



# Berwick Lodge Primary School

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NEWSLETTER NO 25

17TH AUGUST 2023

**ALL CANTEEN ORDERS MUST BE DONE ONLINE VIA THE Qkr! APP**

**CANTEEN IS OPEN MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY**

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### MISUSE OF TIK TOK

I have spent the greater part of this week to date dealing with the misuse of the social media platform, TIK TOK. I bring this matter to your attention, because without your vigilant support we can only do so much to protect the welfare of our students.

Earlier this week, I was made aware that some of our children, plus former students had set up some TIK TOK online sites, using our school's identity to do this. This practice is occurring out of school hours and not while the children are under our supervision. The sites have the tag name of:

**[blps.ships.school](#)**. One, in fact, established by a former student had my photo added (this has now been deleted). These Tik Tok sites can and are being used to 'ship' other students ('ship' being a shortened version of 'relationship'). As I have now learnt, to 'ship' people, is to name them in a 'relationship'. From my investigation and discussions with our students, rarely do the other students being 'shipped' know that this is occurring. As I made very clear to all children in grades 5 and 6 yesterday, the potential fall out from doing so can be very distressing and hurtful to others. It also damages the positive relationships culture within a school and consumes conservable investigative and counselling time by staff.

As we have now ascertained, Berwick Lodge P.S. is not an isolated school experiencing this unwelcome and potentially dangerous practice. A search online revealed that it is not an uncommon practice – in fact, there are quite a few Tik Tok (shipping) sites that quite clearly appear to have a link to a school. It is really, very disturbing.

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LEARNING FOR LIFE...



# PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

In my discussion with the whole group of grade 5 & 6 children yesterday, most children are familiar with the term 'shipping' and know that sites such as those which are linked to our school, exist. Unsurprisingly, none of the children of whom I know have been involved in setting the sites or are followers of the blps.ships.school Tik Tok sites, have told their parents. I will be doing so by the end of this week.

For the record, in my discussion with the children in grades 5 & 6, I made it very clear to them, that my focus was on their wellbeing and safety. I pointed out to them that there are at least 4 types of people who could be on a Tik Tok site. Real friends, pretend friends, strangers who might be looking to scam you and paedophiles looking to groom children. Experience shows that you can never be sure with whom you are communicating on these social media platforms unless you have the strictest of security protocols in place. I doubt the children who set up these Tik Tok sites have such measures fully in place. It also just happens that children under 13 should not be using Tik Tok, even more so without parents knowing.

Tik Tok, Instagram and Snapchat are 3 popular online social media platforms that some children access, with or without their parents' knowledge and do so not at school, but after school and on weekends. What is frustrating for us at school is that we spend considerable time reinforcing with the children the importance of safe and appropriate use of social media platforms, yet our success is quite limited. Put simply, we need your continued assistance at home. I realise, being a parent myself, how difficult continual monitoring of one's children's social media use can be, especially when after a long and tiring day, one only wants to have a restful and peaceful evening or weekend.

## STUDENT TOILETS

Recently we have experienced an increase in poor toilet behaviour by some children. This includes misuse of toilet paper and spilling dispenser soap on the floors. We continually reinforce with the children the importance of behaving correctly in the use of toilets. Whilst we have also heightened overall surveillance of the toilets, there are limitations to the extent to which we can do this. We would welcome your support in perhaps having a chat with your children reinforcing our message on appropriate toilet use behaviour.

## PARENT OPINION SURVEY

Please note that you have until Friday 8th September to complete the Parent Opinion Survey (if you wish to complete it). The link to the survey was emailed to all families on 8th August.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Q. Are we still taking out of zone enrolments?**

**A.** Yes, we are.

## QUOTABLE QUOTE

*'Compassion is a bit like confetti at a wedding – its absence is more noticeable than its presence'*

Henry Grossek

# Assistant Principals' Report



## ★ SWIMMING

★ Next week our grade 6, 4, and 2 students will participate in the swimming program. Please ensure that the administration team have received the medical excursion form by 3:30pm on Friday (tomorrow). Thank you.

## ★ UNWELL STUDENTS:

★ A reminder that if your child is unwell and they vomit, they must remain home for the next 24 hours. Please click on the link below for information relating to causes and treatments.

★ [Vomiting in children - treatments, self care and causes | healthdirect](#)

## ★ NATIONAL DAY OF ACTION AGAINST BULLYING AND VIOLENCE.

★ The NDA theme for 2023 is 'growing connections'. This theme supports research findings that strong school community connections and social skills are protective factors in the prevention of bullying and help enable positive, help-seeking behaviours in students. Teachers will be supporting this day and engaging the student in various activities reflecting the theme 'growing connections'.

★ We rely heavily on our relationships with students and families to address such issues. Schools can be much more effective when parents report bullying and support their efforts to deal with it.

★ If your child reports that bullying is occurring at school, or the bullying involves students from the school outside of school, you should let the school know the situation.

★ Working together with the school is the best way to help your child resolve bullying issues.

★ Schools will work with you to resolve the situation and will also work with the other student's parents.

★ Due to privacy laws, they will not be able to share information about any other students involved.

## ★ AUTHOR VISIT:

★ Gregg Dreise is a gifted artist, storyteller, and musician. Gregg will be visiting all the students at Berwick lodge on Friday next week. Gregg is the author and illustrator of *Cunning Crow*; *Silly Birds*; *Kookoo Kookaburra*; *Mad Magpie* and *My Culture and Me*. All these stories are about teaching morals. They address self-image, friendship, kindness, bullying and Indigenous culture.

★ *Sandra McCrum, Angela Maskery and Sharyn King*



### DIARY DATES:

PFA Meeting - 9:30am  
Grade 2/4/6 Swimming  
Book Week Author Visit  
Book Week Dress-up Day  
Helmeted Honeyeater Excursion  
Father's Day Stall

Monday 21st August  
Monday 21st August—25th August  
Friday 25th August  
Monday 28th August  
Tuesday 29th August  
Thursday 31st August

### NOTICES AND PAYMENTS DUE:

Book Week Workshop  
Father's Day Stall Payment

Monday 21st August  
Monday 28th August

### HAVE YOU CHANGED YOUR ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER?

Please ensure you let the school office know if you have changed address or updated mobile phones with new numbers. This information alleviates stressful situations for students when they are ill and we cannot contact parents.

# STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS

## PREP

Prep B – Darcie and Indiana

Prep K – Trey and Oscar

Prep N – Ismat and Sharlie

Prep S – Aspen and Volisha

## GRADE 3

3L – Tarquin and Mia

3M – Ayana

3V – Zara

## GRADE 4

4L – Ruby W

4P – Tiger, Jacob, Hudson

Shelby and Isaac

4W – Jay and Leo

**Congratulations** to the following students who received class awards recently.

Please note- only students with publicity approval will be listed in the newsletter.

# 2024 ENROLMENTS

## School Tours and 2024 Enrolments are now open!

Tours will be held on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.  
Bookings are essential, please contact the office on 9709 6700.

For all those families who have a sibling starting prep next year, please inform the office if you have not already done so.

If you know of any friends or family who are interested in attending Berwick Lodge next year, please ask them to contact the office on 9709 6700 or they can send an email to [berwick.lodge.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:berwick.lodge.ps@education.vic.gov.au)



# P. E. NEWS

Congratulations to our girls T-ball team that participated in the Regional T-ball Championships at Mornington Baseball club on Monday 14th August. Haylie, Emily, Ella, Konstandina, Sanvi, Abigail, Indee and Molly progressed to this level of competition after winning the District Inter-school competition and then being successful at Divisional level.

The girls played two games in a round robin competition. In their first game they faced Flinders PS. Flinders proved to be very competitive winning 26-11 however our girls displayed great determination and spirit. In the second game they played against St Louis P.S and played another awesome game, working well together as a team. The final score was 10-20.



We are so proud of our Lodgers team for progressing to such a high level of competition. Congratulations on presenting as such a united, ambitious and enthusiastic team throughout all the different levels of competition. Go Lodgers!!!

Thank you to the parents that came along to support the team.

On Tuesday 15th August, over 40 students from grades 4-6 represented Berwick Lodge at the Edwin Flack District competition at Cranbourne Athletics track. All students represented the school with great enthusiasm, perseverance and sportsmanship. Congratulations to all students who represented our school. We are so proud of you all.

Well done to the following students that progressed to the Divisional competition to be held on Wednesday 13th September. We wish these students the very best of luck.

Kenara 4L - 1st - 800m

Dexter 4W - 2nd - Shot put

Ruby M - 4P - 2nd 1500m 2nd 100m

Josh L 5K - 1st - Long jump 2nd 100m

Sanvi 5B - 2nd - 200m

An honourable mention to Kuol 5WH finishing 2nd in the 11 boys high jump, Sophie 6P 3rd in the 12/13 girls 200m, Grace 6W 3rd in the 12/13 girls shot put and Lucas 3rd in the 10 boys hurdles.

Congratulations to the 10 girls relay team consisting of Matilda 4W, Mia 5WH, Ruby 4P and Sanvi 5B as well as the 10 boys relay team consisting of Zach 4W, Lucas 4W, Ashean 5K and Josh 5K who all finished 3rd in the 4 x 100m relay race.

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# P.E NEWS

A big thank you to Kate M and Mrs Whitelaw for their assistance on the day.

Another big thank you to Ms McArthur for her hard work with taking both the T-ball and the athletics teams to their respective competitions for assistance with training at recess and lunch times.

Thank you.

Kylee Muccignat  
P.E Coordinator



# BOOK WEEK

Book week runs from the 19<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> August 2023. Leading up to this week, teachers will be reading some of the CHILDREN'S BOOK COUNCIL AWARDS nominated, picture story books. Book dress up day will be held on Monday 28th August.

These books are currently on display in the Library and will be available to borrow in Term 4. Students will have the chance to vote on their favourite book during Book Week and the winner will be announced the following week.

Students across all year levels love reading these new books and great discussions are had when deciding on favourites.



## BOOK CLUB ORDERS

Issue 6 is now available. This issue contains some awesome new books as well as some old favourites. Look out for the new features too. There are QR codes to scan, so you can read a preview of some books, as well as getting some information about authors and illustrators, colouring pages, plus there are find a word and crossword puzzles to complete.

Please order by 5.00pm on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August.

Remember, a percentage of all purchases goes towards new resources for the Berwick Lodge Library. Thank you for supporting our Book Club.

Happy reading,  
Mrs Tsekouras and Ms Taylor

## LIBRARY NEWS

### Welcome back to Term 3 in the Library.

The Library will be open at lunchtime, on Tuesdays, again this term. Please pop in for some colouring, reading, fun games or just some quiet time.

Please remember to return any overdue books and bring your library bag to each session.



# SICKBAY NEWS

We would appreciate any donations of underwear in its original packaging for our sickbay. Please note, these must be brand new.

Do you have any clothing that your child may have borrowed from sickbay?

If so, can you please wash and return these items as soon as possible.



# PFA NEWS

Our next PFA meeting will be held on **Monday 21st August @ 9:30am** after Assembly. We will be discussing the upcoming Father's day stall; as well as other events that will be coming up for the rest of 2023. All parents are welcome! Bring along your little ones as well! Hot drinks and sweets will be provided!

If you enjoy helping out with events; or have any ideas or feedback about it how we can help out our wonderful school; please join us on that Monday.

Hope to see you there,  
Bek  
PFA President



Parents may bring in food treats to celebrate their child's birthday.

However, this treat **must be** individually commercially packaged with ingredients listed (ie: fun-size chocolate) and distributed to students at the end of the school day.







# PFA NEWS



Yellow Long Sleeve Top



Blue Sports Top



Yellow Short Sleeve Top



Blue Bomber Jacker



Blue Rugby Jumper



Blue Crew Neck



Sports Shorts - Basketball  
Shorts - Thinner fabric



Shorts - Thicker fabric



Trackpants



Shorts Pleated - Girls



Skirt - Sports Skort



Skirt - Netball/Tennis Skirt



Summer Dress



Winter Dress



Beanie

# IN OTHER NEWS...



Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> of August 2023

Dear School Community,

## **Winter Trading Hours for our Hallam Store**

Please be advised that our Hallam store will be operating to reduced 'Winter Trading Hours' from Monday 15<sup>th</sup> of August. Trading will remain to these hours for the rest of term 3.

Please see our Winter Trading Hours below:

*Monday:* 9:00AM TO 5:00PM

*Tuesday:* 9:00AM TO 5:00PM

*Wednesday:* 9:00AM TO 5:00PM

*Thursday:* **CLOSED**

*Friday:* 9:00AM TO 5:00PM

*Saturday:* 9:00AM TO 1:00PM

*Sunday:* **CLOSED**

We'll return to standard trading hours as of Monday 25<sup>th</sup> of September.

We'd like to apologise for any inconvenience this change may cause, and thank you for your understanding.

Kind regards,

Beleza School Uniforms

# BUSINESS ADVERTISING




## GIRLS ONLY PROGRAM FOR BEGINNERS U12 - U14 & U16'S

### FREE TRIAL SESSIONS

PREPARE FOR THE UPCOMING VJBL REP SEASON  
FIND OUT WHAT IT TAKES TO PLAY AT REP LEVEL  
DEVELOP SKILLS  
SESSIONS RUN BY EXPERIENCED REP COACHES

**OCTOBER 3RD & 10TH  
6.30 PM - 8.00 PM**

Contact Sharon on 0425 702 286 for more information  
Register here - <https://www.playhq.com/basketball-victoria/register/ec8651>

**NARRE WARREN SOUTH P-12 COLLEGE  
79-125 AMBERLEY PARK DRIVE**



**KEYSBOROUGH COUGARS BASKETBALL 2023/2024 TRYOUTS**  
ROWVILLE SECONDARY COLLEGE 9 HUMPHREYS WAY, ROWVILLE  
STARTING FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2023

DAY	DATE	TIME	AGE GROUP
FRIDAY	13TH	6.30-8.00PM	12 BOYS & GIRLS
			14 GIRLS & 16 GIRLS
		8.00-10.00PM	16 BOYS
SUNDAY	15TH	8.00-9.30AM	12 BOYS
			14 BOYS & 14 GIRLS
		9.30-11.00AM	16 BOYS & 16 GIRLS
		11.00-1.00PM	18 BOYS & 18 GIRLS
TUESDAY	17TH	6.30-8.00PM	12 BOYS & 12 GIRLS
			14 GIRLS & 16 GIRLS
		8.00-10.00PM	18 BOYS & 18 GIRLS
FRIDAY	20TH	6.30-8.00PM	14 BOYS
		8.00-10.00PM	16 BOYS
SUNDAY	22ND	8.00-9.30AM	12 BOYS & 12 GIRLS
			14 GIRLS
		9.30-11.00AM	14 BOYS & 16 BOYS
		11.00-1.00PM	18 GIRLS & 20 GIRLS
			18 BOYS
TUESDAY	24TH	6.30-8.00PM	14 BOYS & 14 GIRLS
			18 BOYS & 18 GIRLS
FRIDAY	27TH	6.30-8.00PM	16 BOYS
		8.00-10.00PM	20 BOYS & 20 GIRLS


**WHAT TO BRING -**

PLEASE BRING A REVERSIBLE SINGLE (OR ALTERNATE TOP)

BASKETBALL AND DRINK BOTTLE

CONTACT SHARON ON 0425 702 286 FOR MORE INFORMATION

REGISTER HERE - <https://www.playhq.com/basketball-victoria/register/2b30e4>




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FOR KIDS AGED 6-10 & 10-15

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PH: 0408 311 322  
W: [HTTPS://WWW.PERSONALPERFORMANCETC.COM](https://www.personalperformancetc.com)



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21A Bernersyde Drive  
Berwick 3806

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Berwick Centre Opening!

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- Easily Learn New Techniques
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- Improve Concentration
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Enrol during term 3 and save with no joining fee!

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Piano / Guitar / Singing / Ukulele / Flute  
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Oil Painting / Arts and Craft  
985 / 988 / 989

**Free assessment for all lessons!**  
Tutoring Class after school  
Year 2-6 & Year 7-12  
Chinese  
English  
Math

**ALL AGES AND LEVELS WELCOME!**

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Shop 1, 23-25 Centre Way, Mount Waverley  
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Whats' more ?  
Mini concerts  
Mid-year concert and Christmas concert  
Music competitions

# COMMUNITY ADVERTISING



## Variety Heart Scholarships

Variety Heart Scholarships exist to support Victorian children with a demonstrated talent who are living with disability, illness or experiencing disadvantage, to reach the next stage of development in their talent.

Scholarships of up to \$5,000 are awarded for talent in the arts (including visual and performing arts) or sport (including esports). Funding is to support the cost of travel, accommodation, equipment, coaching, competition fees and much more.



### Variety Heart Scholarships support talent in:

- **Physical sports** including ball sports, athletics, cycling, gymnastics, swimming, martial arts
- **Motor sports** including cars, bikes, boats
- **Animal assisted sports** including equestrian
- **Other sports** including board games, card games, e-sports
- **The arts** including visual, performing and literary



Applications now open for 2024 Scholarships!

1 August - 20 September

Apply today by scanning the QR code, or visit [fundraise.variety.org.au/how-we-help/heart-scholarships](https://fundraise.variety.org.au/how-we-help/heart-scholarships)



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CASEY ABORIGINAL GATHERING PLACE

SNACKS AND  
DINNER PROVIDED

# KIDS GROUP

PILOT PROGRAM  
ONLY 20 SPACES  
AVAILABLE

FOR ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER KIDS  
AGED 5 - 9 YEARS OLD



JOIN US EVERY WEEK AND HAVE FUN

**EVERY TUESDAY | 4PM - 5:30PM**

20 AGONIS STREET, DOVETON



**ABORIGINAL  
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PLACE**

Kiah Mills | Programs and Partnership Officer  
kimills@casey.vic.gov.au | 0448 402 804



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# COMMUNITY ADVERTISING

AUGUST 2023



## PLAYGROUP DIRECTORY

Support for families with young children

[CASEY.VIC.GOV.AU](http://CASEY.VIC.GOV.AU)

# COMMUNITY ADVERTISING

## The City of Casey Playgroup Development Officer can:

- Help you start a new playgroup
- Assist residents to locate and join playgroups
- Support the needs of your playgroup
- Connect you with other support services

For further assistance or information on Community Playgroups in the City of Casey please contact the Playgroup Development Officer.

## CONTACT

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TTY: **(03) 9705 5568**

TIS: **131 450** (Translating and Interpreting Service)



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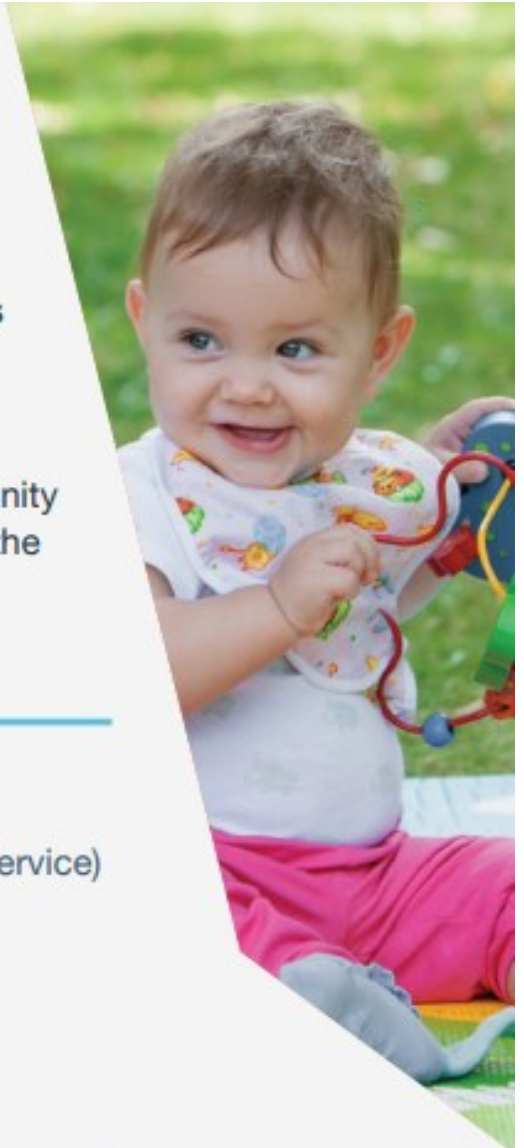
**www.casey.vic.gov.au**

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**Please note:** As many playgroups in this directory are run by community members and volunteers, local playgroup information is subject to change. Every effort is taken to ensure playgroup information is correct at time of printing. Playgroup information can also be found at [casey.vic.gov.au/playgroups](http://casey.vic.gov.au/playgroups). If you are having difficulty contacting a playgroup, please contact the Playgroup Development Officer on (03) 9705 5200.

The City of Casey proudly acknowledges the traditional owners, Casey's Aboriginal communities and their rich culture and pays respect to their Elders past, present and future.

We acknowledge Aboriginal people as Australia's first peoples and as the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we work and live.





# COMMUNITY ADVERTISING

## Festival of the World

A celebration of cultures

Friday, 1st September 2023

♥ 4:00pm – 7:00 pm ♥

Cranbourne West Community Hub,  
4 Flicka Blvd, Cranbourne West 3977

All ages welcome, free entry!

Live performances, food, Henna, face painting,  
activities and more!

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State Government



Casey  
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Committee

Bookings essential. Scan  
QR code for your FREE tickets!



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Casey

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# COMMUNITY ADVERTISING

## About Us

**State Schools' Relief is unique. No other Australian state or territory has a similar organisation.**

Since 1930, State Schools' Relief has been providing anonymous support so that students receiving our assistance can do so with dignity. It's our belief that every student deserves the opportunity to participate in their education without barriers.

## Who are we?

State Schools' Relief is a Victorian not-for-profit organisation that supports the needs of disadvantaged government school students by providing new school uniforms, school shoes and a host of other essential educational resources, including learning devices.

Our simple and practical service ensures that all students can attend school in warmth and comfort with a greater sense of belonging and improved self-esteem, which in turn assists students to engage in their learning and strengthen their educational outcomes.



## How we help

Issues such as poverty, neglect, unemployment, health issues/ illness, financial hardship, bereavement, domestic violence, homelessness, and natural disasters continue to affect many Victorian families. We work side by side with all Victorian primary, secondary, specialist and language schools to ensure that any students facing hardship have the necessary items they require for school.



## Do you need assistance?

State Schools' Relief provides support to any Victorian student attending a government school, on the advice of the school.

If you are a parent or carer and you need financial assistance with your child's government education, please make an appointment with the school principal, assistant principal, or welfare/wellbeing coordinator to discuss your situation.



# COMMUNITY ADVERTISING

## Schools Issuing Guidelines

### Travel Passes for students in crisis

#### Purpose

This document should be used by schools in determining student eligibility for a pre-paid Travel Pass.

#### Travel Pass

Pre-paid Travel Passes make it possible for disadvantaged Victorians to use public transport to access vital services and to actively engage with the community.

Travel Passes are a paper 30-day pass available for both primary and secondary school students experiencing crisis who are at risk of disengaging from education.

This ensures they can continue to attend school, receive an education and participate in school activities, and access support services.

Schools can issue a Travel Pass for free to students in crisis primarily to travel to school, but also for other reasons, such as travelling to:

- a medical or rehabilitation appointment;
- a counselling session; or
- temporary or crisis accommodation.

#### Eligibility

Students are eligible for the program if they are experiencing:

- sudden financial hardship;
- family violence;
- substance abuse;
- family/relationship breakdowns; or
- homelessness; and
- are at risk of disengaging from education due to difficulty in accessing funds to use public transport to get to school.

#### Obtaining and Issuing a Travel Pass

Government schools can apply for Travel Passes through the State Schools' Relief online portal.

Upon receipt of the Travel Pass the school must hole punch the Travel Pass with the issuing date, month and year.

The Travel Pass:

- Is valid for 30 days commencing on the day of the month and year that has been hole punched.
- Is not valid for travel if more than one date, or if the day, month or year has not been hole punched.
- Can be validated for a future date.
- Cannot be reissued or exchanged.

Failure to correctly validate the Travel Pass could result in an infringement notice issued to the ticket holder.

#### Travelling with a Travel Pass

A Travel Pass can be used on:

- bus, train and tram trips in metropolitan Melbourne (Zone 1 and 2);
- all regional town buses;
- PTV inter-town buses;
- V/Line coaches; and
- V/Line trains.

When passing through a staffed ticket barrier, students will need to show their Travel Pass to the barrier attendant. When travelling on a bus, students may need to show their Travel Pass to the driver.

Students need to carry their Travel Pass for the entire journey.

A Travel Pass should be treated like money - a lost or stolen Travel Pass cannot be replaced.

#### School's Responsibilities

The school must ensure:

- The school as a Travel Pass Issuer has procedures to satisfactorily document that a Travel Pass has been issued to an eligible student.
- All staff who issue a Travel Pass are aware of and follow the correct procedures for issuing Travel Passes, including the criteria for deeming who is eligible to receive a Travel Pass.
- All staff who issue a Travel Pass are responsible for assisting the school to facilitate an effective review of the issue and use of Travel Passes if required.
- All non-issued Travel Passes are kept in a secure location when not in use.
- Travel Passes are correctly validated by hole punching the Travel Pass with the issuing date, month and year.

#### Further information

##### State Schools Relief

P: 03 8769 8400 | E: [contact@ssr.net.au](mailto:contact@ssr.net.au)



Department of Transport

# COMMUNITY NEWS

City of Casey

## TEENAGE SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM Spring 2023



### Week One

Bookings close **Thursday 14 September 2023**

#### MONDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

Escape Room - Online Activity

Time: 10:30 am – 11:30 am

Cost: FREE

Online links will be provided after registration.

#### TUESDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

Wildlife Adventure

Venue: Werribee Open Range Zoo, Werribee

Time: 11:00 am – 02:30 pm

Cost: \$5

Transport included (see back of flyer)

BYO: lunch and/or money, snacks, water bottle, hat and sunscreen. Wear comfortable shoes

#### WEDNESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

Sensory Day at Wilson Botanic Park

Venue: Wilson Botanic Park, Berwick

Time: 10:30 am - 02.00 pm

Cost: \$5

Transport included (see back of flyer)

BYO: lunch and/or money, snacks & water bottle

#### THURSDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

Skirmish Laser Strike

Venue: Skirmish Laser Strike, The Basin

Time: 11:15 am – 03.00 pm

Cost: \$15

Transport included (see back of flyer)

Individual waiver forms required.

BYO: lunch and /or money & water bottle.

Wear comfortable shoes

#### FRIDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

Youth Information Centre Open Day

Venue: Narre Warren Youth Information Centre

Time: 02:00 pm – 04:30 pm

Cost: FREE

Transport not included.

### Week Two

Bookings close **Thursday 21 September 2023**

#### MONDAY 25 SEPTEMBER

Webinar - How to Be a Green Teen

Learn how to reduce your food waste and turn it into wealth!

Join us for a free webinar with the experts from Casey.

Time: 11:00 am – 12.00 pm

Cost: FREE

Online links will be provided after registration.

#### TUESDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

Cape Schanck - Coastal Wander

Venue: 420 Cape Schanck Rd, Cape Schanck

Time: 11:00 am – 3:00 pm

Cost: \$5

Transport included (see back of flyer).

BYO: lunch and/or money, snacks, water bottle, hat and sunscreen. Wear comfortable shoes.

#### WEDNESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

Multisports Day Clinic

3X3 Basketball, Netball and Volleyball

Time: 10:00 am – 1:30 pm

Cost: \$5

Transport Included ( see back of flyer)

BYO: lunch and/or money, snacks and water bottle.

Wear runners/ comfortable shoes.

#### THURSDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

The Lume Melbourne

Venue: The Lume Melbourne

1 Convention Centre Pl, South Wharf

Time: 11:00 am – 3.00pm

Cost: \$15

Transport included (see back of flyer).

BYO: lunch and/or money, snacks and water bottle.

**Bookings are essential.**

visit [casey.vic.gov.au/holidays](https://casey.vic.gov.au/holidays)

Contact the City of Casey

Web: [casey.vic.gov.au/youth](https://casey.vic.gov.au/youth)

Phone: 9705 5200

NRS: 133 677 (National Relay Service)

TIS: 131 450 (Translating and Interpreter Services)

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Contact event organiser

Tessa McManus

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## City of Casey TEENAGE SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM Spring 2023



### Week One

#### Transport

##### Tuesday 19 September

Werribee Zoo	PICK UP	DROP OFF
Cranbourne	07:35 am	05:45 pm
Narre Warren	08:05 am	05:25 pm
Hampton Park	08:20 am	05:10 pm
Doveton	08:40 am	04:50 pm
Endeavour Hills	08:55 am	04:35 pm

##### Wednesday 20 September

Sensory Day	PICK UP	DROP OFF
Cranbourne	08:45 am	03:55 pm
Narre Warren	09:10 am	03:35 pm
Hampton Park	09:25 am	03:20 pm
Doveton	09:40 am	03:05 pm
Endeavour Hills	09:55 am	02:50 pm

##### Thursday 21 September

Skirmish Laser Strike	PICK UP	DROP OFF
Cranbourne	09:20 am	04:50 pm
Narre Warren	09:40 am	04:30 pm
Hampton Park	09:55 am	04:15 pm
Doveton	10:10 am	04:00 pm
Endeavour Hills	10:25 am	02:35 pm

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### Week Two

#### Transport

##### Tuesday 26 September

Cape Schanck	PICK UP	DROP OFF
Endeavour Hills	08:30 am	05:10 pm
Doveton	08:45 am	04:55 pm
Hampton Park	09:00 am	04:35 pm
Narre Warren	09:15 am	04:20 pm
Cranbourne	09:35 am	04:00 pm

##### Wednesday 27 September

Multi-Sports Clinic	PICK UP	DROP OFF
Cranbourne	08:35 am	02:50 pm
Narre Warren	08:55 am	02:30 pm
Hampton Park	09:15 am	02:15 pm
Endeavour Hills	09:30 am	02:00 pm
Doveton	09:45 am	01:45 pm

##### Thursday 28 September

The Lume Melbourne	PICK UP	DROP OFF
Cranbourne	08:35 am	05:10 pm
Narre Warren	08:55 am	04:45 pm
Hampton Park	09:10 am	04:30 pm
Doveton	09:25 am	04:15 pm
Endeavour Hills	09:40 am	04:00 pm

#### Pick up and drop off points

**Narre Warren Youth Information Centre**  
52 Webb Street, Narre Warren

**Cranbourne**  
Lyal Street Bus Stop, Cranbourne

**Doveton**  
Autumn Place Shopping Centre, Paperbark Street, Doveton

**Endeavour Hills**  
Endeavour Hills Shopping Centre Bus Stop, Endeavour Hills

**Hampton Park**  
Stuart Avenue Bus Stop, Hampton Park

#### Contact the City of Casey

**Web:** [casey.vic.gov.au/youth](http://casey.vic.gov.au/youth)  
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## Walking route map

Berwick Lodge Primary School

ADDRESS: 139-145 Mansfield St, Berwick VIC 3806

PHONE: 9709 6700

WEBSITE: [berwicklodges.vic.edu.au](http://berwicklodges.vic.edu.au)

### Remember when crossing



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## SAFE AROUND SCHOOLS



***Berwick Lodge Primary School are excited to participate in  
City of Casey - Safe Around Schools Program  
to educate children and parents about road safety around schools.***



While there is no quick fix, schools, council, parents, and children can all work together to get everyone to school and work – safely and on time.

We strongly encourage you to complete a short 5-minute survey

[conversations.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools](https://conversations.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools)

to share your experience and knowledge as a parent/carer of this school.

The survey will provide extremely valuable information for the program.

#### Contact the City of Casey:

**Web:** [www.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools](http://www.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools)

**Email:** [Safearoundschools@casey.vic.gov.au](mailto:Safearoundschools@casey.vic.gov.au)

**Phone:** 03 9705 5200

**Post:** PO Box 1000, Narre Warren VIC 3805

**NRS:** 133 677 (for the deaf, hearing or speech impaired)

#### Customer Service Centres:

**Narre Warren:** Bunjil Place, Patrick Northeast Drive

**Cranbourne:** Cranbourne Park Shopping Centre

**ABN:** 43 320 295 742



TIS: 131450 (Translating and Interpreting Service) التارجم النوري 翻譯 服務 中心 4333 6777



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