

# Alexandra Primary School



Our purpose is to build a learning community that challenges and supports young minds to develop as independent and lifelong learners, continually striving for excellence.

RESPECT CARE INTEGRITY ACHIEVE

**Thursday October 12th**  
**Term 4 Week 2**

Our Foundation transition is beginning soon! If you are thinking about enrolling a 2024 Foundation student, and haven't done so yet, please contact the Office.

The Art Room is looking for buttons. If you have any spares, we would appreciate any donations! Thank you.

## Coming Up

- Oct 13 – Regional Athletics
- Oct 20 – Crazy Hair Day
- Oct 20 – Mango Forms due back
- Nov 1 – Kinder Transition begins
- Nov 7 – Melbourne Cup Public Holiday
- Nov 24 – Family Picnic and Colour Run

Division Athletics – P2  
Concert – P3  
Cardboard Outfits – P4  
Achievement awards – P6



# Division Athletics!

On Monday the amazing Jess Clacy & Nat Wise took some of our students to Division sports, and we had some great results from the day! The following students came either first or second in their sport, and have qualified to regional in Albury on Friday.

Jaidyn – 1500m (2nd) and Shotput (1st)  
Olenka – High Jump (2nd) and Triple Jump (2nd)  
Ashleigh – Shotput (1st)  
Angus B – Triple Jump (2nd)  
Hudson – 100m (1st)





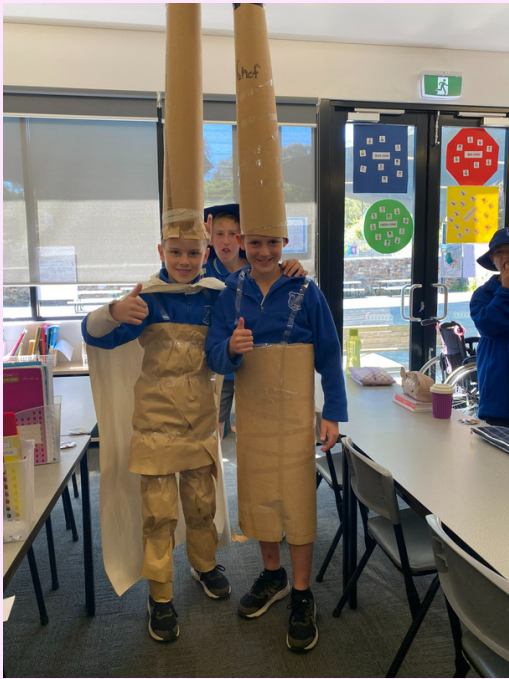
# School Concert

We had such an amazing night last Friday at our School Concert. Thank you to everyone who came and supported us!





# Cardboard Outfits with Grade 5





A huge thank you to the families who came to our **Working Bee** last weekend! We are so grateful to have such an amazing community who are happy to give up their time to help us out. Thank you!



## Lunchtime Mountain Bike Timetable Term 4 2023

Week 2 Wednesday July October 11th	Foundation – Grade 3
Week 3 Wednesday October 18th	Grade 4 – 6
Week 4 – No mountain biking this week.	
Week 5 Wednesday November 1st	Foundation – Grade 3
Week 6 Wednesday November 8th	Grade 4 – 6
Week 7 Wednesday November 15th	Foundation – Grade 3
Week 8 Wednesday November 22nd	Grade 4 – 6
Week 9 Wednesday November 29th	Foundation – Grade 3
Week 10 Wednesday December 6th	Grade 4 – 6

## Uniform

At APS we are proud to have a smart uniform, and we expect that everyone wears their uniform each day. Students are welcome to wear any variation of the APS polo, grey shorts, pants or skort, APS fleece jumper, or school dress, along with an APS hat.

Please be aware that leggings, bike shorts (worn without a dress), footy shorts, and casual jumpers are not a part of our school uniform.

Second hand uniform can be purchased from the Office, or new uniform from [fcw.com.au](http://fcw.com.au)



# Star of the Week

## Cheyanne - 5/6A

Cheyanne consistently shows the school values. She did an amazing job at our school concert last week, demonstrating her flair for the dramatic arts and proudly playing her part. We are proud to have you in our school community, Cheyanne. You are a STAR!

## Achievement Awards

<b>Foundation</b>	Logan Robins: For having a positive attitude towards his learning. This week Logan has been trying really hard with all of his learning tasks. He has put in the time and effort to make sure he is completing all activities to the best of his ability. Well done Logan!
<b>1/2A</b>	Nate Broadway: In recognition of Nate's great sportsmanship. Nate explained to the class what being a 'good sport' meant and then demonstrated his sportsmanship in our games this week. That's an awesome attitude. You are a great team mate, Nate!
<b>1/2B</b>	Zara Crouch: For her happy and enthusiastic attitude towards all aspects of her work! Zara is a kind and responsible member of our class. Keep up the great work, Zara!
<b>3/4A</b>	Stevee Wright: For her impressive improvements. You recently wrote a recount that 'blew me away' and absolutely smashed your maths testing too. I am so so proud of you for listening to feedback, making changes, trying your absolute best and turning mistakes and failures into growth. Awesome job, Stevee!
<b>3/4B</b>	Havana Fereday: For your enthusiasm and focus during your Writing learning. Havana, I have enjoyed reading and reflecting on your poetry showing your imagination and knowledge. Your ABC poetry described Seal's in grace, beauty, and reality. I always look forward to reading your work. Keep up your passion and focus of learning!
<b>5/6A</b>	Saxon Green: For always trying his best in class. Saxon shows enthusiasm for learning and loves sharing his understanding with others. He is an avid reader and enjoys writing. During Maths he is keen to demonstrate and explain his strategies. We love having you in our class, Saxon! Keep up the awesome attitude!
<b>5/6B</b>	Mav Burchall: For pushing yourself and doing so well at the production. You didn't let your nerves take over, and you did a fantastic job. Thank you for being a great team-player, for encouraging others and trying your best. Great job, Mav!
<b>Art</b>	Hailey Coghill: Hailey is to be congratulated on her wonderful work ethic. Her 'Still Water' painting shows fantastic attention to detail. Her positive attitude makes her a pleasure to teach. Well done Hailey!
<b>Japanese</b>	Nate Broadway: For Nate's enthusiasm, focus, self control and perseverance. Nate seems to take his learning very seriously in Japanese and he is likely to continue making great progress as a result.



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*Respect Care Integrity Achieve*

Principal: Vicky Draper

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2023

## Parents Group Fundraiser- Mangoes!



Dear Parents/Guardians,  
If you love mangoes, here's your chance to indulge in fresh juicy Kensington Pride mangoes and support our fundraising drive.

We are selling trays of mangoes picked and packed during the premium harvest for **\$27 per tray**. The mangoes are Bowen Special mangoes, formally known as Kensington Pride. Trays are packed in a single layer tray with approximately 4.5kg of mangoes per tray. The number of mangoes per tray depends on the size of the fruit.

Trays will be delivered in the last week of November – first week of December. A date is yet to be confirmed.

If you would like to purchase a tray (or more) please fill out the form below and return to school, along with the correct money, by **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October**.

Please note- Only orders with money will be processed.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to order \_\_\_\_\_ (total number) tray/s of mangoes at a cost of \$27 per tray.

I have enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ which is the total cost of my order.

**This form, along with the correct money, is to be returned to the office by  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October.**



# The Laughter Clinic

Mental Health & Suicide Prevention Strategies

Never underestimate the power of laughter!

**Friday 20 Oct**

6.00 - 7.30pm  
Yea Community House



**Saturday 21 Oct**

1.00 - 2.30pm  
Alexandra RSL Hall



Comedian Mark McConville, with a Master's degree in Suicidology, offers a unique perspective about mental health and encourages his audiences to regain control of their happiness.

Combining comedy and laughter with the latest information and research in the field of Suicidology, this presentation offers the right balance of humor and laughter with easy to remember mental health strategies and take away messages.

These are **FREE** events. Booking is required for catering purposes.

Light refreshments provided.

Scan QR code to book.



## JUNIOR GOLF CLINICS

WITH PGA PROFESSIONAL  
MATT JAGER & CLUB  
CAPTAIN LUKE HEARD



**16th October**

4pm - 4.45pm - Primary School Age

**23rd October**

5pm - 5.45pm - High School Age

**30th October**

**13th November**

**20th November**

**COST: \$5 A SESSION**

**@ ALEXANDRA GOLF CLUB**

To register please email or message Luke Heard:

lukeheard@yahoo.com 0418 376 176

## ALEXANDRA AMATEUR SWIMMING & LIFESAVING CLUB

**Season 23-24 Registration Period**

OPEN: Friday 13th October 6:00pm

CLOSE: Friday 27th October 6:00pm

**Season 23-24**

Our season will commence on  
Monday 20th November 2023  
and conclude on Thursday 7th  
March 2024.

**Our Programs Include:**

Learn To Swim  
Advanced Learn To Swim  
Junior Squad  
Intermediate Squad  
Senior Squad

**Registration**

Please use the link below to register. A link will also be available on our Facebook page.

If you would like to be added to our email list or have any question please contact us via Facebook or email alexandraswimmingclub@gmail.com <https://www.trybooking.com/CLUXC>



## Emergency Services Expo

10am to 2pm October 21st at Yarrck Recreation Reserve

Proudly hosted by Alexandra, Koriella, Merton, Molesworth, Terip Terip, Whanregawen & Yarrck Brigades



**FREE EVENT**

**TEST YOUR SKILLS**



Have a go at fighting a fire in the realistic Virtual Reality Unit.

See how easy (or not) to feel your way through a Smoke House

Check out CFA training Car Fire Prop.

See how accurate you can be squirting a frisbee with a fire hose.

Vote for your favourite Historic Vehicle.

Win one of many excellent Raffle prizes, all generously donated by local businesses.

Work up an appetite for a sizzling sausage or a snack from the food van.  
Have your photo taken on a fire truck.



**FOREST FIRE MANAGEMENT VICTORIA**



Captain Koala



**Jumping Castle**

