



Grey Street  
Primary School Tairāhona



# Grey Street Newsletter

A newsletter for families, by the students  
created by the DigiTech team

## Wrap Up

Hi my name is Maddy Stanley and I'm going to tell you what has happened over the past few weeks here at Grey Street Primary School!

A couple of weeks ago there was a mothers day stall to get presents for our mum or someone special in our family so thank you to the amazing Ang and the parents who helped with that! There was also the teddy bear picnic where the year 5's and their buddies went to the park and ate their lunch and had a fun time!

We have also just finished give a damn give a can which started in week 5. The whole school raised 500 cans to help local people! The 5,6's also had their final winter round robin practice on Friday! The competition is this week! Good Luck to Grey Street teams! There have been tradies in over the past couple of weeks starting to fix Rooms 20-24, and to give us some new bark for the playgrounds! It's been a busy time!

-Grace

## Upcoming Events

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No school!

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# NEWSLETTER



I'm very excited to see our Newsletter in the very capable hands of our DigiTech Team. We hope you like this new student led innovation!

In some great news, the project from the Victorian Schools Building Authority to rectify damage to rooms 20, 21 & 22 is almost complete! Thank you to everyone for your patience and understanding during this time.

Over the next couple of weeks, I look forward to seeing our library back operational and our lunch time activities in full swing.

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## **School Photos!**

School photos are on Wednesday 5th June. All orders must be completed online through Leading Image by 4th June! See attached flyer for more information.

## **Glow Disco!**

A friendly reminder that Consent & Fundraising are due for our Glow Disco!



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# Give a damn, give a can

During Week 5 and 6, Grey Street students completed the Give a damn, give a can challenge! As a school, we have 750 cans, and they are being sent to rotary to give food to people who can't afford it for them self. Our goal was 1500 but we were 750 off but we hope the cans we collected will help some local families in need. Thank you to everyone for your help! Well done JSC for organizing this!

BY: Isabelle Jones, Mackenzie Pitt and Madden Brookes



## Division Cross Country!

Congratulations to the Division Cross Country Team who did an incredible job at Division! All members of the team have made it to the Regional Championships! Good job legends!



# Mothers Day Stall

Hi I am Briony, and today I am talking about our mothers day stall. On Friday the 10th of May the students had the opportunity to purchase gifts for an important female in their lives. Online parents and guardians could purchase vouchers to use the day of. The gifts were \$5 or \$10, with gifts like keychains, mugs candles and so much more variety to choose from. As I finish my paragraph I would like to thank all the parent helpers who helped during the day, as well an Ang from the office who did a massive amount of work to make this happen .



# Winter Round Robbin

Winter Round Robin is a competition between local schools in the area. All the year 5 and 6s compete. There are lots of different sports like Football, Soccer, Tee-ball, Netball and more. Last year the Netball team made it to Regionals. Hopefully this year we can make it to that stage again. All the year 5 and 6s compete. Good luck to all the teams. Our games will be at different places around Traralgon on Tuesday 4th June!

We would like to thank the teachers and parent helpers who have been our coaches and helped us practice!

By Bailyn and Alby



## 2024 Fighting Extinction

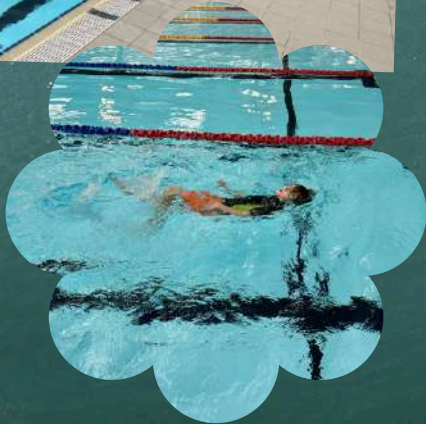
Hi there, it's Elliot, Emilia, and Toby and we are excited to be telling you about the Fighting Extinction project for 2024! The animal the grade four's have voted on is the Leadbeater's Possum!! It is a critically endangered marsupial, with less than 2,000 left!! Keep an eye out for some more information from the year 4's soon, but until then, LOOK HOW CUTE THEY ARE!



## Year 6 Swimming

On the 20th of May to the 24th, the year 6's went to the Gippsland Aquatic center. They will swim for an hour for the whole week. We did different types of swimming strokes and we also got to do some diving at the deep end. On Friday we wore clothes for Safety day. The whole day was about being safe in bodies of water like pools lakes and oceans with clothes. The reasons we brought the clothes on this day was because we needed to learn how to swim with them on.

By Charlotte Tricker



# Get to know our teachers! - by Ayla and Ashy, Sam.



What is your name? Miss Airey.  
What Year level do you teach? Prep.  
How many years have you been a teacher? 30.  
What is your favourite subject to teach? All of them.  
Who are your favourite musicians? Everyone.  
What are your favourite movies? Action movies!  
What is one thing you cannot survive without as a teacher? Morning Coffee.  
What are your hobbies? Walking dog, Reading, Podcasts, trying to keep my plants alive.  
What are you excited about this year with your students? 100 days of school.  
What is one piece of advice for the GSPS students? Be a kind person.  
What is a random fact about you that people might now know? This was my Primary School.

What is your name? Emma Cini  
What is your role at the school? a Year Five teacher.  
How many years have you been a teacher? 8 years  
What is your favourite subject to teach? Science  
Who are your favourite musicians? Luke combs and Morgen Wallen  
What are your favourite movies? War movies and historical movies!  
What is one thing you cannot survive without as a teacher? Students  
What are your hobbies? Drawing portraits  
What are you excited about this year with your students? The school disco!  
What is one piece of advice for the GSPS students? If you keep trying, you will always get what you want.  
What is a random fact about you that people might now know? Miss Cini has an identical twin.



# Teddy Bear Picnic!

Hi I'm Jett and I'm William. Last fortnight, all the grade 5 and their prep buddies went to Newman Park, Traralgon with our teddies! We played on the playground for a while and then we went to eat our picnic! After we ate we headed back to school for the rest of the day. The grade 5's and preps went to have some fun and the preps thought it was a blast. The grade 5's love helping the preps!



# The EAL Report

Hi, today me (Tharuli) and Tzyfol will present to you this fortnight's EAL report. The past few weeks in EAL we have made Anzac biscuits, for Anzac Day to eat with someone special. We also do some worksheets about us and where we live and about our country. There are so many students in our school with amazing backgrounds that we are excited to teach you about!



# Awards

## Respect for Learning

To get a respect for learning award you need to be passionate in your learning and contributing to classroom discussions

respect for self and others

to get a respect for self and others award you have to be kind and respectful to yourself and others.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THIS FORTNIGHTS WINNERS



## Around the school





# Remember: School Photos

## 5th June 2024

### 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

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### Grey Street Primary School

Access Key

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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.



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Get your groove on, Grey Street Primary School is hosting a Glowtastic Disco Party fundraiser!

The Glowtastic Disco Party will be held in the school hall on Friday 21 June. Our disco times are:

- **Preps, Year 1 & Year 2 – 5pm to 6pm**
- **Years 3 & 4 – 6.30pm to 7.30pm**
- **Years 5 & 6 – 8pm to 9pm**

**Some important information:**

- Students will be given free glow in the dark glasses, glow in the dark accessories and glow in the dark face paint on arrival. These items will replace the usual bag of goodies as we found there was a lot of wastage in previous years.
- Our awesome resident DJ "DJ Tunks" is back to keep the tunes pumping!
- All students must be dropped off and picked up by an adult.
- Please make sure students wear a WHITE shirt and closed in shoes. Your child can choose to wear fluorescent/ neon accessories.
- All students are to bring their own drink bottle and their best dance moves.
- A compass event will be sent out where you can provide your consent to your child attending.
- Payment for entry this year will be via the online fundraising page with a minimum donation of \$10 to gain entry to the event. Any fundraising above this amount will go towards the prizes outlined in the attached booklet and go towards our fundraising goal.

Not only are we hosting an awesome Glowtastic Disco, students can order up to a total of 5 prizes based on their donations received. They can even mix and match! Don't want the prizes, donate your donations to one of the five causes – Carbon Neutral (tree planting), Great Barrier Reef Foundation (coral planting or turtle protection), The Smith Family (reading support) or OzHarvest (providing meals).

Students have received a sponsorship book with instructions on setting up their cybersafe, online fundraising profile at [www.australianfundraising.com.au](http://www.australianfundraising.com.au). This is an entirely online fundraiser; all cash donations must be converted to online donations to redeem your prizes.

## Extra Incentives to Fundraise!

Online Golden Coins – complete fun online tasks to redeem an extra \$75 towards your prize credit.

Monty the Manstar's Bonus Prizes – achieve milestones to unlock Monty's bonus prizes.

\$10,000 Budget Booster Bonanza Spending Spree for one organisation's highest fundraising student

Our school will win an extra \$5,000 if we have the highest average fundraised amount per student in 2024.

A Play Station 5 Gaming Bundle – see your child's sponsorship booklet for more!