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The Week Ahead	
Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hepburn Springs Playgroup
Tuesday	
Wednesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Environment Day
Thursday	
Friday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breakfast Club Hockey Assembly 3:00pm
Dates for the calendar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 10th June, King's Birthday Public Holiday Friday 26th June, Last Day Term 2 2:30pm dismissal

planning documents and engaging in new resources and strategies to help engage our students in mathematics.

Daylesford Childcare Centre will be using our site for their bush kinder over the coming weeks. It will be wonderful to share our beautiful grounds and provide our students with an opportunity to extend their knowledge by sharing their skills with younger students.

Chat soon,

Matt

Foundation enrolments 2025

Enrolment forms can now be submitted for 2025. Forms are due by Friday 26th July 2024. If you know someone who would like to take a tour, please encourage them to call the school to arrange a time.

Trivia Night Fundraiser

Make sure you get in and secure your tickets for what will be an evening filled with fun and laughter. All proceeds going towards the redevelopment of our front entry.

Principal Report

The term is certainly moving along at a rapid pace. We are having some grounds work completed at the moment near the grade three room and it is progressing well. The path will be there to stay with concrete sleepers, metal poles and a concrete top! Our students have been curious about the noise and action as you would expect. We had our second Sporting Schools hockey session today which was fabulous for our students. The students are further developing their skills and learning new ones along the way.

Our curriculum day was a successful one with a great deal of time spent on the new Mathematics Version 2.0 curriculum. It was a great opportunity for us to continue reading the relevant documents, making changes to our



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Trivia Night

TICKET \$25

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Saturday 22nd June, 7pm-11pm
HEPBURN PRIMARY SCHOOL HALL

Tickets via Humanitix
<https://events.humanitix.com/hepburn-primary-school-trivia-night-2024>
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Wellbeing Resources

Headspace - There are many ways we can support you in your mental health and wellbeing, and to help you navigate life's challenges. <https://headspace.org.au/>

Beyond Blue - We provide information and support for anxiety, depression and suicide prevention for everyone in Australia. <https://www.beyondblue.org.au/>

Kids Helpline – Anytime.Any Reason, Kids Helpline is Australia's only free (even from a mobile), confidential 24/7 online and phone counselling service for young people aged 5 to 25. <https://kidshelpline.com.au/>

Dolly's Dream— is committed to changing the culture of bullying by addressing the impact of bullying, anxiety, depression, and youth suicide, through education and direct support to young people and families. For further information <https://dollysdream.org.au/>

eSmart— an initiative of the Alannah and Madeleine Foundation helps schools maintain a supportive and connected community to reduce online bullying, and increase wellbeing.

<https://www.esmart.org.au/>

13Yarn - 13YARN provides free and confidential crisis support to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. You can contact 13YARN from any mobile or pay phone anywhere in Australia 24/7 to talk to a crisis supporter.

enquiries@13yarn.org.au
[13 92 76](tel:139276)

Hepburn Springs Community Playgroup

An outstanding turn out this morning for our playgroup session. A number of families and children attended and enjoyed time to play and chat. There were a number of positive comments, particularly about our facilities and grounds which was wonderful to hear. Each Monday morning 10:15-11:15am in the school hall.



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Student of the fortnight

Mrs Smart—Freddy, for demonstrating resilience and problem solving when learning new skills in Digital Technology. Keep it up Freddy!

Mr Jackson—Clem for her creative and unique approach to her writing. Clem always writes with personality about a range of interesting topics. Her stories will always result in a chuckle. Keep up the good work Clem!

Mrs Graham— Summer, for demonstrating our school value of Kindness. She is a wonderful role-model in this area, exuding positivity and inclusivity

Mr Beechey—Blake for demonstrating our values of Curiosity and Courage throughout his learning in numeracy. It is outstanding listening to you provide reasoning for your calculations and your ability to ask challenging and relevant questions. Congratulations, Blake!

Book Club

The latest edition has been sent home. Further copies are available from the office.



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SSV Soccer

There were some amazing moments such as dramatic saves, goals, dribbling runs and huge celebrations!

We went to a large park in Ballarat which had many pitches. There were group stages and knock out stages. We were knocked out in the group stage. We had three teams that we played against. The first match was a tie. The second match we lost 3-1 (Willem scored the goal!). The third match we lost 8-0. We played well and enjoyed the day out together.

Viv, Willem and Raylan.



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Sporting Schools Hockey

Hockey commenced on Friday and will continue to run for five weeks in total. It was exciting to see the students actively participate in a sport that was not necessarily familiar to them but were quickly able to showcase their hidden hockey talents.

Under the watchful eye of our fantastic coach Ed, students were shooting and passing like professionals.

“Ed was great in explaining and demonstrating how to use the equipment. The drills started off simple and then became more challenging. Ed was very helpful during the session.”

Rhyce, G4

“It was very fun. I feel excited for the next session because I feel confident enough to move faster with the ball and I feel like I have improved at stopping the ball and flicking my wrist around.”

Maybe we have future Hockeyroos or Kookaburras as part of our enrolments?



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This week we had a choice of dressing as a teacher or you could go in school uniform. Everyone participated in the parade whether they were dressed up or not. "I like how so many people dressed up" Rhyce. Everyone had a great time trying to guess which teacher they were. We were so impressed that everyone encouraged each other and cheered for one-another.

Rhyce and Summer (JSC)



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TRENTHAM DISTRICT PRIMARY SCHOOL

(formerly Trentham Primary School)

150th Celebrations

2025 marks the 150th year that Trentham District PS has been serving our community. We need volunteers to form an organizing committee to plan the celebration and make it a worthy and special occasion.

Please scan the QR code or follow the link to fill in your details if you are able to help in any way. We will be in contact with you all shortly. Thank you!

<https://forms.gle/zzN4Gcin7StA4Ra78>



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Kinship Carer Support Groups

All Carers are welcome to come and have a chat in a safe and supportive environment.

Daylesford - Thursday

- 10.30 am - 12.00 pm
- Address will be advised after registration
- 30 May, 27 June, 25 July, 29 August, 31 October and 28 November

Ararat - Tuesday

- 10.30 am - 12.00 pm
- Ararat Hotel, 130 Barkly Street, Ararat
- 6 May, 11 June, 6 August, 3 September, 8 October and 12 November

Bacchus Marsh - Monday

- 10.30 am - 12.00 pm
- Baby Black Cafe, 10 Church St, Bacchus Marsh
- 20 May, 17 June, 29 July, 19 August, 16 September, 14 October and 18 November

Ballarat - Wednesday

- 10.30 am - 12.00 pm
- NEW LOCATION - Drive Cafe, 227 Grant Street, Golden Point
- 15 May, 26 June, 24 July, 14 August, 11 September, 23 October and 20 November



To register or enquire about any of Cafs Kinship Carer Support

Groups please contact:

Sallie MacDonald
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1800 692 237

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