

NEWSLINE

SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NO. 545

Tuesday
October 14, 2025

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No. 32

'Maximising growth in the whole child – academically, socially and emotionally'

DATES TO REMEMBER

October

Wednesday October 15 – Friday October 17

- Senior School Camp – Coolamatong

Thursday October 16

- Grades 3 & 4 545's Got Talent Final

Monday October 20

- 5.30pm School Council Finance Meeting
- 6.00pm School Council Meeting

Wednesday October 22

- Dental visit consent forms due back by today
- Book Club orders close today

November

Monday November 3

- Student free day

Tuesday November 4

- Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

Friday November 14

- 4pm-6.30pm Garden Party

Monday November 17 – Friday November 21

- Dental Van on site

Wednesday November 19

- Student free day

Friday November 21

- 2pm-3pm 2026 Foundation Transition Session (1)

Friday November 28

- 2pm-3pm 2026 Foundation Transition Session (2)

December

Friday December 5

- 2pm-3pm 2026 Foundation Transition Session (3)

Tuesday December 9

- 2pm-3pm Statewide Transition Day (2026 Foundation students included)

Wednesday December 10- Friday December 12

- Middle School Camp - Coonawarra

Monday December 15

- Grade 6 Graduation

Tuesday December 16

- Christmas Concert

Thursday December 18

- 3.15pm dismissal – last day of term 4

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

CHRIS MALONE



As term 4 commences to build momentum, it's fantastic to see so many of our students wearing their uniform, including hats, with pride.

The sense of 'belonging' to school is shown from the moment they get dressed in the morning.

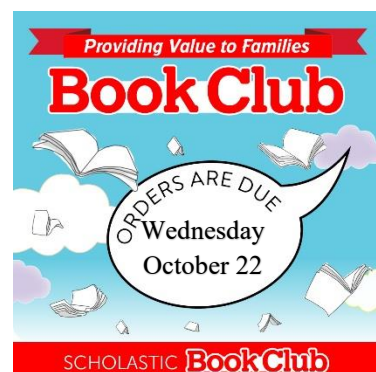
Mobile Phone/Device Presentation

Last week we had a presentation to the senior school students about mobile phones and their overall ICT use.

Please continue to support your child's development by monitoring their phone/device use. The government changes for people under 16 to have Facebook, Snapchat, TikTok etc. accounts comes into effect on December 10. Why wait until then? If your child has one or more of these accounts, it should be deleted.

Senior School Camp

The senior school are off to Camp Coolamatong tomorrow. We hope the weather is kind and they all have great fun. Once again, thanks to all of the staff and parent volunteers who are attending and make it all possible.



2026 Planning

We have begun the process of planning for 2026. If you have any special requests, please email the school on sale.ps@education.vic.gov.au. These requests will close **Friday November 14**. Whilst we consider all requests, some may not be granted.

We would appreciate being notified of any of the following situations:

- New enrolments (2026 foundation and other levels) – if you know of any new enrolments, please notify the office.
- Transfers out – if you are not returning to 545 in 2026 (Grade 6s excluded), please notify the office of your impending departure.

SALE COLLEGE SELECT ENTRY ACCELERATED LEARNING SECOND ROUND OFFER

Sale College will be offering a second round of Select Entry Accelerated Learning (SEAL) Applications for Year 7, 2026 students.

SEAL Application 2025 Timeline for Year 7 in 2026: Round 2 :

- **Friday 17th October – SEAL Application due to Sale College** – this includes Parent Evaluation, 'The Famous You', the grade 5 NAPLAN results and the \$30 application fee. Applications are to be submitted to Guthridge Campus of Sale College. Payment is due at the time the application is received. Exams will only be ordered for paid applications. Late applications will incur a \$50 fee.
- **Tuesday 28th October – SEAL Exam** – 9am - 12:30pm at Guthridge Campus

From 5th November– Interview Process for applicants and parents.

Student absence notification
Compass app OR sale.ps@education.vic.gov.au OR
Phone call to school office

Whole School Assembly 3.00pm every Friday

School Uniform available from
JSM, Macarthur Street, Sale

School Supervision – students are supervised
between the hours of 8.45am and 3.30pm

Second Hand Uniform Sales
at the school office

545'S GOT TALENT PHIL BARTLETT, MUSIC



545's Got Talent

The grand final of 545's Got Talent for **Grade 3&4** will take place this Thursday October 16 at lunchtime in the music room. The Grand Final of 545's Got Talent for **Grade 5&6** will take place next Thursday October 23 at lunchtime in the music room. Parents/guardians are welcome to attend (please sign in at the office prior).

Garden Party Performances

I am pleased to announce that a number of our talented students will be again performing at this year's Garden Party being held on Friday November 14.

Below are the groups and their performance times:

Senior Choir: 4:30pm

Taiko: 4:40pm

Vocal Ensemble: 4.50pm

Vocal Ensemble students

If your child is in the vocal ensemble, all of the equipment will be set up on the stage that afternoon. **All vocal ensemble students must arrive promptly at 4.15pm to help finalise setting up. Immediately after the vocal ensemble performances, ALL students must help pack up and return the equipment to the music room before getting changed for the Maypole.**

Senior Choir & Taiko students - All senior choir and taiko students must arrive **promptly at 4.20**

BOOK CLUB EMMA-LEE ROSS, LIBRARY



Hi 545 families! Book Club catalogues went home last week. There are some great books on offer, especially if you want to get organised for Christmas! Orders are due either physically to the office or on Scholastic Loop online ordering by Wednesday October 22.

SPECIAL WEEKLY AWARDS

Grade	Name	Reason
FB	Ted Rowyn	For a fantastic start to term 4 For the wonderful effort he is putting into decoding and blending CVC words
FC	Savio	For having an awesome start back to school after the holidays and following our school values with pride
FH	Charlotte	For always sharing her wonderful ideas in class
JS	Charlotte	For her active listening in mini lessons and kindness to others
JN	Tharmika	For beginning the term with a wonderful ambition to learn and a strong commitment to give her best every day
JB	Zeek	For always being a kind member of JB and sharing his amazing learning and thinking with his peers
JA	Angus	For taking on the challenge of fractions in maths goal based learning
JF	Kai	For his creative use of dialogue in his stories
JW	Harvey	For consistently displaying an upbeat and enthusiastic nature when engaging with his peers and completing his learning
MO	Cohen	For always being a kind member of MO and sharing his learning consistently with the class
SD	Ethan Scarlett	For always putting in his best effort in his independent learning tasks For persevering with challenging maths tasks about properties of angles
SS	Freddie Harvey	For the fantastic writing he has produced for his information report on 'Gun Safety' For a great start of term 4 and for his focus and attentiveness during learning time
Mr Bartlett Music	Stella Tyler	For excellent work in music For displaying our school values in music
Miss Ross Library	FB	For the team effort of shelving the picture story books every week



GARDEN PARTY NEWS
CARLIER GRANT
GARDEN PARTY COORDINATOR

Garden Party spinning Wheel Donations Wanted!

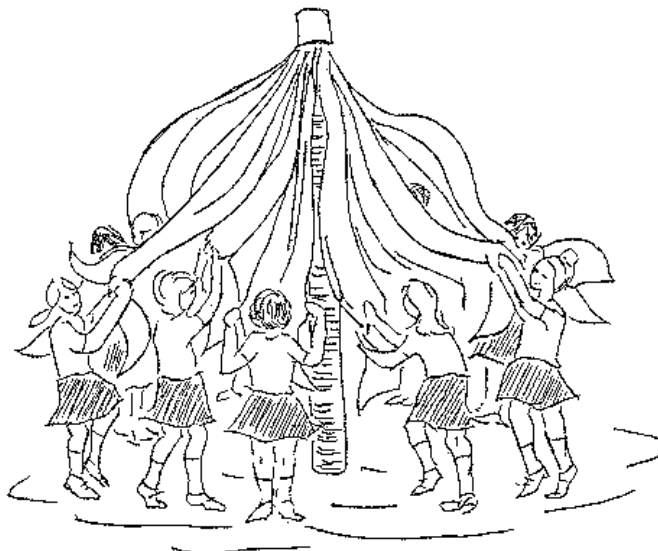
Our much-loved Sale Primary School Garden Party is just around the corner, and preparations are in full swing! One of the highlights each year is our spinning wheel, and we're now seeking donations to help make it a big success.

We're putting together some fantastic themed hampers and would love your support with contributions in the following areas:

-  Sport & Outdoors – sporting goods, equipment, picnic items, outdoor fun!
-  BBQ & Gourmet Food – sauces, marinades, condiments, foodie treats or BBQ accessories.
-  Games & Family Fun – board games, puzzles, craft kits, or novelty toys.
-  Pampering – bath products, candles, skincare, or relaxation goodies.
-  Vouchers – dining, retail, experiences, or local business vouchers.

All donations can be dropped off at the school office by **Friday 7th November.**

Your generous contributions help make the Garden Party such a special event for our school community — thank you for your support!





SALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Presents
The

**GARDEN
PARTY
2025**

Featuring for the 132nd year:

THE MAYPOLE

Fun games, raffles and a
variety of food available!

Friday, November 14
4:00 - 6:30pm

SMILE BRIGHT!

The Dental Van is Coming to You!



Venue: Sale Primary School
Date: 17th - 21st November 2025

WHO CAN ATTEND?

- Students of all age groups below 18

IMPORTANT DETAILS

- Services include general check-ups and preventive care
- Bring your student ID and health card (if applicable)

WHY YOU SHOULDN'T MISS?

- Check ups at school : No need for separate appointments
- No out of pocket cost : Covered by Medicare CDBS
- Learn oral hygiene and brushing techniques
- Treatments like Cleaning, Sealants, Fluoride, Fillings and more.



For More Information

- (03) 9132 0121
- www.australiansmilegroup.com
- info@australiansmilegroup.com.au



COMMUNITY DAY

Sunday **19** 9am - 11am
OCTOBER

BRENNAN PARK SALE

JOIN THE AUSTRALIAN ARMY FOR A FUN FILLED MORNING OF COMMUNITY, CONNECTION, AND DISCOVERY!

ON DISPLAY...

-  VICTORIAN MILITARY VEHICLE CORPS
-  DEFENCE VEHICLES
-  SES
-  CFA
-  AMBULANCE VICTORIA
-  VETERANS FOR FISHING
-  WEAPONS DISPLAY
-  ARMY BAND

LIGHT HORSE TROOP
A living history group that portrays the World War One Light Horse era

SLOAN BOLTON CLUB
Club for Sale based soldiers, selling refreshments from the CFA kiosk

OBSERVATION LANE
Walk with soldiers along the observation lane and spot the military equipment hiding

LIVING IN THE FIELD
Demonstrate soldiers field craft and living conditions

DMFS JUMPING CASTLE

COFFEE VAN

SALE LIONS SAUSAGE SIZZLE
\$3 for a classic sausage in bread with onion and sauce!

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

FREE Halloween Family Event

Bunnings Sale

Thursday 30th of October
5:00pm – 7:00pm

Activities and fun for the whole family

Come in store for a Spooktacular Evening!
Make a mask
Decorate a Treat Bag
Enjoy Tattoos, Popcorn Station & Games
Make a Spooky Decoration
*AND go home with some treats!

Don't miss out, register now!

 Scan Me



Slap! on your hat and Slop! on sunscreen, when the UV is 3 or above.



Even on cool and cloudy days.

In Victoria, UV is 3 and above generally from mid-August to the end of April.

sunsmart.com.au

Use all five forms of sun protection

 Slip  Slop  Slap  Seek  Slide



MCSC MAFFRA MILE

&

CHILDREN'S FOOT RACES

Saturday 25th October 2025

Register by the 21st October, 2025

Mile	Men & Women Open	\$20-
Foot races	12 years & under	\$ 5-

Prizes:

Mile Men & Women 1st \$500, 2nd \$150, 3rd \$100 & Medals

Sponsored by MAFFRA COMMUNITY SPORTS CLUB

Children's Foot races Boys & Girls Medals 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Sponsored by WELLINGTON ATHLETIC CLUB

Enter online: Showday.online/show/maffra

It's October, what a month!

Exciting news for our service — our funds have been approved, and we're ready to start bringing our veggie garden to life! The children have already been busy brainstorming and have chosen the first fruits and vegetables we'll be planting. 🍓🍌🍎 This project will give the children hands-on experience in caring for plants, learning about sustainability, and seeing where their food comes from. Stay tuned as we begin preparing our garden beds and watch our little gardeners in action over the coming weeks! 🌱👧👦



NEW EDUCATOR UPDATE!!

Hi, my name is Madi.

I'm a mum of 5, wife and dog mum to a Miniature dachshund and GSP. I am currently enrolled and studying my Cert 3 early childhood education and care and am so excited to have jumped on board and joined the team at TheiCare, Sale!

I have a passion for children and all things surrounding positive development, education and care.

In my spare time you'll find me at sports events, camping or spending time with family.

If you see me around- feel free to say hello! I am looking forward to meeting all the wonderful families in our service.



National Fairy Bread Day

Monday 24th November

Join us for a classic Aussie treat—fairy bread! But it's about more than just sprinkles and smiles. National Fairy Bread Day helps raise awareness and support for kids in need through important charities like The Salvation Army, Foodbank, and The Pyjama Foundation, which we support through our WeCare program.

Book into After School Care on Monday 24th November to enjoy some tasty fairy bread while supporting a great cause—one slice at a time!



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ICY POLES EVERY FRIDAY AFTER SCHOOL FROM THE CANTEEN

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small change please

SALE SWIMMING CLUB JOIN OUR CLUB

SALE SWIMMING CLUB IS LOOKING FOR SWIMMERS TO JOIN THE CLUB. LEARN NEW SKILLS, MAKE FRIENDS, AND BE PART OF A SOCIAL AND SUPPORTIVE CLUB. WHETHER YOU'RE JUST STARTING OUT OR READY TO RACE—WE'VE GOT A PLACE FOR YOU. DIVE INTO THE FUN WITH SALE SWIMMING CLUB!



REGISTER INTEREST VIA QR CODE OR
VIA CLUB WEBSITE.

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LET'S PLAY! EARLY YEARS CHILDRENS WEEK 2025

Bring your little ones and join us for a morning of fun, creativity and connection where we will be celebrating "Children's Week", with the theme "Everyone should know about Children's Rights".

Tuesday 21 October | 10AM to 12PM
NAKUNBALOOK, SALE



HIGHLIGHTS

Morning tea included!

Coffee van

Play Passport Handout

Face painting

Smoothie-bike

Information stalls, fun activities and giveaways!

We will also be handing out Wellington Shire's "Lets Play Passport" designed to get children outdoors, active and creative!



Facilitated playgroup with Maternal & Child Health and Uniting

BUNNINGS
warehouse



CENTRAL
GIPPSLAND
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INTERCHANGE GIPPSLAND OPEN SESSION

GRADUATING FROM SCHOOL IN 2025 OR 2026?

TIME TO START EXPLORING YOUR OPTIONS NOW!



Interchange Gippsland is a disability support organisation based in Bairnsdale, with a range of services available for people with a disability. Services include:

- YAS (Adult Day Service)
- ROADIES (weekend activities for teens)
- Transition options
- One to one supports for all ages

UPCOMING OPEN SESSION

Monday 20th October
2:00pm to 2:30pm



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