

Newsletter 12 27 August 2021

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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **Thursday 9th September 2021**

R U OK DAY— wear something yellow

#### Friday 15th October 2021

Whole School PJ day

**Lower Primary teddy Bear Hospital** Visit- Don't forgot to bring your teddy



Friday 17th September 2021

Sports dress up day &

#### End of term

1.45pm

Buses will arrive at stops one hour earlier in the afternoon



**Dear Families and Students** 

In the middle of such challenging times, we want you to know that we are here to support you and your children as best we can. Our student wellbeing team is always available if you need to get in contact.

Our teachers and educational support staff will also be in regular contact to check in with their students. Please understand that these calls are just to make sure everyone is OK and to see if there is any help that you might need. Hopefully everyone in Victoria keeps on doing the right thing and by the end of next week are out of lockdown and able to welcome all our students back on site.

We have been given specific guidelines from the Department of Education as to which students are allowed to be on-site at Baringa. If you think your child may fit into those guidelines you must contact the school to check before sending them in.

Can we also remind everyone of the importance of staying home if you're not feeling well. We can't have any students on site who have any cold or flu like symptoms. If your child has a persistent cough, high temperature or runny nose then they End of term, students finish at can't be at school. We understand that this isn't easy, but it is what we need to do to keep everyone safe.

> On a personal note, can I thank the Baringa community for the support you have shown me in my time as acting assistant principal. Kelly will be back soon, and I'll be happy to go back to some of my old duties. It has been a genuine pleasure being part of the leadership team of this wonderful school, and I consider myself very fortunate to have the opportunity.

Fred

# Baringa Wellbeing

#### Hi families

We are living in difficult times that are having impact on our daily lives please stay connected to us if you are having difficulties please let us know we have staff available for a chat.

I have been amazed at how resilient you have all been in showing flexibility during these tough times like the seasons change so will the present situation stay positive you are doing great.

#### The following website might be helpful-

www.5waystowellbeing.org.au

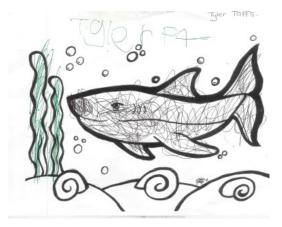
#### Welcome to the 5 Ways to Wellbeing Website!

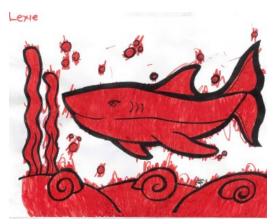
'5 Ways to Wellbeing' introduces you to five simple and effective ways to improve your psychological and emotional health that are based on extensive international research. A healthy mind is just as important as a healthy body for your overall wellbeing. Like physical fitness, you can strengthen your psychological health in lots of small day-to-day ways. This will help you live a happier and a longer life as well as help you to cope with stress.

This website gives you practical tools and resources so you can discover how to make the 5 Ways part of your ways to wellbeing. Everyone can 'try the 5' at home, work or during study. It costs nothing and it's easier than you think! Connect, Be Active, Keep Learning, Be Aware and Help Others.

Suzanne

## M5 colouring competition winners









If your child is absent from school please remember to let us know why. Please call the office or send an SMS (0407 880 630) explaining why your child will be absent and how long you expect them to be away. Thank you!



### LOWER PRIMARY TEDDY BEAR HOSPITAL VISIT

### FRIDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER





Students in **M7** have been busy both in and out of lockdown. As a part of learning about the Olympics students created a Potato Olympian and participated in Olympic inspired events.

In term 3 M7 have commenced a cooking program that they thoroughly enjoy. So far they have made egg and bacon wraps, cookies, muffins and apple turn overs. This is something the students look forward to every week. Keep cooking at home in lock down!!













Students in **\$13** have been learning about the life cycle of a plant and how they adapt and survive. Students used the 'walking water rainbow' experiment to help them understand how water climbs from the plants roots to it's leaves. We were all surprised at how quickly the water climbed up the paper towel and moved from one cup to the other!







This term, student in **P5** have been learning about and exploring shapes. Students have enjoyed playing bingo where they practice recognising shapes, colours and following instructions. We have also been exploring 3D shapes by making towers, castles, cars, ice creams and many more creations. Not long before we went into lockdown, students loved making shapes out of our fairy bread. It was delicious!







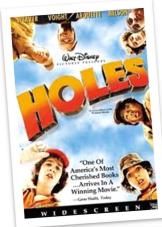


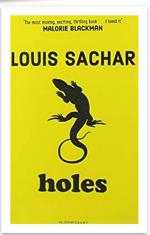












**SLC4** students are participating in a class novel study as part of their literacy learning. The book is Holes by Louis Sachar. The story is about Stanley Yelnats, a boy who has bad luck due to a curse placed on his great-great-grandfather. Stanley is sent to Camp Green Lake, a juvenile detention camp, for a crime he did not commit. Stanley and the other boys at the camp are forced to dig large holes in the dirt every day.

Each week we read some of the book and then answer comprehension questions based on the text. Covid lockdowns are making it difficult to finish the book but hopefully we can finish it before the term is over. After we have read the book we will watch the film to see what is the same and what is different from the book.

Students in **\$14** have been getting in touch with their creative side during their art sessions with Maria. Jewellery making was the focus of last week's lesson and the students came up with some wonderful designs!









## Congratulations!!

### **Values Award Winners Lower Primary**

















## FRIDAY'S BARINGA SCHOOL CANTEEN ORDER FORM 2021

NAME:	ROOM:		
ITEM	PRICE	QUANTITY	SUB TOTAL
CHICKEN NUGGETS (3 per serve)			
☐ Tomato Sauce ☐ No Sauce ☐ BBQ Sauce	\$2.00		\$
PIE (1 per serve)			
□ Tomato Sauce □ No Sauce □ BBQ Sauce	\$3.50		\$
SAUSAGE ROLL (1 per serve)			
☐ Tomato Sauce ☐ No Sauce ☐ BBQ Sauce	\$3.50		\$
STEAMED DIM SIMS (2 per serve)			
□ Soy Sauce □ Tomato Sauce □ BBQ Sauce □ No Sauce	\$2.50		s
□ NACHOS (SALSA AND CHEESE) □ Sour Cream □ Cheese □ Salsa	\$4.00		\$
SNACKS			•
TWO FRUITS	\$1.50		s
POPCORN	\$1.00		\$
DRINKS			
BOTTLED WATER	\$2.00		\$
CHOCOLATE MILK	\$2.50		\$
STRAWBERRY MILK	\$2.50		\$
APPLE JUICE PRIMA	\$2.00		\$
ORANGE JUICE PRIMA	\$2.00		\$
□ Vegemite roll	\$2.00		s
□ Cheese & Vegemite roll	\$2.50		s
□ Salad Roll (choose from fillings below)	\$4.50		\$
□ Salad Bowl (choose from fillings below)	\$4.50		\$
□ Salad Wrap (choose from fillings below)	\$4.50		\$
□ Butter □ Mayo □ Salt □ Pepper □ Beetroot			
☐ Ham ☐ Chicken ☐ Egg ☐ Sweet Chilli Sauce ☐ Cucumber			
☐ Lettuce ☐ Cheese ☐ Tomato ☐ Carrot			
TOTAL COST			\$
AMOUNT ENCLOSED			\$