



COBAINS NEWS

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 7th 2024

Website: www.cobains.ps.vic.edu.au Phone: 03 5149 8274 Mobile: 0490 181 065
Principal: Sandra Platt School Council President: Belinda Sargent

SCHOOL VALUES: *To Accept, Respect, and Try Our Best!*

The Cobains Primary School Community embraces the values of Respect, Accept and Try Your Best. We aim to provide a safe, caring & engaging learning environment that equips children with the necessary skills & knowledge to become positive & active contributors to the local & global community. Our school emphasises the development of Literacy and Numeracy with the integration of Information Technology throughout the curriculum. Cobains Primary School is committed to child safety and upholding the Child Safe Standards.
At Cobains Primary School, we have a zero tolerance to child abuse.

AUGUST

FRIDAY 9th

Rural Schools Athletics

TUESDAY 13th

Year 5 Transition

WEDNESDAY 21st

DRESS UP DAY for BOOKWEEK



AUGUST
21st Gus B
21st Payton L
28th Riley C

PARENT OPINION SURVEY: Open between 29th July and 30th August

The Parent/Carers Opinion Survey is now open and will close on 30th August.

We have sent home a link for this survey to be completed online or there is the option of completing a paper version.

If you would prefer to fill in a paper copy, please contact the school and one can be sent home.

GRADE 5/6 CAMP.

Thankyou to Miss J and Mrs Murphy for their support of our students on the Grade 5/6 camp to Melbourne. The feedback from staff and students has been very positive and it was lovely to chat to the children about their highlights this week.

CLUSTER ATHLETICS

Our cluster athletics carnival is this **Friday 9th August 2024.**

This day involves all students from Foundation to Grade 6.

The purposes of this event are:

- *** allow students to socialise with students from their grade level at other cluster schools, which then enables a smoother transition process to secondary school.
- *** determine which students from grades 3-6 will progress to the next level of competition in each of the events (please note that the 9 and 10 year old age groups compete separately on the day but as a single age group at the next level. Therefore results are compared and the best results are sent on)

DROP OFF: 9.15am PICKUP: 2.30pm
Sale Athletic Centre 14 McLachlan Street SALE

REPORT TO COBAINS STAFF MEMBER

Students to Bring Snacks, Lunch & Drink Bottle

School Uniform to be worn and shoes appropriate for Sport

NEW ENROLMENTS

The enrolment period for 2025 Foundation (Prep) students is currently open. If you know of anyone who is planning to enrol at Cobains, please encourage them to contact the office for an enrolment form and to organise a school tour if they would like one.

NEW PLAYGROUND

Construction has started on our new playground and will be completed before the end of term.

PARKING

To help keep all of our families safe, please do not park on the opposite side of the road when dropping off or picking up students.

Once the new playground works are completed, staff will begin to use the inside car park again, which will free up some of the spaces near the basketball court.

TOYS AND SPORTS EQUIPMENT AT SCHOOL

We would like to ask that students do not bring their own sporting equipment to school, as it can cause distress if it gets lost or broken.

Term 3 Week 2 Assembly Awards!

Congratulations to all our awesome award winners this week!

Learner of the Week for the Green Room (P/1):

Jamieson for working hard at showing kindness to classmates.

Learner of the Week for the Orange Room (2/3/4):

Darcy for working well with everyone he has been paired with.

Learner of the Week for the Blue Room (4/5/6):

Abbey for her presentation on Austria.

Principals Award: Ben for his resilience in learning and the playground.

Music Award: Chase for great focus during music.

Jasmine for always giving her best during music.

Term 3 Week 3 Assembly Awards!

Congratulations to all our awesome award winners this week!

Learner of the Week for the Green Room (P/1):

Clarke for her amazing attitude to learning.

Learner of the Week for the Orange Room (2/3/4):

Louisa for having a great week of showing our values.

Principals Award: Tyde for making good choices and showing leadership.

Music Award: Mackenzie for creative dancing.

Lachlan for great participation during music.

Art Awards Jamieson for his focus and concentration on his animal sculpture.

Clyde for his attention to detail on his "window" collage.

MAFFRA GYMNASTIC CLUB

40

YEAR
CELEBRATION

14 SEPTEMBER 2024

1pm - 4pm

Cameron Sporting Complex, Morison St, Maffra VIC
1pm Doors Open
1:30pm Gymnastic Displays
2:30pm Formal Speeches

»FUTURE»
WELLINGTON
"Planning for what's next"

Help shape the future of Wellington Shire

Future Wellington is your chance to shape our next Community Vision, Council Plan, Health and Wellbeing Plan, and 10-Year Asset and Financial Plans.

How to get involved

Shape Wellington's future. Help us plan for the next decade. From 1 July to 31 August 2024, the community is invited to share their views and engage via Council's online community engagement platform, Your Wellington Your Say.

Survey

Share your thoughts to help us support a happier, healthier community. Available online, at customer service centres (Yarram or Sale), or your local library.

Complete a postcard

Get your Future Wellington Postcards at Council Customer Service Centres in Sale and Yarram, library branches, and participating local businesses and community spaces. Fill out the postcard and return it to a collection box or snap a photo and upload it. Find collection boxes in over 40 locations throughout July and August. Scan the QR code for the full list or call 1300 366 244 to find the exact location near you.

Have your say on Wellington's future for a chance to win a \$50 VISA gift card!



Drawing Competition

Get creative and share your vision for Wellington's future by drawing what is important to you as we plan for the next decade.



Photo/Video Competition

Capture what Wellington means to you in a photo or video to help set the vision for the future.

WIN YOUR OWN PRIZE PACK

By submitting an entry into either competition you will be in the draw to win your own prize pack from **THE MIDDLE OF EVERYWHERE**.



Visit Your Wellington Your Say to register for a community workshop (in person or online), download the Community Conversation Toolkit, or to share your Wellington story.



Scan the QR code to upload your entry for a chance to win!



FAMILY SCIENCE FESTIVAL

3 hours of science experiments and discovery with guest scientist presentations!

SATURDAY 10TH AUGUST

Morning Session
9:00am - 12:00pm

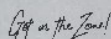
Afternoon Session
12:30pm - 3:30pm

YOUTH
\$11.50

See you at
LARDNER PARK
155 Burnt Store Rd, Lardner VIC 3820

VISIT THE WEBSITE OR BOOK HERE:

<https://www.stemzone.com.au/special-events>



FOR NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK 2024



This project received grant funding from the Australian Government

AUSTRALIAN
WATER
ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL WATER WEEK

Enter our National Water Week poster competition for your chance to win fantastic prizes!

Prizes

- School prize: \$500 for a sustainability project or STEM resources
- Student prizes: \$100 & \$50 local gift vouchers + Gippsland Water prize packs



Rose's winning poster from 2023

Upload entries online by 5pm Friday 6 September 2024.

www.gippswater.com.au/nwwpostercompetition



Goal: Create an awesome poster for the 2024 National Water Week Poster Competition!

ONE: Do some thinking about the poster theme: 'Water for all, inspiring action'

PART A. Thinking about WATER

1. Why do you think water is important?

2. What do you like about water?

3. How does water make you feel?

PART C. Thinking about your POSTER

1. What does 'Water for all, inspiring action' mean to you?

Note: this is a tricky question! Think about how we all need water. Then think about how you could inspire people to save water

PART B. Thinking about THEME



4. Everyone should have access to water. Why is that?

5. What are some things that **inspire** you? It could be someone from your family or something beautiful in nature.

6. What would be one way you would help inspire action in your community to save water?

