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STUDENT 3-WAY CONFERENCES

Thank you to all families for their support and engagement in attending our 3-Way Interviews on Friday. This was a wonderful opportunity to share and celebrate achievements, while also setting goals for future success.

2024 FOUNDATION (PREP) ENROLMENTS AT C.G.P.S.

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. It is important to note that there is an application process form that must be filled out prior to enrolment forms that is due by July 28th. 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.

AFL CARNIVAL

On Tuesday the CGPS football team represented our school at the Sandhurst Division Primary School Football Carnival. Congratulations to all students that represented the school. All children should be commended for their fantastic attitude, effort, enthusiasm and teamwork over the 5 games.

BOOK WEEK AND BOOK PARADE - WEDNESDAY AUGUST 23rd

The theme for 2023 is **Read, Grow, Inspire** and the featured artist is Australian illustrator Matt Ottley whose book *Luke's Way of Looking* was a CBCA Honour Book in 2000.

We will celebrate across the week although the all important Book Parade will occur on Wednesday August 23rd, starting at 9.10am.



NAPLAN - GRADES 3 & 5

NAPLAN student reports have now been distributed. A reminder that this is a snapshot of learning, so important to remember that all we ask is that students do their best over each assessment.

To assist parents and carers in understanding the NAPLAN 2023 reporting changes, a copy of the information brochure for parents and carers was sent with student reports.

Parents and carers may also find the following [video on reading the Individual Student Report](#) useful to understand student-level reporting and the new proficiency standards for NAPLAN.

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Dates for the Diary

- **Friday July 28th** - Applications for Foundation 2024 Due to School
- **Wednesday August 2nd** - Foundation Students 100 Days Excursion
- **Wednesday August 2nd** - Grades Five and Six Passions and Pathways Discovery Centre Incursion
- **Friday August 4th** - Sports Dress Up Day
- **Wednesday August 9th** - Acceptance Form for Year Seven 2024 Due Back to School
- **Monday August 14th** - School Council Meeting
- **Wednesday August 23rd** - Book Week Parade
- **Monday September 11th** - School Council Meeting



Saver Plus

Program Includes:

- Matched dollar for dollar savings up to \$500
- Money Minded workshops - Financial Education
- Coaching on budgeting and savings

Eligibility Criteria

- Must be a New South Wales resident
- Be in receipt of a Government Payment
- Be studying or have a child in school
- Have some regular income from work
- Be 18+ years old

SCAN ME

State Schools' Relief

Provides school uniforms and shoes to those that are unable to afford them.

Eligibility Criteria

- Situations include but not limited to:
 - Unemployment
 - Health issues/illness
 - Financial difficulties
 - Independent living and/or homelessness
 - Natural disasters
 - Bereavement
 - Domestic and family violence

SCAN ME

The Education State

Camps, Sports and Education Fund

Funding to attend activities like:

- school camps or trips
- swimming and school-organised sports programs
- outdoor education programs
- excursions and incursions

\$125 per year for eligible primary school students
\$225 per year for eligible secondary school students.

Eligibility Criteria

- Parent must be a health/concession card holder;
- Or families on pension/breaking into, or seeking asylum;
- Or children in out of home care

SCAN ME

Computerbank

Low cost refurbished computers that include various programs including word processing, Google Chrome and PDF Maker

Eligibility Criteria

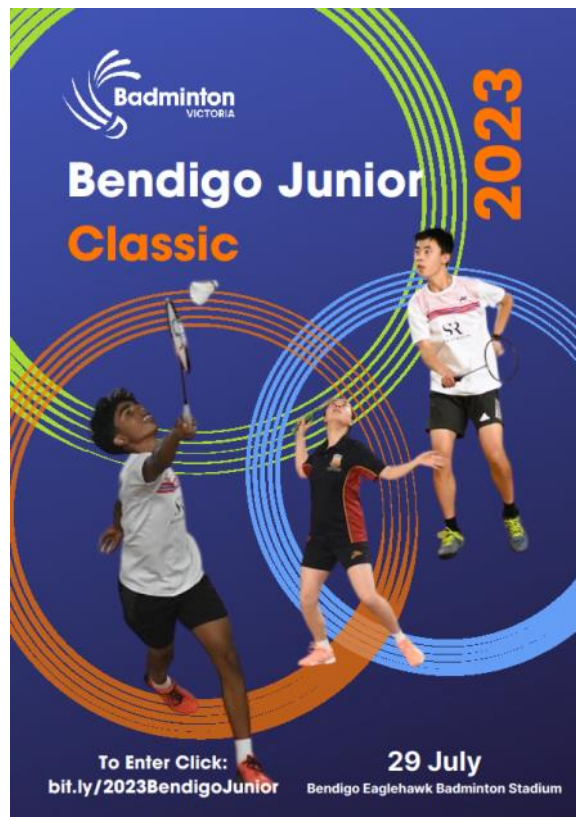
- Concession/Health Care Card holders
- Students
- Asylum seekers

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READERS

RELATE

Help your child find themselves and their lives within the books they choose.

ENERGIZE

Have lively dialogues about the books they read and plan to read.

ALLOCATE TIME

Make reading a part of your everyday life.

DIVERSIFY

Introduce different genres.

ENGAGE

Make it fun!

READ TOGETHER

Participate by taking turns reading passages aloud.

SUPPORT

Provide your child access to books

SCHOLASTIC  **Book Club**



PROPS THEATRE
Drama Skills for ages 5 - 21

LOCATION
82A Mitchell Street Studio
www.propstheatre.com.au
2023 Enrolments OPEN

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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	

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 COVID-19 capacity limits we will be prioritising those with appointments when needed. This booking system can also be found on our website.

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FRESH FRUIT FRIDAY

Benefiting the health
and wellbeing of our
Bendigo school children



FREE CHILD TICKET

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BRAVES-091**

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