



COASTHILL NEWS



The Inverloch/Kongwak Primary School Newsletter

Principal :
Brett Smith

We Give Our Best To Be Our Best

Assistant Principal:
Mel McRae

Our Vision: All students to achieve their full potential and to develop into confident, well-rounded citizens.

Our Values : Be Respectful, Be Safe, Be an Active Learner.

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3:30-3:45pm Afternoon Yard Duty

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

This week has shown what great schools and particularly students we have. It's so easy for poor behaviour and poor choices to overshadow students who always give their best to be their best in their learning, choices and social interactions. We try and keep a positive lens through our SWPBS tickets and our green compass posts.

Of particular note this week:

- ☺ Poppy R-Top 20 finalist in the Fish Creek Story Writing Competition.
- ☺ Grace P-Top 20 finalist in the Fish Creek Story Writing Competition
- ☺ Prudence B- Top 20 finalist in the Fish Creek Story Writing Competition
- ☺ Will M-confidence in greeting and conversing with adults
- ☺ Dusty-wildcard in National Surf competition.
- ☺ Nina E-progressing to State competition in triple jump and hurdles
- ☺ Jack H-progressing to State competition in triple jump
- ☺ Regional athletic competitors who represented the school and themselves proudly
- ☺ Thomas S - placing second in the SSV Primary Golf first round district event
- ☺ Kaylee L-competing in the Lion's Club Semi Finals at Toora
- ☺ Marissa J-competing in the Lion's Club Semi Finals at Toora
- ☺ Zac M for thanking the biker who stopped and let a group of children across the road.
- ☺ Year 6 students who attended the Bass coast College Transition Day- excellent feedback from the college and IKPS staff
- ☺ All the students who got SWPBS tickets
- ☺ All students who contribute to a great school culture through their positive interactions and diligent work habits



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DIARY DATES

October

23rd-27th	1/2 Swim Program
23rd	Year 5 Discovery Day
25th-27th	Year 6 Camp
27th	World Teachers Day
30th	Year 3 Swim Program
31st	Year 3 Swim Program

November

1st	Year 3 Swim Program
2nd	Year 2 Sleepover
	Year 3 Swim Program
6th	Pupil Free Day
7th	Melbourne Cup Day
8th-10th	Year 3 Camp
13th	Great Fete meeting 7pm

KEY DATES

Dates have been emailed to families who have applied to enrol at Inverloch and Kongwak Primary

PREP
2024
ENROLMENT

"We at Inverloch and Kongwak Primary Schools, acknowledge that we live and learn on the traditional lands of the Boonwurrung and Bunurong people. We pay respect to the Elders past and present, and emerging."



INVERLOCH-KONGWAK PRIMARY SCHOOL
THE GREAT FETE

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2024
INVERLOCH PRIMARY SCHOOL

A community
and school
fundraising
event

Join us
10am-2pm

Food
Entertainment
Stalls



GREAT FETE

On Monday the Great Fete Committee had another highly productive meeting preparing for the 2024 Great Fete. Next year the Fete will become more of a fundraiser while maintaining the community feel and focus. We have finalised the school stalls and will shortly be garnering interest in volunteers to be stall leaders. This role will oversee a particular stall and the volunteers who offer to man the stall. If this is a role that may interest you or match your skill set, please consider. The next meeting is 7pm on 13th November—all welcome.



Congratulations to Iris and Donald who submitted a grant application for the fete and were successful. This grant will offset the entertainment and other costs that will make the event highly successful.

INVERLOCH PRIMARY SCHOOL LUNCH ORDERS

Lunch Orders for Inverloch Primary School are available Wednesday to Friday. The Beach Box are the supplier and orders can be made through the Spriggy app.

Orders must be placed by 10pm the preceding day.



Term Four Calendar 2023

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2 Oct	3 Oct	4 Oct	5 Oct	6 Oct
2	9 Oct	10 Oct	11 Oct	12 Oct	13 Oct
	9:30 BCC SEAL Interviews	Regional Athletics		Rotary Public Speaking Comp - Yr 6 Yr1 Breaky & Big Day Out Preps to Kongwak	Yr 3/4 Melbourne Excursion
3	16 Oct	17 Oct	18 Oct	19 Oct	20 Oct
	7pm IKPS Fete Meeting		7:30pm KPS School Council BCC transition day IPS P/1 Responsible Pet Incursion	7pm IPS School Council	
4	23 Oct	24 Oct	25 Oct	26 Oct	27 Oct
	Yr 1 /2 & KPS Swim Lessons Yr5 Discovery Day MCCRC	Yr 1 /2 & KPS Swim Lessons	IKPS Yr6 Melb Camp Yr 1 /2 & KPS Swim Lessons	IKPS Yr6 Melb Camp Yr 1 /2 & KPS Swim Lessons	World Teachers Day IKPS Yr6 Melb Camp Yr 1 /2 & KPS Swim Lessons
5	30 Oct	31 Oct	1 Nov	2 Nov	3 Nov
	IPS Yr 3 swimming	IPS Yr 3 swimming	State Athletics for qualifiers IPS Yr 3 swimming	IPS Year 2 Sleepover IPS Yr 3 swimming	IPS Yr 3 swimming
6	6 Nov	7 Nov	8 Nov	9 Nov	10 Nov
		Melbourne Cup Day	IKPS Year 3 Camp	IKPS Year 3 Camp	IKPS Year 3 Camp
7	13 Nov	14 Nov	15 Nov	16 Nov	17 Nov
	7pm IKPS Fete Meeting		7:30pm KPS School Council Yr 5/6 Lifesaving Victoria Education Program	7pm IPS School Council Yr 6 Cyber Safety and Well being Session 1	
8	20 Nov	21 Nov	22 Nov	23 Nov	24 Nov
				Yr6 CyberSafety Digital Respect and Consent Session 2	Colour Run for Fun
9	27 Nov	28 Nov	29 Nov	30 Nov	1 Dec
	IPS Yr 4 swimming 3:40 RAP	IPS Yr 4 swimming	IPS Yr 4 swimming Colour Run for Fun back up	IPS Yr 4 swimming Yr 6 Cybersafety Dealing with Change Session 3	IPS Yr 4 swimming IKPS Junior Athletics
10	4 Dec	5 Dec	6 Dec	7 Dec	8 Dec
		OKPS School Council Function Yr 6 MMCRC Transition Day	IPS Prep / Yr5 Buddies at the Glade	IKPS Junior Athletics Back Up Inverloch Street Party	IPS Yr 5 & 6 Writing Expo (last two sessions) Kongwak PS Big Day Out
11	11 Dec	12 Dec	13 Dec	14 Dec	15 Dec
	IPS Yr 3/4 Toora Pool Excursion	IKPS Statewide Transition Day Step Up Day IPS Anglican Church Visits->	Reports Home	IKPS Year 6 Graduation	EoY Assembly 16/11 -Carols in the Glade
	18 Dec	19 Dec	20 Dec		
			IKPS Last Day Term 4 2:30		



SCHOOL WIDE POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT

Be Respectful



Be Safe,

Be an Active Learner.

SWPBS Weekly Winners

Here is a picture of our winners today.

Congratulations to the following students for winning our SWPBS weekly raffle today!

Alistair L 6S, Cruz H 5P, Tyson I 5P, Rhona M 1B, Charli M 3B

Be Respectful, Be Safe, Be an Active Learner.

SWPBS- Circle Time About Circle Time

Over the last few weeks, we have been doing circle time as a part of our SWPBS lesson. Circle time involves a positive greeting, a teamwork activity or game, and a circle discussion. Circle time is a great way to build connections, strengthen relationships and resolve conflict.

This week, our focus has been on developing some shared protocols about what circle time looks like in our class. We have developed a class agreement about how communication is shared during discussion time and decided on a class 'talking piece' to clarify the roles of speaker and listener. Circle time in itself helps to build a respectful environment in the classroom.

For the rest of our SWPBS lesson this week, our students were asked to reflect on the concept of respect. They shared an example of a person that they respect, and then completed a survey to assess the level of respect in their class. Next week, classes will analyse their data and select one or two areas to focus on as a class. Giving our students agency and voice when it comes to setting the tone in their classroom helps to empower students to do the right thing and to communicate those expectations to others.

Help needed: Craft Stall Coordinator and crafty team members

The Great Fete committee is looking for a Craft Stall Coordinator and some crafty helpers.

In the past, parents and friends of IPS have met on Friday mornings to share ideas and create handcrafted items to sell at the fete.

This has been a great way for families to get involved and to get to know each other, and the craft stall has been popular at the fete.

If this tradition is to continue, we need someone to take the reins. The coordinator role is not difficult as team members bring their ideas and skills. Support is available from previous leaders.

Please contact Mel Carlise if you are interested in this role on 0439 187 116.

Responsible Pet Ownership by Wes Love

Yesterday we had Responsible Pet Ownership. We learnt that a scared dog is tucked down and that means if you go close to it, it might bite you! It is the same with an angry dog.

Can you put a leash on a cat? No, so you have to put cats in enclosures to be a responsible pet owner.

Just remember you can have any pet you want as long as you look after them.



Our first ever Colour Explosion School Fun 4 Run is coming to IKPS!

We're looking forward to a fun afternoon of color, slime, an obstacle course and coming together as a school community at our first ever Colour Run 4 Fun. Organised by the PFA, this event is a chance to have fun, raise money for the school and create lasting memories for the kids.

The Colour Explosion School Fun Run will be held on November 24. Keep an eye out for your child's sponsorship booklet and all the details next week.



Chaplaincy News

Hi Everyone


I hope the start to the term has been smooth as we all re-establish routines after a break from school. Most of us like routines as they help us to regulate our lives.

Our families are an important influence on our lives. Spending time together is one of the best things we can do to help each member of our family.



Values & Qualities of Healthy Families & Communities

- Support** – offering and asking for support, with family members knowing they will receive help, encouragement and reassurance from one another
- Acceptance** – Mutual respect & interest in family members, appreciating each family member's unique qualities
- Commitment** – seeing family wellbeing as a first priority and acting accordingly with commitment and loyalty
- Resilience** – being able to manage difficulties and adapt to changing situations in positive ways.



Values & Qualities of Healthy Families & Communities

- Communication** – listening to each other and communicating with openness and honesty
- Togetherness** – sharing similar values and beliefs that create a sense of belonging and bonding
- Sharing activities** – spending time together doing things they enjoy
- Affection** – showing affection and care regularly through words, appropriate physical touch and thoughtfulness

Take care and please feel free to contact me through the office or your child's teacher.

Kerry Ware

Mondays and Tuesday (8.00-2.00)

ARTIST OF THE WEEK

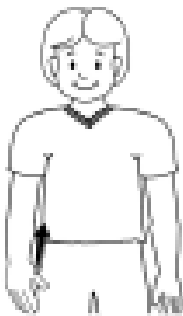


Our artist of the week is Genevieve in grade 4 with her Cretaceous leaf composition using pencil, dye and salt. Genevieve has created harmonious colour contrasts and varied textures in this piece.




Congratulations Genevieve!!!

**SIGNS
OF
THE
WEEK**



Pants



Shorts

The central section is framed by a decorative border of small yellow stick figures with blue hats. The text 'SIGNS OF THE WEEK' is written in large, bold, brown letters. Below the text are two line drawings of a person from the waist up. The first drawing shows the person wearing long pants, and the second shows the person wearing shorts. The labels 'Pants' and 'Shorts' are placed directly below their respective drawings.

COMMUNITY NEWS

The following Community News articles promote community connections and communications. They are not considered school activities

JUNIOR CRICKET REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN

U13's
TRAINING EACH WEDNESDAY
4.30PM
@ THOMPSON RESERVE
GAMES START 27/10/2023

U11's
TRAINING EACH TUESDAY
4PM
@ THOMPSON RESERVE
UNTIL GAMES START ON
31/10/2023
(TRAINING THEN MOVES TO TUESDAY
FORTNIGHTLY)

WOOLWORTHS
BLAST
AGE 5-7
STARTS 9/11/2023
@ THOMPSON
RESERVE



CHECK OUT OUR
FACEBOOK/
INSTAGRAM FOR
FURTHER
INFORMATION
INCLUDING HOW TO
REGISTER
INVERLOCH STINGRAYS CC

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**Come along with your friends,
neighbours & family to the Kongwak
Hall on Sunday 19th November 2 pm**

for a Bush Dance

**Visit the Kongwak Market between 10 and 2
for coffee and lunch**

**Please bring some afternoon tea to share,
a gold coin donation—kids free— plus your
enthusiasm for having a good fun time**

**If you need any more details ring Helen on
0408428270**

spread the word

**The Kongwak Hall is in the Kongwak main street—you can't miss it
Don't miss seeing some great local musicians**

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1st Inverloch Scouts Annual Christmas Tree Sale Saturday 2 December 2023 9am – 1pm



Trees are \$70 each.

Delivery will be available to:

- Inverloch \$10
- Wonthaggi, Cape Paterson - \$20
- Dalyston and Tarwin Lower - \$25

On-line Pre-sales are open now.

Search '1st Inverloch Scout Group' on Facebook and follow the link



first nations workshop

we invite members of our local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community to participate in a Possum Skin workshop led by community members.

when

Saturday 28th of October 2023 from 10am - 2pm

where & what to bring

Phillip Island Koala Conservation Reserve - Lunch is provided. Bring some water, slap on a hat and immerse yourself in First Nations craft activity and nature.

more details

This event is supported by headspace Wonthaggi and PINP. Community members invite you to come along to meet Elders & leaders and contribute to a community project.

a safe, free and family friendly event

Reserve your attendance
via email to

info@headspace.org.au or call on 03 5671 5900

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