Eagle Point Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Tuesday 13th October 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Students and staff in Grades 5 and 6 had an early start yesterday, catching the 6:00am train from Bairnsdale to Southern Cross for the start of their camp. Students and staff will spend 3 days in Melbourne, experiencing the sights and sounds of the city before returning home on the train, arriving at Bairnsdale at 5:00pm Wednesday 14th October. This camp experience is a fun way for students to see the city and participate in a variety of activities such as ten pin bowling, ice skating, visit the Art Gallery and The Shrine of Remembrance. They get to see a lot in the short time they are there.

Well, done to our Grade 3 and 4 students who had a fun 3 days on Camp at Banksia Peninsula. Staff have come back to school today full of stories and praising the attitudes and behaviour of the students. I have even heard that this was the best camp experience ever from one staff member. On Friday afternoon, I received an email from a parent thanking the staff for their care and attention of students during this time away, thank you for your thanks, camps are an amazing experience but take hours of planning and preparation as well as being away from our own families and everything that entails so to receive this appreciation is just wonderful. I hope parents enjoyed a quieter week while we cared for your young ones.

Today, it is the Junior School's turn, and we are heading to Camp Coolamatong for a day of fun. I am looking forward to having a fun day and hopefully the forecasted rain stays away until after school.

On Friday, our school visited the East Gippsland Water Management Authority's Celebrate the Lakes Community Day at the Eagle Point Foreshore. This is the second year this day has run and it is such a fun day. Our contact, Lisa and her team of helpers, organised a Treasure Hunt for the children so they moved from stand to stand listening to the information and completing a questionnaire along the way. It was lovely to see the older students supporting the younger ones, walking with them and keeping them safe along the road. If you did not get a chance to attend, I would strongly encourage you to put this in your calendar for next year as it is a fun day and free for the community.

I will be on leave for the remainder of this week and Monday of next week. Mrs Jane Langley will be the Acting Principal while I am away so if you need assistance, please do not hesitate to get in touch with her. Mrs Blaire Wassink will be available at school on Wednesday 14th October while Jane returns from camp. I will be representing the Bairnsdale Tambo Network at the Network Chairs meeting on Tuesday 20th October and returning to school on Wednesday 21stOctober. I will be looking forward to seeing you all then.

Have a wonderful week,

Anna Duncan
Principal

STUDENT FREE DATES FOR TERM 4:

Monday 2nd November

Friday 20th November

ASSEMBLY

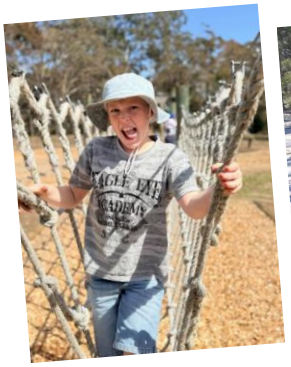
FRIDAY'S

2.35PM

SCHOOL CALENDAR—TERM 4
OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2026

Monday 12th – Wednesday 14th October	Grade 5 / 6 Camp @Melbourne
Tuesday 13th October	Junior School Excursion @Camp Coolamatong
Wednesday 14th October	Regional Athletics @Newborough
Friday 16th October	Tea Towel Orders Closing Date
Friday 16th October	School Assembly – 2.35pm
Monday 19th October	Mobile Library – 9.30-11.00am
Tuesday 20th October	Prep Information Evening @6pm
Wednesday 21st October	Coffee & Connection @9.00-9.45am
Friday 23rd October	School Assembly – 2.35pm
Monday 26th October	Book Club Online Orders Closing Date
Thursday 29th October	State Athletics @Lakeside Stadium, Albert Park
Friday 30th October	School Assembly – 2.35pm
Monday 2nd November	Student Free Day
Tuesday 3rd November	Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday—NO SCHOOL
Thursday 5th November	Prep 2027 Transition Day 1 @9-11am

Grade 3/4
Camp
@Camp Coolamatong



Central District Summer Sports Day

Basketball / Volleyball / Cricket

Celebrate the Lakes COMMUNITY EVENT

artnews

Your Child's Artwork
a Keepsake Forever

Printed on a beautiful cotton tea towel
to treasure for years to come.

Order forms & copy of artwork were sent home with all students at the end of last term.

Order form & payment are due back Friday 16th October.

Welcome to EAGLE POINT PRIMARY SCHOOL

2027 FOUNDATION TRANSITION

2027 Foundation Parent Information Night

Tuesday 20th October @ 6pm

(Babysitting will be available on the night)

DATE	TIME	WHAT YOUR CHILD NEEDS TO BRING TO SCHOOL
Thursday 5th November 2026	9am – 11am	Fruit, hat, drink, sports shoes and news or an item to share.
Thursday 12th November 2026	9am – 11am	Fruit, hat, drink, sports shoes and news or an item to share.
Thursday 19th November 2026	9am – 12pm	Fruit, hat, drink, sports shoes and news or an item to share.
Thursday 26th November 2026	9am – 12.45pm	Fruit, hat, drink, sports shoes and news or an item to share.
Thursday 3rd December 2026	9am – 12.45pm	Fruit, hat, drink, sports shoes and news or an item to share.

Please Note:

It would be great if your child could be at school at 8.50am so that he/she has time to get ready before the session begins.

Please look carefully at the times of each session as they gradually increase over the term.

We look forward to seeing you all on Thursday 5th November for our first transition session!

The Transition to School!

Kind regards,

Anna Duncan
Principal

Megan Bradbury
Foundation Teacher

Coffee & connection

Calling all Parents and Caers

Come along for a relaxed social coffee and a chance to connect with other parents.
Whether you're new or have been part of our community for a while, we'd love to see you there!
Come along, grab a coffee and enjoy a chat.
Everyone is welcome! 💛

October 21, 2026 | 9:00 - 9:45

Location: Eating Area

Eagle Point Primary School

See you there!

HOW TO ORDER

Visit **scholastic.com.au/LOOP** OR download the **LOOP** app.

Your order will be electronically linked to the rest of your school's order.

You do not need to complete the order form.

Orders close Monday 26th October.

HELP WANTED

Dear Parents, Carers, Grandparents and Community Members,

Our Breakfast Club runs 4 mornings per week on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 8:30-9:00am. This program is open to all students of the school where anyone can come in for breakfast including cereal, toast, fruit, Milo and milk.

We are in desperate need of volunteers to operate the program each day.

To be a volunteer at Breakfast Club you will need to have a current Working with Children's Check card (Volunteer or Employee) which is free for Volunteers and can be easily obtained through Services Victoria - Apply for a Working with Children Check | Service Victoria The application doesn't take long to complete online.

If you or someone you know would be able to help, please let Anna or the office know.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS TERM 4

EAGLE POINT
INVICTUS MANEO

Learn
Belong
Safe
Fun

OCTOBER

MON 5 OCT	First day of Term 4
WED 7 – FRI 9 OCT	Grade 3 / 4 Camp @ Camp Coolamatong
THU 8 OCT	District Summer Sports @ Bairnsdale
MON 12 – WED 14 OCT	Grade 5 / 6 Camp @ Melbourne
TUE 13 OCT	Junior School Excursion @ Camp Coolamatong
WED 14 OCT	Regional Athletics @ Joe Carmody Reserve Newborough
TUE 20 OCT	2027 Prep Information Evening @ 6pm
THU 29 OCT	State Athletics @ Albert Park

NOVEMBER

MON 2 NOV	Student Free Day
TUE 3 NOV	Public Holiday – Melbourne Cup Day
THU 5 NOV	Prep 2027 Transition Day 1 @ 9 – 11am
WED 11 NOV	Swimming Lessons Start

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NOVEMBER (CONTINUED)

THU 12 NOV	Prep 2027 Transition Day 2 @ 9 – 11am
THU 19 NOV	Prep 2027 Transition Day 3 @ 9am – 12pm
FRI 20 NOV	Student Free Day
WED 25 NOV	School Concert
THU 26 NOV	Prep 2027 Transition Day 4 @ 9am – 12.45pm

DECEMBER

TUE 1 DEC	Nagle College Year 7 2027 Transition Day
THU 3 DEC	Last Prep 2027 Transition Day @ 9am – 12.45pm
TUE 8 DEC	BSC Year 7 2027 Transition Day
FRI 11 DEC	Christmas Dress Up Day & Raffle Drawn
FRI 11 DEC	Last Assembly & Awards Presentation
MON 14 DEC	Grade 6 Graduation
TUE 15 DEC	School Community E&B Roll Breakfast & Coffee Van

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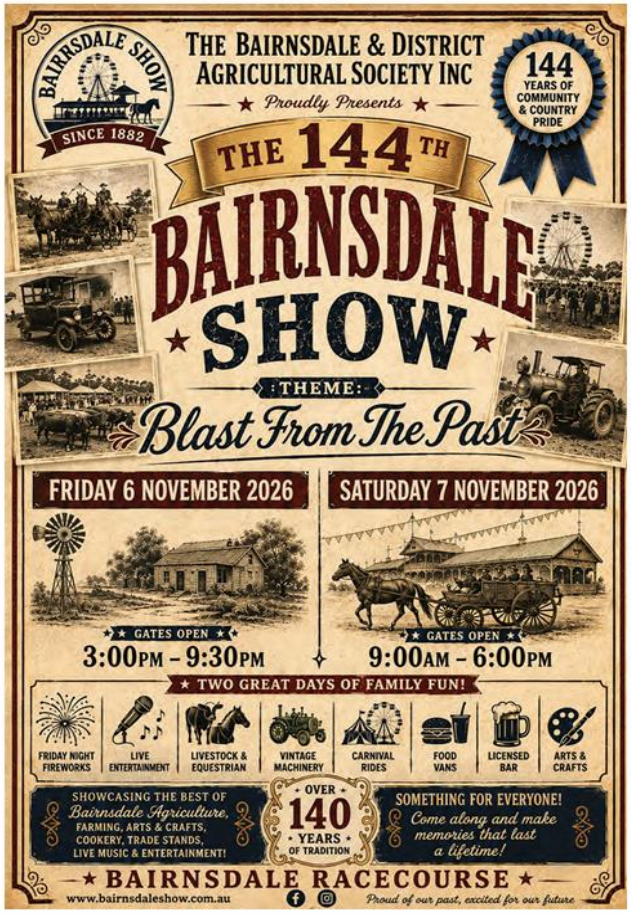
COMMUNITY NEWS



ANNUAL EVENTS! ENTER ON THE DAY!