

TERM 2, WEEK 11 - JUNE 26 2024

# THE WIRAN

SWAN HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

## From Our Principal

Mrs Hayley Doyle

It's been another productive and successful term at Swan Hill Primary School. I've really enjoyed being back on deck after having Term 1 off on long service leave. We thank our staff, students and families for all of your support throughout the term.

This week, we farewell Danielle Correnti, who heads off on family leave. We wish Danielle, Adam and Evie all the best as they welcome their new addition to the family. We will miss Danielle's supportive, friendly and professional presence at SHPS, whilst she is on family leave.

I'm pleased to announce Belinda Free has been appointed to the Leading Teacher position, recently advertised. Belinda has been doing a wonderful job in the role of Grade 5 & 6 Sub-school Leader, over the last few weeks. Belinda will continue in this role for the remainder of the year. We have been fortunate enough to appoint Clare Phylant to teach alongside Lauren Thoolen, in 5B for the remainder of the year.

Clare is a highly experienced teacher, extremely organised and enthusiastic.

We thank Jodie Keast who has been our Business Manager this term, whilst Rhian Edge has been on leave. Jodie has been juggling this role, along with her Business Manager role, at a large school in

Warrnambool! Jodie has done an exceptional job and we thank her very much for her hard-work and support. We also thank our amazing administration team who have adapted extremely well to the changes this term. Special mention to Teegan McDonald who has performed a range of roles this term, including running the Canteen.

This Friday, we dress in orange to remember our much loved teacher and colleague, Laura Benham, who passed away two years ago. We will be raising funds for a cause very dear to Laura and her family, the Lungitude Foundation. Laura was one of a kind - a positive and supportive member of our team who formed wonderful relationships with her students. We miss her very much.

School finishes an hour earlier this Friday. We look forward to welcoming everyone back for the first day of Term 3, on Monday 15th July.

## What's On



**Thursday June 27**

Grade 6 Health Expo

**Friday June 28**

End of Term 2.25pm finish  
Lungitude Fundraiser - Day in  
Memory of Laura Benham -

Dress in orange

**Monday July 15**

First day of Term 3

**Wednesday July 17**

Grade 6 Swimming

**Tuesday July 23**

School Photos

**Wednesday July 24**

Grade 3 Swimming

Reminder:

Order School  
Photo's

**LAST DAY OF TERM**

EARLY FINISH!

Friday 28TH June

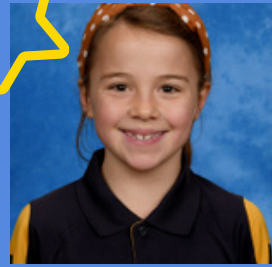
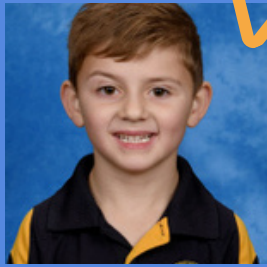
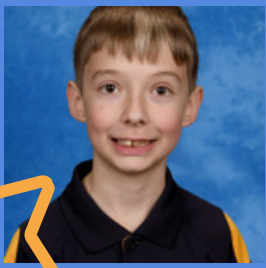
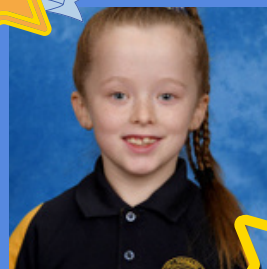
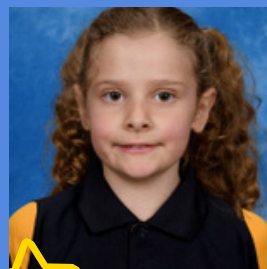
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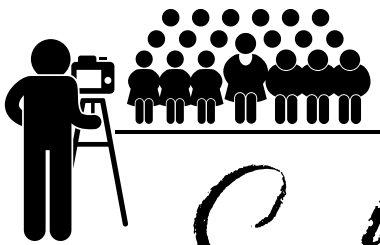
# Students of the Week - Term 2 - Week 10

Prep J Ashanti  
 Prep M Harry  
 Prep S Reanna  
 Prep T Hamish  
 1A Jos  
 1B Eli  
 1L Aliyah  
 1M Harper  
 2C Molly  
 2E Luka  
 2R Annie  
 2W Layla  
 3D Emma  
 3H Charlie  
 3M Andrick

4B Heath  
 4G Addisyn  
 4H Alba  
 4K AJ  
 5B Ruby  
 5C Mahli  
 5F Sharlet  
 6K Jack  
 6M Kiara  
 6T Shadelle  
 Mental Health Aymee  
 Digital Learning Quinn  
 Auslan Jos  
 Music Addison  
 PE Zara  
 Science Charli



WAY TO GO!



# School Photos



Tuesday July 23rd

## ONLINE BOOKING



Your school has decided school photos will only be available to order online this year.

Choose your own **FREE** background



### The benefits of being online...

- No need for envelopes to be returned to the school office
- No cash on school grounds or children's bags
- Easy order tracking and record keeping
- 18 different backgrounds to choose from - no additional cost



[www.leadingimage.com.au](http://www.leadingimage.com.au)

## Swan Hill Primary School

Access Key

**FHD5NEF6**



INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY PHOTOS CAN BE ORDERED WITH THE SAME ACCESS KEY

To order your school photos:

- 1 Go to [www.leadingimage.com.au](http://www.leadingimage.com.au)
- 2 Click on Order Your School Photos
- 3 Enter your Access Key



Family photographs must be ordered before 4.30pm the night before photo day. Please ensure your orders are placed before this time.

# Lungitude

## FOUNDATION

**WEAR ORANGE DAY!**

**DATE: FRIDAY THE 28TH OF JUNE  
(LAST DAY OF TERM)**



**Lungitude**  
FOUNDATION

**PLEASE BRING A  
GOLD COIN DONATION  
AND WEAR ORANGE TO SHOW  
YOUR SUPPORT!**



The Lungitude Foundation is for lung transplant patients and their caregivers in Australia, your donations will help lots of people.

In memory of our own  
Mrs Benham ❤️❤️

# Mr Carroll's



## Winter Sports



Winter Sports for grade 5/6 students was held last Friday. Our girls T-Ball team won and our boys team finished second. Our girls A Team finished second and so did our girls B Team also finished runners up. Our two boys football teams finished third. We were very competitive in boys and girls' soccer. Well done to all students who demonstrated excellent sportsmanship.



## Grade 6 Swimming

Dates:	10.55 am	11.35 am	12.10 pm
Wed 17th July	6T	6M	6K





Stella Scott from Grade 6 recently took part in the Basketball National Championships in Melbourne. She was part of the Under 12 Swan Hill Flyers side who competed against teams from all over Australia – a huge achievement getting to this stage! Stella’s team were able to finish 11th across all of Australia, which is incredible. On a personal level, Stella was the 8th highest scorer across the whole Under 12 Girls National Championships, scoring a whopping 78 points for the tournament. She said that a huge highlight for her was getting so close to scoring a 3 pointer and playing against some of the best players in Australia that are her age.

Swan Hill Primary School send a huge congratulations to both Stella and her team for this amazing achievement.

# Congratulations!

Congratulations to our Term 2 token winners.



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|-------------------|------------------------|
| PJ Jack           | 3D Macie               |
| PM Mack           | 3H Jordi               |
| PS Hadlee         | 3M Kate                |
| Pt Maddi          | 4B Will                |
| 1A Jos            | 4G Aubree, Leo & Harry |
| 1B Quinn          | 4H Madison             |
| 1L Oliver         | 4K Toby                |
| 1M Adeline        | 5B Mackenna            |
| 2C Eloise & Darby | 5C Mahli               |
| 2E Logan          | 5F Mayla & Georgia     |
| 2R Blake          | 6K Jasper              |
| 2W Lachie         | 6M Naz                 |
|                   | 6T Paige               |

## House Winners

Kira - Paige Higginbottom

Nyawi - Lily Caldoza

Miloo - Mollie Beard

Wiran - Jasper Munroa

## School Winners

Paige Higginbottom &  
Mollie Beard



# CELEBRATING NAIDOC WEEK

Swan Hill Primary School will be celebrating NAIDOC Week from the 17th June – 28th June. NAIDOC Week is a significant event in our calendar, providing us with an opportunity to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

This year's theme is "Keep the fire burning! Black, loud and proud". This theme honours the strength and vitality of First Nations culture – with fire a symbol of connection to Country, to each other and to the rich traditions that define Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Swan Hill Primary School will be engaging in activities across the two weeks including storytelling sessions, Indigenous Art Workshops and Damper making. We look forward to learning and celebrating NAIDOC Week.



# July 2024 Vacation Program Flyer

## Enrolments and bookings

To ensure a smooth enrolment process, we kindly ask all new vacation participants complete both a new enrolment form and a booking form.

All existing participants are to complete a booking form.

These forms are available from program staff, Council Offices, or by downloading from the Council website. Forms must be submitted by **Friday, 14 June 2024**.

**Late bookings or any alterations to bookings cannot be accepted after the closing date.**

Please be mindful that the vacation program fills up almost immediately.

During the vacation program, all meals are supplied and included in the fee.

## Absences and cancellations

For any absences or cancellations, please leave a message on the program's mobile 0409 236 541.

Families can also advise of absences or cancellations by sending an email to [oosh@swanhill.vic.gov.au](mailto:oosh@swanhill.vic.gov.au)

To contact program staff during session times please call 0409 236 541.

The vacation program operates from 8am-6pm Monday to Friday except for public holidays.

## Child Care Subsidy (CCS)

Families are able to apply to Centrelink for Child Care Subsidy (CCS) to reduce their childcare costs.

CCS is paid directly to the service and will be deducted from your account.

Families need to apply to Centrelink for CCS and must ensure that the subsidy is current before each vacation program or commencing care.

You will be charged for all booked days regardless of whether you attend or not. CCS pays subsidy for 42 absent days each financial year.

You can use the CCS Calculator at [StartingBlocks.gov.au](http://StartingBlocks.gov.au) to find out what your future CCS rates may be.

## Fee increase

As of 1 July 2024, there will be a fee increase for both programs:

- After school - \$37.00
- Vacation Program - \$125.00

## Swan Hill July 2024 Vacation Program

Monday, 1 July	Tuesday, 2 July	Wednesday, 3 July	Thursday, 4 July	Friday, 5 July
 <p>Bee hotel incursion workshop today</p>  <p>Chicken tender wraps for lunch</p>  <p>Chasing and fleeing games in the gym</p>	 <p>Minute to win it challenges today</p>  <p>Make pinch pots today</p>  <p>Taco Tuesday</p>	 <p>Basketball clinic today</p>  <p>Pony bead craft today</p>  <p>Create stop motion pictures</p>	<p>Party fun day today Guess the jar competition</p>  <p>Musical games</p>  <p>Pass the parcel</p>  <p>Have a go at our donut on a string challenges</p>	 <p>Enjoy a yummy Devonshire tea today</p>  <p>Learn how to snake knit today</p>  <p>Ga Ga Ball pit today</p>
Monday, 8 July	Tuesday, 9 July	Wednesday, 10 July	Thursday, 11 July	Friday, 12 July
<p>Indigenous design scratch art</p>  <p>Turtle weaving craft</p>  <p>Lots of art, craft, cooking and storytelling throughout the week to celebrate NAIDOC week</p>	 <p>Whole group excursion to the Pioneer Settlement today</p> <p>Children need to be at the program by 10am</p> <p>Don't forget your drink bottle</p>	<p>Bring your pillow and blanket for movies and popcorn today</p>  <p>Weaving bag tags today</p>  <p>Orange and wattle seed muffins</p>	<p>Damper making with native Jam</p>  <p>Rainbow serpent story and craft today</p>  <p>Kick to kick footy fun in afternoon</p>	 <p>Yummy pancakes for morning tea</p>  <p>Bring your wheels and a helmet for wheelerie day!</p>  <p>Loom band craft</p>



# Community Fun Day

@ The Swan Hill  
Racecourse Bowls Club  
10:00am till 12:00pm  
10th of July

FREE BBQ

- Fun games with kids on the green
- Face painting
- Chalk drawing
- Playdough station
- Coloring
- Music time
- Biscuit decorating
- Prizes to win



## WE BELIEVE IN UNICORNS INC CHARITY EVENT

# SWAN HILL MARKET

1ST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

RIVERSIDE PARK  
SWAN HILL  
9AM - 1PM

### Market Dates

- 7th July 2024
- 4th August 2024
- 1st September 2024
- 6th October 2024
- 3rd November 2024
- 1st December 2024



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Hayley Smith  
Director/ Support Coordinator

justbeyourself@outlook.com.au  
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Just Be Yourself



FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT COORDINATION NEEDS



### What's happening at Swan Hill Library these School Holidays...

Library activities are available 1 - 12 July 2024. To book, contact the library on 5038 2480. Check the Library's Facebook page or newsletter for more details.

**Creativity Station - All holidays**  
10am - 5.30pm **FREE** Suitable for children of all ages  
Set up in the children's area of the library for the duration of the school holidays. Children can draw, cut, paste, construct, colour in, complete activity booklets and create their own stories. Sessions using recycled items including wood, material, cardboard paper and more!



**Search & Find - All holidays**  
10am - 5.30pm **FREE** Suitable for children 5+  
Search for and find all the items on the list in the library treasure box. Items include books, toys, puzzles, games, etc. The winner will be chosen on Tuesday, 16 July 2024. Prizes sponsored by Swan Hill Inc.



**Minicraft Monday - Monday, 1 & 8 July**  
10am - 12pm **FREE** Suitable for children 5+  
Join us for an afternoon of 2D blocky fun! Play in Survival or Creative mode, experiment, create or break apart. It's all up to you! Minicraft is a free-to-play, sandbox survival game where you can explore, gather resources, build, and survive in a procedurally generated world. You can create anything from a small hut to a huge, sprawling metropolis.



**Lego - Wednesday, 3 & 10 July**  
2pm - 4pm **FREE** Suitable for children 3+  
Come along and enjoy the fun with our free Lego! @ The Library sessions these sessions are designed to be fun and educational. Challenges or enjoy free play using your imagination to make a fantastic creation.



**Lemonade - Wednesday, 3 & 10 July**  
2pm - 4pm **FREE** Suitable for children 7+  
Have you just discovered lemonade? Or are you already an expert at making all sorts of creative things with them? The library will be holding two lemonade stands where you can make your own lemonade. We will have all the materials and tools we will be supplied to make a range of fantastic jewellery and craft.



**Winter Twilight Tales - Wednesday, 3 July**  
7pm - 8.30pm **FREE** Suitable for the whole family  
Come along to our special evening Storyline! Pop on your PJs and join Legh for this winter-themed session. We will have some cozy stories and fun activities to enjoy. Children under 12 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.



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**Friends with Honey - Thursday, 4 July**  
3pm - 4pm **FREE** Suitable for children 3 - 7  
Join Helen from Friends with Honey for a fun musical kids show! The show is an interactive musical for children aged 3-7. We'll sing, dance, and play games. Or about our friends the bees and the amazing role they play in our environment. Puppets, songs and games are all part of this fantastic show!



**Wood Children - Friday, 5 July**  
2pm - 3pm **FREE** Suitable for children 6+  
Join Ben from Burroughs Swan Hill for a simple, fun and creative children's activity! Create a beautiful wind chime using the materials supplied, paint and your imagination.



**Kids Create: Rainbow Burritos - Tuesday, 9 July**  
10.30am - 11.30am **FREE** Suitable for children 3+  
Children will enjoy learning to be a chef in our kitchen. Absorb with Mince and Mince! Create a beautiful rainbow burrito using the materials supplied, paint and your imagination.



**Pokémon Printing - Tuesday, 9 July**  
2pm - 3pm **FREE** Suitable for children 5+  
Get creative designing a Pokémon poster you using the gel plate printing method. You will be using a gel plate to print your Pokémon poster. You will be using a gel plate to print your Pokémon poster. You will be using a gel plate to print your Pokémon poster.



**Fun in the Jungle - Thursday, 11 July**  
10.30am - 11.30am **FREE** Suitable for children 3 - 5  
Join us for some noisome fun based on the children's picture book, 'Gruffalo'! Children will take part in a mini Mow & Groose session before following a very special jungle path, created with toys and equipment from Swan Hill Toy Library. This session is sure to be a wild adventure!



**Kano Club - Friday, 12 July**  
3pm - 4.30pm **FREE** Suitable for children ages 10 - 15  
Join our Kano Coding Club! Children will build a Kano computer and learn how to create their own games using Scratch! Learning to code, helps children develop problem-solving, logical thinking, and digital literacy skills. A fun social activity for children.



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