

# Guthrie Street GAZETTE

10th October 2024

Dear Parents,

## **Welcome back!**

I would like to extend a warm welcome back to our students, staff, and families for the start of Term 4. I hope everyone had a wonderful break and are ready for the exciting and eventful term ahead.

## **Hat Reminder**

With the warmer weather upon us, I would like to remind all students and parents to ensure they pack their broad brim hats for outdoor activities. It is crucial that we all stay protected from the sun's harmful rays while enjoying the beautiful weather.

## **Bunnings BBQ - Volunteers Required**

We are in desperate need for volunteers for the Bunnings BBQ on Sunday 20th October. Even if you could spare an hour to help that would be greatly appreciated. If you are available to help, please contact the school office on 58211944. All money that we are raising is going towards updating our school playgrounds.

## **Assembly**

Our school assemblies will commence this Friday at 2:50pm. We would love for you to all come along and join us.

## **Kinder/Foundation Transition Sessions**

The first of our transition visit is on Monday 14th October from 9:00am-10:00am. We look forward to welcoming our Foundation students for 2025.

Kinder/Foundation Transition Session Information:

- Monday 14th October 9:00am-10:00am
- Tuesday 29th October 9:00am-10:00am
- Wednesday 13th November 9:00am-10:00am
- Thursday 28th November 9:00am-10:30am
- Tuesday 10th December (Orientation Day) 9:00am-12:30pm

### **Parent Requests in Writing to Leadership**

In our ongoing commitment to serving the best interests of our students, we encourage parents to voice their concerns, suggestions, or any specific information about their child in writing Mr. D or Mrs Grumley that may help with class placements for 2025. This is NOT a platform for parents to be able to pick teachers for their child, but the more information we have, will help us to create safe and inclusive classes.

Lastly, I would like to encourage parents to keep an eye on the school calendar as Term 4 is jam-packed with various events, from excursions, camps to music performances. It is important to keep up to date with the school's activities and events throughout the term. I wish all of our students the best for Term 4, and I look forward to seeing them embrace the opportunities and challenges ahead.

Take Care,  
Mrs Grumley

## **Calendar - Upcoming Events**

### **October**

Monday 14th October

- Kinder/Foundation Transition 9am - 10am
- Division Athletics

Tuesday 15th October

- Year 3-6 Melbourne Orchestra Incursion

Friday 18th October

- Regional Athletics Championships

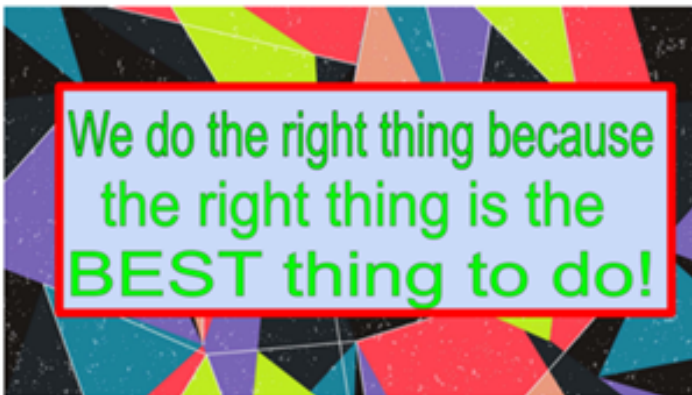
Friday 25th October

- Regional Basketball Championships

Tuesday 29th October

- Kinder/ Foundation Transition 9am - 10am

# On the LOOKOUT



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 to behaviour we do and don't want to see continuing.

E.g, In the yard if kids are climbing on the poles a quick statement is 'We do the right thing because the right things is the best thing to do'.

## EQ Award Winners

The following students received their Emotional Intelligence Awards at Assembly on Friday 6th September and 13th September.

EMF	River Beckett	Empathy
EPF	Whole Class	All Pillars
NWF	Elijah Kelly	Self Motivation
JPF	Jack Allman	Self Motivation
1PP	Keegan Casey	Self Motivation, Building Relationships
1LC	Mia Evans	Self Motivation
1JN	Jasem G	Self Motivation
1PH	Neve Annett	Self Motivation
2CG	Scarlett Ross	All EQ pillars
2GS	Vienna O'Donnell	Self Control and Self Awareness
2LK	Arlo Prinzi	Self-Motivation
3JC	Olivia Murley	All EQ Pillars
3BG	Lylah Baldi	Self Motivation
3LL	Christopher Casey	Self Motivation
4JF	Logan Temple	Self Control
4RM	Raven Huthmann	Self Awareness
4CJ	Addi Milic	Empathy
56M	Mia Sweeney	All Pillars
56H	Jay Roberts	Self Motivation
56B	Zara Giatrakos	All Pillars
56P	Moses McIntosh	Self-Motivation
56R	Bella Senior	Self Motivation

ART: Xander Barzen 56B

AUSLAN: Mitchell Morley 4RM

PE: Evie Donovan EMF

SCIENCE: George Lacy 2LK

CREATIVE ARTS: Zavier Mather 3LL



EMF	Billy Lacy	Self Motivation and Self Control
EPF	Sage Giddens	Self Control & Empathy
NWF	Levi Tozer	Self Motivation
JPF	Laife Garcia	Building Relationships
1PP	Hudson Allen	Self Control
1LC	Whole Class	All Pillars
1JN	Hunter Marr	Self Motivation
1PH	Brielle O'Sullivan	Self Control
2CG	Eli Adornato	All EA pillars
2GS	Amelia Spence	Empathy
2LK	Novahlie Himona	Self Motivation and Empathy
3JC	Daniel Boncaldo	Self-Control and Empathy
3BG	Ayanna Briggs-Elphick	Self Motivation
3LL	Abbie Dickson	Self Awareness
4JF	Oliver Williams	Self Motivation
4RM	Mitchell Morley	Self Awareness
4CJ	Manri Majoka	Self Motivation and Self Control
56M	Heath Briant	Self Motivation
56H	Shukuru Senzoga	All Pillars
56B	Isaac Thomson	All Pillars
56P	Thea McDonald	All Pillars
56R	Emily Flynn	Self Motivation

ART: Ellie Thomas 4CJ

PE: Brooklyn McGill 56R

SCIENCE: Xander Barzen 56B

CREATIVE ARTS: Kate Thomson 2LK

AUSLAN: Alice Denny NWF



**Our Term 3 Terrific Kids**



## In Other News

### School Saving Bonus

Dear parents and carers,

In Term 4, 2024, families with a child enrolled in a government school from Prep to Year 12 in 2025 will receive the one-off \$400 School Saving Bonus.

The \$400 School Saving Bonus provides families with support for **education-related costs**, such as school activities and/or school uniforms and textbooks for 2025.

The School Saving Bonus is not available for full-fee international students, home schooled students, TAFE students and students attending kindergarten in 2025.

### Actions for parents and carers

Before 18 October 2024, the Department of Education is asking parents and carers to:

- **Complete enrolment:** If your child, or children are changing government school for Term 1 2025, or starting Prep or Year 7 in 2025. For more information, read about [Enrolling in School](#).
- **Check your contact information:** Ensure your email address and phone number is up to date with us. You can check this information by checking your Compass information or by contacting us directly.

We need to ensure your contact information is up to date as the Department of Education will email you twice:

- in October, to verify your email address
- in November, with your \$400 School Saving Bonus

Please check your junk mail regularly to make sure you do not miss an important email.

To learn more about the School Saving Bonus, download the [School Saving Bonus Information sheet for government school parents and carers](#) or visit [vic.gov.au/school-saving-bonus](http://vic.gov.au/school-saving-bonus).

Fundraising BBQ  
at  
**BUNNINGS**  
warehouse

Guthrie Street P.S will be hosting the Bunnings BBQ on Sunday 20th October between 8am-4pm.

We are currently seeking volunteers to assist us on the day, so please notify the office if you are able to assist us.

We are currently raising money to update our school playgrounds so please come along, say hi and show your support on the day!



## Upcoming Events

# Girls Cricket

Calling all girls or women interested in playing cricket!! No cost to register!!!!

## Get to know the fun and excitement involved in female cricket.

- Meet local coaches and senior female players
- Get involved and learn new cricket skills through a skills and game session - NO EQUIPMENT REQUIRED

**SESSION ONE:**  
Sunday 13th October 2024  
9:00 - 11:00 am

**Ages:**  
7 - 11 years - Junior  
12 - 17 years - Youth

**Location:**  
Vibert Reserve,  
Shepparton

**SESSION TWO:**  
Sunday 27th October 2024  
9:00 - 11:00 am

**Ages:**  
7 - 11 years - Junior  
12 - 17 years - Youth

**Location:**  
Frank Howley Oval,  
Tatura

JUNIOR GIRLS  
COMPETITION  
COMING THIS  
SEASON

Free BBQ and drink  
for ALL participants

Bring a smile, water bottles and sun smart clothing/ suncream.

Stick around for a BBQ and the opening round of the GMC Senior Women's season at SESSION ONE!



Register your  
interest here:



Contact Chris Barclay for more information: 0439832607



**Save \$400**  
**on school uniforms,  
textbooks and  
activities**

Parents and carers  
of Victorian school-aged children  
will receive the one-off  
**School Saving Bonus**

Find out more



# KARRA BLASTERS IS BACK!



**Offering Junior and Master Blasters for  
Boys & Girls aged 5-10yrs.**

**SATURDAY MORNINGS 9.30-10.30  
19TH OCT - 14TH DEC 2024  
VIBERT RESERVE. COST \$76**

Register now via the link or QR code

<http://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/78d27f>  
or visit [playcricket.com.au](http://playcricket.com.au) and search **Karramomus**

## **JUNIOR BLASTERS**

For beginners who will  
develop the fundamentals  
of cricket through exciting  
games & activities.



## **MASTER BLASTERS**

Blasters almost ready for  
Junior Cricket will play a  
modified cricket game  
with scoring each week.

Any questions please phone Luke Sibley 0417 531 930



## Proud of our History – Creating our own Future Junior Cricket 2024-25

Registrations are now open for Woolworths Cricket Blast & Junior Cricket. For more information please call or email the following contacts:

**Woolworths Cricket Blast (Ages 5-8)**

**Luke McPhillamy**

**Phone: 0476 148 552**

**Email: [oldstudentsscctreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:oldstudentsscctreasurer@gmail.com)**

**Registration:**

**<https://www.playha.com/cricket-australia/register/588fb4>**

**U12s (Ages 9-11)**

**Sean Tenace**

**Phone: 0403 556 857**

**Email: [sean.tenace@yahoo.com.au](mailto:sean.tenace@yahoo.com.au)**

**Registration**

**<https://www.playha.com/cricket-australia/register/4b442a>**

**U14s (Ages 12-13)**

**Brent Mathers**

**Phone: 0400 144 139**

**Email: [brent.mathers@hotmail.com](mailto:brent.mathers@hotmail.com)**

**Registration**

**<https://www.playha.com/cricket-australia/register/4b442a>**



## Woolworths Cricket Blast (Age 5-8)

Commences: Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Until: Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2024

Time: 5 – 545pm

Cost \$100

All equipment provided

For further information please contact the Woolworths Blast Coordinator:

**Luke McPhillamy**

**0476 148 552**

**oldstudentscctreasurer@gmail.com**

Register on: <https://www.playha.com/cricket-australia/register/588fb4>

Program will be held at Kialla Main Oval

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/xTf6ABASjFCpEYdP9>



## 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.

Enquire today

[berrystreet.org.au/fostercare](http://berrystreet.org.au/fostercare)

Ph. 1800 816 037





**We're Getting Ready for Fun!**

Any questions or queries regarding bookings or cancellations  
please contact Michael Wilson on 0497 781 120

**Now accepting bookings!**  
Register today at [www.theircare.com.au](http://www.theircare.com.au) or call 1300 072 410



**TheirCare**  
Where Kids love to be!

Amazing Before + After School Care Programs

Guthrie Street Primary School



### About the program

TheirCare provides adventurous and stimulating Before & After School Care Programs in a safe environment for all children. During sessions children develop life skills, friendships, confidence and creativity through play.

Guthrie Street Primary School has partnered with TheirCare to provide this service to your school which includes quality care, booking flexibility, amazing programming for your children and commitment to deliver on our promise to your school community.

Operation Times		Fees	Out of Pocket	Average <sup>A</sup>
Before School Care	6:30am – 8:45am	\$20.00	\$3.00 - \$20.00	\$3.00
After School Care	3:15pm - 6:00pm	\$24.00	\$3.60 - \$24.00	\$3.60
Pupil Free Day	7:00am – 6:00pm	\$70.00	\$10.50 - \$70.00	\$10.50
Holiday Program	7:00am – 6:00pm	\$70.00	\$10.50 - \$70.00	\$10.50
Late Booking Cancellation Fee	Within 48 hours	\$5.00		
Cancellation Fee	Same Day	Full Fee	See BSC/ASC	

**Service Phone Number: 0497 781 120** Your service coordinator will be available during session times. TheirCare support is available during office hours if required on 1300 072 410

#### How to Enrol

Visit TheirCare website: [www.theircare.com.au](http://www.theircare.com.au) and click on 'Book Now' in the top right hand corner to register your child's details.



# Want \$500 to help you with school costs?

saverplus

Saver Plus is a financial education program for families and individuals on a tight budget to develop life-long savings habits.

**To join Saver Plus, you must:**

- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card **AND** an eligible Centrelink payment\*
- ✓ Be studying yourself **OR** have a child in school (can be starting school next year)
- ✓ Have regular income from work (either yourself or your partner)\*
- ✓ Be 18+ years old

**Here are some of the school costs the \$500 can be used for:**

- laptops & tablets
- uniforms & shoes
- books & supplies
- sports fees & gear
- lessons & activities
- camps & excursion

\*Many types of income and Centrelink payments are eligible

For more information, please contact your local Saver Plus coordinator:

 Richard Pemberton

 [enquiriesSP@berrystreet.org.au](mailto:enquiriesSP@berrystreet.org.au)

 0407 567 312

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Find out more at [saverplus.org.au](http://saverplus.org.au)

Saver Plus is an initiative of the Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ and delivered in partnership with local community organisations. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services.

## 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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