



EDUCATING the WHOLE CHILD

Important Dates

Term 3 Week 1

Wednesday July 27th

Friday 29th July: *Soup & Toastie Day (Class 1-6)*

Thursday 4th August: *Tree planting Day 11.30am Parents Welcome - Sausage Sizzle Supplied*

Tuesday 9th August: *Committee of Management Meeting 7pm*

Tuesday 16th August: *Sustainability Meeting 4.00pm*

Monday 22nd August: **PUPIL FREE DAY**

Saturday 27th August: **Boite Choir Polishing Rehearsal (Ebenezer Hall) 2:00pm- 4:00pm**

Sunday 28th August: **Boite Choir Final Dress Rehearsal and Performance**

(Wendouree Centre for Performing Arts) 10:30am-3:30pm

Wednesday 31st August-Friday 2nd September: *Halls Gap Camp Class 5/6*

Dates for your Diary

Term Three ends: Friday 23rd September

Term Four begins: Tuesday 11th October



PARENTS AND FRIENDS

Following the resignation of Alison as president of the Ballarat Steiner School Parents and Friends committee, the committee has agreed to try a different approach to our meetings. Rather than appointing a new president Naomi and Sylvia have agreed to share the role of secretary and to run our meetings in a less formal manner. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Alison for all of her tremendous hard work and dedication to the committee over the past 12, and many, more months and years. We have accomplished a lot in this time and this is in no small way a representation of her commitment to the school.

We have also set up our own Parents and Friends dedicated email address as we recognise this can be an easier way of communication. All questions, queries, suggestions and feedback, in addition to offers of support can now be directed to parentsandfriends.bss@gmail.com. We will endeavour to respond to all emails as promptly as possible. Also we invite all community members to our next meeting on Wed Aug 3rd at 2pm in the playgroup room.

It has been a long standing tradition of the Ballarat Steiner School Parents and Friends Committee to hold a social event during third term. These have included the Feast and Groove and Shin Dig. These events have provided us with a fantastic opportunity to interact with parents, families, and staff, bringing our community closer. Following an incredibly generous offer from Michael Young and the success of the Art Auction held several years ago, we have decided to hold an adult centred event this year and are asking for each family to donate an item of Art, Craft, Produce or a Service that can be auctioned off during the course of the evening. For further information please do not hesitate to approach Naomi, Sylvia or Anna P, or contact the above mentioned email address.

Feast of the Senses

On Friday September 2nd you will be given the opportunity to Listen to the enchanting music of the incredibly talented Michael Young, Taste some of our region's finest Wines and Cheese and View, with the opportunity to purchase, incredible works of Art and Craft produced by members of our own Community. More details will follow in coming weeks but keep this date free as it will be an evening not to miss.

NEWSPAPER

The School is in need of any old newspapers (mulch) for Tree Planting Day.
Please drop them into the office.

PRE-LOVED CLOTHES STALL



The Pre-Loved Clothes Stall has enough clothes for the moment, so please no more donations. We will be opening again soon - further information to follow. Please be aware that children and parents are not to access the clothing Stall unless it is open.



SOUP & TOASTIES THIS FRIDAY

\$1- Soup (BYO CUP/MUG)

\$1- Toasties

This week's families are Sylvia Mansfield and Naomi Keath

Next week's family will be Sarah Cottingham and Silke Didaskalu

We still have some blank spaces so if you are able to help please put your name down on the list in the school kitchen or alternately phone the office.

HONEY: *There is some honey available in the School's Kitchen*

Dough Raiser Fundraising Program.

Delight Bakers - Sebastopol

We have joined with Bakers Delight (Sebastopol)
For an ongoing fundraiser- similar the rewards program

We have with Buninyong Supermarket.

Each time we mention our school/Kinder/Playgroup

They donate 5% of each sale back to school.

The children will come home with a pamphlet

To explain it further.

Thank you for your support

Buninyong Makers Market

**Saturday
6th August
10am - 2pm
Inside Buninyong
Town Hall**

**Supporting local
artists and designers**

www.buninyongmakersmarket.blogspot.com



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