



THE SEAGULL

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Office Hours - 8:30am to 4:00pm - Monday to Thursday
9:00am to 3.30pm - Friday

<p><u>Full Calendar on page 4</u></p>	<p>Receive our The Seagull by email: paynesville.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au</p>
<p><u>CALENDAR – the week ahead!</u> Monday 23rd July – Assembly 9:00am 24th to 26th July – Bookfair viewing Wednesday 25th July – Prep Excursion to Fire Station and Bairnsdale Hospital Thursday 26th July – Jump Rope for Heart Launch</p>	<p><u>PUBLIC HOLIDAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED</u> Student Led Conferences August 24th – more details at a later date.</p> <hr/> <p><u>TERM DATES 2018</u> Term 2 – 16th April to 29th June Term 3 – 16th July to 21st September Term 4 - 8th October to 21st December</p>

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Welcome back to Term 3, I hope everyone has had a lovely winter holiday. I have enjoyed hearing the students holiday highlights. Yesterday our junior school students enjoyed a show at the Forge Theatre called 'Dinosaur Time Machine'. Below our Prep students grabbed a photo opportunity with one of the cast members.



WE WANT OUR PARENTS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!

Our school is conducting a survey to find out what parents think of our school. The Parent Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education and Training that is conducted amongst a sample of randomly selected parents. It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of parents' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour and student engagement. Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

Approximately 30 per cent of parents will be invited to participate in this year's survey. All responses to the survey are anonymous. This year the Parent Opinion Survey will be conducted from **Monday 23rd July** to **Sunday 26th August**.

The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **10-15 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the fieldwork period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones. The online survey will be available in a range of languages other than English.

Please speak to your child's teacher or the office if you would like more information.

Grade 3/4 Play

This term, the Grade 3/4's will be participating in a school play – "Matilda." They are very excited about the prospect of performing on stage! Scripts were handed out last term so students had the opportunity to practise some lines over the holidays. Auditions took place this week. All children will be involved in the play in some form. Throughout Term 3, the students will spend time practising their parts and they will perform the play to parents, grandparents and friends in the last week of the term.



Chinese Host Families

My sincere thanks to all the families who will be hosting a student from China this year. I hope that you find this experience enormously rewarding and enriching for your family. Details will be sent out early next week.

School Captains

Thanks to our school captains Ellie, Chloe, Georgie and Darcy for the amazing job they are doing this year. Keep up the great work girls. This photo was taken as part of our school photo day.



Book Week Parade

A heads up for this very exciting event. Our book week parade will be held at our regular Monday morning assembly on Monday 20th August. Students are able to dress up as their favourite book character. We are looking forward to it already.



SCHOLASTIC  Book Fairs



**VIEWING JULY 24th
to 26th**

**PURCHASING JULY
31st to AUGUST 1st.**

Paynesville PS Calendar July / August

Please note any changes to the calendar have been highlighted in **RED**.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<u>TERM 3</u>						
<u>JULY</u> <u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>21</u>
	<u>Term 3 Begins</u>			P-2 Forge Theatre Excursion Dinosaur time machine show	<u>SCHOOL DISCO</u> 	
<u>22</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>28</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>	Book fair viewing	Prep Fire Station and Monash Health Excursion Book fair viewing	Book fair viewing Jump rope for heart launch		
<u>29</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>August 1st</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>	Bookfair Purchasing	Book fair purchasing School Council Finance 5:15pm School Council 6:15pm Grades Prep – 2 Dog Education	AFL Girls Football Tournament Traralgon		
<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>
Chinese Visitors arrive	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>				Delasalle College Music Performance 11:30am Aussie Culture Day	Chinese Visitors depart
<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>			Kia Toa Performance 2:00pm	School Athletics Sports	
<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY BOOK FAIR PARADE</u> 		 2:00pm to 3:30pm		Student Led Conferences	
<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>1st Sept</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>					



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Disco

Friday 20th July (TONIGHT)

6 - 8pm

*Get your dancing gears and moves ready,
it's disco time again!*

*We have fluoro lighting, so get set to
stand out.*

*Could each family please provide a plate of food to share
for supper.*

Parents are welcome to stay and enjoy the evening.