqua Park and Leisure Centre for a fun filled **FREE** afternoon to start off the school holidays.

- * Water Slides
- * Aqua play
- * Kayaks
- * Pool Inflatables
- * Face painting
- * Elsa & Olaf visiting
- * Tim Credible the Magician
- * Active Kids Displays and Workshops on pool deck
- * Reptile Encounters
- * Essendon Football Club
- * DJ Bruce

When: Sunday 26 June 2022
Location: SPLASH Aqua Park and Leisure Centre
Time: 2pm – 4pm
Cost: FREE



Please register your attendance via Eventbrite:
<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/active-hume-free-community-splash-day-tickets-336914840357>



Positive Start in 2022: FREE holiday camps

Dear parents and carers

During the past 2 years, the COVID-19 pandemic has meant that many students have missed out on the opportunity to experience outdoor activities in an organised, social and supportive environment.

The Victorian Government is committed to supporting the health and wellbeing of all children and young people, and is offering the chance for eligible students to attend a free camp program as part of the Positive Start in 2022 initiative, during the 2022 school holiday periods.

Free camps for eligible students

Camps are a great way for young people to build confidence, experience new activities, learn leadership skills, connect socially and make new friends.

Holiday camp programs can range from single overnight experiences to spending several nights away.

While on camp, your child may enjoy a range of social and adventure activities which could include team challenges, bush walks, orienteering, hut building, cooking, bush walks, painting with nature, rope courses, abseiling and canoeing. Camp providers will make every effort to ensure they are accessible to all students and will list their facilities and supports available on the Positive Start website.

Express your interest today

Places are limited, so if you are interested in this opportunity for your child or children, register your interest as soon as possible.

For further information, including how to register, visit:
<https://vacsddata.educationapps.vic.gov.au/PositiveStartHolidayCamps/>
or scan the QR code.



Please also refer to the Holiday Camp Information below.

Once you register your interest, the Department of Education and Training will send you more information about available programs and how you can secure a booking.

Find out more

For further enquiries about the Positive Start holiday camps or to register your interest, contact positivestart@education.vic.gov.au

Kind regards

Stephen Fraser
Deputy Secretary
School Education Programs and Support
Department of Education and Training

HOLIDAY CAMP INFORMATION

Which students are eligible for free holiday camps?

Students who meet one or more of the following criteria are eligible to attend a free holiday camp:

- attend a school that experienced closures of 5 days or more due to a positive COVID-19 case or close contact in 2021
- have an approved [Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund \(CSEF\)](#) application for 2022
- have a parent who holds a valid means-tested concession card (for example a Health Care Card, Job Seeker, Newstart Allowance, Disability Support Pension)
- are in out-of-home care (temporary or permanent)
- have a disability
- are from a refugee background
- are indigenous students
- are in the [Navigator program](#)
- are young carers.

When are the holiday camps?

The holiday camps will run in the 2022 school holidays — Term 1 (April), Term 2 (June/July) and Term 3 (September) 2022.

How much does it cost?

These camps are completely free of charge to eligible families. It will not cost you anything for your child to attend the camp. Most of the camps can organise transport from central locations however, for some camps, parents may need to provide transport for their child. Specific information regarding transport will be supplied by the individual camp providers.

How old does my child need to be?

Students in years 3 to 12 from the start of 2022 school year can attend holiday camp programs.

Will my child get to go with their friends?

Your child may be able to go on camp with their friends if they book to go to the same camp and there are places available. However, please note that your child's friends may not be eligible for the Positive Start free holiday camp funding. Only eligible families may book through Positive Start. Remember, your child will also have the chance to make new friends and build relationships with students from other schools.

What types of camps are there?

There will be a list of camps from which that you can choose. Each camp will have a brief description including where it is, the length of the camp (number of days), the dates it is running, how to get there; as well as a list of activities to help you decide which camp would best suit your child.

What general safety measures are in place to ensure camps are safe for students?

Camp facilities and sites are reviewed each year and are accredited by an independent national accreditation scheme to ensure they meet best practice standards and that all students receive the best care. All camp activities are compliant with national safety standards. All staff members have working with children checks and undergo a thorough induction and checking process as part of working with the camp.

What COVIDSafe strategies are in place at camps?

All Positive Start in 2022 camps must put into place a CovidSafe plan that aligns with Department of Health and Department of Education and Training advice. This includes operating under up-to-date CovidSafe practices such as appropriate cleaning, activity design, food service and accommodation density and layouts.

How do I register my interest?

It's easy to register your interest. Simply go to the link below or scan the QR code on the right and complete the registration details. Once you have provided your email address, the Positive Start team will be in touch with more information.



<https://vacsdta.educationapps.vic.gov.au/PositiveStartHolidayCamps/>

What happens next?

Within two weeks of registering your child's interest, you will be provided with more information including a list of available holiday camps and how to book.

If you need further information about the free holiday camps before you feel comfortable to register your interest please visit the www.vic.gov.au/positivestart

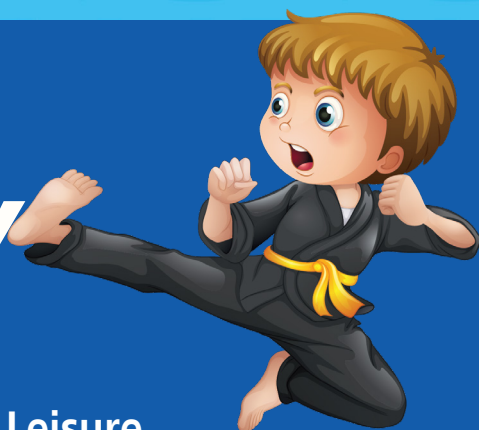
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- * Aqua Play
- * Reptile Encounters
- * Donut Decorating
- * Essendon Football Club
- * Kayaks
- * DJ Bruce
- * Kids Dry Activities

When: Saturday 2 July 2022
Location: Broadmeadows Aquatic and Leisure Centre
Time: 2pm – 4pm
Cost: FREE

Please register your attendance via Eventbrite:
<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/active-hume-free-community-fun-day-tickets-336922944597>





NAB AFL AUSKICK BURST HAS ARRIVED!

The Auskick Burst program gives kids a taste of Auskick for a fraction of the price.

For just \$55 Auskickers Burst into fun games learning the skills of AFL.
They also receive their very own footy!

Sign up for Auskick Burst today!

Visit play.afl/auskick

