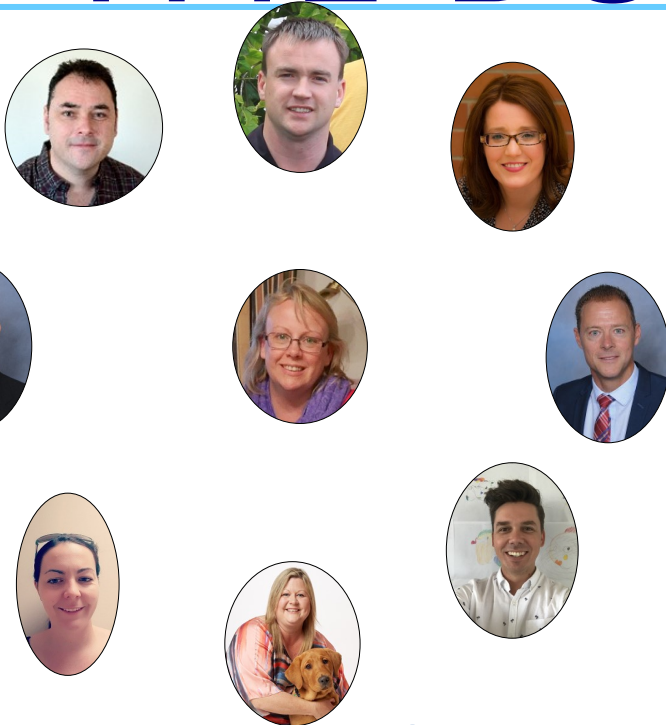




THE BULLETIN



Our 2018 School Council

Welcome to our new School Council members Stefanie K, Nicole H & Rob H, who will join are existing members, Martine E, Mandy J, Stephen H, Dan Z, Bret M & Jayson W

Key Dates- for your diary

Term 1

Thu Mar 8	2nd instalment of fees due
Mon Mar 12	Labour Day Holiday
Wed Mar 14	Preps start school full time
Thu Mar 15	School Banking Account Opening Session—Prep courtyard 2.45pm
Fri Mar 16	Twilight movie night 6.30—9pm
Mon Mar 19	Parent Club meeting 7pm at Coffee Club Knox
Wed Mar 21	Prep Grandparents Day 2.30-3.30pm
Wed Mar 21	Easter Raffle tickets due back
Thu Mar 22	Senior Cross Country
Thu Mar 22	School Photos
Thu Mar 22	Book Club Orders close
Fri Mar 23	Easter Raffle Drawn

Tue Mar 27	Prep Mini Olympics & BBQ 1.30—2.30pm
Thu Mar 29	End of Term 1

Term Dates

Term 1	January 29—March 29
Term 2	April 16—June 29
Term 3	July 16—September 21
Term 4	October 8—December 21

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Principal's Message– Synergy : Working Together

Dear Parents, staff and students,

School Council

It has been building for a few weeks now, and finally we have our School Council for 2018. We are so proud to have had 10 nominations this year and the large voting response. Congratulations once again to Rob H, Stefanie K and Nicole H who will join our Council along with Mr Daniel Z.

Our committee is as follows for 2018:

President- Martine E

Vice President- Mandy J

Secretary- Stefanie K

Treasurer- Steve H

Other members: **Rob H, Nicole H (parent representatives), Jayson W, Bret M and Daniel Z (staff representatives)**. Congratulations and all the best for 2018!

Finally thank you to all our nominees and voters for being an active part of our school community, it was great to see!

Student Representative Council and leaders

The major focus of 'Student Voice' continues with the SRC and our Year 6 leaders now formally meeting. Mrs Oates Pryor (Wellbeing leader) is assisting with our SRC, with the intention that our captains will run the sessions. While I am assisting our Year 6 leadership group. My group has spent the last 2 weeks, writing their job description and success criteria, which has been a good reflective process.

Communication- a shared responsibility

On **Wednesday the March 7, Meet and Greet Sessions** took place and it was great to see our families take the opportunity to speak to their child's teacher. If you did not make it, feel free to get in touch and arrange another suitable time. As always if you have any issues, contact the relevant party (teacher, school/principal or office) as soon as possible, as this is the best and effective manner to handle issues.

School Developments – short bits

- Shortly, our revised Wellbeing and Parent 2018 information booklets will be available to parents.
- Did you know that each of our maths teachers receive a scheduled one hour coaching time with Mr Zielinski (Maths Leader) each week to hone in on their craft?
- Did you know that Ms Payne and Mr Zonca (Literacy Leader) have time to work with our teachers in literacy development and addressing student needs?
- Maths Super Hour- this year we have introduced a super hour for years 3-4 and 5-6. This means that 5 teachers including myself and Mr Mottrom (yr 3-4) come in and take lessons based on the students levels and needs. So far it has been a lot of fun!

Have a great long weekend!

Jayson Williams

Principal

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**Congratulations
once again to
Rob H, Stefanie
K and Nicole H
who will join
our Council
along with
Daniel Z.**



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Tweetification of the week
School Council Announcement

Follow US!

 **@principalbsps**

This week's Oscar was presented to - Katie H



Birthday Wishes go the following students who had a birthday last week.

Farrah L, Jorja M, Ava W, Lilly H, Milla K



From the Office

School Photos

School photos will be taken by Elite School Photography on Thursday, 22nd March. Each child has an individual school photo envelope that has been sent home. Sibling photo envelopes and spare individual photo envelopes are available at the office.

2018 Fees 2nd Instalment

The 2nd instalment of \$75 for the 2018 fees was due Thursday, 8th March. Payment can be made either at the Office via eftpos, cash, cheque or online via Qkr and BPay.

CSEF (Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund)

Applications are available from the office for families new to the school or who have started receiving benefits in 2018. Families who received the CSEF in 2017 do not need to re-apply, as their entitlement will be rolled over.

If anyone is experiencing difficulty making the requested payments, please contact Noleen Maxwell (Business Manager & Parent Payment contact) to discuss payment arrangements or support options.

Noleen Maxwell
Business Manager

Inside the Classroom - Years 3/4 Applying Place Value

Klasse 3/4: Praktisches Lernen mit Stellenwerten



Grade 3/4 applying place value in hands on activities. The pictures show students working with their number extender to break up numbers into different place values or playing 26 a game that requires the skill to trade ones with tens.

Grade 3/4 beim Praktischen Lernen mit Stellenwerten. Auf den Fotos sieht man wie einige Schüler mit dem Stellenwertstreifen Zahlen in verschiedene Stellenwerte aufteilen oder wie sie 26 spielen, ein Spiel das bedingt, dass sie Einer mit Zehnern austauschen können.

LEADERS OF THE WEEK AWARDS

Student	Grade	For
Derek Z	P-M	Making a fantastic tissue paper. Well done and keep up the great work.
Kai Z	P-P	Having such beautiful and neat handwriting. Well done!
Charlie R	P-S	Such great focus and learning! What a great effort! Keep it up.
Nadia N	1-B	Working hard on concentrating in class. Well done Nadia!
Anna O	1-B	Fantastic skip counting by 5's! Wunderbar!
Sebastian W	1-B	Making connections with the artist Piet Mondrian and bringing the book 'Ink and Squiggle' to school for us all to share.
Max M	1-G	Showing great perseverance and effort in his writing. Keep it up Max!
Eric H	1-G	Helping some of his peers with their skip counting work. Danke!
Leo V	1-W	Always giving his very very best! Fantastic Leo!
Inara W	1-W	Thinking creatively in Science! Ganz toll!
Ethan G	2-D	Drawing an amazing 7 habits Tree! Well done.
Cayden S	2-W	Increased participation in maths and being proactive with his learning!
Caleb W	3/4M	Working hard to improve letter formation and neatness of his handwriting.
Katarina D	3/4W	Being proactive in her learning in the classroom.
Matthew P	3/4Z	Taking charge of his learning by continuing his writing at home.
Genevieve W	3/4Z	Her positive and complimentary attitude towards the work of other students.
Brendan R	5/6C	Being proactive with his learning and great work on his sizzling starter!
Aliyah P	5/6S	Demonstrating great thinking and reasoning during maths. Well done.
Katie H	5/6Z	Using a 'Why Chain' to find more depth in her thinking.

THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT ARE LOOKING FOR CLEAN 1 LITRE MILK CARTONS (THE KIND WITH A SPOUT, NO SCREW CAPS PLEASE). PLEASE DROP THESE INTO THE LLC.





Sports News

Prep Mini-Olympics - - Tuesday 27th March

On Tuesday 27th of March, all the prep students will participate in the Bayswater South Primary School Mini-Olympics. Students can come dressed in their house colours and activities will run from 1:30-2:30. The activities will be run by the school house and sport captains and include:

- Sprint
- Relay Race
- Bean Bag throw
- Tunnel ball



The house colours are as follow:

Red house = Decastella **Blue house** = Flemming **Yellow house** = Martin **Green house** = Lewis

Swimming Knox Division - Wednesday 7th March

The following students participated in the Division Knox Swimming Carnival

Deakin 1st qualifying for Eastern Metropolitan Regionals in Backstroke and 3rd in Freestyle after a controversial false start from one of his competitors.

Ella R: 7th backstroke

Ella K: 5th Butterfly

Nitya: 7th backstroke 8th butterfly

Bart: 5th freestyle



Congratulations to all the student for representing Bayswater South Primary School.

House Cross Country - Monday 26th March 9:00.

The Senior House Cross country will be held on Monday 26th of March at the school. Students from years 3-6 will be running a designated track marked around the school grounds. Under 9/10 boys and girls will be completing the 2km course. The under 11/12 girls and boys will be running 3km. The top ten winners for their age group will continue on to district cross country in Term 2 and will also score points for their house. All 3-6 students will need to come dressed in their house colours on the day and running attire. Race will commence at 9:10am on top oval at the school.

Matt Campbell

PE & Sport Teacher

From Our Well Being Captains

Dear Parents and Students,

As the 2018 Wellbeing Captains, we would like to share some Wellbeing news.

Our Peer Mediators are an important part of our school. They are trained to assist younger students to help resolve problems in the yard. For example, if there was an issue about the rules in a ball game our Peer Mediators could assist. Currently our Year 6's, who were trained last year, are out on duty at recess and lunchtime. Our Year 5's will be trained in the near future and will help assist in the yard after that.

This past week our 2018 Student Representative Council (SRC) members were elected. This SRC role is an important part of our school. Our new SRC Reps met for the first time this week. Part of their role is to share the ideas of the class they represent and also report back to their class on the rest of the school's ideas. The SRC Reps will be given their badges at an upcoming assembly.

This week the Life Ed Van arrived and lots of students had the opportunity of seeing Harold the giraffe again. Students are learning about being safe, having good relationships and leading healthy lives. Thank you to all of the parents who attended the Parent Information session on Tuesday. We hope that this was informative.

We look forward to sharing more Wellbeing information with you in the future.

Your sincerely,

Teesha and Declan

Sick Bay Roster

Fri Mar 9	Kathy Herrmann
Fri Mar 16	Eiko Naruse
Fri Mar 23	Erin Kennedy
Thu Mar 29	Monika Thornley
Fri April 20	Angela Murray
Fri April 27	Magda Tapias
Fri May 4	Nicole Kuruwita
Fri May 11	Jessica Brown
Fri May 18	Eiko Naruse



Dear Valued School Community,

Our Beleza Mountain Gate Store will be CLOSED this Labour Day weekend on the Saturday 10th March and Monday 12th March.

Beleza Mountain Gate will return to their regular trading as of Tuesday 13th March 2018.

The Beleza Team hope you have a wonderful long weekend!





Student Wellbeing

Student Representative Council.

What is it?

This week, our 2018 Student Representative Council (SRC) Reps met for the first time. As part of our first meeting we discussed *What is the SRC and how is it going to look at BSPS this year?* For parents, here is a snapshot of what an SRC looks like and its importance in the life of the school.

The SRC offers a voice for students within the school. There are several reasons to have an SRC – all having to do with students' participation in what happens within the school and its community.

Firstly, better decisions can be made within a school when everyone affected by those decisions is involved in the process in some way. Research has shown that student learning and school results are improved in schools where students are actively represented in decision making. Schools in which there is active participation by students, through SRCs and other means, are generally happier and safer places, with better relationships between all members of the school community. Finally, it's recognised internationally that young people have a right to be consulted and to have their voices heard about decisions that affect them. This is stated in the United Nations' Convention on the Rights of the Child (CROC), and Australia has signed up to this convention.

This year all Year 1 to 6 classes discussed the attributes and skills of an SRC member. If students wished to nominate themselves as an SRC candidate, they were required to write and present a speech to their classmates. Students were encouraged to share how they would make a good representative of their class, demonstrating the Seven Habits and the school values of respect, honesty, empathy and teamwork. Students were then assessed by their classmates according to criteria common across the whole school rubric, based on around the use of the Seven Habits and School Values. Prep SRC Reps will be commencing in the second half of the year.

'The role of the SRC is to be the voice of the students, find out what students think, help make the school a better place for everyone, have an impact on decision-making in the school, including on teaching and learning and student behaviour.'

SRCs give students the skills to create and to implement, to lead and to follow, to learn from mistakes and to succeed. Most importantly, they give students the opportunity to represent the views of their peers, and to succeed in making those views heard. We look forward to seeing the development, growth and informed representation of our newly elected 2018 SRC Reps.



Musical Notes



What: Advanced Recorder Group

When: Mondays from 11:00 – 11:30 (first half of lunch)

Who: Students who can competently play tunes of **six or more notes** and are willing to learn new music at home. These students will also need to agree to come regularly on Monday lunchtimes.

We have a number of treble, tenor and bass recorders and some students may be chosen to learn these as part of the ensemble, depending on interest.

The aim of the group is provide a multi-part, multi-instrument performance opportunity for any students that are interested in some extension work.

Yours Musically,

Linton Roe

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BSPS Sing-along 2018

We are planning to have a whole-school sing-along this Term. We would like to invite all students, staff and parents.

Aims

To promote appreciation of, and participation in, The Arts

To support a culture of singing through the school

To have some fun as a community



The Education Week theme for 2018 celebrates The Arts - inspiring students to participate in music, dance, drama, visual arts and media arts

<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/events/Pages/edweek.aspx?Redirect=1>

When: Wednesday 28th March, 12:00 – 1:00

Where: School Hall

Who: All available students, teachers and parents

What: Some songs, some dances, some old, some new, some English, some German. Judges, prizes and house points.

We hope to see you there.

Yours Musically,

Linton Roe

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From Our School Council President

**COUNCIL
CORNER**
Martine Edlinger

Hello to all the Friends and Fans of BSPS!

The first School Council Meeting of 2018 was held on Wednesday, March 8 and we welcomed 4 new members elected to represent the Staff and Families of Bayswater South Primary.

Firstly, I would like to thank our out-going representatives, Sev Fischer, Nicola Liebler, Nicole Whitty and Kate Williams for their time on School Council. I am sure that Nicola, Nicole and Kate will continue their wonderful contributions at BSPS in other ways. The Fischer family moved to a rural area and are no longer attending the school, we wish them well in their new life.

2018 School Council Membership

Continuing from 2017:	DET Rep	Bret Mottrom Jayson Williams
	Parent Rep	Martine Edlinger (President) Stephen Halliwell (Treasurer) Mandy Jarvis (Vice-President)
We welcome:	DET Rep	Mr Dan Zielinski
	Parent Reps	Rob Hamilton Stefanie Kerr

On behalf of the new members I would like to thank the community of BSPS for entrusting their voice on School Council to these individuals. We have an amazing range of personalities and skills on our Council and it will be exciting to see what we can achieve as a group.

I am not sure if this often the case, but the roles of Council President, Vice-President and Treasurer are continuing as per 2017, with Stefanie Kerr agreeing to take on the role of Secretary. For myself and on behalf of Mandy, Stephen and Stefanie we are honoured to have been chosen for these roles by our fellow Council members and we will do all we can to fulfill their trust.

A lot is happening at BSPS the next few years School Council has a wide range of areas to direct our attention to.

Just to name a few activities mentioned for focus this year are:

- Our first year in candidacy as an IB School;
- Playground Regeneration Project;
- A new Strategic Plan
- 50 year Anniversary Celebration Planning for 2019
- Codes of Conduct

As always, any member of the Community is welcome to attend a Council meeting by contacting me prior to the meeting.

While respecting the suggested lines of communication, Council members are open to hearing your comments, suggestions and questions. We can help you find the most appropriate person to speak to or, take the matter to Council for discussion or clarification.

I wish everyone in our Community a wonderful year thank you and your family for taking this exciting journey with us.

Martine Edlinger (martine.edlinger@gmail.com)

President

Secondary College Open Sessions/School Tours

Vermont Secondary College: vermontsc.vic.edu.au
 Heathmont Secondary College: heathmont.vic.edu.au
 Fairhills High: fairhillshs.vic.edu.au
 Ringwood SC: ringwoodsc.edu.au

Bayswater SC: bayswatersc.vic.edu.au
 Wantirna College: wantirnacollege.vic.edu.au



B BAYSWATER
SECONDARY COLLEGE

Bayswater Secondary College invites you to attend our

2018 OPEN NIGHT

Monday March 26th from 6.30pm

- Meet our Principal
- Meet our students
- Learn about the innovative educational programs

14 Orchard Road, Bayswater
P (03) 8720 7555

SEAL Program
(Select Entry Accelerated Learning)
LAUNCHING in 2019



To attend our Open Night or a school tour, please book via the school website at www.bayswatersc.vic.edu.au/college-tours



FAIRHILLS
HIGH SCHOOL
KNOX

DISCOVERY NIGHT

TUESDAY 20th MARCH 2018 - 6.30pm

Meet us in the Performing Arts Centre to begin your Discovery!



FAIRHILLS
KNOX
Scoresby Road Knoxfield
Telephone 9758 5022
Email fairhills.hs@edumail.vic.gov.au

Discover Opportunities

COLLEGE TOURS

Thursdays 9:15am-10:00am
Saturday 3rd March 9:30am-11:30am

OPEN NIGHT

Thursday 19th April 2018 – 7:00pm

[Register for a Tour](#)



OPEN DAY AND DISCOVERING EVENING THURSDAY MARCH 22

School Banking Information Session.

Bayswater South Primary School is excited to offer the Commonwealth Bank School Banking program to all students.

School Banking is a fun, interactive and engaging way for young Australians to learn about money and develop good savings habits. Children who deposit money into their Youthsaver account through School Banking earn Dollarmites tokens, which they can save up and redeem for exciting rewards.

The rewards available during 2018 are:

- Twister Power Handball
- Secret Scratch Pad
- Sparkle Glitter Pens
- Glow Light
- Mighty Boom Handball
- Heat Reactor Pencils
- Slushie Maker Cup



Zoom Flying Disc

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives a Regular Savers Contribution of \$5 for every 10 deposits processed per student as well as an Annual Contribution which is based on the number of students who made at least one School Banking deposit in the prior year.

School Banking day is Wednesday . Each week students need to hand their deposit books to their teacher

We will be holding a School Banking Information Session at our school:

Time	2:45 - 3.30 am
Date:	Thursday 15rd March
Location:	Prep Courtyard.

Please join us and find out more about the School Banking program and how your child can get involved.

If you are interested in opening a Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account for your child you can visit commbank.com.au/schoolbanking and click on the link to open a Youthsaver account. A School Banking representative will be available at the Information Session to show you how you can do this. In order to verify yourself and your child, you will need your driver's licence and your child's birth certificate, but if you don't have these with you on the day, you can complete verification online at home.



**Healesville/Inner East Melbourne
Community LAECG Re-establishment
Meeting 14th March**

**Please join us for the formal re-establishment of the
Healesville/Inner East LAECG region. This meeting will aim
to elect an LAECG group or groups.**

DATE: Wednesday 14th March

TIME: 11am-1pm

VENUE: Japara House, 54/58 Durham Rd, Kilsyth VIC 3137

Catering will be provided– Please RSVP

For more details please contact Charles Solomon
Metro Wurreker Broker- VAEAI
PHONE: 0439 353 846
EMAIL: metrobroker@vaeai.org.au

Want to know more about LAECG's?

What is an LAECG?

LAECG's (Local Aboriginal Education Consultative Groups) are voluntary bodies that consist of local community members.

- They provide advice on all matters that affect Koorie students
- Monitor the current trends in education that impact on all Koorie students
- Provide an advocate role for Koorie students and their families in respect of education matters And MORE!

Do you want to have a voice about education & training in Healesville/Inner East Melbourne?

Are you interested in being a committee member?

**Do you have some strategies about how to engage
community into a LAECG based in Healesville/Inner East
Melbourne?**

For more details please contact Charles Solomon
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Bayswater South Primary School

Presents....



Students and their families
are invited to arrive from
6.30pm

Movie to commence from
7.30pm (light permitting)

BYO blankets, cushions and
chairs – picnic style

Parents' Club will be
running a snack bar selling
movie treats: Popcorn,
lollies, chips, drinks etc..

Please note this is a school
community event:
No dogs, alcohol or smoking
permitted

Come along and celebrate
the start of the 2018
school year at our

FREE

'Welcome Night'
Twilight Outdoor
Movie Event !!

FRIDAY 16th MARCH

6.30pm – 9.00pm





XYZ SPORTS PROGRAM

Come & Join the Fun Monday ASC

Monday Afternoons @ Croydon Indoor Sports Centre

Bookings Essential, Please also complete Permission Form below

XYZ OSHC: 0430 554 579

Families with a Permanent Monday Booking: Your child is included in this program.

Term 1: Soccer and Cricket Beginning Monday 19th February 2018

Sessions will run during OSHC: 3.30pm to 6pm

Parents to Collect Children from

Croydon Indoor Sports Centre

2/124 Canterbury Road, Kilsyth South

I give permission for my child/children (name)_____ to participate and travel by
Private Coach to Croydon Indoor Sports centre every Monday afternoon with XYZ Out of School Hours Care.

I understand that I will be collecting my child/children from the Croydon Indoor Sports Centre at 2/124 Canterbury Rd, Kilsyth South before 6pm on Mondays.

Parent/Guardian Name:_____

Sign_____ Mobile:_____ Date:_____

Emergency Contact Name and Contact Mobile/Phone Number:



ANNUAL EASTER RAFFLE

Easter is fast approaching and we are calling on all BSPS families to donate an Easter item to our annual Easter Raffle.

Suggested items can include such things as baskets, ribbon, soft Easter toys, Easter colouring books and chocolate Easter bunnies and eggs of all kinds.

Please No Nut Products

Please hand your item to the classroom teacher by **Monday 19th March**. We will then make them up into hampers.

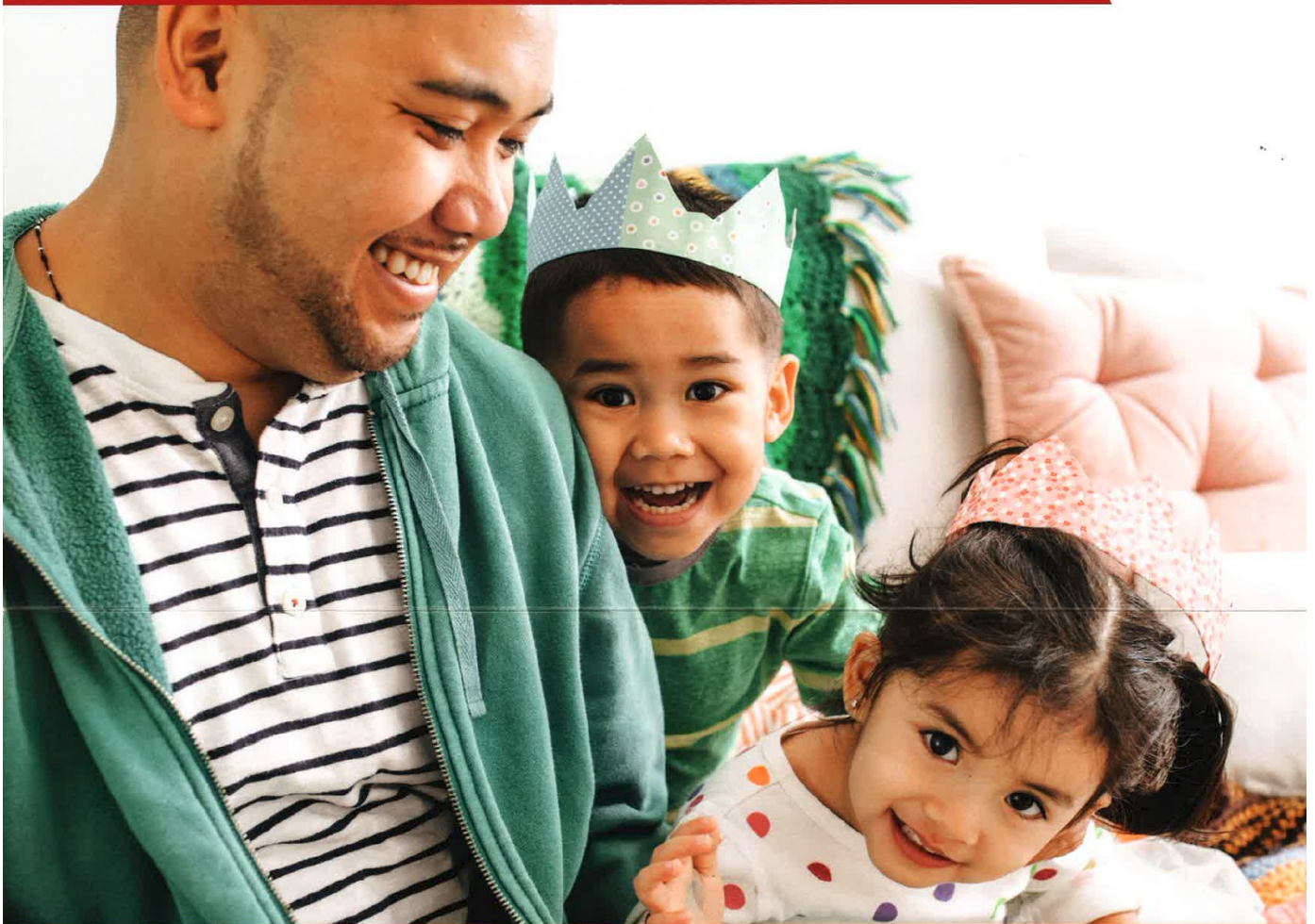
You should be receiving your raffle tickets soon. Each family will receive a book of 10 tickets at 50 cents each, \$5 per book/family.

*Extra Books of tickets available at the office.

Please return tickets by **Wednesday 21st March**.
Raffle drawn after assembly on **Friday 23rd March**.

Many thanks and have a 'Hoppy Easter'
from the BSPS Parent's Club

Speak to your child in the language you know best



Speaking your home language is the best way to help your child succeed

English is important, but it is also important for children to learn their parents' language. Your child will learn English faster if you speak, read and write with them in the language you know best – your home language.

Speaking two or more languages will make your child a better thinker and communicator, giving them advantages at school and in life.

For more information visit: www.education.vic.gov.au/languages

Community News



North Ringwood Junior Football Club

Recruiting Players for

- U13 & 14 Boys
(Boys teams are Development Sides)
- U8 to U18 Girls

The NRJFC want to hear from all new players, looking to develop their football skills and have a kick with their mates



Contact our coaches on:

- U13D Boys – Matt – 0417 144 939
- U14D Boys – JR – 0431 82 069
- U8 \10 Girls – Fee – 0416 201 823
- U12 Girls – Eugene – 0400 155 797
- U16\18 Girls – David – 0408 882 426

Pre Season has
Commenced

Register online
www.nrjfc.com.au

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