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IMPORTANT DATES Term 4

Wednesday 6th November–
Kyneton Cup Day– Public Holiday

Thursday 9th to Friday 10th
November– Grade 1 and 2 Camp–
Daylesford

Monday 27th November–
Curriculum Day– Report Writing

Tuesday 28th November– School
Council meeting

Friday 15th December–
Semester 2 Reports sent home

Tuesday 19th December– Last
Day for Students– 1.30pm Finish

Wednesday 20th December–
Curriculum Day– No students

MAJOR EVENTS

Saturday December 2nd–
Combined 150th Anniversary of
Malmsbury Primary School and
Frog Bog Opening



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Malmsbury Primary School

Newsletter

Term 4 Week 4—Friday 27th October 2023

Womin-dji-ka | Welcome

World Teachers Day

Today is a day of recognition for all the amazing work that our teachers do for our school. We are so lucky at Malmsbury Primary School to have such dedicated teachers who always have our students at the core of every decision that they make and things that they do.

Our teachers are the cornerstones of education and personal development. They shape the future by equipping students with knowledge, skills, values, and the motivation to excel in life. The impact of our teachers extends far beyond the classroom and can be felt throughout a person's lifetime.

Malmsbury Primary teachers have an innate focus on our students' wellbeing. Caring for student wellbeing not only contributes to our students' emotional and mental health but also enhances their academic performance and their overall experience of education. Teachers who prioritize student wellbeing create an environment where students feel safe, valued, and empowered to succeed. Celebrating our amazing teachers on World Teachers' Day is not just about one day of recognition; it's an opportunity to appreciate and support teachers throughout the year for their invaluable contributions to society and the education of future generations. I cannot thank our teachers enough for the tireless work that they do for Malmsbury Primary School as a whole.

Combined 150th Celebration and Frog Bog Grand Opening– Saturday 2nd of December 2023:

This event has been shared on our social media accounts. We are asking all families and community members to share the event across your social media accounts as well to help reach all alumni and previous staff of Malmsbury Primary School. If you are connected to previous students and staff, please make contact and let them know of this great celebration.

We have had a number of previous students of our school make contact about providing their old photos and workbooks to display at the celebration. If you too have these sort of mementos, please make contact to organise to display your items at the celebration.

Amenities Block:

It was such an exciting time on Wednesday morning when we were finally able to take the wrapping off our new toilet block. The kids formed a guard of honour as I headed to the breezeway to cut the safety tape surrounding the block. There was a countdown to cut the tape, which ended with a huge cheer as the toilets were finally opened to the students. It was great seeing the smiling and happy faces as students investigated all the new building had to offer. It has been a much longer than expected journey, and it is now a relief for us to be at the end. There was again another cheer of excitement as we saw the portable toilets removed today.

Art Plate Fundraiser:

Thank you to all the families that have completed plate orders and dropped them off at the office. It has been wonderful to flick through the various designs and see such great creativity. I can't wait to see the final products once they arrive.

Old Sports Shed– Reusable Materials:

We have ordered the skip bin that will be arriving in the coming week to remove the remainder of materials left over from the old sports shed.

While still possible, please feel free to have a look through the pile for any items that you would like take with you.

Have a safe and happy weekend everyone and thank you for your continued support.

Travis Pool, Principal

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CLASSROOM AWARDS

Congratulations to this week's award winners— Indigo P, Christie, Elena, Siobhan, Casper, Kathryn, Paul, Teresa, and Anna



CLASSROOM MUSICAL PERFORMANCES

It was amazing watching and listening to the fantastic performances by the different classes today at assembly. Anna has worked tirelessly with the students supporting and guiding them to have the confidence to perform. I have loved hearing the growth in the students from the music room. Congratulations to the students for their entertaining performances.



AROUND THE CLASSROOMS

Grade P/1:

This week in Prep/One room we have looked at fractions in maths. We worked really hard on them and can spot fractions in our environment. Sandwiches are cut in half or quarters, a rectangle is half a square, our pencil caddies are divided into thirds. Check out the photos of our fractions below!



Grade 2/3:

In Writing this week in the Grade 2/3 classroom, we have started learning the process of persuasive writing. We have had a look at how rhetorical questions, emotive language, hyperbole's (exaggeration), modality (expressing how definite we are about something) and comparative and superlative adjectives can improve our writing and help us persuade someone to see our point of view. Next week we will dive deeper in to how to structure our persuasive writing and the language features we might use to voice our opinion. In Numeracy we have been learning how to identify turns and angles in everyday situations. We have been exploring quarter turns (1 right angle), half turn (2 right angles), three-quarter turns (3 right angles) and full turns (4 right angles), and how we can use these to explain direction. What a great week of learning we have had this week!

MALMSBURY PS MANGO DRIVE- 15 BOXES STILL NEEDED

Malmsbury Primary School is still selling trays of mangoes this summer. We currently need another 15 more trays to be sold to meet the minimum order number.

Money raised will be going towards further developing our playground and other areas at the school. The cost per tray is \$25.00.

To order your mangoes, please use the following link or use the QR Code below:

<http://bit.ly/mpsmangodrive>

Use the online form to fill in your details and choose the number of trays (each tray weighs 4.5kg)

You can make your payment via bank transfer to:

Malmsbury Primary School BSB: 063-093 Account Number: 10003317

Please note the school has NEW bank details. If you've previously made a payment to the school, you'll need to check.

For further information please contact weareteammalmsbury@gmail.com



THE JOURNEY OF OUR AMENITIES BLOCK

