

Belvoir Special School Newsletter



38 Gayview Drive, WODONGA, 3690

Dear Parents & Carers,

Unfortunately, we have had to start the term with a staggered return to school. It was great to welcome back some students this week! There were many smiles and great stories about the holidays.

Over the next few weeks many students will be experiencing both remote and onsite learning. Next week Green Pod will return to normal classrooms and staff on Tuesday and Wednesday. All of Orange Pod will also be onsite Tuesday and Wednesday. All Purple Pod students will be back onsite Thursday and Friday. We will still be providing onsite supervision on the other days for children of essential workers and students/ families experiencing vulnerability. Unfortunately on these days we will be running a skeleton staff to support these students who can access their remote learning onsite. Please do not forget to submit your onsite attendance form so we can ensure adequate staffing.

We look forward to welcoming back all our students next week!

Last Term we ran a wellbeing Bingo.

The Winners were: 1st Rocco Room 5, 2nd Kalinda Room 18 and 3rd Mark Room 4.

The winners of the lunch with Andrew are:

Yellow Jacob Room 3 and Max Room 1.

Green Max Room 11 and Scott Room 12

Purple Lachie Room 18 and Samuel Room 14

Orange Sean Room 21 and Allissa Room 14

Principal choice Ryan Room 11 and Zach Room 21

Pennie Moffat

FOUND GLASSES



Found out the front of the school. Please contact the office if they belong to you.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Pupil Free Day

Tuesday 9th November

Deb Ball

Friday, 5th November

Purchase Tickets until Friday,
15th October

Dyson's Bus Numbers:

BUS 1: 0408 691 885

BUS 2: 0417041196

BUS 3: 0407563474

BUS 4: 0408698635

Belvoir Bus: 0431756813

Room 1 News

Cas, Ebony & Claire A

We are super excited to welcome everyone back to onsite learning again. For our term topic we are going to be learning about rubbish, pollution and recycling! This week we have enjoyed exploring a story about a Magpie that experiences and solves a community rubbish problem.

We will continue our fantastic Zones of Regulation learning journey and our first focus will be on documenting our sensory experience experiments.

We are looking forward to Rosie our KESO joining us for some Yellow Pod activities again this term.



Room 10 News

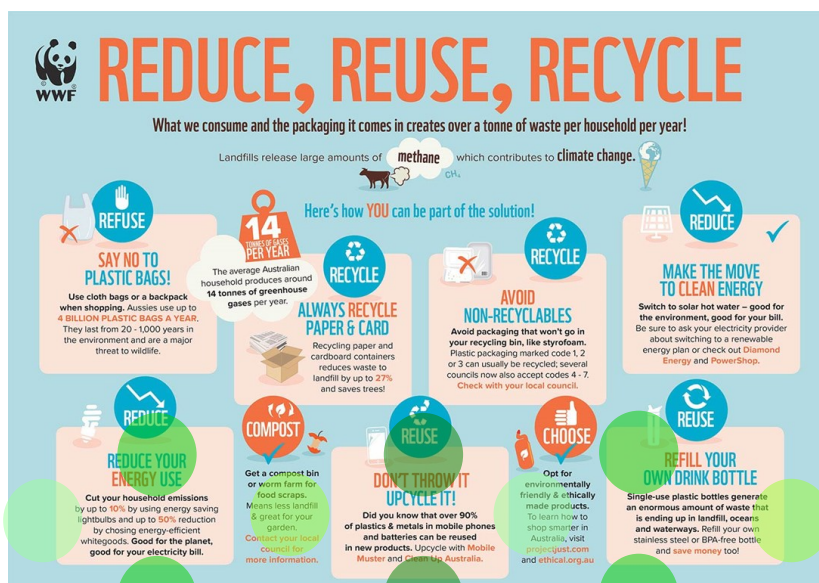
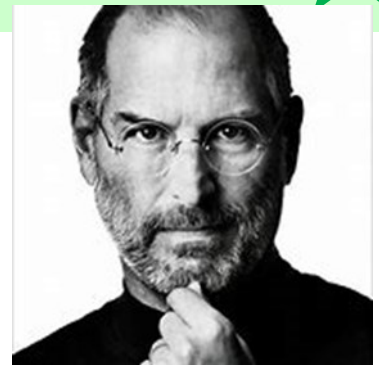
Lisa, Mel L, Maddi, Lynsey & Tammi

Welcome to Term 4! Room 10 students and staff are missing seeing each other so we are looking forward to next Tuesday and having some fun.

This term in Green Pod our Term Topic is Reduce, Reuse, Recycle where we will explore and investigate how this happens and what we can do to help.

In literacy we will be exploring biographies of famous people including Stephen Hawking, Steve Jobs, Coco Chanel and Greta Thunberg.

During home learning many students have been enjoying the activities using the Seesaw app and have become proficient in, writing, typing, drawing, taking photos and videos and uploading them for staff to view. They have also enjoyed doing physical activities such as dance routines, finding props to pretend they are at the beach and using items to around the house to help with math activities.



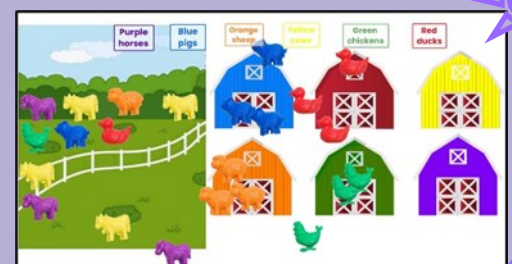
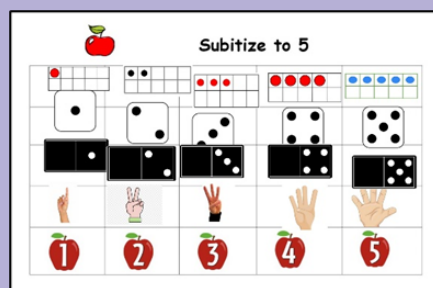
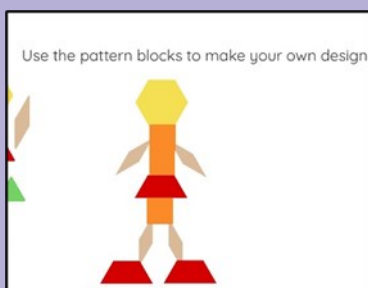
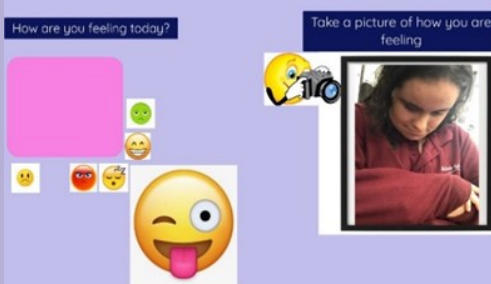
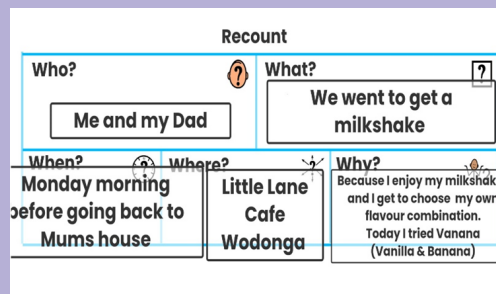
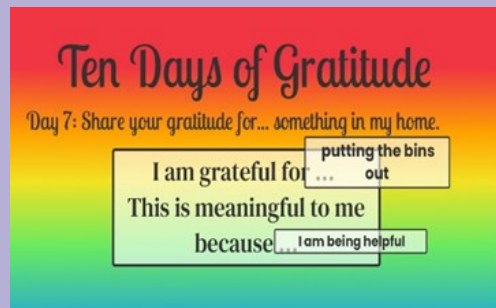
Room 17 News

Katey, Jo F, Pam, Shirley & Sarah

We hope everyone had a wonderful break and are looking forward to getting back on site in the coming weeks for our busy last term of the year.

It's been so wonderful to see how well the students in Room 17 have engaged in Seesaw over the weeks and completed many amazing tasks each day! We would like to thank all the families for being so supportive throughout, it has been much appreciated.

Here are some of the many work samples our class completed during remote learning.



Room 24 News

Beth, Val & Brendan

Students in room 24 have welcomed spring with some gardening activities at home or at school. The plants are growing so quickly, you can almost watch them getting taller! The lawns are no different, with all the rain and the sunshine, lawn mowing enthusiasts are very happy indeed.

Food preparation is another passion shared by students in room 24. Students have been helping out at home by grocery shopping and cooking dinner.. and sometimes cakes just for fun. Students at school have prepared some lunches from scratch, such as making the pizza dough for a pizza. Very clever work!



Speaking of cakes, there has been a milestone birthday for Josh. Happy 18th! We hope you enjoyed your special birthday.

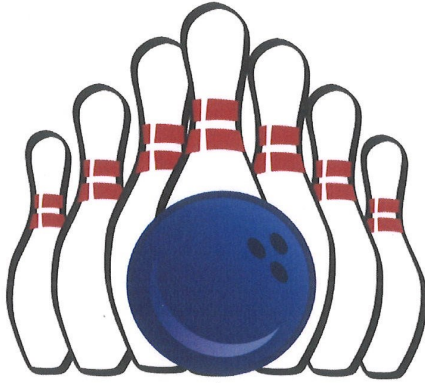


Bowling Fun – for under 31's

A social bowling group for young people who sometimes need support

(due to disability, shyness or lack of opportunity)

2 Sundays each month
(2nd and 4th Sundays)



At Wodonga Ten Pin Bowl
Sanyo Drive (new management)

Auto gutter guards available

Arrive from 1.45pm
Bowling starts at 2pm
\$12 for 2 games

The aim of this group is to meet other young people,
have some fun and get better at ten pin bowling

Please bring your own support person if required
This is a privately organised group – no formal supports provided

Our very first date is Sunday 14th February
Hope to see you there!!

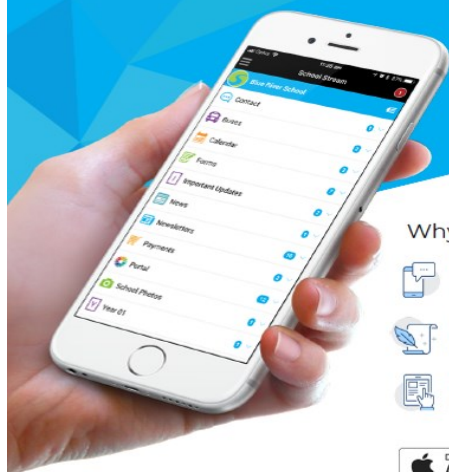


Sunday 14th February
Sunday 28th February
Sunday 14th March
Sunday 28th March
Sunday 11th April
Sunday 25th April
Sunday 9th May
Sunday 23rd May
Sunday 13th June
Sunday 27th June




Sunday 11th July
Sunday 25th July
Sunday 8th August
Sunday 22nd August
Sunday 12th September
Sunday 26th September
Sunday 10th October
Sunday 24th October
Sunday 14th November
Sunday 28th November

Please call the Centre on **60247022** or message Judith on **0402043730**
to book in with name and age of bowler
(no-one over 30 please)

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Why download the app?

-  Receive instant notifications for important news.
-  Easily register absentees and excursions.
-  Keep up to date with events and set reminders.



Download instructions:

1. Go to the App Store and download "School Stream" to your phone.
2. Open the app and type the school's name into the search bar to load the school's profile.
3. Make sure you agree to Push Notifications when prompted.



Book Club LOOP

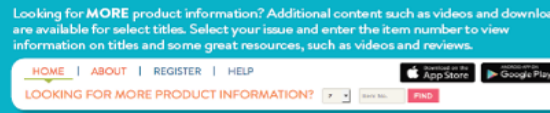
LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club **Linked Online Ordering & Payment** platform.

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using your credit card. If your school is not yet in the **LOOP**, speak with your school's Book Club Organiser.

Head to **scholastic.com.au/LOOP**

or  

Follow these **easy** steps!

1. Simply grab your child's Book Club catalogue and either **SIGN-IN** or **REGISTER** your account.
2. Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for), then select your **SCHOOL** and your **CHILD'S CLASS**.
Note: You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school.
- Looking for **MORE** product information? Additional content such as videos and downloads are available for select titles. Select your issue and enter the item number to view information on titles and some great resources, such as videos and reviews.

3. Click on **ORDER** and enter the item number from the Book Club catalogue.
4. All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date.

That's it! There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school.

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School's Web Page!

As many of you may already know, Belvoir has created a Web page. You can access the page by going on to

<https://www.belvoirss.vic.edu.au/>

This page is used to promote events, share information and showcase achievements of classes and individual students. We would love for you to share this page with your friends and family so that everyone can see the great things happening in our school.

CONTACT DETAILS

Could all families please make sure that they inform the school office whenever they have any changes to any of their

contact details *e.g.. home/mobile phone numbers, change of address etc.*

It's extremely important that we have up to date information in case of emergencies.

Please contact Andrea or Hannah on 6059 8987 if you have any changes.

Welcome back
to
Term 4!

