

# PCS NEWS

Friday 13th May 2022



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**G** rowth Mindset  
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**W** elcoming and Inclusive

## A Message from the Office

Hello Everyone!

A bit of an interesting week here at PCS as we have had Mrs McKenzie and a few other staff out with Covid-19! We hope they feel better and are back on deck with us very soon as we miss them very much!

### Beanies

Just a reminder that school beanies are still available for purchase at the office for \$20.00. They are a great way to keep warm outside now that the weather is cooling down!

### District Athletics/Cross Country

Well done to the students who participated in last weeks District Athletics Sports held in Leongatha. We have quite a few students moving onto the next round. Division Athletics Sports will be held in Term 3 in September.

We also held our school Cross Country on Wednesday for our Grade's 2 - 6 students. We are very proud that all students had a go and really encouraged each other - Well Done!

### RAT Tests

Just a reminder to continue with your twice weekly testing before coming to school. If you require more RAT tests, please let the office know.

### NAPLAN

This week our Grade 3 and 5 students completed their NAPLAN assessments online for the first time. The students have been preparing for this for several weeks and have been practicing on their laptops. We have been lucky that our technology has worked every time the students have logged in. Overall the students have been calm and relaxed. They have completed their tests within the time allocated and to the best of their ability. Results will be available to parents later this year.

### Curriculum Day

Don't forget we have a Curriculum Day on Monday 16th May. **No students at School.** If you need all day care, please get in contact with our TheirCare service on 1300 072 410 or 0499 243 566 to make a booking.

### CASEA - Parents Session "Anxiety"

On Thursday 19th May we have our CASEA team hosting an "Anxiety" workshop. Please RSVP via the Sentral link or call the office. It will be held at 3:40pm in the Grade Prep Classroom.

Have a good weekend!  
PCS Admin

## COMING UP...

### TERM TWO

May 16 - Curriculum Day

**No students at School**

May 18 - School Council

May 19 - CASEA Parent Info Session  
"Anxiety in Kids" 3:40pm

May 23 - Individual School Photo

Re-shoot (for students absent due to covid/illness/holidays etc)

May 26 - Division Cross Country

May 31 - City Excursion - Grade 5/6

Jun 1 - Combined Professional Practice  
Day - **No Students at School**

Jun 2 - Regional Cross Country

Jun 9 - Lightning Premiership

Jun 13 - Queen Birthday Public Holiday  
**No Students at School**

Jun 15 - School Council

Jun 22 - Semester 1 Reports go live

Jun 24 - End of Term - **2:30pm finish**

### OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

**Gr 5/6 Marysville Camp**

August 17th -19th

**Gr 3/4 Mill Valley Camp**

August 24th - 26th



# DISTRICT ATHLETICS

Well done to all students who participated in District Athletics last Tuesday at the Leongatha Velodrome. Here are a few photos of the day!



# CROSS COUNTRY



Well done to all students in Grade's 2 - 6 who participated in our school cross country on Wednesday! We are pleased that everyone had a go! Congratulations to those students who move on to the next round at Stony Creek in a few weeks time!



**Grade 2 Girls**  
 1st: Imogen      2nd: Indie      3rd: Willow  
**Grade 2 Boys**  
 1st: Elijah      2nd: Oscar      3rd: Jack



**9/10 Years Girls**  
 1st: Olivia      2nd: Bridget      3rd: Evie  
**9/10 Years Boys**  
 1st: Kye      2nd: Jack      3rd: James



**11 Years Girls**  
 1st: Pallas      2nd: Ainsley      3rd: Lillian  
**11 Years Boys**  
 1st: Kurt      2nd: Matthew      3rd: Kye



**12/13 Years Girls**  
 1st: Nya      2nd: Dakota      3rd: Sierra  
**12/13 Years Boys**  
 1st: Nick      2nd: Lockie      3rd: John

# THE WRITERS CORNER

## WHY MY MUM IS NUMBER 1!

My mum is definitely number 1 because she does everything for me. I could not ask for better. Now here are some reasons why...

Firstly, she would give up time to relax me. Mum would make me cool me down by making me stuff. She would sit down with me and talk about what is wrong. She would make me laugh when I am nervous. This is a reason why my mum better than any other mum.

Secondly, she takes me on very epic experiences. She has taken me to places around the world. I cried when she told me that we were going overseas to Singapore. She has spent so much money for me to go on holidays. She has bought so much for me. This is the second reason why my mum awesome.

Finally, she puts family first all the time. She gives up sleep just to go to tennis. She would get up at 7:00 am just to go get milk from the vat in the car. My mum wouldn't go to work just to come to our school sports. She takes us to basketball just to play sports and drives us all the time. This is the last reason why my mum is awesome.

In conclusion, my mum is definitely number 1 because all of these reasons and thousands more.

Matthew Churchill - Grade 5



## MY GRANDMA IS THE BEST

My grandma is the best because she loves me and cares for me and other people.

Firstly, Grandma buys clothes for me, feeds me and cooks for me. She makes chocolate cake, which she does not like, so I can have a snack and she knows it is my favourite.

Secondly, when I get home from school I talk about my day with grandma. She always asks me how I am feeling and how was my school day. Grandma always talks to me when I am sad and scared. For example, when there is a thunder storm she talks to me to calm me down.

Finally, my grandma gives the best hugs. She wraps her arms around me when I get home, when I'm cold and when I'm upset. Her hugs feel soft, cuddly and warm.

In conclusion, my grandma is the best in the world because her love is the best love in the world, and I feel her love all day every day.

Jackson Russell - Grade 5



SOUTH GIPPSLAND  
Kindergarten  
Central Registration



**CENTRAL REGISTRATION OPENS 1 MAY**

To register your child for three-year-old or four-year-old kindergarten for next year visit the South Gippsland Shire Council website from 1 May and simply complete a registration form nominating your kindergarten preferences. To be included in the first round offers you must register by 30 June.

You can register at [www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/centralenrolment](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/centralenrolment)  
For more information, please phone 5662 9200 or text your contact details to 0447 965 850 and we will call you back.

PCS BEANIES  
FOR SALE

GET READY  
FOR  
WINTER!!!



**\$20.00**

Available from the Office



FINAL ASSIGNMENT:

**RETIREMENT PARTY!**

AFTER 20+ YEARS,  
**CHRIS MASSARO**  
IS GRADUATING FROM  
LOCH PRIMARY SCHOOL!

PLEASE JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE &  
HONOUR HER DEDICATION TO TEACHING

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

FRIDAY • MAY 13TH • 6.30PM

LOCH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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BY MAY 1ST  
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**POOWONG CAFÉ & TAKEAWAY**  
**LUNCH ORDER MENU**

|                              |        |
|------------------------------|--------|
| Potato Cake                  | \$1.00 |
| Fried Dim Sim                | \$1.00 |
| Steamed Dim Sim              | \$1.00 |
| Chicken Nugget               | \$1.00 |
| Party Pie                    | \$1.20 |
| Sausage Roll                 | \$1.20 |
| Ham & Pineapple Pizza        | \$3.00 |
| Moka Dog (Battered)          | \$3.20 |
| Hot Dog                      | \$3.50 |
| Chicken Wrap (GF)            | \$3.50 |
| Chicken Strip Salad (GF)     | \$4.50 |
| Super Spud                   | \$4.50 |
| Cheese & Salad Sandwich      | \$4.00 |
| Ham Cheese & Tomato Sandwich | \$4.00 |
| Jam Donut                    | \$1.20 |
| Tropical Prima               | \$1.50 |
| Big M - Chocolate            | \$2.00 |
| Big M - Strawberry           | \$2.00 |
| Frozen Yogurt                | \$2.00 |