



THE SEAGULL

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

<u>CALENDAR</u>	Receive our The Seagull by email: paynesville.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au
<u>TERM 2</u> Monday 10 th June – QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY Tuesday 11 th to Friday 14 th June - Woorabinda Camp Wednesday 12 th June – SC Finance 5:15pm Wednesday 12 th June – SCHOOL COUNCIL 6:15pm Friday 14 th June - Swimming Grade 1/2 and 5/6	Term Dates 2019 Term 1: January 29 th to April 5 th Term 2: April 23 rd to June 28 th Term 3: July 16 th to September 20 th Term 4: October 7 th to December 20 th . PUBLIC HOLIDAYS & PUPIL FREE DAYS

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

On Wednesday and Thursday this week I had the privilege to attend the Education State School Leadership Conference in Melbourne. This conference gave me the opportunity to network with other principals and learn and develop ways to drive excellence with leading international and local expert practitioners. I look forward to sharing this learning with our teachers and students.

Steve Schulz - Nexus Arts

On Wednesday this week we were treated to an amazing Nexus Arts performer, Steve Schultz. Steve's performance had the whole school up playing on percussion instruments. I asked some Grade 1 and 2 students what they thought of the performance...

It was loud but good – *Karma*

It was funny because he used toilet cleaners – *Alanis*

I liked it, he threw his sticks to the roof – *Meika*

It was funny - *Ghardeep*

I thought it was really loud and really funny because the man was throwing the sticks away and he used toilet cleaners.

Liam C

I liked how they made sounds using fly whackers - *Mason*



Chinese Visitors - Host Families Needed

Friday 2nd August to Thursday 8th August

This year Paynesville Primary School will be hosting our friends from Changshu Primary School in China. For many years now Chinese students have come all the way to Paynesville to experience an Australian school setting and to enjoy our beautiful area. This is a big effort and it is a relationship we really value. Many Paynesville PS students, parents and staff have visited China and we have another group heading over in the September school holidays.

I would ask all of our families to consider hosting a Chinese student in your home for the week.

Yes – you are busy after school, yes they do not speak much English and yes – there are other considerations. BUT ...your family will be richer for the experience. We have 15 students to care for in our homes – please contact the school office and let them know that your family would love to host a Chinese student.

Woorabinda Camp

All the best to Mr White and the 4 students who will be attending the Woorabinda Camp next week. We hope you have an amazing experience and look forward to hearing all about it.

Reconciliation Week Assembly

Last Friday we concluded Reconciliation Week with a special assembly. Every grade shared what they had learnt about Reconciliation in class during the week. There were many thoughtful reflections from our students and I congratulate everyone who spoke. Thanks also to the grades for the beautiful artworks they created, they are stunning.



PPS DISCO IS ON AGAIN...



Friday 21st June 6 – 8pm

Hall doors will be open from 5:45pm.

Dancing starts at 6:00pm!

Get your dancing gear and moves ready, it's disco time again! Please bring a plate of supper to share.

Paynesville PS Calendar TERM 2 & 3

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

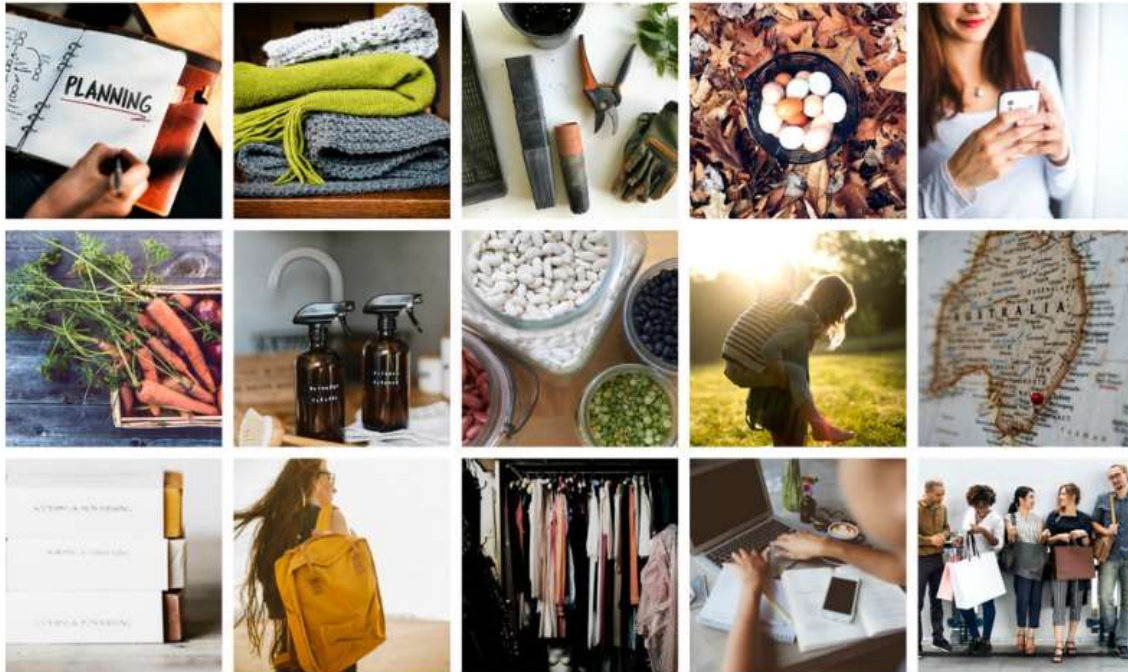
TERM 2 2019						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>
	QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Woorabinda Camp	Woorabinda Camp School Council 6:15pm	Woorabinda Camp	Woorabinda Camp Swimming Grade 1&2 Grade 5&6	
<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>22</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u> Swimming Prep & Grades 3&4 Melbourne Camp	Melbourne Camp	CANTEEN CLOSED Melbourne Camp	CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED Swimming Grade 1&2 Grade 5&6 DISCO from 5:45pm	
<u>23</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>29</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u> Swimming Prep & Grades 3&4		CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED Swimming Grade 1&2 Grade 5&6 Last Day of Term 2. 3:30pm finish	
TERM 3 2019						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>		CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED	
<u>21</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>27</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>					
<u>28</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>AUG 1st</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>
	<u>ASSEMBLY 9:00am</u>				Jeans for Genes Day	



**PAYNESVILLE LIONS CLUB
MONTHLY MARKET - SUNDAY JUNE 9th
8:00am to 1:00pm**



The event is a well established market held on Gilsean Reserve on the second Sunday of the month from 8.00am to 1.00pm. A host of stalls including :- Household Items, Fresh Produce, Arts and Crafts, Cakes, Tools, Plants, Hot Foods and much more. New stallholders are welcome. To book a stall Ph **0400 327 526**



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in your daily life to help the planet**

Join us as we answer the question
"Where do I start & what can I do?"

Hear from 4 local experts covering
a range of daily living topics
+ ask your question at the
forum panel discussion.

Sunday 23 June 2019
1pm to 4:30pm
TAFE Gippsland
Bairnsdale
Bookings Essential

Donate
\$5.00
to attend and
plant a native tree
Women Against Waste

in conjunction with
**Happy Changemakers
& Carina Turner**
present an afternoon of talks discussing

SMALL STEPS FOR
THE PLANET



Bookings to: <https://www.womenagainstwaste.com.au/talk-series-small-steps-bairnsdale>