

SOUTH GIPPSLAND SPECIALIST SCHOOL www.sgss.vic.edu.au

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Life education





Last week we had the Life Education teachers come to our school to present a range of classes to our students. Students were very engaged in the sessions.









IMPORTANT DATES for TERM 4

Nov 25th—Orange Day Dec 3rd—International Day for People with Disabilities Dec 10th—Graduation Dec 17th—Celebration Day— 2pm finish

Parents and Friends Club EVENTS THIS TERM

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

Xmas Raffles—Any donations would be greatly appreciated.

We are looking for bon bons, \$2 items, chocolates etc.

There is a basket in the foyer or send in with your child.

Thankyou all for your generosity.



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



BUS RUN	DRIVER	CHAPERONE	CONTACT NUMBER
Kongwak	Maria Priestley	Wendy Green	0417 161 287
Nyora	Bec farmer	Kay Hills	0407 405 580
Welshpool	Greg Caple	Helen Beasley	0438 360 418
Taxi	Neil Green	Ava Kennedy	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.**







Well done for displaying the school values this week by being friendly, being safe, being a learner, and being respectful. Nethli, Xander, Ryder, Teaniesha and Isaac.











Well done everyone!

LUNCH BOX FRUIT KEBABS

Ingredients

- 1 punnet strawberries
- 1 rockmelon
- 1 honeydew melon
- 1 bunch seedless grapes

Method

- Slice rockmelon and honeydew melon in half and scoop out seeds.
- Using a melon baller, scoop balls from both and drain on paper towel.
- Remove grapes from the stems.
- Thread the melon balls, grapes and strawberries onto the sticks and chill.
- Note—Banana's don't keep well so avoid them.

Next week's Award Winners

Room 1: Andrew for using his words.

Room 2: Nethli for adjusting well to her new classroom.

Room 3: Charlie and Ryder for great friendship skills.

Room 4: Teaniesha, Robbie, Brochk and Kye for showing amazing getting along skills.

Room 5: Corey for transitioning smoothly back to school.

Room 8: Byron, Marcus and Jacob for an excellent camp and being very responsible.

Room 9: Skye for her persistence and determination to complete tasks Room 10: Jayden for great engagement in SBAT program.





The Xmas hamper is slowly filling. Thankyou all so much for your donations.





AWARD WINNERS



Coby for great participation in the Healthy Harold program.



Seven for great helping in the classroom.



Joseph for putting his head underwater for the first time in swimming.



Teaniesha for showing wonderful growth in her learning especially in her Mapbook sessions.



Wyatt for doing really well in tennis.



Riley for working hard on his independence.



Noah for following instructions and using his manners.



Kara for showing resilience and maturity toward her school work.

Words from the Office

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another great week here at SGSS. Students are still working hard on their goals.



16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM COMMENCING THURSDAY

The 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence commences on **Thursday 25th November** and will launch with the annual Walk Against Family Violence (WAFV). Respect Victoria is proud to be principal partner of this event. This year, we will be participating in the walk with the precinct as a commitment to victim-survivors and all those who have experienced family violence. Staff and students are encouraged to **wear something orange**.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE DONATIONS

Keep those donations coming in for our annual Christmas Raffle. Thank you to all those who have already donated. The stocking is starting to fill up.





SBAT PROGRAM

This year we have teamed up with Bass Coast Specialist School to participate in School Based Apprenticeships and Traineeship in Horticulture. The students have been going across to Bass Coast, when allowed due to COVID restrictions to participate in both theory and practical work. Pictured here is Jayden and Noah, who are trialling the program as they are signing up for it next year. They are working with Cliff, one of the trainers doing soil testing. Noah and Jayden were completely engaged in the work. Well done.

CELEBRATION DAY

We are finally able to have our annual celebration day this year on Friday December 17th from 11am. Only double vaccinated persons are able to attend and there is a limit of 100 people, including our staff so it will be a case of the school managing how many family members are attending. Prior registration for the day will be required and if your name is not on the list, you will be unable to attend so it is a case of first in, first served. Please contact the office if you are wanting to attend. It will be held in the gym with the doors opened then a light lunch to follow.

GRADUATION

Graduation will be held at the Lucinda Winery on Friday December 10th at 3pm. Invitations will be sent out next week. To our Graduating families.



TOGETHER WE GROW. Stay safe and healthy

Heather Braden

Principal

Tania Pell Assistant Principal

