

February 27, 2020

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Eagle Point Primary School

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EDITION

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Dates to Remember

February	
Thu 27 th - Fri 28 th	School Photos
March	
Wed 4 th	Open water Learning Grades 5 & 6
Fri 6 th	Student Free Day
Mon 9 th	Labour Day Public Holiday
Tue 10 th	Buildings and Grounds Meeting 4 pm
Fri 13 th	Parents & Friends Meeting 2.00pm
Wed 11 th	Preps start full time.
Thu 12 th	Finance Meeting 3.45pm
Tue 17 th	Education Welfare Meeting 3.45pm

Dear Families,

What an exciting week! On Friday 21st February, Grade 5 and 6 students had the opportunity to present a speech to their House Group to express their interest in taking on a leadership role. Members of each house listened to the speeches and voted for their preferred candidates. From these results, students were short listed and invited for an interview. Interviews were held on Monday and Tuesday with the students being notified Tuesday afternoon. This year was an extremely difficult year to make a final decision due to the high quality of applicants for these positions. It is very exciting when so many students demonstrate real leadership skills at such a young age. We are looking forward to building the Leadership Team and already have some great activities and roles outlined for them. Thank you to every student who applied, you made our job very difficult and this is a good thing.

Congratulations to this year's Student Leadership Team

School Captains	Jack Bateson & Albie Clarke
Swans House Captains	Blair Kennedy & Mackenzy Claridge
Vice Captain	Cooper Claridge
Pelicans House Captain	Rosanna Daymond & Maya Hahnemann
Vice Captain	Lily Bramhall
Sea Eagles House Captain	Jack Strong & Jasmine Renshaw
Vice Captain	Rebecca Crouch
Sandpipers House Captain	Jacob Greatorex & Tylah Chadwick
Vice Captain	Abigail Gason

Presentation of badges will occur at assembly on Friday 13th March.

Kind regards,
Anna Duncan
Principal



JSC - Juice Boxes are available daily at lunchtime \$1.00



Icy Poles are available lunch time Thursdays .50c



Student Free Day

On Friday 6th March there will be no school for students as all staff will be involved in a professional developmental day. The topic for this day is Managing Student Anxiety and will be presented by psychologist Kate Cooper. This will be an informative session for staff to build understandings of how to support students even further.

Parents Club meeting

Also on Friday 13th March the Parents and Friends group will meet for the first formal meeting of the year. At this meeting we will be seeking ideas from the community to continue to improve our school. We also will discuss the current financial position of the group and authorise the purchasing of new furniture for the school.

Breakfast Club – Helpers Required

Breakfast Club is looking for some new volunteers on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Breakfast Club provides toast and cereal to students from 8.30-8.55 three days a week

Swimming

Well Done to our 8 swimmers who competed at the Bairnsdale Outdoor Pool on Wednesday this week. Congratulations to Tylah, Albie, Zeb, Jack Strong, Kody, Hayden, Reece and Will Strong for making the division swimming level. It is a big achievement and we are very proud of your all. Thanks to parents for supporting our swimmers and helping cheer them along.

Mrs Simpson



Mosquitoes

There are a lot of mosquitoes taking a break in Eagle Point at the moment, parents are welcome to pack some roll on, insect repellent in their child's bag,

Attention Tennis Players!!!

On Tuesday 17th March, an interschool tennis competition is being held at the Bairnsdale Tennis Club. Players need to be able to serve, keep score, understand the rules of tennis and have own transport

to and from the venue to enter. It is not a come and try a new sport.

If your child is interested, please see Mrs Simpson ASAP, as registrations are online.

Uniform

Could all families please check the name label on your child's uniform. There are a number of hoodies missing; these are easily picked up by mistake and this may not be noticed immediately. If you find you have the wrong uniform please return it to the office or the lost property basket. Please ensure all uniform is labelled with a laundry marker.

Playgroup

Eagle Point Primary School Playgroup operates on Friday mornings, starting at 9am and finishing at 11am. Children and families of children aged birth to school age are welcome to come along and bring a friend. You do not have to have children enrolled at Eagle Point to come along. This is an opportunity to sit and chat with other parents, have a cuppa and biscuit and watch the little ones play. Please contact Anna via the office to register your interest or if you have any questions.



PAYNESVILLE JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

AFL AUSKICK

16th April till 25th June

5 – 6pm on Thursday nights at

A.J. Freeman Reserve,
Main Rd, Paynesville.

Come and be apart of the fun!
Everyone welcome!

Auskick Registration & Payment is online at
www.aflauskick.com.au
Enquiries to Julie Kelly 0438 372 264



Junior Training Commences

Thursday 5th March 2020 @ 4.30pm at the City Oval

The club welcomes current & new Footballers & families

To Join our Under 10's, 12's & 14's Football sides.

Contact the club on 0428889396 for information.

SENIOR SCHOOL CAMP = SOVEREIGN HILL CAMP



Sovereign Hill camp 2020

For camp this year the grades 5 & 6 students travelled to Sovereign Hill.

We did many things on the way to camp we stopped at Clip and Climb, at night time we went ten pin bowling, swimming at the Ballarat Aquatic Centre and Aura which was a light and sound show about the Eureka Stockade. During the days we went to school, there were two schools the Ragged School and the Wesleyan school. Room 5 were in the Ragged School, this was for people who could not afford schooling or orphans. Room 6 were in the Wesleyan School, these families were from wealthier families. For our meals for breakfast we had choices of cereal and toast, for lunch we had meat pies or sausage rolls and for dinner we had shepherd's pie, chicken schnitzel and pasta, for dessert we had chocolate brownie, jelly and chocolate pudding. At meals Mrs Duncan would get told how well our school behaved and how well our table manners were. There was much to explore at Sovereign Hill some of the things we saw and did were watching something smelt gold, we went gold panning, we watching someone blow something up and we held a mini talent show. For the talent show we were in our cabin groups and room 31 won!

By Kate Perry

Room 5



Swimming Carnival News



Mrs Clarke and Mrs Simpson had the pleasure of taking 12 students to the Outdoor Pool on Thursday last week for the Central District Swimming Carnival.

We are all very proud of the efforts in the pool and overall we had a great day.

Results:



Albie Clarke – 3rd in Freestyle

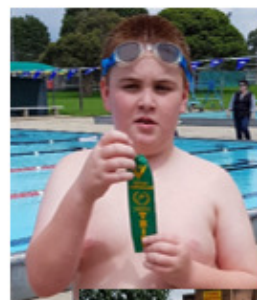
Tylah Chadwick – 2nd Backstroke

Ayla Searl – 1st in Freestyle

Macklenzy Claridge – 3rd in Breaststroke

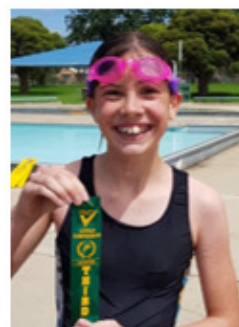
Jack Strong – 3rd in Breaststroke

Zeb McNaughton – 1st in Butterfly



Relay Team – 1st – Albie, Zeb, Jack S, Tyler

Relay Team – 2nd Hayden, Reece, Will S, Kody





A range of support is available from the Australian and Victorian governments if you have a child starting or returning to school in 2020 in a bushfire-affected area.

If you have questions about starting or returning to school please contact your school or the **Victoria Department of Education and Training** (www.education.vic.gov.au), **Catholic Education Commission of Victoria** (www.cecv.catholic.edu.au) or **Independent Schools Victoria** (www.is.vic.edu.au).

The Victoria Department of Education and Training website has information relating to schools and early childhood services and the 2020 bushfires: education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/Pages/bushfires.aspx.

The Australian Government Department of Education has information about support for bushfire-affected communities on its website: www.education.gov.au/support-bushfire-affected-communities.

Additional payment for children

The Australian Government has announced an Additional Payment for Children of \$400. You'll automatically get this payment if you are the principal carer of a child affected by bushfires after 30 June 2019 and you are eligible for the Australian Government Disaster Recovery Payment (AGDRP).

The payment is in addition to the existing \$400 AGDRP (for a total payment of \$800) for children and is not subject to income tax.

It is available to new applicants from 20 January 2020. Families of the nearly 20,000 children who have already applied for the AGDRP do not need to re-apply, the additional payment will follow automatically.

www.humanservices.gov.au/disaster

Community support

Staff from Services Australia (formerly Department of Human Services) are visiting bushfire affected communities to help people access Australian Government payments and services.

They can also help people access Centrelink, Medicare and Child Support services using free self-service facilities at these locations.

www.humanservices.gov.au/access

The National Bushfire Recovery Agency (NBRA) is coordinating the national response to help rebuild communities.

www.bushfirerecovery.gov.au

Stay up to date with what the government is doing to help Australian families, communities, wildlife and businesses rebuild and recover:

- Facebook National Bushfire Recovery Agency – @FireRecoveryAU
- Twitter National Bushfire Recovery Agency – @FireRecoveryAU



Mental health support

Extra mental health services from Beyond Blue

An extra 25 mental health liaison officers will work with local schools and early childhood education and care services in bushfire-affected communities as part of an Australian Government funded expansion of the mental health services provided by Beyond Blue.

This support will be delivered through *Be You*, the Australian Government's national education initiative to support child and youth mental health. Schools and early childhood education and care services that have yet to participate in *Be You* can sign up for free at any time.

www.beyou.edu.au

Ongoing mental health and wellbeing support

Schools and students can access a range of mental health and wellbeing services including counselling. Please talk to your school about the support available or the support you might need as the school year gets underway.

Australian Government support will complement existing school counselling services including state and territory responses to the bushfires. \$76 million of Australian Government funding will provide distress counselling and mental health support for individuals, families and communities affected by bushfires. This includes additional funding to support young people through *headspace* centres in bushfire-affected areas.

www.health.gov.au/health-topics/emergency-health-management/bushfire-information-and-support/australian-government-mental-health-response-to-bushfire-trauma

Useful resources and contact details

Emerging Minds

A range of resources, including a toolkit to support children through a natural disaster or traumatic event, is provided by Emerging Minds. The toolkit is grouped into the timeframes surrounding a natural disaster — preparedness, immediate, short-term recovery, and long-term recovery.

www.emergingminds.com.au

Student Wellbeing Hub

The Student Wellbeing Hub is an online space for educators, parents and students to build safe, inclusive and connected school communities that promote wellbeing and learning.

www.studentwellbeinghub.edu.au

School chaplains

The Australian Government is offering extra funding, available to state and territory governments on request, for school chaplains.

School chaplains work together with school communities to support the wellbeing of students through pastoral care, running programs such as breakfast clubs, and coordinating volunteer activities within the school community.

www.education.gov.au/national-school-chaplaincy-program

Child care assistance

Additional Child Care Subsidy

Additional Child Care Subsidy (ACCS) (temporary financial hardship) is a short-term payment, in addition to the Child Care Subsidy.

This subsidy is available to families who:

- have experienced temporary financial hardship due to an event that happened in the last 6 months
- have a substantially reduced ability to pay child care fees.

www.humanservices.gov.au/accs

Child Care Subsidy activity test

Families in bushfire-declared areas have also been given an exemption to any potential Child Care Subsidy (CCS) activity test debt for the 2019–20 financial year by the Australian Government. No action is required by families at this time. This will be applied automatically when CCS is balanced at the end of the financial year.

Assistance for early childhood education and care services

Funding is also available for early education and care services in bushfire-affected areas to enable them to remain viable, and help pay for things like temporary premises, the replacement of damaged playground equipment, or wages for affected staff.

www.education.gov.au/community-child-care-fund-cccf-special-circumstances-bushfire-and-drought-support

Higher Education students

HELP repayments

For students who are studying, or thinking of studying, at university, there may be help available from your education provider or Study Assist. You may also be able to defer or amend your HELP compulsory repayment.

www.ato.gov.au/Individuals/study-and-training-support-loans/deferring-repayments

Scholarships

Scholarships of up to \$18,000 are available through the Rural and Regional Enterprise Scholarships program. Special consideration will be given to students from drought and bushfire-affected communities.

www.education.gov.au/rural-and-regional-enterprise-scholarships



Australian Government

Back to school and your child's wellbeing

The recent bushfire emergency may have created distress for many children, their families and communities, which is why the Australian Government is providing a range of support to help those affected in Victoria.

Mental health support for children, young adults, parents and carers

Schools and early childhood education services are central, stabilising forces across communities that provide safe spaces for children and young adults to be in times of crisis, need and change.

The effects of the 2019–20 bushfires may be felt by Australian children and young adults over the coming days, months and even years. It is not uncommon to have trouble adjusting and/or to feel unsafe after a traumatic event. Children and young adults can pick up tension, uncertainty, confusion and fear experienced by those around them following traumatic events and may have some sleep disturbance, fear or anxiety. If your child experiences these problems or their behaviour seems changed it may be sensible to seek help.

As the new school year begins, the Australian Government is providing immediate assistance to support the mental health and wellbeing of children and families impacted by the bushfires.

Parents, carers and teachers have an important role to play in creating a sense of calm, and reassuring children and young adults, but sometimes it can be difficult to know where to start. Making your own mental health a priority as well as familiarising yourself with the support and services available are good first steps.

Please talk to your General Practitioner or school leaders about the resources available to you and your family as the 2020 school year gets underway. You may not need help now but you may need it later in the year. A list of support services and resources follows.

24/7 Telephone services offering counselling and support

Lifeline Australia

Lifeline is a crisis support service that provides short-term support at any time for people who are having difficulty coping or staying safe. **13 11 14** | www.lifeline.org.au

Kids Helpline

Kids Helpline is a free, private and confidential phone and online counselling service for young people aged 5 to 25 years. **1800 55 1800** | www.kidshelpline.com.au

Beyond Blue

Beyond Blue is available by phone or online via chat or email, to provide support on a range of mental health issues. **1300 22 4636** | www.beyondblue.org.au

Suicide Call-Back Service

For anyone considering suicide, living with someone who is considering suicide, or bereaved by suicide, the Suicide Call Back Service is available. **1300 659 467** | www.suicidecallbackservice.org.au

MensLine Australia

MensLine Australia is a telephone and online counselling service for men. **1300 78 99 78** | www.mensline.org.au

Open Arms – Veterans and Families Counselling

Open Arms provides current serving armed forces personnel, veterans and their families with free and confidential counselling, group treatment programs and community and peer networks. **1800 011 046** | www.openarms.gov.au





Free assistance

www.health.gov.au/health-topics/emergency-health-management/bushfire-information-and-support/australian-government-mental-health-response-to-bushfire-trauma

If you or your child experiences persistent health issues that interfere with your lives, please talk to your local General Practitioner, who is your gateway to mental health and other health services.

www.healthdirect.gov.au/australian-health-services

Primary Health Networks (PHNs) play a critical role in supporting individuals and communities by ensuring patients receive the right care in the right place at the right time.

PHNs in fire impacted areas are listed below:

Gippsland (03) 5175 5444

Murray (03) 5411 7806

www.health.gov.au/phn

Liaison officers from Beyond Blue will work with local schools and early childhood education and care services in bushfire-affected communities as part of *Be You*, the Australian Government's national education initiative to support child and youth mental health.

Schools and early childhood education and care services can sign up to *Be You* for free at any time. Talk to your school leaders for more information about how liaison officers will be working with students and staff.

www.beyou.edu.au

The Australian Government is offering extra funding for school chaplains, which will be available to state and territory governments on request.

The National School Chaplaincy Program supports the wellbeing of students and school communities. Talk to your chaplain or school leaders for further information.

www.education.gov.au/national-school-chaplaincy-program

The Australian Psychological Society (APS) and the Australian Red Cross have a network of APS psychologists deployed through the Red Cross to provide assistance across bushfire-affected areas.

www.psychology.org.au/Find-a-Psychologist

headspace provides free or low cost services to young people aged between 12 to 25 years old, their families and friends. headspace has services located throughout Victoria including Bairnsdale, Bendigo, Shepparton and Albury-Wodonga. Selected headspace sites in fire-affected areas will also be provided with additional funding to ensure that young people can get support when they need it. You can find your nearest headspace centre on an interactive map on their website.

www.headspace.org.au/headspace-centres

Emerging Minds

A Community Trauma Toolkit is among the online resources available to adults to help support children's mental health during and after a disaster or traumatic event. The toolkit is grouped into the timeframes surrounding a natural disaster — preparedness, immediate, short-term recovery, and long-term recovery.

www.emergingminds.com.au

The Student Wellbeing Hub provides age specific and tailored information in an online space for educators, parents and students. You can access practical, evidenced-informed strategies in plain language to help reduce the risk of anxiety and depression in children.

www.studentwellbeinghub.edu.au

Learning Potential provides parents with practical tips and information about how to support their children as they return to school and throughout the year. All content can be accessed, free, through a phone app and a website.

www.learningpotential.gov.au

The Australian Government's digital gateway to information, advice, and free and low cost phone and online mental health services and supports.

www.headtohealth.gov.au

The National Bushfire Recovery Agency is coordinating the national response to help rebuild communities.

www.bushfirerecovery.gov.au



A **FREE** music fiesta happening right in the heart of East Gippsland!

**Monday March 30 –
Thursday April 2, 2020**

FREE concerts at Forge Theatre
and Arts Hub, Bairnsdale

Daily street music parade to
join in

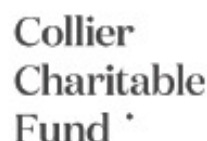
FREE instrument-making for kids

Four days of world-class music
events taking place in East
Gippsland

FREE singing workshops with
multi-award winning band, The
Maes

FREE instrumental workshops
with top Australian musicians,
Andy Rigby and East Gippsland's
own John Corby

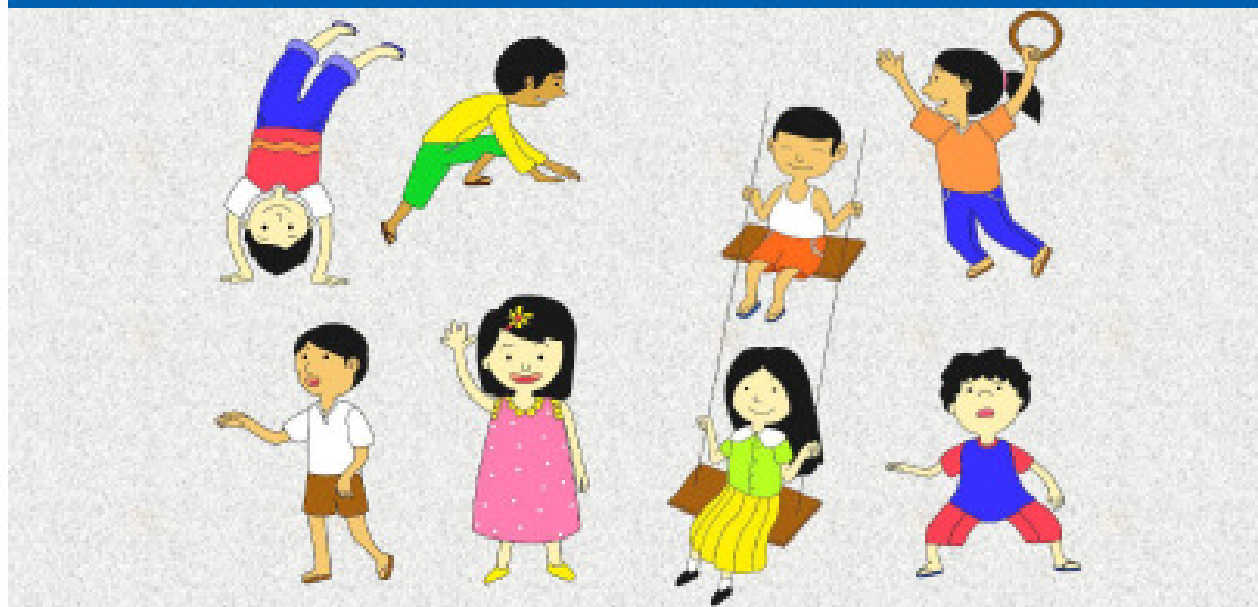
Book your place at: quasitrad.com/lost-in-the-groove/
For more information call Crashendo! Bairnsdale 0455 872 296



Lost in the Groove is an initiative of Crashendo! Bairnsdale and QuasiTrad Music Melbourne.
Proudly supported by the East Gippsland Shire Council, Gippsland Primary Health Network (GPHN), the Foundation for Rural
and Regional Renewal (FRRR), the Collier Charitable Trust and Crashendo! Bairnsdale.

Storytime

Cultural Diversity Week



Children's Storytime sessions this week will celebrate the many different cultures and faiths that call Victoria home

Since the traditional owners first inhabited the land, Victoria has been built on waves of migration. Today, almost half of Victorians were either born overseas or have at least one parent who was born overseas.

Our diverse communities have made us prosperous and strong. And our differences don't divide us, they unite us.

The free Storytime sessions include stories, songs, rhymes, dancing and a craft activity.

Orbost Service Centre

Tue, 24 March 10.30 am

Bairnsdale Library

Tue, 24 March 11.00 am

Lakes Entrance

Service Centre

Tue, 24 March 11.00 am

Paynesville

Service Centre

Tue, 24 March 11.00 am

Omeo Service Centre

Wed, 25 March 11.30 am

Mallacoota

Service Centre

Wed, 25 March 2.30 pm



LEIGH HOBBS

MR CHICKEN GOES TO BAIRNSDALE

28 February - 04 April 2020

Opening event 5.30pm Friday 28 February
Book-signing and children's workshop 11am
Saturday 29 February | All welcome FREE

East Gippsland Art Gallery
2 Nicholson Street Bairnsdale VIC 3875
03 5153 1988 | eastgippslandartgallery.org.au
Tue to Fri 10am-4pm Sat 10am-2pm Free entry



Old Tom, Oil on canvas

LEIGH HOBBS

East Gippsland Art Gallery is thrilled to be exhibiting the artwork of renowned children's author Leigh Hobbs. Australia's Children's Laureate 2016 - 2017, Leigh's humorous children's books are loved and celebrated across the United Kingdom and Australia.

During his career Leigh has developed many unforgettable characters, like the loveable Mr Chicken, cheeky Old Tom, Horrible Harriett and a few rarely seen ones. We invite you to visit the Gallery and experience the world of Leigh Hobbs.

28 FEB - 04 APRIL 2020 | EAST GIPPSLAND ART GALLERY



Bairnsdale Netball Association Inc.

ABN: 41 963 077 352 Reg. No: A0002719B

World Courts Wallace Street Bairnsdale

Email: bdale.n.a@hotmail.com

NetSetGo! Program 2020

NetSetGo is an introduction to netball where the children will participate in skills activities, minor games and generally have a good time.

The program is open to boys and girls.

Program Commences:	Thursday 5 March 2020
Program Finishes:	Thursday 28 May 2020
Session Times:	4.30pm to 5.30pm at World Netball Courts
What to wear:	Runners and suitable playing clothes.
Age:	The children must turn 8 or older in 2020 and up to and including turning 10 in 2020
Cost:	\$92.00 - covers the NetSetGo Program, a Participant Member Pack (which the participants will receive in the first few weeks of the program), Netball Victoria Membership along with Registration for our Season 2 Competition.

**Register Online by clicking the link below or by copying and pasting it
into your Internet Brower**

Registration Link:

<https://netball.resultsvault.com/common/pages/reg/welcome.aspx?type=6&id=88238&entityid=39402>



PlayConnect Playgroup

Is a weekly facilitated playgroup for children aged 0-6 with Autism Spectrum disorder characteristics or a Developmental Delay.

This group is available to support families, their child and siblings. Your child does not need a diagnosis to attend

Wednesdays, 10.30am - 12.30pm Uniting Church Bairnsdale 710 Lanes Road Lucknow

Enquiries to Rose: 0409 096 587

Come along to connect with other families for information on services whilst participating with your child/children in activities specifically suited to children with additional needs

PlayConnect Playgroups are a component of the Australian Government's *Helping Children with Autism* package

Playgroup Networking Event

For pre-school aged children with additional needs

Wednesday 4th March 2020

Bairnsdale Sporting and Convention Centre
117 Great Alpine Rd, Lucknow
10.00am - 3.00pm

- See Wacky Wombat Entertainment and experience the wonderful world of Circus activities.
- Experience fun sensory play activities in a culturally safe environment
- Receive information from local service providers for children with additional needs
- Meet other families in similar circumstances
- Receive information on how your playgroup can be easily adapted to support children with additional needs.



Hosted by PlayConnect

PlayConnect is a national program of playgroups that offer play-based learning opportunities for children with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) or who display ASD like characteristics. The program also creates extended social support networks for their families and carers.

The Playgroups aim to connect families and carers to resources available in their local area. At PlayConnect, families can gain support, meet other caregivers, and relax in a safe, understanding environment. The sessions are facilitated and provide activities and programs specifically to cater to the children's developmental and behavioural needs.

For enquiries about this event please contact Vicki McDonald at
Playgroup Victoria on 1800 171 882 or at vmcdonald@playgroup.com.au
This event will be facilitated by Rose McKenna



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Little Bang Discovery Club



Join us for this four week science program

Little Bang Discovery Club (LBDC) is a four week course designed for preschoolers (aged 3–5) and their accompanying adult co-learners.

The aim of the LBDC is to develop ideas and skills that inspire further scientific exploration, discovery and learning. Key features of the LBDC are the hands-on activities, question and answer time and a Discovery Box and Book loaned to each child for the duration of the LBDC. Activities experienced during each session can be safely replicated and further explored at home.

A Discovery Club Passport is provided to each child and stamped after each session and a graduation ceremony follows a Science Fair in the final session.

Participants are encouraged to attend all four sessions.

Paynesville Service Centre

Thursday 5 March
Thursday 12 March
Thursday 19 March
Thursday 26 March

11.00 am – 12.00 pm

Phone 5152 4225 or book
in person at the library for
this FREE event



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PAYNESVILLE CHILD CARE

Dear Parent/Guardian,

At Paynesville Child Care our educators understand the importance of nurturing a respectful, secure and trusting relationship with both the child and their family; working together to explore the child's learning potential to become active participants in their own education. All programs are planned using our knowledge of child development, along with the input of children and their families. We understand that children's capabilities, interests and strengths are varied, so we ensure that all children engage with activities across the program, optimising their expanding awareness of their own learning at an individual pace. Whether you are looking full day, half day, or hourly sessions, including such instances where you need child care due to occasional appointments, we have many options available to you:

- Affordable, longer sessions, 4 days a week,
- Casual or Permanent bookings available,
- Quality care for children from 3 months to school age,
- Qualified and experienced educators,
- Fun and friendly learning environment,
- Programmed activities based on children's interests,
- Child Care Subsidy available,
- Servicing our community for over 25 years,
- Now open during school holidays – closed for 4 weeks during Christmas/New Year holiday period.



Session Times for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday include:		Full Fees	Fees with Full Child Care Subsidy
Full Day Session	8.30am – 4.30pm	\$90.00	\$17.35 with 85% Subsidy
Morning Session	8.30am – 12.00pm	\$45.00	\$11.75 with 85% Subsidy
Afternoon Session	1.00pm – 4.30pm	\$45.00	\$11.75 with 85% Subsidy
Casual Booking	Per Hour: *Bookings Essential	\$20.00	\$10.50 with 85% Subsidy



Casual hourly rates are available and half-day sessions can be extended to suit individual needs.

Bookings are essential to ensure the educator-to-child ratio is observed at all times.

For more information about Child Care at the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre, or for an estimation of your families child care costs, please contact Kathy, Child Care Coordinator, during session times on 5156 0487 or email pvillecc@bigpond.com.

You can also contact the Paynesville Neighbourhood Centre (PNC) at 55 The Esplanade, Paynesville on 5156 0214.