

# The Bell Topper

## California Gully Primary School 123

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Thursday July 14<sup>th</sup> 2022

### **TERM 3 - WELCOME!**

We welcome back CGPS families to begin Term 3. We look forward to another very positive term as all children continue to always show Respect, achieve their Personal Best, demonstrate Care for themselves and those around them.

### **STUDENT REPORTS AND 3-WAY CONFERENCE - FRIDAY JULY 22<sup>nd</sup>**

A friendly reminder that we will be holding our 3-Way Conference next Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July. Teachers and children look forward to sharing from Semester 1. It is an important opportunity to acknowledge strengths and also look at what we (teachers, parent/carer and children) can do together to ensure learning gains continue in the second half of the school year. Allocated times were distributed with student reports.

**Children will only attend school for the designated interview time on this day.**

### **COLOUR FUN RUN - AMAZING!**

We are very proud of the small, supportive community we have at California Gully Primary School. We would like to thank all the children, parents and families for their participation and donations for our first Colour Run,

We raised a total of **\$5232** for Dolly's Dream Foundation, with a wonderful celebration occurring on the last day of Term 2.

### **PASSIONS AND PATHWAYS - GRADES 5 & 6**

Passions & Pathways gives students in their last years of primary school exposure to the world of work through an exciting journey of in-class workshops, workplace visits, hands-on learning experiences, and talks with employers and Young Industry Ambassadors. Over Term 3, our Grade 5&6 students will visit workplaces and explore hands-on experiences that help them understand what kinds of jobs are available and how people go about their jobs use their skills and interests to choose a project to work on with a local business. On Tuesday, our Grade 5&6 classes were fortunate to visit LaTrobe University and Bendigo TAFE (Charleston Road Campus) to begin this fantastic experience.

### **FOUNDATION (PREP) ENROLMENTS 2023**

Thank you to parents who have let us know their child will be starting (Foundation) Prep next year. We encourage families to contact the school if they have a child starting school. If your child has additional needs including a medical diagnosis, language difficulties, is involved with any Early Intervention services, or if you just have a worry or concern about your child, please make an appointment to see Kathryn or Andrew as soon as possible.

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## TERM 3 COVID UPDATE

As you would be aware, following advice from the Acting Chief Health Officer, the Victorian Government recently announced changes to the pandemic orders:

- Parents and carers who have COVID-19 can transport their non-COVID-19 children via private vehicle to their
- primary or secondary school when an alternative person is not available to assist. The parent or carer must travel directly to and from the school only.
- Family members are asked to continue reporting positive COVID-19 cases to both the [Department of Health](#) and our own [testing portal](#).
- You must also let the school know if your child is a close contact. Students who are close contacts and want to attend should still take 5 RATs over 7 days and wear a face mask whilst indoors if they are aged 8 years or over.

**Students should continue to stay home if they are unwell, even if they test negative on a RAT.**

**Thank you for your support as we continue to make these adjustments.**

*Andrew Frawley  
CGPS Principal*

## Dates for the Diary

- Book Club Issue 5 Orders Due - **Thursday July 21<sup>st</sup>**
- 3-Way Interviews - **Friday July 22<sup>nd</sup>**



***Book Club orders are due :  
Thursday July 21<sup>st</sup> 2022***

***You can place your child's order online at [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP)  
or use the LOOP app.***

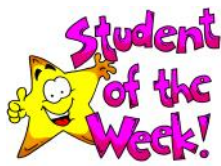
All ordering and payment details are in the back of the Book Club booklet.

If you are ordering something for your child for a present, please let your child's teacher know so it is not given to your child.

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Congratulations to the following students on being named **Student of The Week** for their positive attitude to school and social values.

**Friday June 24<sup>th</sup>**

**Foundation Hinton-Ryan:**

Charliy J. - For a brilliant effort to sound/blend and learn her common words.

**Grade 1/2 Baldwin:**

Olivia-Rose L.- For being a co-operative and happy member of our class.

Arizona M. - For always showing care towards her classmates.

**Grade 3/4 Ennor:**

Suzanna H. - For always giving her best.

Bryce M. - For great reading of new texts.

Silas W. - For having a very settled term.

**Grade 3/4 Ryan:**

Georgia G. - For being eager to share and answer questions about her kittens to the class.

James M. - For working hard with his reading in school and at home.

Indi P. - For working hard on her independent writing.

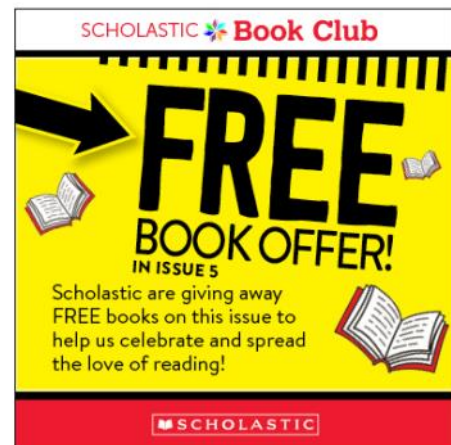
**Grade 5/6 McKerrow:**

Jemma S. - For excellent work with Mrs. McKerrow.

Donna V. - Year 5 McK. Piccaria Maths Games Champion.

**Grade 5/6 Windridge-Lee:**

Arlen C. - For his amazing equation work with Mrs. Peacock.



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# JUNIOR SESSIONS

REGISTER NOW

TUESDAY NIGHT TRAINING

6-7:30PM

REGISTER NOW

FRIDAY NIGHT JUNIOR  
COMPETITION/COACHING

6:45-8:30PM

REGISTER VIA THIS  
QR CODE



WANNA PLAY? RING 0499 731 811  
TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST

[revolutionise.com.au/bendigoeaglehawk/registration/](http://revolutionise.com.au/bendigoeaglehawk/registration/)



## Introducing our new peer support officer

Hi! My name is Clare and I'm the new carer peer support officer at Lifely.

At home I care for an autistic child so I have an understanding of how challenging it can be to add caring on top of the roles that you already have.

I've been working with Lifely for nearly two years as an NDIS support coordinator and therefore have personal and professional experience with the carer role.

In my role, I will be meeting with carers to listen to their needs and help link them with services for themselves.

Often as carers, the focus is on the person they are caring for and carers

don't have the time or energy to find out which services they can utilise for themselves.

In addition to this, if a carer is interested in spending more time in the community - which may include aspirations of work, study or volunteering, my role can support them with the process.

If you would like to get in contact, please email me at [clare.dufford@lifely.org.au](mailto:clare.dufford@lifely.org.au) or phone 0489 550 876.

My work days are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 9am to 3pm.

Take a peek into a day in the life and work of our new Peer Support Officer, Clare Dufford.

Want to return to work, study or volunteering? Need help to find carer support services? We can help!



# SHREK The Musical

July 21st - 30th, 2022

Capital Theatre, Bendigo

### TICKETS:

Adult \$45  
Child/Concession \$40

### BOOK NOW AT:

[gotix.com.au](http://gotix.com.au)  
[nexusbyt.com](http://nexusbyt.com)

### SCAN ME FOR TICKETS:

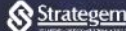


Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture and the book by William Steig

Books and Lyrics by David Lindsay-Abaire  
Music by Jeanine Tesori

Originally produced on Broadway by DreamWorks Theatricals and Neal Street Productions

Licensed exclusively by Music Theatre International (Australia).



Want \$500 to help you with school costs?



Make an enquiry to see if you are eligible.

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# YOU'RE INVITED TO ATTEND OUR SELF-DETERMINATION IN EDUCATION YARNING CIRCLE

The gathering circle represents country and place. Self-determination already exists but it's about providing a culturally and inclusive space to have those yarns.

This yarning circle is for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, families, and educators to yarn about self-determination in education.

We encourage students and families to come along. For families who participate in the yarn, each family will receive a \$100 gift card.

To register for the event email [members@djadjawurrung.com.au](mailto:members@djadjawurrung.com.au) or call 5444 2888.



Wednesday 20 July, from 4pm | Knight Street White Hills

Scan for location details



**BDAC**  
Bendigo & District  
Aboriginal Co-operative

Artwork by Nakia Cadd, a Gunditjмара, Yorta Yorta, Dja Dja Wurrung and Bunitj woman

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# centavic CLOTHING

2/1 Whip Court, Long Gully

California Gully Primary School

Dpt.	Garment	Kids Sizing	Adults Sizing
1	Teal/Ink Navy/White Short Sleeve Polo	\$28.60	\$30.80
2	Teal/Ink Navy/White Long Sleeve Polo	\$32.30	\$34.10
6	Ink Navy Rugby Top	\$35.20	\$36.85
4	Ink Navy 1/2 Zip Polar Fleece Jumper	\$36.30	\$39.60
5	Navy Hooded Windcheater	\$35.20	\$36.85
7	Ink Navy Double Knee Hemmed Track Pants	\$24.20	\$27.50
13	Navy Bucket Hat	\$14.30	
13	Navy Broadbrim Hat	\$12.10	

Opening Hours: Monday-Friday 8am to 5pm

Price list effective as of 1st Aug 2021

Our School Uniform supplier, Centavic Clothing, are pleased to now offer an online uniform shop for California Gully Primary School through their website:

<https://www.centavicclothing.com.au/>

Parents can place an order for uniforms, with the option of paying online, over the phone or on the day of collection.

We advise that any students needing to try on uniform items book an appointment as due to the current COVID-19 capacity limits we will be prioritising those with appointments when needed. This booking system can also be found on our website.

***As per the government guidelines, Centavic Clothing will be requiring anyone aged 16 and over to show proof of being fully vaccinated or proof of a valid exemption before entering their premises.***

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