



**ISSUE 4**  
**March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

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

## CALENDAR – The week ahead

### TERM 4

*Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March*

- *Slushies Day*
- *Grade 5/6 Bowls Squad Training*

*Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March*

- *Swimming Grade Prep and Grade 1/2*

*Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March*

- *Wheels Day*
- *Grade 5/6 Bowls Squad Training*

*Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> March*

- *Division Swimming Carnival*
- *Swimming Grade Prep and Grade 1/2*

*Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March*

- *Division Lawn Bowls Competition*

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### **Term Dates 2022**

- Term 1: January 31<sup>st</sup> to April 8<sup>th</sup>
- Term 2: April 26<sup>th</sup> to June 24<sup>th</sup>
- Term 3: July 11<sup>th</sup> to September 16<sup>th</sup>
- Term 4: October 3<sup>th</sup> to December 20<sup>th</sup>

### **PUBLIC HOLIDAYS**

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March – Labour Day**

## *Dear Parents and Carers*

There has been a lot of activity in the water this week. Our Grade 2/3/4 and Grade 5/6 students concluded their swimming program at the BARC this week. I think our swimming program certainly helped our students get swim fit and may have improved our performance in the district swimming sports. I am very proud of our swim team who competed on Thursday at the Central District Swimming Carnival, with some very impressive results. On Wednesday the students in Grades 2 – 6 participated in the Open Water Learning Experience at the Paynesville Foreshore, our students had plenty of positive and enthusiastic feedback about this experience.



## Central Districts Swimming Carnival

What amazing results we had for our girls relay teams, with 9/10 year olds, 11 year olds and 12 year olds all gaining second place. All these teams will go on to the Division Swimming Carnival next Thursday. Well done teams! Please see results on the next page for the individual events.





Bronte (left): 9/10yo girls - 3<sup>rd</sup> = Freestyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Backstroke  
 Maddison (right): 9/10yo girls- 3<sup>rd</sup> = Freestyle, 4<sup>th</sup> Backstroke

Emily – 12yo – 3<sup>rd</sup> Breaststroke



Laila – 11yo girls  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Backstroke

George – 12yo boys  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Backstroke, 4<sup>th</sup> Freestyle

Bonnie – 12yo girls  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Freestyle, 4<sup>th</sup> Backstroke,



Madeleine (left) – 12yo girls  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Backstroke, 4<sup>th</sup> Freestyle

Dixie (right) 11yo girls  
 4<sup>th</sup> Backstroke, 3<sup>rd</sup> Freestyle,  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Breaststroke



# Open Water Learning Experience





The Open Water Learning Experience was held on Wednesday at the Paynesville Foreshore. This program is run by Life Saving Victoria and it's aim is to create 'Everyday Lifesavers' out of Victorian students, by teaching them practical and engaging water safety, lifesaving and emergency response skills. The program is designed to empower students to make safe aquatic related decisions while enjoying a local waterway. Our students all really enjoyed the program and learnt a lot as well.

### *From the Kitchen...*

Another student favourite this week with pizza on the menu. The Grade 5/6 students made the bases from scratch and I can confirm they were delizioso! Well done team, a 10 out of 10 from me too.







# Paynesville PS Calendar TERM 1

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

|   |                       |   |                           |  |                             |           |
|---|-----------------------|---|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------|-----------|
| <u>6</u>  | <u>7</u>              | <u>8</u>                                    | <u>9</u>                  | <u>10</u>  | <u>11</u>                   | <u>12</u> |
|   |                       | Swimming Prep/1/2<br>District Golf Comp     |                           | Swimming Prep/1/2<br>Division Swimming<br>Carnival | Division Lawn<br>Bowls Comp |           |
| <u>13</u>   | <u>14</u>             | <u>15</u>                                   | <u>16</u>                 | <u>17</u>  | <u>18</u>                   | <u>19</u> |
|   | Labour Day<br>Holiday | Swimming Prep/1/2                           |                           | Swimming Prep/1/2<br>Regional Swimming<br>Carnival |                             |           |
| <u>20</u>   | <u>21</u>             | <u>22</u>                                   | <u>23</u>                 | <u>24</u>  | <u>25</u>                   | <u>26</u> |
|   |                       | Swimming Prep/1/2                           | School Council<br>AGM 7pm | Swimming Prep/1/2                                  | School Cross<br>Country     |           |
| <u>27</u>   | <u>28</u>             | <u>29</u>                                   | <u>30</u>                 | <u>31</u>  | <u>1 APRIL</u>              | <u>2</u>  |
|   |                       | Swimming Prep/1/2                           |                           | Swimming Prep/1/2                                  |                             |           |
| <u>3</u>  | <u>4</u>              | <u>5</u>                                    | <u>6</u>                  | <u>7</u>   | <u>8</u>                    | <u>9</u>  |
|   |                       | Swimming Prep/1/2<br>Division Cross Country |                           | Swimming Prep/1/2                                  | End of Term<br>One          |           |
| <b>School Holidays 9<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> April</b> |                       |   |                           |  |                             |           |
| <u>24</u>   | <u>25 APRIL</u>       | <u>26</u>                                   | <u>27</u>                 | <u>28</u>  | <u>29</u>                   | <u>30</u> |
|   | ANZAC DAY             | Beginning of<br>Term 2                      |                           |  |                             |           |
| <u>1 MAY</u>  | <u>2</u>              | <u>3</u>                                    | <u>4</u>                  | <u>5</u>   | <u>6</u>                    | <u>7</u>  |
|   |                       |   |                           |  |                             |           |
| <u>8</u>  | <u>9</u>              | <u>10</u>                                   | <u>11</u>                 | <u>12</u>  | <u>13</u>                   | <u>14</u> |
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| <u>15</u>   | <u>16</u>             | <u>17</u>                                   | <u>18</u>                 | <u>19</u>  | <u>20</u>                   | <u>21</u> |
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