

## CALENDAR

### AUGUST

Red Nose Day	Fri 11
Aust history incursion 3-6	Fri 11
Curriculum Day No school for students OSHC available Bookings essential	Fri 18
Book Week Dress Up day	Mon 21
5/6 Electives	Tue 22
Senior Hooptime	Fri 25
School council	Mon 28
5/6 Electives	Tue 29
Father's Day stall	Thu 31
Chess Tournament	Thu 31
Sugarloaf Athletics	Thu 31

### SEPTEMBER

Junior Hooptime	Fri 1
Father's day stall	Fri 1
5/6 Electives	Tue 2
Kaboom Sports P-3	Wed 6
Prep 2024 Info Night	Wed 6
Division Athletics	Thu 7
Market Day #2	Fri 8
5/6 Electives	Tue 12
Footy day	Fri 15
Last day term 3 Early dismissal 2.30pm	Fri 15

### OCTOBER

First day term 4	Mon 2
School council	Mon 9
Prep 2024 Storytime	Thu 12
Prep 2024 Storytime	Thu 19
Soccer day	Fri 20

### NOVEMBER

Melbourne Cup	Tue 7
Prep Transition 1	Fri 10
Prep Transition 2	Fri 17
Prep Transition 3	Fri 24

## 10 August Newsletter 24

### From the Principal



#### NEW BUILDING UPDATE

You may have noticed that preparation works are under way for the installation of our new portable.

The old toilet has been removed and we are preparing to concrete a porch area in front of the new portable. This will create a large entry space for the two classes in this building.

It is still hoped that the new portable building will be installed by our Curriculum Day or during the following week. Once installed our grades will be able to move in so it will be a good outcome for everyone.

I will continue to update everyone whenever there is any progress or change to our building program.

#### RED NOSE DAY TOMORROW 11TH AUGUST

Our Red Nose Day is set for tomorrow. For full details please check the flyer included with today's newsletter. There will be a number of related items for sale. Families are welcome to make a gold coin donation for this worthy cause as well.

#### CURRICULUM DAY

Our Curriculum Day is set for next Friday 18th August. Staff will be focussing on strategies to assist neuro diverse children and addressing a range of learning difficulties.

Please note this is a pupil free day and OSHC is available- ring 9712 0124 or 0419 893 272 to book.

#### KG SKATERZ SESSION ON CURRICULUM DAY

Please note that SKATERZ in Eltham has offered our school a special discount rate on the Curriculum day from 10:30am to 1:30pm. Entry will be \$10 and skate hire will be free. Supervising parents are free. Please mention that you are from Kangaroo Ground Primary to access our discount.

#### FATHER'S DAY STALL

Please remember our Fundraising PFA committee is organising a Father's Day raffle. Families are asked to send along items which may be suitable for a raffle. These donations will be made up much the same as our silent auction baskets.

Laurie Murray

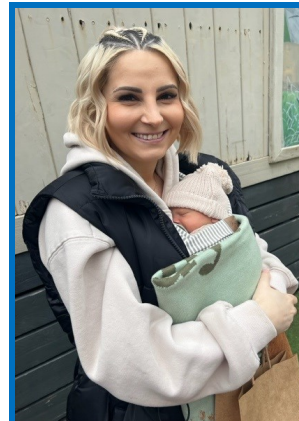
## Lunchtime Club

Lunchtime Clubs have begun!

Tracey our Student Wellbeing Support Officer has begun running a range of clubs at lunchtime.

These will run over the week for all grades and will vary accordingly.

This week the students have been honing their drawing skills and as you can see they were super keen to participate!



## WELCOME!

A big welcome to Cody Jay (CJ) Fyffe born the 16th of July. Congratulations to the Fyffe family-

especially big sister Billie Rose!



## CONTACT US

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# VALUES OF THE WEEK



Back - Nathan, Harry, Spencer, Olive, Abi and Zara

Front - Kobe, Mila, Billie, Marshall, Parker and Harriet

**pie Drive**

STOCK UP ON  
DELICIOUS GOURMET  
PIES FOR  
FOOTY FINALS  
OR AN EASY WEEK  
NIGHT DINNER!

RETURN ORDER FORM TO THE OFFICE BY  
18TH OF AUGUST  
PAY AT THE FRONT OFFICE OR VIA BPAY  
DELIVERY FIRST WEEK OF SEPTEMBER

## Fundraising Term 3

### IVAN'S PIES

Don't forget next week is the last week to get your pie orders in! Delicious gourmet pies for footy finals or a quick week night dinner. Orders must be received by Aug 18. Delivery to the school on September 4.

### FATHER'S DAY RAFFLE

We have had some great donations from community businesses for the raffle, including Kinglake Distillery, That Coffee Company and Workin' Clobber. It would be amazing to really get a couple great father's day hampers together as prizes for the winners! If each family that is able could please donate one item to this cause- Anything that dad might like- chocolate, snacks, socks, pens, mug, wine, beer, tools, camping gear, etc are some ideas! Please bring these in by 25th August and leave at the office.

Raffle tickets will be available for purchase soon!!

Many Thanks,

Fundraising Committee



# 100 DAYS OF PREP







# RED NOSE DAY

## Friday 11th AUGUST



*In September 2014 our family experienced the unimaginable loss of a baby, our son Hudson. He was born at 8 months gestation; beautiful, perfect ... and still. Red Nose (formerly SIDS and Kids) provided our family with a wealth of support and helped us navigate our way through the tremendous grief that has followed. Today, Red Nose focus much of their resources on finding an answer to sudden and unexplained stillbirth, such as ours. In honour of their brother, Bridie (G6 2022) and Raphy (G1) would like to raise as much money as possible to support this amazing charity.*

*Thank you for your support,  
The Parker family*

**Cupcakes (\$2) will be on sale at lunchtime on Red Nose Day, along with a limited amount of Red Nose products (\$3-\$5)**

*Some red noses will be sold after assembly on Monday 7th August in preparation for the event*



### YOU CAN HELP BY

- Wearing something RED on the day
- Making a gold coin donation
- Purchasing Red Nose products on the day (or online-see QR below)
- Buying cupcakes on the day



**Donate**



**Fundraise**



**Buy merchandise**

[www.rednoseday.org.au](http://www.rednoseday.org.au)

All donations over \$2 are tax-deductible. ABN 81 462 345 159





# Ivan's Pie Fundraising

Family Name:		Class:		Phone No:	
Family Name:	Pack size	Price	Quantity	Party & Fingerfood	Quantity
Gourmet Pies				Party Beef Pies	
Aussie Beef Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Party Sausage Rolls	pack of 12
Beef & Curry Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Party Beef & Red Wine Pies	pack of 12
Beef & Mushroom Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Party Chicken, Mushroom & Leek Pies (v)	pack of 12
Beef, Bacon & Cheese Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Party Cauliflower, Cheese & Leek Pies (v)	pack of 12
Shepherd's Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Party Quiche Lorraine	pack of 12
Chunky Angus Beef Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Party Sundried Tomato & Feta Quiche (v)	pack of 12
Pepper Beef Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Party Spinach & Cheese Quiche (v)	pack of 12
Beef & Red Wine Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Family Pies	
Lamb & Rosemary Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Family Aussie Beef Pie	single unit
Chicken & Vegetable Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Family Shepherd's Pie	single unit
Chicken, Mushroom & Lek Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Family Chunky Angus Beef Pie	single unit
Thai Chicken Pies	pack of 6	\$30.00		Family Beef & Red Wine	single unit
Cauliflower, Cheese & Leek Pies (v)	pack of 6	\$30.00		Family Lamb & Rosemary	single unit
Mediterranean Vegetable Pies (plant based)	pack of 6	\$30.00		Family Chicken & Vegetable	single unit
Pasties, Rolls & Quiche				Family Chicken, Mushroom & Leek	single unit
Beef Sausage Rolls	pack of 6	\$27.00		Pot Pie Style Meals	
Spinach & Ricotta Rolls (v)	pack of 6	\$27.00		Beef & Shiraz Pie	single unit
Vegetable Pasties (v)	pack of 6	\$30.00		Chicken, Bacon & Leek Pie	single unit
Cornish Pasties	pack of 6	\$30.00		Cottage Pie	single unit
Quiche Lorraine	pack of 8	\$40.00		Desserts	
Spinach & Cheese quiche (v)	pack of 8	\$40.00		Family Apple Pie (v)	single unit
Pumpkin, Feta & Leek quiche (v)	pack of 8	\$40.00		Apple Crumble (v)	single unit
Spinach, Sundried Tomato & Feta quiche (v)	pack of 8	\$40.00			
Tarts					Total
Bacon, Cheese & Leek Tart	single unit	\$22.50			
Pumpkin, Feta & Leek Tart (v)	single unit	\$22.50			
Spinach, Sundried Tomato & Feta Quiche (v)	single unit	\$22.50			
Salmon, Ricotta & Dill Tart	single unit	\$22.50			
	Total				

Prices are inclusive of 10% gst

Your organisation will receive 15% of total sales

Please ensure orders are received by Ivan's Pies 2 weeks before delivery date

Please visit [www.ivanspies.com.au](http://www.ivanspies.com.au) for any ingredients/allergen queries

**Return to the office by 18/08. Pay by eftpos at the front office or via bpay.  
Delivery will be first week of September**



# MS Readathon

## REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!

EMBARK ON THE MOST  
AMAZING ADVENTURE!

Read as much as you can  
throughout August and  
help Aussies living with MS  
and their families.

Claim your FREE T-shirt  
when you register!  
(While stocks last)



[www.msreadathon.org.au](http://www.msreadathon.org.au)

# BOOK WEEK

*Read. Grow. Inspire*



**DRESS UP DAY  
MONDAY 21ST  
AUGUST!**

**COME DRESSED AS YOUR  
FAVOURITE BOOK CHARACTER.  
WE WILL HAVE A COMBINED  
ASSEMBLY AND PARADE AT 9.05 AM**





# Child & Adolescent FEEDING CLINIC

Are mealtimes stressful?

Worried about your child's diet?

Struggling to introduce new foods?

## What is feeding therapy?

We follow the SOS (Sequential Oral Sensory) approach to feeding. This evidence-based program focuses on helping children with a limited diet become comfortable trying new & different foods. The program integrates posture, sensory systems, motor skills, behavioural skills, social/emotional development, and nutritional impacts. The SOS approach is a fun, family-centred program that involves exploration and creative play.

## Food therapy sessions may be beneficial if your child:


- Is a fussy/selective eater
- Has a restricted food intake (less than 20 foods)
- Eats different meals to the family
- Has difficulty with different food textures
- Gagging or vomiting when eating
- Mealtime battles & meltdowns
- Aversion to whole food groups
- Is underweight or overweight


## The Feeding Clinic provides support for:

- Fussy eaters
- Growth concerns
- Chronic constipation
- Sensory sensitivities, food obsessions & overeating associated with Autism & ADHD

CONTACT US TO FIND OUT HOW WE CAN HELP YOU

0427 733 485

 [www.bewellnourishment.com](http://www.bewellnourishment.com)

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

 @familynutritionist\_tracy

COME ALONG FOR SOME FUN AND BRING YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO THE KANGAROO GROUND CFA

# BARN DANCE SQUARE DANCE CALLER COMPETITIONS

BEST DRESSED  
BEST TABLE DECORATIONS

6.30 pm Saturday 26 August 2023

Eltham Community and Reception Centre  
801 Main Road, Eltham

**BYO Food and Drinks**

Adult \$30 pp plus booking fee  
Child (under 18) \$15 pp plus booking fee

RSVP 17 Aug 23

Booking via Trybooking  
<https://www.trybooking.com/CJFSX> or QR Code



*Come with a group (tables of 10)  
Or join in with others  
Lots of fun to be had.*

Dancing (if you wish)

Silent Auction  
Competitions

Prizes to be won

Best dressed



Best table decorations



Trybooking link:  
<https://www.trybooking.com/CJFSX>





Do you have a  
daughter in Grade 5?  
Year 7 2025 enrolment  
applications close  
Friday 18 August 2023.

Apply today via our website  
[clc.vic.edu.au/enrol](http://clc.vic.edu.au/enrol)



Hear from  
our Principal  
Stephanie Evans



Sat 12th  
August

7pm

Kangaroo Ground Pre School

# TRIVIA NIGHT

Silent Auction, Games, Prizes!

BYO Food and  
drinks. Tickets \$35  
via QR code.



Made with PosterMyWise

3 Ness Lane,  
Kangaroo Ground

<https://events.humanitix.com/trivia-night-k5i402g0/tickets>



# Little Voices presents... DYSLEXIA



Is your child having trouble with reading and spelling?

Do you have a family history of Dyslexia?

Has your child recently received a Dyslexia diagnosis?

Are you wanting to help but feeling overwhelmed?

Elise Cassidy, Director of Little Voices Speech Pathology, will discuss areas of reading, spelling and Dyslexia such as:

- Why some children have trouble learning to read and spell.
- What is Dyslexia?
- If Dyslexia or reading and spelling difficulties run in my family, how can I look out for that in my children?
- What can I do to support my child with their reading and spelling?

There will also be an open Q & A at the end so bring along any questions!

Tuesday 5th  
September  
7.00-8.30pm

\$25 per  
person

Little Voices  
Speech Pathology,  
Upstairs at  
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Montmorency

To book, contact us at  
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0479 178 291



Little Voices Speech Pathology offers families and schools a comprehensive range of Speech Pathology services in the north-eastern suburbs of Melbourne including:

## Assessment

- Assessments of children's speech, language and literacy skills;
- Screening and diagnostic dyslexia testing;
- Written reports for families and relevant professionals
- Follow up meetings with your child's school.

### Our Team:

Elise Cassidy  
(Director)  
Kate Malcolm (Speech  
Pathologist)  
Nikki Wynne  
(Admin)

No GP  
referral  
required

Rebates available  
through:  
Medicare  
Private Health  
Insurance  
NDIS (if eligible)

## Therapy

- Specialised language and literacy therapy programs;
- Clinicians are trained in Orton-Gillingham, Sounds-Write, and Dyslexia Action Literacy Program;
- Expert advice on areas of children's speech, language, reading and spelling development;
- Home programmes;

## Consultation

- Expert advice on areas of children's speech, language, reading and spelling development;
- Education workshops for parents, teachers and other community members;
- Dyslexia specific professional development seminars for schools;
- Liaison with relevant specialists or teachers;

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