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KEY DATES

TERM ONE – WEEK TWO

FEBRUARY

Week 3

Monday 12th **Working Bee**
 Tuesday 13th **Pancake Day**
 Wed 14th **Geelong Cats Visit**

Week 4

Tuesday 20th **School Council**
 Friday 23rd **Hockey Clinic 2**

Week 5

Monday 26th **District Tennis**
 Tuesday 27th **Parents' Club**
 Thursday 29th **School Photos**

MARCH

Week 8

Tuesday 19th **School Athletics**
 Thursday 21st **Harmony Day**

Week 9

Monday 25th **District Aths Sports**
 Thursday 28th **Last day of Term**

APRIL

Monday 15th **First day of term 2**



ALLANSFORD ALIVE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

A FANTASTIC START TO 2024

I would like to congratulate everyone on a fabulous start to the year. Thank you to all the Teachers and Education Support staff for your hard work to have our classrooms ready for Action. Thank you to Gary and Bec for your cleaning to have the place looking amazing.

Thankyou Andrea and Mandy in the office for all your work to be ready for 2024.

It was wonderful to see students confidently completing our start of year assessment tasks and interviews with big smiles on their faces.

Last week it was fantastic to see all student return with confidence and a HUGE congratulations to our Foundation students on their positive start to their learning journey. Thank you to our School Student Leaders in assisting the Foundations to be their best in Buddy sessions and through support in the yard.

Mr Allen is away for the next few weeks Thankyou to Mrs McMahon for assisting in the 5/6 Team.

Thank you to all for the fabulous support to a smooth and positive launch into learning for 2024.

Watch this space as our Grade 6 Leaders are assisting with the production of our newsletter and they have great ideas moving forward.

Thank you to all Parents and Carers for all your support - its lovely seeing students proudly wearing their School Uniform and Hats.

Thank you to everyone for all you do to make our students amazing.

LINDY BELLMAN

STUDENT LEADER

Congratulations to Locky one of our amazing Year 6 Student Leaders for facilitating assembly 1 for Term One. Locky enthusiastically put together a well-balanced assembly showcasing student work in their 'Learn to Learn' programs Locky was organised and spoke confidently with fabulous expression. Well done, Locky.



SHOWCASE ONE

Congratulations to Mabel, Jed, Jordy and Hana in Year 3/ 4, for sharing their 'All about me' posters.

The students have been sharing information about themselves with their classmates and teachers.



SHOWCASE TWO

Congratulations to the Grade 1's from Mrs Arnott's room for sharing their 'First letter of my name' task that they completed with their Grade 5/6 Buddies. It was wonderful to see the excitement of working with their big buddies.

DONATIONS

Any donations to our **Second-hand uniform** second stand are greatly appreciated.

Also, any Donations of excess fruit from fruit trees or veggie gardens that students could access in class as **brainfood**.

CLASS DOJO COMMUNICATION

Remember **Classroom Dojo** is our main source of classroom and school communication so check your connection and ask your child's teacher if you are having issues.

Monday 12th February 2.30pm - 6.00pm	Fixing 	Sweeping 
	Whipper Snipping 	Sorting 

ALLANSFORD & DISTRICT PRIMARY SCHOOL
Working Bee

We would be truly appreciative for any assistance you are able to give, come at any time during 2.30pm and 6.00pm.
All assistance will be gratefully received.

Many hands make light work



 Weeding	 Cleaning	 Painting	
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Zooper Doopers Wednesday!

Zooper Dooper Wednesdays are back!

Zooper Doopers will be available to purchase for .50c each from the undercover area, every Wednesday!



Kitchen Garden

Our Kitchen Garden has continued to flourish over the School Holidays. We are grateful for our wonderful team of families who volunteered to water and maintain our garden during the holiday period.

We appreciate your efforts.



Whole School Focus Value ~ Be A Learner



BEING A LEARNER IN FOUNDATION

We have been learning how to be good Learners in the Classroom.

BEING A LEARNER IN FOUNDATION YEAR ONE

We have been learning about how we can be the best Learner we can in the classroom.

BEING A LEARNER IN YEAR ONE TWO

We have been talking about the qualities of a good Learner and sharing what makes us a good learning through our 'All about Me' craft.



BEING A LEARNER IN 2/3

We are demonstrating that we are good Learners by setting reading goals and working really hard to achieve them. We are reading every night because we are striving to improve.



BEING A LEARNER IN 3/4A

We made 'All about Me' posters to get to know each other and share important things about ourselves as learners.



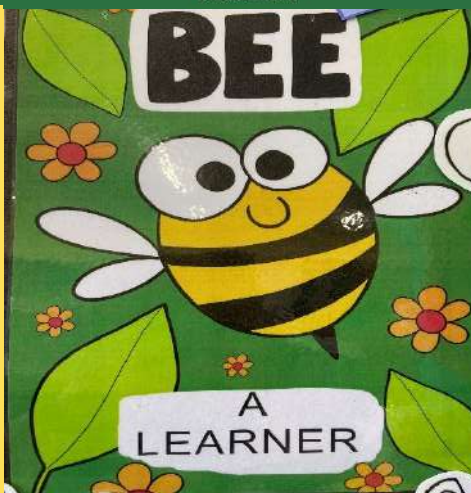
BEING A LEARNER IN 3/4B

We have been getting to know each other and how we can be a good Learner in the classroom by sharing information about ourselves with our Teacher and our Classmates.

Being A Learner in Year 5/6

We have been creating posters to represent the 4 B's.

We have enjoyed playing a math game called 'Strike' because it helps us to be better Learners during Maths.





Buddies





Respectful



Safe



Responsible



A Learner



First





Welcome



To Alls



FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's background and their outcomes.

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors. Excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works while sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are a part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is:

- \$150 for primary school students
- \$250 for secondary school students

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about CSEF visit:

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/Pages/csef.asp>

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HOW TO APPLY

New applicants should contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from the website below.

If you applied for CSEF at your child's school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

You only need to complete an application form if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments;** your child has started or changed schools this year.
- **changed family circumstances;** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing this year.

Check with the school office if you are unsure.





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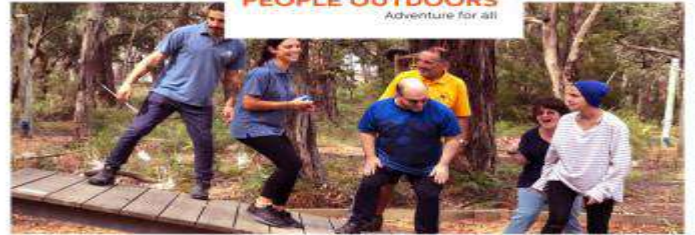


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PEOPLE OUTDOORS

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PEOPLE LIVING
WITH DISABILITY**

Adventure for All!



The Warrnambool Calisthenics Club

**Invites you to
Come and try calisthenics
at our open classes in 2024!**



Classes begin Tuesday January 30th 2024

All classes held at St Pius Function Hall

**Teams travel and compete at competitions*

TINY TOTS Aged 3 - 4 Years Tuesday 4:15pm-4:45pm

TINIES Aged 5 - 7 years Tuesday 5:00pm-5:30pm

SUB-JUNIORS* Aged 8 - 10 years Wednesday 4:15pm - 6:15pm

RECREATION Aged 7 - 14 years Thursday 4:15pm - 5:15pm

JUNIORS* Aged 11 - 13 years Tuesday 5:45pm - 7:45pm

INTERMEDIATES* Aged 14 - 17 years Thursday 5:30pm - 7:30pm

SENIORS* Aged 16 years & over Wednesday 6:30pm - 8:30pm

MASTERS* Aged 26 years & over Tuesday 8:00pm - 10:00pm

Our first 2 weeks of classes are open for everyone to try calisthenics and receive more information. These classes are FREE for new members!

Calisthenics is an exciting mix of ballet, jazz, apparatus work, gymnastics, acrobatics, singing and acting... and it's all in the one class!



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