



# Greensborough Primary School - 2062

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## Borough Bulletin ~ 05 September 2024

<i>Friday 06 September 2024</i>	<b>Footsteps Dance Program – Session 7 (Whole School)</b> <b>Premiers' Reading Challenge closes</b> <b>P &amp; F Pie Drive Fundraiser – Orders to go home</b>
<i>Sunday 08 September 2024</i>	<b>Bunnings Barbeque Fundraising Event – Volunteers required</b>
<i>Monday 09 September 2024</i>	<b>Music Performance at Assembly – 02:40pm</b> <b>School Council Meeting – 07:00pm</b>
<i>Wednesday 11 Sept 2024</i>	<b>Grade 6 KingPin Excursion</b> <b>Grades 3 &amp; 4 Space Expo – from 02:45pm</b>
<i>Thursday 12 September 2024</i>	<b>R U OK Day</b> <b>Grades 3 &amp; 4 Space Expo – 09:00am to 10:00am</b>
<i>Friday 13 September 2024</i>	<b>Footsteps Dance Program – Session 8 (Whole School)</b>
<i>Monday 16 September 2024</i>	<b>No Assembly today due to incursion</b> <b>Circus Incursion</b>
<i>Thursday 19 September 2024</i>	<b>Footsteps Dance Concert – Monty SC – 10:00am to 10:45am</b> <b>Student Shuttle Buses depart at 09:00am</b> <b>Grade 2 Sleepover – from 05:30pm</b>
<i>Friday 20 September 2024</i>	<b>Footsteps Dance Program – Session 9 (Whole School)</b> <b>JSC !!Big Freeze!! Fundraising Event – Assembly 01:10pm</b> <b>Last day of Term 3 – Early Dismissal – 1:30 pm</b>
<i>Monday 07 October 2024</i>	<b>First day of Term 4</b>
<i>Tuesday 15 October 2024</i>	<b>GPS Art Show 03:30pm to 06:00pm</b>
<i>Thursday 12 December 2024</i>	<b>Grade 6 Graduation Celebration</b>

### Principal's Report

We hope all our fathers and adults who play an important role in our students' lives had a terrific day last Sunday and received some well-deserved recognition. Thank you to Parents and Friends for organising the Fathers' Day stall and bringing great enjoyment as children perused the wonderful gifts on sale and selected a special present.

Parents and Friends are also running a BBQ at Bunnings Eltham this Sunday, so if anyone can spare a couple of hours to assist, please contact the office. We're hoping many dads received a gift card last week and will visit Bunnings to spend it, buying a sausage along the way! All funds raised are used to purchase valuable resources for our students and school.

Last week we welcomed several new families to GPS and also said good-bye to our Term Three short-term international students. It's a credit to our students and staff, how they quickly established relationships and reached out to new students to make them feel comfortable in their new setting.

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## Celebrating Student Achievement

Our students have many opportunities to excel and showcase their talents at GPS, beyond academic programs of Literacy and Numeracy. Last Monday at assembly we greatly enjoyed our **Tournament of Minds** Team performing their Literacy Challenge with us, based on the book, 'Wonder'. See Mr Stephens' article later in the newsletter for details of their achievement.

We were very proud of our **Athletics Teams'** performances at the District Carnival. All competitors felt they'd achieved a personal best and attending staff were high in their praise of their excellent sportsmanship. Congratulations to all participants, especially our place getters: Uriah - 100m; Fatima - 100m and Shot Put, Ann-Sophie - Triple Jump and Shot Put, Billie - High Jump, Tomas -800m and Raiden - Shot Put and Discus. We wish Tomas and Raiden well as they proceed to the Division Carnival. Go Greensborough!



Next Monday our **Instrumental Music** students will perform at assembly and showcase their talents on keyboard and guitar. Learning to play an instrument requires practice and perseverance, and the benefits are well documented in terms of promoting cognition and wellbeing. We're looking forward to hearing our budding musicians play for us.



There is much excitement in the Grade 3/4 area as they prepare for their **Space Expo** next week. Students have chosen how to demonstrate their new learning in their Discovery Unit and are sharing their knowledge with parents, carers and other classes. We can't wait to learn some fascinating space facts!

**Chess:** Our number of keen chess players is certainly growing! Sawyer and Arad entered their first tournament recently and joined our regular chess enthusiasts Oscar, Xavier, Adam and Laura in pitting their skills against students from other schools. We congratulate all students, especially Sawyer and Oscar who have made it through to the State finals in October, joining Adam and Xavier.



## Extracurricular Programs

Our students are continuing to work hard and achieve their learning goals as we approach the end of term, and we also have many exciting extracurricular events planned. To promote wellbeing and engagement the **'Circus Crew'** is coming to explore and teach a range of physical and manipulative circus skills. The Grade 2s have their annual **Sleepover** which is a highlight of their primary school years and a fun filled day planned when they wake up! Grade 6s have their **bowling and laser tag excursion**.

**Footsteps Dance Concert:** Family members are invited to our dance concert at Montmorency Secondary College on Thursday 19th September 10:00am to 10:45am. Our students have been rehearsing each Friday and are keen to display their dancing prowess. Details have been sent on COMPASS. We're very grateful to Montmorency for allowing us to use their auditorium free of charge and providing their expertise with sound and lighting.

The **JSC Big Freeze** is generating a great deal of interest and friendly rivalry amongst the staff and students. We're not sure if the teacher with the most votes actually 'wins' or 'loses', however we're all certain that JSC is doing a terrific job raising funds to support research to find a cure for MND.

## Classroom Volunteers Session for Parents and Carers

We are reinvigorating our Parent Helpers program and looking forward to parents/carers helping with swimming, excursions and classroom programs in Term Four and continuing in 2025.

On Monday 16th September, Margaret our Assistant Principal, will be holding a Parent Helpers information session at 3.00pm. There is no assembly on this date due to the circus incursion, so parents will be able to attend the sessions and then pick up students at the end of the day. This session will cover the different

roles you may undertake as a classroom helper, strategies to support students and confidentiality/privacy aspects of working in grades.

We look forward to as many parents and carers as possible, joining us.

## 2025 Grade Planning – Parent Requests

Behind the scenes we are busy planning for 2025 with all the information we currently know! Early next term, teachers will ask students to nominate friendship groups so we can begin the process of allocating students to their 2025 grades. This process includes teachers' consideration of students' friendship groups, school data on academic abilities and needs, and parent input on specific requests for their children. We will be finalising grades and staffing by the end of October, so we can begin handover of student information from this year's teacher to next. Therefore, if parents or caregivers have any specific requests for next year, it's very important that you send in your requests via email, phone, handwritten note or in person, to Margaret or myself by Friday October 18th and this can be factored into decision making. We do not have the capacity to change placements once grades are finalised. Notification of 2025 grades will be sent home with reports on Friday December 13th and students will meet their 2025 teachers and spend the morning with them on Tuesday 10th December.

## SunSmart – Hats Required



It's that time of year again when the UV rating is reaching 3 and above. Students are required to wear their hats for outdoor activities, this includes recess, lunch, Physical Education lessons and walking to swimming. (**From September 1st – April 30th is when the average UV alert is 3 and above.**) The weekend may be a good time to check children's school bags or wardrobes for hats. School hats are available at the office for \$13.00.

Regards,

*Angela Morritt*

Principal

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## 2025 Prep Enrolments

If any school families know anyone who is coming to Greensborough Primary next year, please encourage them to register their details as soon as possible, (*this includes siblings of current students*). Under the new DET guidelines all 2025 Prep enrolments have been completed by 26 July 2024. We have already had a number of enquiries and school tours for places in 2025 and the sooner we get a sense of our intake for next year, the sooner we can start planning for grade structures.

## Information for Parents regarding 2025 Costs and Arrangements

To be sure that all families can access this important information a detailed document and COMPASS post will be sent home tomorrow to explain:

- \$400 School Savings Bonus
- 2025 Student Book Packs
- 2025 Parent Payment Schedule

Once you have received this information, please do not hesitate to contact the school if you require further clarification.

Regards,

*Margaret Hirth*

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Children's  
Book Week®

Reading  
is  
Magic

2024  
17 - 23 August

**Magic was in the air at Greensborough Primary School this year...**



**The rain stayed away for the parade, and we were amazed at the creative efforts transforming ourselves into our favourite book characters.**



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**The winners of the annual poetry competition were announced. Every student in the school produced an entry into the competition. The standard of writing was remarkable.**



**In multi aged groups we listened to the shortlisted picture books and were inspired to create Book Week Art.**



"You can find magic wherever you look. Sit back and relax all you need is a book!" - Dr. Seuss

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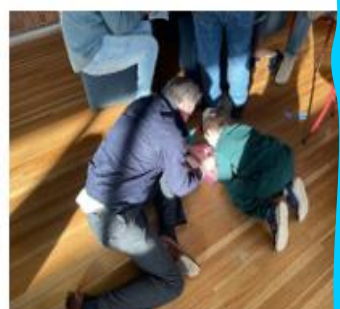


# Prep Father's Day Breakfast

Last Friday, the Preps had a delightful breakfast at GPS, welcoming their dads to enjoy a tasty spread of Coco Pops, Cornflakes, toast, and juice. In a fun twist, the Preps were cracking the Dad Jokes with our emergency 'Dad Joke Jar' we prepared in class.

Following breakfast, dads and their children spent quality time together, engaging in activities such as reading, drawing, colouring, and building with magnetic tiles. The morning was a heartwarming success, creating cherished memories for all. A big thank you to the dads who joined us as your presence made the day extra special. The highlight for many Preps was having their dad at school with them, making it a day to remember.

Miss Chen 😊





Tournament of Minds Edition

# BREAKING NEWS



## TOURNAMENT OF MINDS SUCCESS AT LA TROBE UNIVERSITY

Last weekend, our talented Tournament of Minds (ToM) team had the opportunity to showcase their skills at La Trobe University, where they presented their long-term and spontaneous challenges. Tournament of Minds is an incredible program that encourages students to think creatively, work collaboratively, and solve complex problems under pressure. It's a fantastic way for our students to develop critical thinking skills, resilience, and teamwork—qualities that are essential for success both inside and outside the classroom.

We are thrilled to announce that our team has been awarded Honours based on their outstanding performance, placing them in the top 15% of results for the weekend! This is a testament to their hard work, dedication, and ability to think on their feet.

A special thank you goes to Nicole, our wonderful Parent Helper, for her unwavering support and guidance throughout the competition. We also want to extend our deepest gratitude to the members of our 2024 ToM Team: Charlotte (ToM Captain), Reese, Adam, Xavier, Maisie, Lizzie, Edward, and Anjali. Your commitment and teamwork have made us all incredibly proud.

As we look forward to next year, we are excited about the potential of new students joining the ToM team. This is an amazing opportunity to challenge yourself, build lifelong skills, and be part of a supportive and creative community. We encourage all interested students to consider participating in Tournament of Minds next year. Who knows? You might be our next ToM champion!

Thank you again to everyone involved for making this year's Tournament of Minds such a success!

**Mr. Stephens (Tournament of Minds Coordinator)**

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## STUDENT WELLBEING

Hi Everyone,

A belated 'HAPPY FATHERS' DAY' to all the fathers, grandfathers, special uncles and wonderful father figures in our community.

To those of you who are FATHERS, every father's parenting journey will be different, and there is no one-size-fits-all answer to its challenges. – from Educational Psychologist, Michael Grose.

**LOVE AND TIME ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS YOU CAN GIVE YOUR CHILDREN. BUT LET'S NOT FORGET DAD JOKES, TOO!**

Currently I am assisting with two siblings at another school whose precious father died a few weeks ago. His birthday was on Saturday, August 31st, followed by Fathers' Day on Sunday. This family celebrated both occasions by sharing in Dad's favourite meal and sharing wonderful memories and watching a favourite film they used to watch with Dad - a precious memory.

**RU OK? DAY** is fast approaching – Thursday, 12th September.



### The History of R U OK? Day

In 2009, fourteen years after losing his own father to suicide, Gavin Larkin decided something needed to be done to try and make a difference to this landscape of tight-lipped toleration. He didn't want anyone else to go through the suffering his family had been through. So, Gavin and his team created the annual **R U OK? Day** in the hope to inspire people to open up more about mental health.

The aim is to empower us all to lend support when someone around us is struggling, and perhaps even be honest the next time somebody tries to ask us how our day is going! At the centre of all of this, is the not-for-profit's power message: 'a conversation could change your life'. If we can work as a community to create space for as many of these conversations as possible, **R U OK?** has a vision that we can all play a role in shaping a world where we are better connected and supported to take control of our mental health.

**"Are you OK?" is incredibly meaningful and it's a question we should be asking each other not only during R U OK? Day, but throughout the year.**

Let's continue to support each other and encourage our students to embrace and celebrates difference, to become caring, respectful young people who will grow to be the best they can be and to help and encourage others.

*Robyn Mulholland*

Student Wellbeing Coordinator

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Join us for

**RUOK? DAY™**

**Thurs 12 September 2024**



On Thursday the 12th of September, the JSC committee need you to come to school in your PYJAMAS, or wear YELLOW, to raise awareness (and donations!) for RUOK? Day.

### **What is RUOK? Day?**

RUOK? Day is celebrated to raise awareness, and start conversations, not just for one day - but every day! It's about reminding us to 'check in' with others, and letting them know that they're not alone, even if they are feeling *isolated and helpless*.

### **Fundraiser**

The JSC committee have chosen Beyond Blue as their preferred charity to donate the proceeds raised from the day. Beyond Blue is an Australian charity that is committed to supporting Australians of all ages who are experiencing mental health difficulties, including depression and anxiety.

### **Pyjamas or yellow?**

Perhaps you, or someone you know, has experienced some of these feelings and just can't get out of bed and want to stay in their comfy pyjamas.

Wearing yellow can represent optimism, joy, happiness and friendship. In support, chose to wear either (or both!) and bring along a gold coin donation to show your support!

*And remember to...*

**Ask**  
**RUOK? ANY DAY™**

With thanks, Mrs Cunningham and the JSC committee

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It's National Child Protection Week, and this year's theme, '*Every Conversation Matters*', is a timely reminder of how powerful everyday chats with children can be – especially when it comes to their online lives.

Feeling overwhelmed by the online world your child is growing up in? You're not alone.

Whether your child is starting to explore the internet or is already a tech-savvy teen, it's natural to worry about who they're connecting with online and whether they're safe. Just like you wouldn't let your child dive into a pool without first teaching them how to swim, it's important to teach them about online safety before they're in too deep.

The online world offers incredible opportunities but also has its share of risks we need to educate children about. Think of it like teaching a child to ride a bike. You wouldn't send them off without practice or a helmet. The same goes for the online world – we need to ensure children are prepared and protected before they start navigating it on their own.

ESafety has new resources for parents including tips on talking to young children and teens, parent controls, videos, etc to use with your young person.

Resources are now in many languages. Follow the links below for these resources and further information:

- ★ <https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents/resources/online-safety-for-every-family>
- ★ [https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents?utm\\_campaign=2409\\_gen\\_news\\_napcan&utm\\_id=85be618b850d23ea0f81c87f88fcb6aa&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=eSafety\\_edm](https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents?utm_campaign=2409_gen_news_napcan&utm_id=85be618b850d23ea0f81c87f88fcb6aa&utm_medium=email&utm_source=eSafety_edm)

**'It takes a Village to raise a child', so let's work together educating our students about online safety. I also recommend subscribing to ESafety's parent newsletter.**

*Robyn Mulholland*

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Grade 3/4

# SPACE EXPO

**Where:** Greensborough Primary School in the 3/4 Launch Bay (classroom)

**When:**

Wednesday the 11th of September

From 2:45 - 3:20 pm

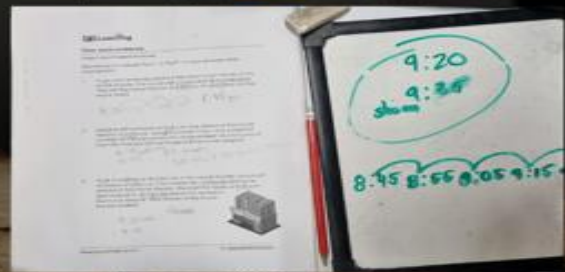
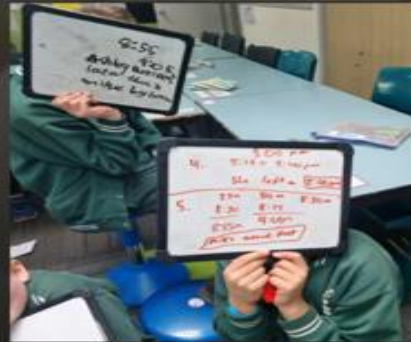
Thursday the 12th of September

From 9:10 - 9:50 am

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# Spotlight On 3/4

In Applied Maths, we have been learning about time. Students are working towards telling time to the minute on an analogue clock, reading timetables, and solving problems about elapsed time.



victorian  
premiers'  
reading  
challenge



Congratulations to the following students who have completed this year's Premiers' Reading Challenge:

**Prep:** Shaylah, Anvit, Amelie, Eliana, Neelabh, Sophie, and Vinnie.

**1/2A:** Tiarna, Ella, Ethan, Patrick, Hudson, Elise, Celeste, Sofia and Max.

**1/2B:** Harriet, Shivansh, Fariz, Kleo, Arlowe, Elsie, Kira, Sidharth, Liam and Lee May.

**3/4A:** Kashvika, Laura, Evelyn, Ella, Raythan and Shyamala.

**3/4B:** Victor, Jacob, Natasa, Lily, Olivia, Ren and Billie G.

**5/6A:** Yamee, Shashvat, Charlotte and Connor.

**5/6B:** Hayden, Sila, Lizzie, Adam, Mounina and Maisie.

The challenge will close this Friday 6 September; however, books need to be logged onto the website by today, Thursday 5 September 2024.

Happy reading and well done to all participants!

*Claire Storey*

PRC Coordinator





# Pupil of the Week



## 2024 ~ Term 3 ~ Week 6

<b>Prep</b>	<b>Sophie</b>	For transitioning beautifully into class in the morning.
<b>Grade 1/2 A</b>	<b>Max</b>	For outstanding growth in reading. Keep it up, Max!
<b>Grade 1/2 B</b>	<b>Shiv</b>	For impressive growth in his creative writing. Well done, Shiv
<b>Grade 3/4 A</b>	<b>Philippa</b>	For her amazing vending machine costume from the book 'weirdo' and for her engagement in all the Multiage Book Week activities. You are a Superstar!
<b>Grade 3/4 B</b>	<b>Alex</b>	For reading clearly and with expression during reading groups. Keep it up!
<b>Grade 5/6 A</b>	<b>Carter</b>	For demonstrating a high level of maturity this term. Keep it up!
<b>Grade 5/6 B</b>	<b>Jay</b>	You made the 1500m! What a great achievement!
<b>Library Grades 3 – 6</b>	<b>Dash W 3/4B</b>	For his effort and excitement whilst planning and writing his Fractured Fairytale.
<b>PE</b>	<b>Harriet H 1/2B</b>	Balance will take you for, you sports Superstar!
<b>STEM Grades 3 – 6</b>	<b>Isaac R 3/4A</b>	For his creativity and effort he put into his space/discovery activity. Well done.

## 2024 ~ Term 3 ~ Week 7

<b>Prep</b>	<b>Anvit</b>	For taking on feedback in his learning and being positive. Well done!
<b>Grade 1/2 A</b>	<b>Abi</b>	For her enthusiastic approach to her learning. Keep it up, Abi!
<b>Grade 1/2 B</b>	<b>Liam</b>	For showing an improvement in his listening skills.
<b>Grade 3/4 A</b>	<b>Zoe</b>	For using collaborative language during our Lego sessions.
<b>Grade 3/4 B</b>	<b>Dash</b>	For your effort and enthusiasm in Footsteps dance rehearsals. Amazing job!
<b>Grade 5/6 A</b>	<b>Billie</b>	For approaching all learning tasks with a positive attitude.
<b>Grade 5/6 B</b>	<b>Jay</b>	For your fantastic board game design in Applied Maths!
<b>Art</b>	<b>Henry E Prep</b>	For always approaching Art with a smile, enthusiasm, showing respect and doing her best work.
<b>Library Grades 3 – 6</b>	<b>Evelyn H 3/4A</b>	For always having a positive attitude towards learning and showing her best work.
<b>PE</b>	<b>Jasper A 3/4A</b>	Sometimes there is bigger things in life than winning! Great sportsmanship this week at Aths mate.
<b>STEM Prep – Grade 2</b>	<b>Ollie A 1/2A</b>	For his creativity and positive energy today when designing and building his 'Bot' robot! Great work 😊
<b>STEM Grades 3 – 6</b>	<b>Ella M 3/4A</b>	For the great teamwork and collaboration Ella showed this week in STEM. Well done, Ella.

# Parents & Friends Association

## Fathers' Day Stall

We would like to say a BIG thank you to everyone who helped out for the Fathers' Day Stall on Friday 30 August 2024. The stall was a great success and hopefully all our Dads loved their presents!



## THIS SUNDAY! – Bunning's BBQ @ Bunnings Eltham

**8 September 2024 from 8:30am to 3:30pm**



Thank-you to everyone who has already signed up to help out, this is much appreciated!

We still need some time slots filled so it's not too late to put your name down to assist – [Bunnings BBQ 2024 — Signup Sheet | SignUp.com](#)

This type of fundraiser is a great way to meet other school parents while you are raising funds to improve our school. So, if you're around Eltham on Sunday morning come in and buy a sausage, we'd love to see some familiar faces.

## Tony's Pie Drive

Tony's Pies orders will go home with students tomorrow, Friday 6th September. Thank-you for all your support with this fundraiser.



Kind regards,

*Yvette M & Annie A*



for Parents & Friends Association of Greensborough Primary School

**Raise funds while making an impact.**

Greensborough Primary School is now a Donation Partner with the Container Deposit Scheme Victoria

Use the Barcode or Donation Partner ID below when you return your eligible cans and bottles to a refund point and all money earned will be donated back to Greensborough Primary School

Don't want to make the trip to a refund point? No worries. Just drop your eligible cans and bottles off to GPS and we will do the hard work for you. Please remember that all containers must have 10c written on it to be eligible and we ask that you please ensure they are empty and not squashed. All cans and bottles are to be carefully placed in the new black "Donation Bins" located just inside the Office Foyer.

Already collecting cans and bottles? Fantastic, keep up the great work in recycling!

Download the app to make it even easier - CDS Vic North

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Please visit [cdsvic.org.au](https://cdsvic.org.au) for more information

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# Greensborough OSHCLUB Update

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## Message from Ruby

### Holiday program news.

Holiday program is approaching and Term 3 Holiday's theme is destination imagination. This program allows you to be an inventor for the day, sport star or an outdoor explorer. To join in on the fun, book in fast to secure your spot. If you have any issues or queries contact me on. [greensborough@oshclub.com.au](mailto:greensborough@oshclub.com.au)  
Or 0447 868 204

### Starfish of the Week

#### Anvit Karande

For being positive in the OSHC environment and friendly to other children.



## Rise then Shine Update



This week, The Rise and Shiners have been making their own smoothies for breakfast having some fun. We have been offering some group collaborative art on Butchers paper offering all children to come together of a morning. Monopoly bid and Connect Four have been a hit of a morning with group games being set up across the room. To finish of the morning program we use some brain boosters playing Treasure Island allowing all children to participate in order to find out the hidden rule.

## Stay and Play Update



In celebration of Japan this week started off with some fun facts about national sports, food and landmarks in Japan. We also made our own sushi on Friday which all of the children thoroughly enjoyed and said it was delicious. We also celebrated Fathers day and had many art and crafts available offering card making, painting portraits, and colouring in, allowing each individual child to be as creative as they like. Maisie and Charlotte have been busy at Art and Craft Club this week offering children Fathers Day Cards and Blossom Trees in reference to our chosen country Japan!

## Service details

Our contact details are:



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Photo Gallery



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September  
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## OSHClub

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### Happy Snaps



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# NORTHERN MELBOURNE MUSIC

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

0451 717 551

[NorthernMelbourneMusic@gmail.com](mailto:NorthernMelbourneMusic@gmail.com)

**We provide one-to-one, paired, and group 30 Minute music lessons to students of all ages and abilities.**

**Now offering, Keyboard, Guitar and Singing lessons at Greensborough Primary School.**

**Northern Melbourne Music have spots remaining for students to learn guitar, keyboard or singing lessons starting term 3 or term 4.**

**Lessons are available private, paired, or as part of a group.**

**We work closely with classroom teachers to ensure students are not taken during specialist lessons and have their music lessons at a time that suits.**

**For further information, please contact us at  
[NorthernMelbourneMusic@gmail.com](mailto:NorthernMelbourneMusic@gmail.com)  
or visit  
[NorthernMelbourneMusic.com.au](http://NorthernMelbourneMusic.com.au)**

**Private lessons : \$35 per lesson  
Paired lessons : \$25 per lesson  
Group lessons : \$15 per lesson**

**Lessons require a practice diary and instrumental lessons require a method book. These can be provided by Northern Melbourne Music.**

## NORTHERN MELBOURNE MUSIC

**providing music lessons to  
students of all ages and abilities  
in schools,  
in homes and online**

### Enrol online

**[NorthernMelbourneMusic.com.au](http://NorthernMelbourneMusic.com.au)  
or contact us at  
[NorthernMelbourneMusic@gmail.com](mailto:NorthernMelbourneMusic@gmail.com)  
0451 717 551**

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## **COMPUTER PROGRAMMING CLUB!** @ Greensborough Primary School

In a world where technology touches every aspect of our lives, it is crucial that our children understand how it works. To accomplish this objective, there is an exciting coding club running at the school.



### **DEVELOP SKILLS**

- Creativity
- Logical thinking
- Problem solving



### **LEARN**

- Computer Science Concepts
- Fundamentals of programming  
Loops, Events, Randomness and more

### **PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES**

- Scratch
- Python
- Javascript
- .. and many more



### **MAKE**

- Games
- Web pages
- Apps

Digimaker structured program runs each term and is charged on a per-term basis. Students will use school computer during the lesson.

### **9 WEEK TERM PROGRAM**

Program for **Term 4 2024** is as follows:

**Year levels:** 2 to 6

**Term Fee:** \$225 incl GST

LUNCH TIME	BATCH
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# **Primary School Art Competition 2024**

## **CALLING STUDENT ARTISTS GRADES 4, 5 & 6!**

Students currently in grades 4, 5, and 6 are invited to submit artwork and participate in the **Primary School Art Competition**.

The artwork will be exhibited in the Montmorency Secondary College annual Arts Alive 2024 exhibition, which will be held from **October 22nd to 24th, 2024**. Twenty finalists will be selected for the exhibition, and awards for outstanding artwork will be presented at the opening night launch on **Tuesday, October 22nd, 2024, at 6 p.m.**

The prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place will be as follows:

- 1st PRIZE:** \$100 voucher for Greensborough Plaza
- 2nd PRIZE:** \$50 voucher for Greensborough Plaza
- 3rd PRIZE:** \$25 voucher for Greensborough Plaza

All finalists will be invited to attend an art workshop run by selected Montmorency Secondary College art teachers and students in December this year.

The 2024 theme for the artworks is: **Dreams & Imagination**

The artwork must be **A3 or A4 size** and can be created using **2D, 3D or ICT media** (i.e. painting, drawing, collage, photography, mixed media, printing, sculpture, animation or decorated food (e.g. a cake)).  
**ICT media and animation need to be submitted on a USB.**

Submissions are to be sent or dropped off to the **General Office at Montmorency Secondary College by Friday 11th October, 2024.**

Finalists will be notified by letter by **Wednesday 16th October, 2024.**

All submissions will be returned to the Primary Schools after the exhibition.

For enquiries or more information please contact  
Montmorency Secondary College General Office on: **03 9422 1500**  
or **Claire Mooney Sprague** at: [claire.mooneysprague@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:claire.mooneysprague@education.vic.gov.au)



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# Primary School Art Competition 2024

## ENTRY FORM

**Please fill in the information below and attach this form with your submission. Make sure your artwork is clearly marked on the back with your name and primary school. All submissions will be returned to the Primary School after the exhibition.**

**Student Artist Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Address and Postcode:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How does your artwork represent the theme of **Dreams & Imagination?****

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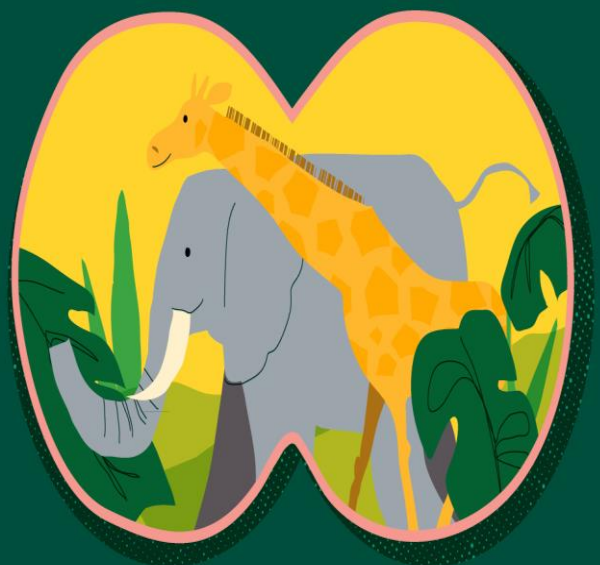
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