CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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<td>Last day for Year 7 Application for Enrolment forms to be returned.</td>
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SCHOOL CROSSING

Margaret, our school crossing lady, is most concerned that parents are stopping to pick up their children in Yarra Street between the crossing and Kilgour Street without actually pulling into the angle park. This is a potentially dangerous situation and our number one priority is the safety of our children. Parents need to adhere to parking requirements when dropping off & picking up their children.

SAFETY AT SCHOOL

Visitors Badges: To assist us in keeping all young people in our school safe, all parents and visitors to the school are required to enter the school building through the front office, sign in and collect a visitor tag. Students should be dropped off and collected from a meeting place outside the school buildings. If you are required to come to your child’s class – please for the safety of everyone – follow our safety procedures.

PREPARATION FOR PUBERTY PROGRAM

YEARS 5 & 6

Each year the students in Years 5 & 6 complete a Preparation For Puberty Program with a qualified health professional. This year, the program will take place on Friday mornings (August 25th, September 1st, 8th and 15th). A parent information session will be held for interested parents. More details will be provided later.

YEAR 4 GIRLS

This will be a one hour introduction aimed at Year 4 girls and their parents. It will be held at South Geelong Primary School either between 2.30pm – 3.30pm or 7.00pm – 8.00pm. To make this session viable we need an expression of interest from a minimum of ten families.

If you are interested, please complete the attached form and return it to Mr. Armstrong no later than Wednesday May 10th.

PREPARATION FOR PUBERTY PROGRAM

YEAR 4 GIRLS

Yes I wish my daughter to attend [ ]

Preferred time: 2.30 – 3.30pm [ ]

7.00 – 8.00pm [ ]

SIGNED

APPRECIATIONS

We would like to thank the following members of our school community:-

To Andy Butson, Karen Leaming, Claire Eldridge & Julie Luscombe for assisting at the District Cross Country last Friday.

GOT CAPS? GET CASH - CASH-IN DAY 15th MAY

For every specially marked Pauls Milk cap we hand in on Cash-In day, we will receive 10 cents. Some schools and groups in Victoria have made thousands of dollars with Pauls Collect-A-Cap. It’s a fantastic fundraising program. So tell your friends. Tell your family. Get them to help you collect now.

MUSIC LESSONS

Lessons are held at South Geelong Primary School during the day for a variety of instruments:-

- Piano - keyboard
- Guitar – electric/acoustic
- Drums

A couple of vacancies have just become available. If your child is interested in learning one of these instruments please contact Louise.
**JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

**Name:** Kellie Booth  
**Class:** 1/2G  
**Pets:** 1 dog called Tim  
**Favourite Music:** Black-eyed Peas  
**Hobbies/interests:** Going to the beach  
**Favourite TV show:** Home and Away  
**Favourite tucker:** Red Rooster  
**A book I would recommend:** Angelina Ballerina  
**Interesting fact:** I patted a seal.

**Name:** Cory Donald  
**Class:** 1/2G  
**Pets:** Fish  
**Favourite Music:** The Journey – Don’t Argue  
**Hobbies/interests:** Games  
**Favourite TV show:** Backyard Science  
**Favourite tucker:** Rice  
**A book I would recommend:** Garfield  
**Interesting fact:** I love to read

**Name:** Tyler O’Brien  
**Class:** 4/5B  
**Pets:** Fish  
**Favourite Music:** Greenday, Lee Harding, Ben Lee  
**Hobbies/interests:** Footy, cricket, bikes, skateboarding, scooter.  
**Favourite TV show:** Footy and cricket  
**Favourite tucker:** Subway  
**A book I would recommend:** Specky Magee  
**Interesting fact:** I am born on a leap day

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**BIRTHDAY LIST**

**Congratulations to those students who have celebrated their birthday.**

**APRIL**

28th Ryan Baker  
28th Zac Kingwell  
28th Luke O’Brien

**MAY**

1st Rebecca Muldoon  
2nd Laura Bennett  
4th Bailey Glascott-Dummet  
4th Jake Hilton  
4th Christian Olsen

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**WANTED**

Any small size plastic pots for plant cuttings etc. for the fete. A box will be placed outside the office or please drop off at the Kaye house at 1 Stringers Lane, Geelong and leave on the front verandah.  

**Thankyou David Kaye.**

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**ENTERTAINMENT BOOK**

The Entertainment Book has more fantastic offers than ever before! If you wish to purchase one they are now available at the office at a cost of $50.00. This is a wonderful fundraising opportunity for our school as we receive $10.00 for each book sold.

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**EDUCATION MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE**

EMA cheques can be picked up from the office as soon as possible. Cheques must be picked up within the next two weeks or they will be returned to the Department of Education.  

**Thankyou Simon Moore**

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**BAANYA BIAMI CAMP**

**DAY 1:** We started the day on the bus heading to camp (Baanya Biami). When we got there we had a meeting to discuss all the rules and boundaries. Then we had play lunch and had a free play (I played mostly volleycatch). After that Erica (the Baanya Biami staff member) took us on a tour to see all the activities. Then we had lunch. After that my group went on the giant slide, it was awesome, I went on it about 30 times.

**DAY 2:** We started the day by having a great breakfast. Then we had some free time and I played volleycatch. Then my group went to the low ropes course and yabbying. It was so much fun. After that we went back and had morning tea. Then my group went and did archery. It was cool. Then we had lunch (hot dogs) and then we had to go.

**By Ben Lowe 3/4M**

- Fun
- Loud
- Yay
- Interesting
- Nightmare
- Good
- Funny
- Obviously fun

**PREMIER’S READING CHALLENGE - VOLUNTEERS WANTED**

Well done to all of the SGPS students who have been reading, reading and reading some more. Literally hundreds of books have been read by the 70 or so SGPS students who are participating in this worthwhile program. The large number of books also means a large number of entries that have to be individually keyed into the Reading Challenge website. What we need are a few volunteers who are willing to assist with entering book titles. If you have the Internet, this can be done at home. If you don’t have the Internet and would still like to help out, 20 minutes once a week in the school library is also an option. If you are willing to help out, please let your classroom teacher know and Mr Moore will contact you to make arrangements.

**Thankyou Simon Moore**