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GREY STREET PRIMARY



Grey Street School Portal



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Grey Street Primary School



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A very big welcome to everyone to the 2024 school year at Grey Street. I hope all families had a terrific holiday period and students are excited to return to classrooms this week.

2024 will be a big year for our school as we embark on our new four-year School Strategic Plan following our review last year. I look forward to sharing our finalised plans with you all over the course of this term.

Student-Free Day February 13th

Please put in your diary the upcoming student free day on Tuesday, February 13th. Our staff will be working on that day with Dr Nathaniel Swain, Senior Lecturer of Learning Sciences and Learner Engagement at Swinbourne University.

Welcome to Grey Street

This year we welcome teachers Jake Velasco (Year 2), and Nic Dowse (Year 1 & PE) to our school. Peter Harrison has also come on board as our new maintenance man. Welcome to you all!

Damaged Classrooms

Unfortunately, in Term 4 last year, a number of our classrooms were damaged during heavy rain. The Victorian Schools Building Authority have taken responsibility for rectifying these rooms, with works hopefully completed in the next couple of weeks.

Until works are completed, Prep Trevena will use the Library as their classroom, instead of room 20. 1 Cave will use the LOTE room at the front of the hall rather than room 22. Students completed their end of year transition in these temporary classrooms.

Have a fantastic week and I look forward to seeing you around the school.

Dean Gray

KEY DATES TERM 1

30/01/2024—FIRST DAY FOR ALL STUDENTS

7-9/2/2024—Grade 6 Camp

13/2/2024—STUDENT FREE DAY



Parking & Local Laws

Dear Principal

With the commencement of the school year, Latrobe City Council Local Laws would like to take the opportunity to remind parents that during school pickup/drop-off parking regulations are an essential part of safe school zones. Commencing week 2, officers of Local Laws will be conducting patrols school areas during drop off/ pick up times. For any schools wishing to advise parents/guardians within their school newsletter, see below

“Latrobe City Council would like to remind parents/guardians that during pickup/drop off times, observing road rules and parking restrictions is an important way to keep everyone safe. You can help by;

1. Adhering to parking signage,
2. Not parking on nature strips, footpaths or passageways
3. Not parking on or across a driveway or other way of access

With the commencement of the school year, Local Laws Officers will be conducting patrols of school areas across the Latrobe City Council area, drivers committing offences may be issued with infringement notices.”

Kind regards,

Corey Tulau

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*****Please also note no parents /carers are to park in the parking bays on Church Street at ANY time of the day—these are for PERMIT HOLDERS ONLY.**

*****Please DO NOT park in the Bus Bays—this area is strictly for buses.**

We are well aware of the issues surrounding our school in terms of inadequate parking—we have no control over this. If you have any concerns about traffic and parking, please address your concerns directly to Corey Tulau at Latrobe City Council.

Net—Set—Go!



When? Tuesday 6th February

Where? Agnes Brereton Park
Breed Street, Traralgon

How much? \$112 per
participant

How long? 8 weeks

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register email Naomi**
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At Guides you are able to:

- Experience exciting challenges with friends
- Have lots of fun
- Join a Guide Unit of similar aged girls
- Meet for 1-2 hours in a local hall during term time
- Enjoy a different experience every week

Opal Guides- grades prep to grade 5, Mondays 5:30-7:15pm

Adventure Guides – grades 5 to year 8, Thursdays 5:30-7:30pm

Rosella Rangers – year 8 to 12, Wednesdays 5:30-7:30pm

Contact amanda.clark@guidesvic.org.au for more information