



Eagle Point Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Tuesday 17th March 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you so much to our generous community for the donations of Easter Eggs, chocolates, colouring books, craft items and beautiful rugs that are coming in to form our Easter Raffle prizes. We love to create as many prizes as possible to give away on Wednesday 1st April so if you have not yet brought something in, it is not too late. Raffle tickets also came on sale last week and this year Mrs Palmer won the staff prize for getting her raffle ticket book sold and handed in first! I was sure I was in with a chance this year.

Our Grade 3 and 5 students have started with the annual NAPLAN assessments. Last week, students wrote a narrative piece on Wednesday and completed the reading online assessment on Thursday. This week, students completed the Language Conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation) today with Numeracy scheduled for tomorrow. Despite many other schools reporting issues with the NAPLAN system last week, all of our Grade 5 students were able to log in and complete the assessment without an issue other than the site being slow to load initially. Well done to our students who are showing us how clever and resilient they are, being able to keep working even when challenges arise.

Mrs Ford is doing a wonderful job preparing students (and staff) for the whole school Cross Country run this year. Over the past few weeks the students have been working on moving their bodies for a sustained period of time and last week they began practising running over the distance required for their age group. We still have a few weeks to practice so I am encouraging students and families to get out there and train before the event. The Cross Country will be held at school on Wednesday 1st April. This is a qualifying event for Divisional Cross Country which will be held at Nagle College Bairnsdale early in term 2. The course at Nagle College has a few hills so it is great we can use our own site as practice. Students who are turning 9 or 10 years old this year are required to run a 2km course with students turning 11 or 12+ running the 3km. Students younger than this will run either 1km or 1.5km. Parents and community members are invited to come along on this day to cheer and be a part of the action. We will also be having our Healthy Roll/Wrap Lunch on this day. Orders close Monday 30th March.

You may have heard through the media about the planned industrial action the Australian Education Union scheduled for this Tuesday 24th March. Staff who are planning to take action on this day have been requested to let me know of their decision by this Friday afternoon. If your child's class will be impacted by this action, I will endeavour to inform parents as soon as possible.

Have a wonderful week,

Anna Duncan
Principal

ASSEMBLY

THIS FRIDAY

2.35PM





SCHOOL CALENDAR—TERM 1

MARCH / APRIL 2026



Tuesday 17th March	Finance Meeting @4.30pm AGM School Council Meeting @5pm
Wednesday 18th March	Lawn Bowls Training 2-3pm
Thursday 19th March	Book Club Online Orders Closing Date
Friday 20th March	School Assembly—2.35pm
Monday 23rd March	Mobile Library—9.30-11.00am
Wednesday 25th March	Lawn Bowls Training 2-3pm
Wednesday 25th March	Nagle College Year 7 2027 Information Night
Friday 27th March	Division Bowls @Bairnsdale Bowls Club Please note change of date
Friday 27th March	Nexus Arts: Dion Drummond Indigenous Performance
Friday 27th March	School Assembly—2.35pm
Monday 30th March	Easter Raffle Donations Due Today
Wednesday 1st April	Whole School Cross Country
Wednesday 1st April	Easter Egg Hunt & Healthy Roll/Wrap Lunch
Wednesday 1st April	Assembly –2.35pm—Easter Raffle Drawn
Thursday 2nd April	Harmony Day Dress up Day
Thursday 2nd April	Last day of Term 1



A huge thank you to Ben, Cam and Richenda from the Paynesville CFA for cooking the BBQ last Thursday. We really appreciate you giving up your time to do this for the students.



After School Sports
Cricket



**AROUND
THE
GROUNDS**

Garden Group
Planting Raspberries



Regional Swimming

Well done Otis who came 3rd in Butterfly and 5th in Freestyle at the Regional Swimming last Thursday at Sale.

We are so proud of your efforts Otis.



HEALTHY ROLL DAY

Wednesday 1st April



*Choose from a roll or a wrap,
one meat and salads!*



Orders close Monday 30th March



Junior School Council HEALTHY ROLL/WRAP DAY

Orders must be in by
Monday 30th March



Rolls / Wraps
\$6.00 each

Wednesday 1st April we are having a Healthy Roll/Wrap Lunch

Name _____ Room _____

Please tick:

- Ham
 Chicken
 Salad Only

- Roll
 Wrap
 Gluten Free

Number

Cost

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

I will not be having a Roll/Wrap

WHOLE SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Wednesday 1st April @School

9.30am to 11.30am

Students to wear house colours

Parents most welcome



THANK YOU



*A HUGE THANK YOU TO OUR EAGLE POINT PRIMARY
SCHOOL FAMILIES FOR MAKING THIS HAPPEN!*



**FOOD
FIGHT**




AMAZING!

Eagle Point Primary School

**YOU slime slopping, fruit piffing LEGENDS created
20,984 MEALS
for people in need.**

We can't thank you enough!


Dave McNamara
Dave McNamara
Foodbank Victoria CEO


Margaret Messmaker
Margaret Messmaker
Chief Slime Officer 

HARMONY DAY

– Dress Up Day –

Thursday 2nd April

*Harmony Day is a celebration of
our cultural diversity.*

***Wear **ORANGE** or something that
represents your family's culture.***

***Please note if you don't come dressed up
school uniform is still required.***

EASTER RAFFLE DONATIONS

We are seeking donations for the annual Easter Raffle. Some ideas include Easter chocolate, craft, giftware's and other suitable items for children to win.

Donations are being collected at the office until Monday 30th March.

Raffle will be drawn on Wednesday 1st April

**Thanks
from JSC**

Raffle ticket books have been sent home.





Nagle Catholic College is an active and proud faith-led learning community that provides a rich holistic education to the young people of East Gippsland.

DISCOVER NAGLE YEAR 7 INFORMATION EVENING

We welcome you and your family to discover firsthand what makes our College community so special - from our welcoming learning spaces to the natural beauty that surrounds us.



There are 3 information sessions, followed by the opportunity to explore our campus:

Wednesday 25 March

4.00pm, 4.45pm & 5.30pm

Sessions are limited.
Bookings essential.

**SCAN HERE
TO BOOK**



ENROLMENTS ARE NOW OPEN YEAR 7 2027



Enrolment Applications are now open for families seeking to join the **Nagle Catholic College** community for Year 7 in 2027.

To assist with timely processing, please ensure required documents are provided at time of application.

APPLY TODAY

APPLICATIONS CLOSE FRIDAY 18 MAY 2026



For further information, visit our website: www.nagle.vic.edu.au



2027 Year 7 - Information Evening

Wednesday 29th April 2026

5.00 pm to 7.00 pm

Bairnsdale Secondary College invite students, parents, and carers to our Information Evening for 2027 Year 7 students.

Time	Item	Location
5.00 pm to 6.00 pm	McKean Street Campus open to tour and chat with staff and students from Key Learning Areas including English, Maths, Science and PE.	Year 7 Hub, Science Centre and Inclusion Hub
6.00 pm to 7.00 pm	Information Session - Presentation from current Year 7 students and student leaders.	Malgobila Building

For further enquiries please contact us on 5150 4800 or at bairnsdale.sc@education.vic.gov.au

The enrolment process begins in early Term 2 .

Information will be distributed initially via your Primary Schools.

For Government Primary Schools

Your Primary Schools will distribute an Application for Year 7 Placement early in Term 2

For Non-Government Primary Schools

Your Primary School may provide an Application for Year 7 Placement early in Term 2 , if you do not receive one please contact the College directly.

COMMUNITY NEWS



CANOEING
BUSHCOOKING
RAFT BUILDING
BOAT TRIP
INDOOR CLIMBING
COMBAT ARCHERY
BIBLE CHATS
AND MORE!!

CAMP COOLAMATONG HOLIDAY PROGRAM

REGISTER NOW



<https://su.org.au/events/camp-coolamatong-holiday-program>

GRADES PREP - 6

13th - 17th APRIL

8:30am - 5:15pm

CAMP COOLAMATONG

FARM CAMP

15 MINUTES FROM
BAIRNSDALE!

NEED HELP COVERING COSTS?

GOOGLE SEARCH: 'GET ACTIVE VICTORIA VOUCHERS' & use
Code: 3676236 to apply!

Email: coolamatong@su.org.au for more info

EAST GIPPSLAND SHIRE LIBRARIES

FREE | BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

After School Easter Craft



Decorate Your Own Egg Cup

AGES 5-12



Hop into your local library this Easter!

Come ready to listen to a story and get creative by decorating your very own wooden egg cup!

Bairnsdale Library

Monday 30 March
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

Lakes Entrance

Service Centre
Monday 30 March
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

Mallacoota

Service Centre
Thursday 2 April
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

Orbost Service Centre

Tuesday 31 March
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

Omeo Service Centre

Monday 30 March
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm

Paynesville

Service Centre
Tuesday 31 March
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

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www.trybooking.com/eventlist/eastgippslandshirelibraries
Scan the QR code



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Change Lives

