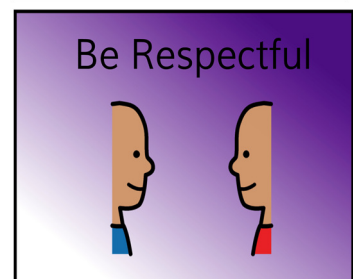
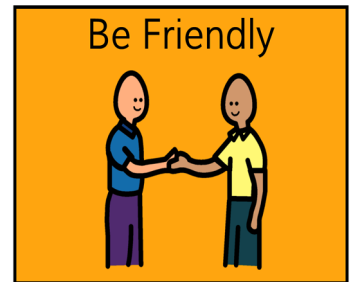


Students play together!



Brock, Flynn, Tyler, Byron and Wyatt enjoy going over to LPS to play basketball on Thursday. So wonderful having our schools playing together.



IMPORTANT DATES for TERM 1

Mar 19– R3/4/5 –Warragul Arts Centre—96 Story Treehouse

Mar 19th— Harmony Day—Anti bullying

Mar 31st—School Council AGM

April 1st—End of Term 1

EVENTS THIS TERM

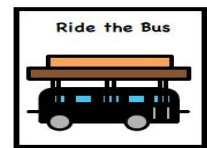
President: Michelle Boyle **Secretary:** Tona O'Connor
Treasurer: Jodie Lennon

**Easter Raffle—All donations
welcome.**

Please donate at the office.



SOUTH GIPPSLAND SPECIALIST SCHOOL: BUS CHAPERONE/DRIVER CONTACT INFORMATION UPDATED: 2021



BUS RUN	DRIVER	CHAPERONE	CONTACT NUMBER
Kongwak	Bec Farmer	Avalyn Kenney	0417 161 287
Nyora	Carol Tonkin	Kay Hills	0407 405 580
Welshpool	Greg Caple	Helen Beasley	0438 360 418
Taxi	Neil Green	Ruth Beeby	0409 006 326

CHEW TOYS FOR SALE

We have a variety of chew toys for students if any parents wish to purchase them.

Please see Sam or Jodie in the Office. Prices **from \$18.**



SECOND HAND UNIIFORMS for free

We have a large list of second hand uniforms that have been donated and we are happy for any families to take what they need at no cost.

Size 4—shorts x 2, Pants x 9, Polo x 3, Jumper x 1

Size 6—Pant x 1, Polo x 5, jumper x 3

Size 8—Shorts x 1, polo x 1, jumper x 1

Size 12—Polo x 1

First in best dressed. Please contact the Office if you wish to collect any of these uniforms.

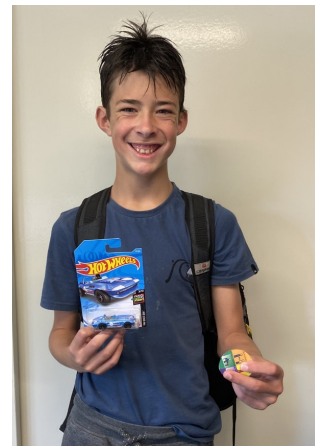
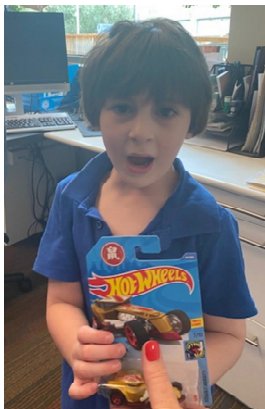
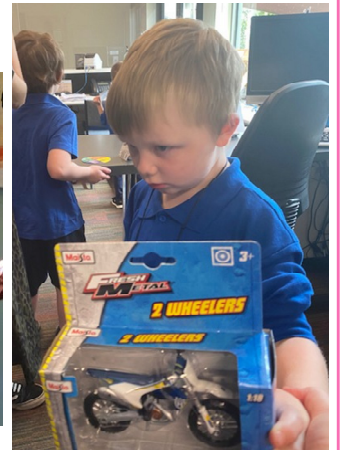
Token Winners!



Well done for displaying the school values this week by being friendly, being safe, being a learner, and being respectful.

WELL DONE

Kye, Isaac, Ryder, Andrew, Aylah, Coby, Robbie, Jazmin, Teaniesha, Brock, Kean, Mitch & Nethli.



MEX –IT—UP WRAPS

Ingredients:

Spinach and Herb wrap

1 1/2 tbs of cream cheese

1/4 red capsicum chopped

1/4 yellow capsicum chopped

50grams Roast Beef

1/2 tomato sliced

Spread 1 Garden Spinach & Herb Wrap with 1 1/2 tablespoons cheese spread. Place 1/4 red capsicum, chopped; 1/4 yellow capsicum, chopped; 50g rare roast beef; and 1/2 tomato, sliced, along the centre. Drizzle over 1 tablespoon mild salsa. Roll up to enclose. Cut in half.



SGSS BEHAVIOUR EDUCATION

As a school wide positive behaviour support school, we proactively teach our students our expected behaviours across the school day, in all areas of the school.

They are rewarded with tokens that can be exchanged for prizes from the shelf.

There are times when any one of our students can be having a difficult time and despite all efforts from staff to try and get the student to make a good choice, sometimes they do not and as a result display a behaviour that is so significant that it warrants a rest day. The school attempts to work with our families to ensure that there is minimal disruption to the child's education and when they return, with some restorative practice it is a clean slate.

We are a SAFE school, which means that our school community is entitled to be free from any form of intimidation : physical , emotional and sexual.

We are also a respectful relationships school where we educate our students to treat all people with respect regardless of gender.

There are times when the school, in consultation with families, decides to utilise the support of outside services such as the police, GCASA, psychologists and counsellors to support our students to understand the consequences of their behaviour and its seriousness. It is extremely important for our students to understand that if they exhibit a serious behaviour out in the community, there could be police intervention and even criminal charges.

Emotional dysregulation is a part of many of our students disabilities, however this does not mean that students can not be taught what is right and what is wrong so that they can be respectful members of our communities.

Next week's Award Winners

Room 1: Kean for great listening to the teacher.

Room 2: Sam for an awesome job at the athletics on the weekend

Room 3: Isaac for great friendly playing with his classmates.

Room 4: Robbie for showing great leadership.

Room 5: Mitch for working well on his Mapbook.

Room 8: Leo for trying new activities.

Room 9: Tyler R. for his hard work and leadership, mulching the garden during work experience. Napoleon for working hard each day to do his Mapbook.

Room 10: Jarrod for a great job with the lunch making program on Monday's.

AWARD WINNERS



Rebecca for having a go at all activities.



All of Room 3 for great friendliness.



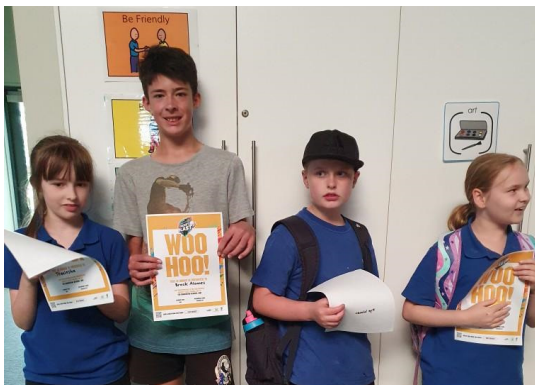
Charlie for using friendly and respectful language with his classmates.



Teaniesha for working really hard on her jobs.



Xander for great Mapbook work.



Teanisha, Brock, Kye, Jazmin For participating in the Cricket Gala.



Daniel, Nathan & Letyshya for excellent participation in the I Am Ready Program.

Words from the Office

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a busy week again here at school. Students are enjoying going on excursions again.

NDIS THERAPIES

It is wonderful to see our students getting access to the well deserved therapies they need. SGSS fully supports the therapists coming into the school and delivering their therapies. It is important for families to understand that if they are removing their child to access therapies during the school day, this may impact on their child's education. Please keep this in mind when arranging your child's therapists.

THANKYOU

Thanks to all our families who have donated items for the Easter Raffle. We have also had donations from the Korumburra Newsagency and the Nyora General Store. Keep the donations coming in.

NEW PLAYGROUND

The new playgrounds are almost finished. I need to congratulate all of our students in Room 1/2/3/4 for their patience. The works have been incredibly slow but I know that once it is finished it will be awesome for our students.

GOODBYE

We say goodbye to Bianca and Nikki in room 2. They have decided to leave us to spend more quality time with their families. We thank them for their contributions to SGSS and wish them all the best for the future. Bianca leaves at the end of term.



FEES

This week the school fees have been slowly handed out to classrooms. There are many ways to pay the fees. BPAY, eftpos at school or eftpos over the phone, make regular payments through Centrepay. If any families are experiencing financial hardship, please see Jodie at the office and we can come up with a plan. School Council would like all families to pay their fees as they support the schools varied curriculum.

DR NOWOTNY VISIT

Dr Nowotny is visiting our school for paediatric consults on May 11th. If you require an appointment please contact the office. There are not many spots left.



Heather Braden
Principal

**Have a great week.
TOGETHER WE GROW.
Stay safe and healthy**

Tania Pell
Assistant Principal

