

### Calendar

**20<sup>th</sup> February** - Love your pet day  
**9<sup>th</sup> March** - Labour Day holiday  
**10<sup>th</sup> March** - Foundation students commence Wednesday's  
**11<sup>th</sup> March** - NAPLAN starts  
**20<sup>th</sup> March** - NAPLAN ends  
**23<sup>rd</sup> March** - 3-way conferences  
 12:30 finish

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**2<sup>nd</sup> April** - Last day - 2:30 finish  
**3<sup>rd</sup> April** - Good Friday  
**20<sup>th</sup> April** - Students return  
**20<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> April** - Senior swimming all week  
**24<sup>th</sup> April** – School photo day  
**8<sup>th</sup> May** - Mother's day breakfast  
**22<sup>nd</sup> May** - World turtle day  
**26<sup>th</sup> May** - National Sorry Day  
**8<sup>th</sup> June** - King's Birthday Holiday

### Year F/1 J

Harry C

For being respectful and attentive in class

### Year F/1 M

Oliver O

For being awesome at doing all your work!

### Year 2/3

Evie P

For consistently doing her best and showing wonderful effort

### Year 3/4

Hunter L

For showing independence and effort when crafting a descriptive paragraph of writing

### Year 5/6

Lily B

For her deep thinking about how to use our vocabulary words in sentences



Thank you so much to those families who were able to attend last week's Welcome Picnic. We had a great time and the weather was perfect. We had some great activities lead by some of our amazing new senior student leaders.

### **LDSSA Athletics Day – Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> February – Llanberris Athletics Reserve**

Our students had an amazing day on Tuesday at the LDSSA Athletics at Llanberris. It was a very hot day however our students represented our school and our school values with honour and integrity. Thank you to all those families who also attended and shared the day with your children. Thanks to families whose children took the bus for getting your children to school earlier than usual. Thank you to all staff who attended on the day. All reports yesterday and today were that the day was thoroughly enjoyed by students although everyone was ready for a big rest at the end of the day.

### **Wheels day on Friday! Bring a helmet.**



I have been speaking with some of our students today and there is interest in riding some of the bikes that were repaired and restored as part of our ReCranked program (offered by Ballarat Community Health) in the last few years. We have agreed to turn the basketball court into a 'velodrome' tomorrow (Friday). The rule will be 'no helmet, no ride' so please remember to send your child's helmet into school if they wish to have a bike ride at lunch time. Bikes will only be ridden in one direction and this will be a supervised activity.



### Tree works

Today we have had some arborists in to remove unsafe branches from the trees on our school grounds. Mrs G and I will walk around and nominate trees for climbing and mark these with a coloured ribbon.

### School Council nominations for 2026 School Council

Have you thought of nominating for School Council? School councils play an important role in Victorian government schools. Being a school council member means taking part in shaping the future of the school. You will need to attend 8 meetings and may need to develop new skills through some school council training, however this is readily available so please do not let a lack of experience get in the way of you getting involved.

School councils are involved with:

- helping to create and check the school's budget
- contributing to the school strategic plan (Our last school review was in 2024 so we are one year in to our 4 year plan)
- reviewing and making decisions about the policies which guide our school operations.

Our new 2026 school council will begin at our AGM in March. We have a February meeting; however, this is the final meeting for the 2025 school council and will involve last year's members. We have at least 2 parent positions that will be declared vacant and each position is for a 2-year period. Nomination forms will be at the front office so if you wish to be involved, please ensure you complete a self-nomination form before Friday the 7<sup>th</sup> March.

### Slip Slop Slap

Please remember to be SunSmart.



**Slip** on sun protective clothing



**Slop** on SPF30+ sunscreen. Reapply every two hours



**Slap** on a broad-brimmed hat



**Seek** shade



**Slide** on wrap-around sunglasses

## NAPOLEONS GENERAL STORE

### LUNCH ORDER MENU 2025

PIE & PASTIE	\$ 5.50
SAUSAGE ROLL	\$ 5.00
PARTY PIE	\$ 2.80
HOT DOG	\$ 4.99
PIZZA HAM & CHEESE	\$ 5.00
STEAMED DIMSIM	\$ 1.50
CHICKEN NUGGETS	\$ 1.00

HAM & CHEESE	\$ 5.99
HAM CHEESE TOMATO	\$ 5.99
CHICKEN CHEESE MAYO	\$ 5.99
EGG & LETTUCE	\$ 5.99
CHEESE SANDWICH	\$ 4.99

#### DRINKS

LARGE MILK CHOC OR STRAWBERRY	\$ 6.00
SMALL MILK CHOC OR STRAWBERRY	\$ 3.50
POP TOP - APPLE ,ORANGE , APPLE- BLACKCURRANT	\$ 3.50
WATER	\$ 3.00

#### SNACKS

YO YO BISCUIT	\$ 2.50
ICY POLE LEMONADE	\$ 2.50
POTATO CAKE	\$2.00
MINI MUFFINS	\$2.80

Sue

**Sue IZARD**  
Principal



# Class News

Term 1 Week 4

## **F/1 J and M**

This week, we had Sports Day at Llanberris, and it was very special as it was our Foundation students' first Sports Day. It was wonderful to see our Foundation students participating with such confidence and well done to all our Year 1 students for their fantastic effort. It truly was a fun and memorable day for everyone involved.

In the classroom, students have been busy creating their animals for *Hattie and the Fox* and working with our Year 5/6 buddies to create self-portraits, bringing them together to represent a strong sense of belonging within our school community.

I love playing football with my friends at lunchtime. - Levi F/1J

I had so much fun at Sports Day. I liked getting ribbons! - Matilda F/1MF

## **2/3**

The students in our class did such an amazing job at Athletics Day on Tuesday. I was so proud of their commitment, sportsmanship and determination! We are currently writing recounts of the event which we can't wait to share with you later in the term. The students are practising drafting, editing and writing a good copy. We've also been reading the book 'Those Shoes' where the students have been reflecting on what it means to be a good friend and wants vs needs.

In Numeracy, we have continued to focus on Place Value and Measurement. We are exploring how numbers change when you move the digits around and measuring different objects. Some students are beginning to use formal units of measurement with their rulers.

I have loved learning new games in maths this week! - Dylan

I have been learning about counting up to 1000s and beyond in maths. I love it. I love the hurdles at Athletics Day. - Lawson

## **3/4**

We had a fabulous day at Athletics Day on Tuesday. The students were wonderful ambassadors of our school, putting in their best efforts and supporting each other. Many students finished the day with personal bests in a range of events.

In Literacy, we have been learning how to use the 'Show, Don't Tell' strategy to make our writing more engaging for the reader. We had fun describing our bedrooms and from what the class have said, it inspired a few to tidy up their room! A small selection of their wonderful writing has been included in the newsletter. We have also continued to read our class novel, *Kimmi*, whilst also practising the skills of summarising and making connections and predictions.

In Numeracy, we are using a knowledge of place value to look at different strategies for adding and subtracting two-and three-digit numbers.

I won my sprint and hurdle races - Holly

Everybody had so much fun and we all cheered each other on - Summer

We got to borrow from the MARC van for the first time ever! 3/4

## **5/6**

Grade 5/6 had a very eventful week. On Tuesday, all the students put their best efforts in at the Athletics Day with all the other schools. We had many students even tackle the 1500m run with Jude Putt and Stephanie McDonough winning first place!

It was great to get a new book from Marc Van, I can't wait to read *500 Minutes of Danger*.

I loved athletics day because I participated in the 1500m run, I was proud of running so far.

**- Chaz**

I liked Athletics Day because I got 3rd in the 200m sprint and it made me feel really proud.

**- Micheal**

It was a very interesting week. We had Sports day (congrats to everyone!), we had our first week borrowing from MARC Van and our class novel 'Boy Overboard' was very eventful.

**- Lily**

# OSHC News with Danielle and Ace

Term 1 Week 4



## A Busy and Creative Fortnight!

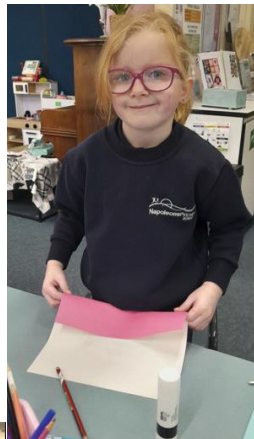
It has been a wonderful and busy couple of weeks in OSHC! Last week, our children enjoyed making delicious pizzas for the Welcome Picnic. They had so much fun choosing toppings and helping with the preparation. The highlight, of course, was getting to sit down together and enjoy the tasty results! We also spent time baking cupcakes, which were beautifully decorated with chocolate icing. The smiles said it all!



This week, creativity continued with our Pet Profile activity. The children designed profiles for a variety of animals including cats, dogs, chickens, horses, cows and even a turtle. They carefully wrote each pet's name and included interesting facts to match. The finished profiles, along with lots of colourful pictures, are now proudly displayed around the OSHC room for everyone to admire.

To celebrate Valentine's Day, we created AUSLAN hand artworks featuring love hearts in the centre. The children also contributed to a special Valentine's tree, decorating it with pink and red hearts and writing their names on them. It has certainly brightened up our space!

Feel free to pop in and find out more about what OSHC has to offer. OSHC is located opposite the staff room.



### *Ready to support your child with Before and After School Care*

Please remember to book your children into before school care if you need to drop them off earlier than 8:45am.

**Please remember advertised fees are greatly reduced when you apply the Child Care Subsidy (CCS).**

Napoleons OSHC is open from 7am each day, until the 9am bell and reopens at 3:30pm for the after-school program which concludes at 6pm each night.

Cost is as follows

\$24.20 BSC and \$33 ASF

These costs are before CCS is applied which drastically lowers the price



## OSHC Award

To Lawson

For creating the captains badges while learning new skills

Parents can make bookings via the following link:

[https://prodadmin.myxplor.com/enrollment\\_v2/centre/x59V4dmEiRga0jfjM94231W4yA?param=](https://prodadmin.myxplor.com/enrollment_v2/centre/x59V4dmEiRga0jfjM94231W4yA?param=)

# Writing Samples

Here are a few samples of the wonderful writing from our 3/4 students.

Imagine walking into a room with a beautifully made bed with a beautiful build a bear and a sparkly floor. All her toys, books, squishies and cuddly toys packed away neatly in her wardrobe. Her doona has bows on it and on her shelf she has built lego neatly showcased. Her vanity has her lip glosses and her moisturiser and beautiful lights up the mirror. Her drawers were neat. Her room smelt like vanilla cake. – **Ruby**

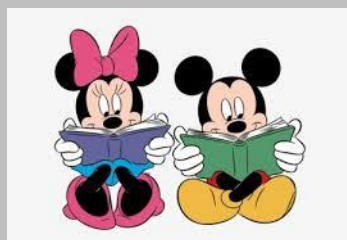
Imagine a bedroom that has a suitcase laying on the floor with some clothes placed neatly inside and a bed. The doona has a cherry pattern and dog hair scattered around. Also, the fan is swirling around, my windows open, letting the cool air come inside. My room smells of sweet lollies. – **Holly**

Picture a messy carpet with heaps of hair from the dog in it. Clothes are scattered all over the floor. A messy bed and plenty of balls rolling from it, messy shelves with random toys. Clothes coming out of the cupboard, with a lot of school books left unorganised. – **Rusty**

The bed is sprinkled with crumbs from breakfast. The doona is coming out of the sheets and the blankets are crumpled up at the end of the bed. Underneath the bed it's glazed with dust! - **Nirvana**



**Ethan Ha**



**For 25 Nights**

Lucy G.
Emily-Jane J
Hollie S
Miley W

## Breakfast Club

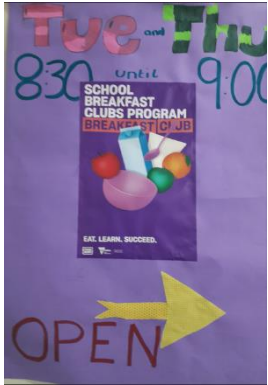


Breakfast Club will be running this year on **Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30am to 9:00am** in the OSHC room. This program provides children with a calm and welcoming start to their school day, ensuring they are settled, nourished, and ready to learn.

Children can enjoy a variety of breakfast options including cereal, toast, fresh fruit, fruit cups, milk, and occasionally yoghurt. Breakfast Club also offers an opportunity for children to socialise with peers in a relaxed environment while being supported by OSHC educators.

All students are welcome – There's no need to book, just come along.

If your child arrives at school hungry on other days, breakfast can still be provided **upon request** in the OSHC room between **8:40am and 8:55am**. Please encourage children to let staff know if they need support accessing breakfast.



## Playgroup

We are excited to welcome Playgroup back this year at the kindergarten. Playgroup will run **Every second Friday morning from 9:00am to 11:00am**, commencing on **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February** making use of the kindergarten's excellent facilities and outdoor spaces.

Playgroup provides a relaxed and supportive environment where young children can explore toys, engage in creative play, develop social skills, and build confidence in a play-based setting. Sessions are designed to encourage early learning through play while allowing children to interact with others in their community.

Parents and carers are invited to stay and participate in the session, providing a valuable opportunity to connect with other families, share experiences, and build relationships within the school community.

Playgroup will be facilitated by **Danielle from OSHC** at the start of the year. We are currently seeking a volunteer to take over facilitation of the program later in the year. If you are interested in supporting this program or would like more information, please contact the OSHC service on 0494 322 830.



Napoleons Playgroup

1 friend



## HELP US MAKE AMAZING THINGS HAPPEN FOR OUR STUDENTS!

Dear Families,

Our Parents & Friends Association (PFA) plays a big role in bringing our school community together while raising funds for extra resources, experiences, and opportunities for our students. We would love more families to be part of it!

### What does the PFA do?

Throughout the year we organise fun, family-friendly fundraisers and events that support our school community.

### Why join the PFA?

- Meet other families and make new connections
- Share ideas and be part of decision-making
- Support your child's school in a meaningful way
- Help create memorable experiences for our students

### Time Commitment

PFA meetings are held once per term (normally), and you can be involved as much or as little as suits you.

### Everyone is Welcome

New members are always welcome! Please contact the School Office or speak with a member of the PFA team to learn more.

Warm regards,

Napoleons Primary School PFA Team



## JOIN THE PFA

### NAPOLEONS PRIMARY SCHOOL – PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION

Dear Families,

Our PFA brings our school community together through fun fundraisers, events, and opportunities for students. We would love you to join us – everyone is welcome!

#### WHAT DOES THE PFA DO?

We organise exciting fundraisers and community activities throughout the year to support students and bring families together.

#### WHY JOIN?

- Meet other families and make connections
- Share ideas and help shape school events
- Support your child's school in a meaningful way
- Be part of a welcoming community

#### MEETINGS

PFA meetings are held once a term (normally). You can be involved as much or as little as suits you.

#### NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME

Please contact the School Office or speak with a member of the PFA team to learn more.

Napoleons Primary School PFA Team  
Together we make a difference for our students.

**What does the PFA do?**

- Fun events & fundraisers for our school!

**Why Join the PFA?**

- ★ Make new friends
- ★ Share ideas
- ★ Support our school
- ★ Create memories!

**Time Commitment**

★ Monthly Meetings – Join in when you can!

**Everyone is Welcome!**  
Contact us to learn more!



brought to you by Our  
**Napoleons Primary School's PFA Team**

## **The Annual Easter Raffle 2026!**

**Donations are Now OPEN**

We would love all donations to be  
received by the  
**30th March** please.

Raffle will be drawn on the **2nd  
April** at School Assembly.

If you have any questions about donations  
please contact the school office or a  
member of PFA, thank you.

**New members to PFA are  
always welcome 😊**





**NAPOLEONS PRIMARY SCHOOL PFA**  
**ANNUAL EASTER RAFFLE 2026**  
**DONATIONS NOW OPEN**

Dear Families and Local Businesses,

Our Annual Easter Raffle is coming up, and we would love your support! The PFA is currently collecting donations to help create amazing Easter raffle prizes for our school community.

**WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR:**

- Easter eggs (any size)
- Chocolate or lollies
- Gift baskets or hampers
- Small toys or games
- Books or craft items
- Vouchers or small business donations
- Family-friendly prizes

All donations big or small are greatly appreciated!

**WHEN TO RETURN DONATIONS:** Please send all donations to school by: 30th March

**WHERE TO BRING DONATIONS:**

- School Office OR
- Directly to a member of the PFA Team

**RAFFLE DRAW DATE:** The Easter Raffle will be drawn on the 2nd April at School Assembly.

Remember to keep an eye out for raffle ticket books in your child's bag in the following weeks, so you don't miss out on a chance to win a prize!

**QUESTIONS?** If you have any questions about donations, please contact the school office or speak to a member of the PFA Team.

New members to PFA are always welcome!

Thank you for supporting our school community!

Good Afternoon,

We wanted to get in touch to let you know that we unfortunately had significant delays with two of our shipments which has caused stock shortages across some of our schools.

With the global tariff situation and their ever-changing nature at the moment, a lot of shipping companies have had to adjust their shipment plans repeatedly over the past 6 months. This unfortunately meant that shipments we had arranged to arrive in December arrived at the end of January because the shipping vessels kept being reallocated.

This may mean that some students won't have their full uniform as school starts for 2026. The most impacted items are school bags, reader bags, and some varieties of dresses, skirts, and hats.

The stock from these containers will start arriving in stores from today and into the next two weeks. There will be a focus on getting the summer uniform in first, with the full range following in the weeks after.

We would like to sincerely apologise for any inconvenience this may cause, and thank you for your understanding. If anyone has any questions, they are welcome to reply to this email or give our head office a call at 9702 3218.

Kind Regards,

Beleza School Uniforms



# Travel free



Under 18s **travel free** on all public transport with a Youth myki



Buy a Youth myki

# Bulb Fundraiser



## Get ready for Spring and help raise funds for Napoleons Primary School

Flyers will be sent home with students, with spares at the Office.

Please share the link with all your friends and family!

Orders close 20 March 2026

<https://www.bulbfundraiser.com.au/NAPOLEONS>

## International Love Your Pet Day



We will celebrate International Love Your Pet Day as a whole school, next week on Friday 20th February. To mark the occasion, we are planning to create a whole school mural in the OLA (senior building) featuring our much-loved pets. Families are invited to send in a photo of their child's favourite pet for us to use in the display. On the day, students will also take part in some fun pet-themed activities as we celebrate the joy our pets bring to our lives.



## Free health, wellbeing and development checks for prep students

The Primary School Nursing Program is a free health and wellbeing service offered to all Victorian students in their first year of school.

The program aims to assist with the early identification of children with potential health, wellbeing or development concerns which may impact on their education and offers screening which may include:



Hearing



Vision



Speech



Dental



Motor skills



Behaviour  
and social  
skills

The Primary School Nurse also provides advice, information and referrals to other health and support services.

### Please remember to complete:

The Online School Entrant Health Questionnaire (which can be accessed through this QR code or link on your mobile device or computer)

[students.educationapps.vic.gov.au/sehq/s/](https://students.educationapps.vic.gov.au/sehq/s/)



A paper version of the School Entrant Health Questionnaire is available from your child's school if you would prefer.



# MUSIC LESSONS

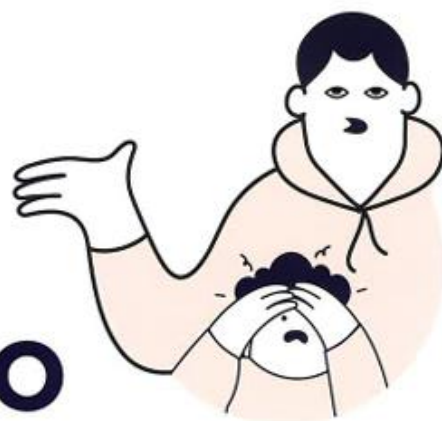
GUITAR  
**KEYBOARD**  
SINGING

**ONLINE ENROLMENTS**  
**CALL 0401951592**  
**DON'T MISS OUT**

[www.genesismusicschool.com.au](http://www.genesismusicschool.com.au)

Music lessons will be held on  
a **Wednesday** for those  
students who have enrolled

# School staff have a right to be safe at work



**Any abuse will not be tolerated**

Parents, carers, advocates and adult members of the school community must engage respectfully with school staff.

Unacceptable behaviour will be addressed promptly. This may include calling the police if required or issuing you a School Community Safety Order.

These behaviours are **not permitted** in-person, over the phone, by email, text message or on social media:

- ⊗ Rudeness
- ⊗ Aggression, including raising your voice at a staff member
- ⊗ Discriminatory or derogatory comments
- ⊗ Insults or offensive communication
- ⊗ Harassment
- ⊗ Threatening gestures
- ⊗ Malicious or defamatory communications
- ⊗ Intimidation
- ⊗ Threats
- ⊗ Violence

These behaviours are **never okay** and can make staff and students feel unsafe.



# Newsletter and website article: Schools in Category 3 on the Bushfire At-Risk Register and the Category 4 List.

## School preparations for the bushfire season

Each year, we undertake a range of activities to ensure the safety of our school and to prepare for bushfires and grassfires.

An important part of this process is communicating to parents what will happen when certain fire danger ratings are issued to help ensure the safety of students and staff.



**Napoleons Primary School** has been identified as being at risk of bushfire or grassfire and is a **Category 4** school.

Our school will **close** on a day forecasted as **Catastrophic fire danger rating** in **Central** fire district.

Closure of the school due to a Catastrophic fire danger rating will be enacted when the Bureau of Meteorology forecast and related public safety messaging are confirmed. Due to uncertainties in the forecast, the timing of this confirmation may vary. Information regarding potential or confirmed Catastrophic fire danger days will be communicated to you by **Compass and email**.

It is also important to be aware that:

- No one will be on site on days where the school is closed due to a forecast Catastrophic day.
- **Out-of-school-hours care will also be cancelled on these days.**
- All bus routes that travel through the Catastrophic area will be cancelled.
- **School camps will be cancelled if a Catastrophic fire danger rating day is forecast for fire weather district in which the camp is located, or if the travel involves passing through areas that have Catastrophic fire danger.**

As part of preparing our school for the fire season, we have updated and completed our Emergency Management Plan and have ensured all fire prevention maintenance tasks have been completed.

### ***What can families and the school community do to help us prepare?***

- Ensure we have your current contact details, including your mobile phone numbers.
- Keep in touch with us by regularly checking COMPASS, reading our newsletters and by talking to your child's teacher or any other member of the teaching staff about our emergency management plan.
- Make sure your family's bushfire survival plan is up-to-date and includes alternative care arrangements if our school is closed due to Catastrophic fire danger. Further information can be found on the [CFA's website](#).
- Action your family's bushfire survival plan if your own triggers are met. Our school community may be spread out across many areas and some families may be at higher risk than others. Your family's safety is critical, so please let us know if you are actioning your bushfire survival plan and if your children will be absent on these days.

- If your child is old enough, talk to [them about bushfires](#) and your family's bushfire survival plan.

Families are encouraged to action their [Bushfire Survival Plan](#) on Catastrophic fire danger rating days in their district. The safest option is to leave the night before or early on the morning of the Catastrophic day. **On such days, children should never be left at home alone or in the care of older children.**

You can find more information on emergencies, warnings and preparedness actions here:

- VicEmergency app – that can be downloaded on your android and iOS mobile devices
- VicEmergency Hotline (1800 226 226)
- Website <https://emergency.vic.gov.au>
- Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/vicemergency>)
- Twitter (<https://twitter.com/vicemergency>)
- ABC local radio, Sky News and other emergency broadcasters

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### ***What is the department's policy?***

The Department of Education annually assesses the fire risk of all schools and early childhood services with the support of the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO). They are allocated a category of risk (categories 0 to 6). Schools and services that are Categories 0-3 are published on the [Bushfire At-Risk Register \(BARR\)](#). Schools at some risk of bushfire and grassfire are published on the [Category 4 List](#).

The department's [Bushfire and Grassfire Preparedness Policy](#) requires all schools and early childhood services on the BARR and the Category 4 List to close when a Catastrophic fire danger rating day is forecast in their fire weather district. All school bus routes which travel in or through a district with Catastrophic fire danger must also be cancelled.

The policy also requires that schools at the highest risk of bushfire (those in Categories 0, 1 and 2 of the Bushfire At-Risk Register) enact pre-emptive action plans based on the fire danger forecast for their Local Government Area (LGA).

### ***Who issues fire danger forecasts?***

The Bureau of Meteorology (BoM) provides public fire danger rating forecasts each day of the fire danger period using fire weather district areas. In Victoria, there are 9 fire weather districts, which are based on Local Government Area boundaries.

The department uses these forecasts when supporting schools to enact their pre-emptive bushfire actions plans.



# JUNIOR COMPETITION



### Tuesday Competition

#### 6-9 & Under Divisions

Woodman's Hill  
1 Fussell Street,  
Ballarat East

#### 10-12 & Under Divisions

Federation University  
University Drive, Mt Helen

### Saturday Competition

#### 6-12 & Under Divisions

Ballarat High School  
1726 Sturt Street  
Lake Gardens

## REGISTER NOW!

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[www.futsalballarat.com.au](http://www.futsalballarat.com.au)



# BASKETBALL PROGRAMS

## TERM ONE FUN!

### Aussie Hoops

Introductory program for children aged 4 to 11

### All Abilities Hoops

Development program for children living with disability

### Next Level

Aimed at 10 to 15 year old domestic players



## JUNIOR FOOTBALLERS WANTED

### WOADY WARRIORS 2026

Under 8s, Under 10s, Under 12s & Under 14s



**\$99 REGISTRATION FEE**



**FREE FOOTY BAG WITH ALL REGISTRATIONS**



**REGISTER BEFORE 28/02 AND GET A FREE MOUTH GUARD**

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Rohan 0409 970 997



[football@woadywarriors.com.au](mailto:football@woadywarriors.com.au)



SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER



**THURSDAY 19 MARCH 2026**

# OPEN EVENING

AN ENVIRONMENT THAT INSPIRES

**Discover and experience the exciting opportunities we offer at Mount Clear College - visit anytime between 4:30pm and 6:30pm.**

- Explore our campus at your own pace - self guided tours
- Discover our diverse programs and unique extra-curriculum experiences
- Engage in hands-on learning experiences
- Experience our innovative Earth Ed STEM Centre & International Language Centre

**EXPLORE**

**INNOVATE**

**ENGAGE**

# 1. Make an emergency plan



## WHO ...

do I need to consider?  
do I need to tell?

## WHAT ...

do I need to know?  
do I need to do?

## WHERE ...

will I go?  
do I get information?  
do I keep my plan?

## HOW ...

will I get there?  
will I get there - plan B?

## WHY ...

do I need to make a plan?

### TO SUPPORT PLANNING:

To prepare for fire  
[cfa.vic.gov.au](http://cfa.vic.gov.au)

To prepare for flood and storm  
[ses.vic.gov.au](http://ses.vic.gov.au)

Set up a watch zone  
[emergency.vic.gov.au](http://emergency.vic.gov.au)

Rediplan  
[redcross.org.au/prepare](http://redcross.org.au/prepare)

# 2. Back up information



## Important things to save:

- Your emergency plan
- Identification (to prove who you are)

### DOCUMENTS

- Insurance policies
- Property documents
- Medical information and prescriptions
- Financial records

### HOME INVENTORY

- Photos of possessions
- Photos of house assets
- Receipts, warranties etc.

### CONTACT LIST

- Family
- Utility providers
- Other:

# 3. Prepare a kit



## Gather and store items ready to support you and your family for 72 hours:



# 4. Stay informed



## WARNINGS AND ADVICE

It is important to tune into official and accurate information channels to stay informed with the facts before, during and after an emergency.



[emergency.vic.gov.au](http://emergency.vic.gov.au)  
Hotline: 1800 226 226

Press 9 for Interpreter



107.9FM | 102.3FM | 103.1FM | 584AM | 774AM

Warnings – It's important to read the whole warning for information on evacuations, Emergency Relief Centres and more.



## Whatever the emergency



HEATWAVE    STORM    FIRE

## Expect the unexpected

Emergencies can be hard to predict and emergency services may be unable to reach you in a disaster.

What will you do for the first 72 hours if you have no services, such as:



NO POWER



NO WATER



NO GAS



NO RECEPTION



NO ROAD ACCESS



LIMITED FOOD

## Be Prepared

Prepare yourself and your family for a stressful emergency situation.

For 24/7 crisis support call Lifeline 13 11 14  
or Beyond Blue 1300 22 4636

## Develop a Plan

Use your plan and support network to help you through this time.



For more information about preparing for, and responding to emergency events visit <https://www.ballarat.vic.gov.au/city/emergencies>

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## What are you going to do?



You can handle any emergency better if you are prepared!

