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### **Week Ahead – March 31st to April 4th**

*Mon Mar 31st – Assembly*

*Archaeological Excursion – Grade 3*

*Active After School Program*

*Tues 1<sup>st</sup> April – Last day Prep, 1, 2, 3 Swimming*

*Tuesdays – Music Tuition and Drama Class*

*Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> April – Bike Ed Excursion*

*Wednesdays - Active After School Program*

*Wednesdays – Music Tuition*

*Thu 3<sup>rd</sup> April – Orange Dress-up Day*

***Fri Mar 28th - End of Term 1***

***– School finishes at 2 pm***



**Monday  
Green Eagles**

**Tuesday  
Red Swans**

**Wednesday  
Gold Kookaburras**

**Thursday  
Blue Seagulls**

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

**SCHOOL HATS ARE AVAILABLE – PRICE \$11.00**



**Dear Students, Parents,  
Caregivers and Friends of  
Paynesville Primary School,**

What a fantastic Dress Up Day on Thursday. Our guest speaker at Monday's assembly was Raymond Island School Teacher Val Quirk. Val is heading over to Myanmar (Burma) to work in an

orphanage and she asked Paynesville Primary School students to support the children of Myanmar by holding a "Dress-up Day" in the costume of any country from around the world.

Val's presentation at assembly was very moving and it highlighted how tough life can be for many children around the world. All together we raised over \$200 to

send across to the orphanage with Val. Thank you to families for supporting this program by dressing up their children and making a donation.



***Above: Our Moroccan MC with belly dancing hosts, accompanied by the three amigos at our "round the world parade"!***

Our guest speaker at next week's assembly is Merryn Padgett. Merryn is part of the PFA team who have signed the school up to support Orang-utans in the wild as they come under threat from deforestation due to an increased world demand for Palm Oil. Following up on Merryn's presentation we will hold a "Dress up in orange" day this Thursday where families can 'Orange Up' and make a donation if they wish.

### **Paynesville Marine Expo**

The PFA Committee would like to extend our thanks to all the people who volunteered and supported our fundraising BBQ at the Paynesville Marine Expo last weekend. Having people available to assist during fundraising events is crucial to a fund raising event being successful.

**Our thanks to:**  
Tony Roberts, Sharna Baskett, Chris Boucher, Liz Freiberg, Kim Webster, Jenny Mowat (please advise), Anthony Goranitis, Vicki Oldfield, Carey Roberts, Tash Chandler, Catherine Booth, Jack Werrett, Ebony Mooney, Gary Soullier, Martin

Higgins & Lou, Vicki Keys and Tania Goranitis who all manned the stand during the weekend.

### **Sausage Sizzle - Last Day of Term**

To celebrate the last day of term, the PFA will be running a sausage sizzle for students at morning recess. Students will be able to purchase a sausage in bread or burger in bread for a gold coin donation.

### **Orange Week**

A reminder that Orange Week kicks off Monday 31 March. Orange Week is a campaign the PFA are leading to raise awareness on Palm Oil and how Palm Oil production affects the homes of the Orang-utans.

On Friday 4 April we will hold the inaugural Orange Day Dress up, which we hope will be a yearly event. So please come dressed in something orange and make a gold coin donation. The funds raised will go toward Adopting an Orang-utan, which costs \$130 per year, and the remaining funds will go towards programs at our School. Please note that the PFA originally thought we would adopt an animal through the Melbourne Zoo, however we discovered a charity called The Orang-utan Project which rehabilitates orang-utans and releases them back into the wild. More information to come.

### **What's on in Grade 3.**

This week we were very sad when Isla and Rori left our class and Australia bound for a new life in the USA, we wish them well. They will be sadly missed.

We completed our Bike Ed course ready for the bike ride to Eagle Point on Wednesday the 2nd of April. We are looking for parents to either to ride with us or to drive.

Next week, some archaeologists will be working on the Esplanade in Paynesville,

investigating the people who were in this area before European settlers came, If the timing is right I hope the grade 3s can go and see them work and quiz them about how they work and what they have found, please listen out because we will need helpers for that excursion too.

**Michael Doyle**

### ***Bairnsdale Netball Association***

#### **Net-Set-Go:**

BNA will be running it's NetSetGo program in Term 2. The program will commence on Thursday 01/05/2014. NetSetGo is an introduction to netball where the children will participate in skills activities, minor games and generally have a good time. The program is open to boys and girls. The child must be turning 8 this year and up to 11 years of age.

Cost of the Program is \$70 and registrations will accepted Thursday 27/03/14, Thursday 03/04/14 and Thursday 24/04/14 at the WORLD Netball Courts at the Timekeepers Box or we can email out a registration form should you be unable to attend either of these nights. To register your interest and should you have any queries please email: [bdale.n.a@hotmail.com](mailto:bdale.n.a@hotmail.com)

#### **Quote of the week !**

*"I can breathe underwater now, 'cause I have goggles ! ( anon Prep Student.)*

**Answer to an Eye Spy game** -on the way home from swimming. Starting with the letter 'W'– Wop wop Gagnam Style !

#### **Last weeks Quiz answers:**

- a) Jack
- b) 7
- c) Eyes
- d) Asia
- e) Washington

**Last week's maths quiz answer:**

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### **This weeks quiz - Australia**

#### **1) What is the meaning of Australia?**

- a) North land
- b) East land
- c) West land
- d) South land

#### **2) Which animal carries its babies in a pouch?**

- a) Lion
- b) Tiger
- c) Kangaroo
- d) Zebra

#### **3) Which animal lays eggs?**

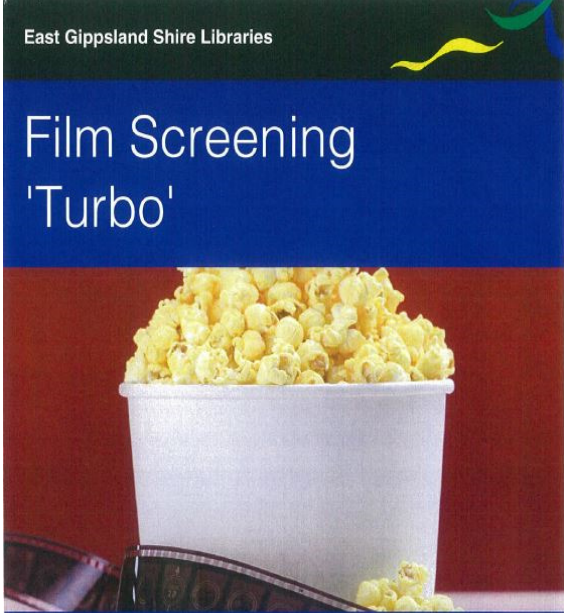
- a) Platypus
- b) Wolf
- c) Jackal
- d) Dog

#### **4) When is Australia Day?**

- a) 26 January
- b) 1 May
- c) 15 August
- d) 26 September

#### **5) Which of the following is not a State?**

- a) Queensland
- b) Western Australia
- c) South Australia
- d) Northern Territory



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## Film Screening 'Turbo'

This popular computer animated comedy will be screening at your library during the school holidays

It is the story of an ordinary garden snail who dreams of becoming the worlds fastest. The screening is for children aged between 5 and 12. Popcorn and drinks will be served.

<b>Monday 14 April</b> Bairnsdale Library 2.00 pm - 3.45 pm	<b>Monday 14 April</b> Paynesville Service Centre 2.00 pm - 3.45 pm	<b>Wednesday 16 April</b> Lakes Entrance Service Centre 2.00 pm - 3.45 pm
<b>Tuesday 15 April</b> Orbost Service Centre 2.00 pm - 3.45 pm	<b>Wednesday 16 April</b> Omeo Service Centre 2.00 pm - 3.45 pm	Bookings essential. Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for this FREE event.

## Maths

Here is a multiplication table that may help students with their memory and visualisation of number patterns.

Multiplication Chart

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
11	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144

http://math.about.com

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You may be eligible if you have a Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card, are at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your partner) and have a child at school or study yourself.

Contact Colin Robson, your local Saver Plus Worker:  
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or [crobson@berrystreet.org.au](mailto:crobson@berrystreet.org.au)

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NATIONAL  
YOUTH WEEK  
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## Bernard Caleo Comics Workshops



Learn how to 'make a comic strip' in a hands-on workshop.

The workshops are designed for participants aged 12 to 18. Bernard Caleo will help you create your own comic strip.

Bernard writes, draws, edits and publishes comic books. He made his first comic in 1990 and now also writes, teaches and performs. In recent years he uses the Japanese form of storytelling called 'kamishibai', or 'paper theatre'.

Monday 7 April  
Omeo  
Service Centre  
2.00 pm - 3.00 pm

Tuesday 8 April  
Paynesville  
Service Centre  
11.00 am - 12.00 pm

Tuesday 8 April  
Bairnsdale Library  
24 Service Street  
2.00 pm - 3.00 pm

Wednesday 9 April  
Orbost  
Service Centre  
11.00 am - 12.00 pm

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