



# COBAINS NEWS

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**SCHOOL VALUES: *To Accept, Respect, and Try Our Best!***

The Cobains Primary School Community embraces the values of Respect, Accept and Try Your Best. We aim to provide a safe, caring & engaging learning environment that equips children with the necessary skills & knowledge to become positive & active contributors to the local & global community. Our school emphasises the development of Literacy and Numeracy with the integration of Information Technology throughout the curriculum. Cobains Primary School is committed to child safety and upholding the Child Safe Standards.

*At Cobains Primary School, we have a zero tolerance to child abuse.*



## JUNE

**Wednesday 1st**

**Wednesday 8th**

**Thursday 9th**

**Friday 10th**

**Monday 13th**

**Wednesday 15th**

**Wednesday 22**

**Friday 24th**

Swimming Program  
Swimming Program  
Responsible Pet Ownership  
SCHOOL CLOSURE  
QUEENS BIRTHDAY  
Swimming Program  
Swimming Program  
LAST DAY TERM



## JUNE

2nd Beau R  
15th Cohen A  
22nd Madeline C  
30th Matthew R

## WEEK 4 ASSEMBLY AWARDS!

### Learners of the Week

**P/1:** Grace

**2/3:** Ollie for great daily page writing about the pile of dirt.

**4/5/6:** Ava L, Tahlia, Curtis and Olivia for representing the school fabulously on Transition Day

**Principals Award:** Tahlia!

**Dancer of the week:** Ben for putting his best foot forward during the minion dance! Well done to the rest of the school you are all putting in a fantastic effort learning the new dances!

### G.E.M. Awards

**Empathy and Kindness:** Clyde for being kind to his friends in the yard!

**Gratitude:** Nellie for being grateful for her friends.



## WEEK 5 ASSEMBLY AWARDS!

### Learners of the Week

**P/1:** Ben for trying to bounce back.

**2/3:** Sophia for a great attitude towards her learning!

**4/5/6:** Ruby for her enthusiasm towards her learning!

**Principals Award:** Harry G for having a fantastic attitude towards all areas of school!

**Aussie of the month:** Ava Lynch

### G.E.M. Awards

**Empathy and Kindness Awards:** Jasmine for being a kind buddy to Kade on our excursion and Ava L for being a supporting friend.



### Jump rope for heart fundraising awards:

Congratulations to our three major fundraisers for jump rope for heart. Tahlia, Matthew and Addison!

### Full House

Our winner for full house this week is ... Grade 2/3!

Each day our full house monitors check in with the teachers to see if every student is present at school. The grade with the most students present is our full house winner for the week! It has been a tight contest this year with each class having lots of full house days.



## SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY

This term we will have a school closure day on **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June**, which is the Friday before the long weekend in June. This day is a professional practice day for staff and we will be undertaking professional learning around analysing student data.

## AFTER SCHOOL SOCCER

Our last soccer session for 2022 was on 30<sup>th</sup> May. This session was a celebration of all of our learning and participation, with some great give aways for the participants. Our next step with soccer is to aim to have two soccer teams entered in the after school competition in term 4. We will need coaches and team managers for this, so please let me know if you are interested.

After school soccer is also on a Monday evening, in Term 4, so we have a bit of time to get this organised.

## SWIMMING LESSONS

Swimming lessons have been going well, with students already showing more confidence in the water.

**Please don't forget that pickup time is 3.00PM at the pool.**

We have the school mobile with us so if you are running late can you **PLEASE** let us know so that we can organise for a staff member to remain at the pool with your child. Please organise with the school to return your child to school by 3.15PM school finish time.

## TRANSITION DAY

On **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May** our Grade 6 students spent the day at Sale College with Miss J, as part of their transition to secondary school in 2023. All students were fantastic role models for our school, made some new friends and are now a little less anxious about moving to high school next year. There will be several more opportunities for them to practice going to high school as the year progresses.

## CROSS COUNTRY

Well done to Lauren, Jordyn, Beau and Cohen, who participated in the Regional Schools Cross Country. They all performed very well and were a credit to our school.

Thankyou also to Mary Byrne and Laurens Pop for transporting our students to Yarram to compete, and to Joel for travelling down to support them.

## OPEN DAY

Last Friday we held our open day for prospective families for 2023. Our students did an amazing job taking the lead to clean up our school, ready for visitors. Our senior students and their buddies also represented our school beautifully, preparing tours and answering questions from visiting families. If you know of any families who have students starting school in 2023 who didn't make it to our open day please encourage them to phone the school on 51498274 if they have any queries or would like to organise an alternative time to visit.

A stylized logo for 'Open Day' with the words 'Open' and 'Day' stacked vertically in a colorful, bubbly font.

## WORKING WITH CHILDRENS CHECK



Working with  
Childrens Check

In order to participate in school activities with our students, parents are required to hold a current volunteers Working With Children Check. This can be completed online and is free. You can take a photo of yourself at home with a plain background to attach. Once you have a WWCC, please bring it into the office so that it can be recorded on our register.

## PARENTS CLUB

Thankyou to all of those parents who have let us know that they would like to be part of a Parents Club at Cobains. One of our parents, Lucy Fitzgerald, has volunteered to help with the initial set up of this group and we will hold an initial meeting for all interested people on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 2.45pm in the library space. From this meeting we will ascertain the best time and day to have meetings, as well as frequency, so that we can have as many people participating as possible.

If you can't make this meeting time but are interesting in helping out, please contact the office to let us know.

## TREES

I would like to say a big thankyou to Nicole and Luke, Sophia's parents, who spent the day at school chopping up our timber and moving it to a safer place to dry out. There was enough for us to run several firewood raffles later this year, to raise some money for improvements in the school yard.

## SHADESAIL

We are expecting this to be installed within the next two weeks and we cant wait.

VISIT will be  
Thursday 9th June



**Very soon**  
the Responsible Pet Education Program  
is coming to visit you at your school!



My pet dog will be coming to help teach you how to be safe around dogs and how to say hello to dog with their owners!



There will be lots of listening, role plays, singing and some dancing.



My dog may even meet you during the visit.

## Trash free Tuesday

Every Tuesday we have been doing trash free Tuesday for 5 months now. It is you're choose to bring trash in your lunch boxes but we would like it if you did not bring any trash the reason for this is because we would like to minimize all the trash we have to dispose. We would like to say a huge thankyou to all the kids who have been bringing trash free lunchboxes on all the Tuesdays we have had trash free lunchboxes. And we would like to say a huge thankyou to all the staff members' who have been encouraging all of us to bring no trash in our lunch. Thank you for reading this  
Ava Lynch, School Captain.



## The Resilience Project Talk

**THE RESILIENCE PROJECT™**  
On Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup> of May all of the Cobains Students attended a talk at Sale Catholic College about the Resilience Project. We have been learning about the Resilience Project this year with a focus on Gratitude, Empathy, Kindness and mindfulness. Yesterday we went to the port of sale and went to the library and went to the art gallery for an excursion we went to the Port of Sale to see Miss J's mate Martin. Then he called me up the front and I was nervous but I still did it. On the bus Miss J kept on going crazy on the bus on the way to school. By Jordyn, Grade 4

Yesterday we got on the bus and went to Catholic College sale at the Port of Sale. First we went to the library for 30 minutes and then we went to the art gallery for 30 minutes. At the library I played with a little boy and he started to play hide and seek. Then we went to go talk to our buddy Marten to learn about the G.E.M which stands for gratitude, Empathy, Mindfulness, which we have been learning about at school. He told Us to go around and fist bump all of the people you are grateful for so I went and fist bump 9 people and then we still have more time so we got to go around a fist bump all of those people again Then we learnt about Jeremy and what he had wrong with him and then we had to go back to school. By Ava, Grade 6

On Tuesday we went to the catholic collage and we met a person called Marten and he told us about this boy called Jeremy and Jeremy couldn't eat or drink and when he did something he got sick in the belly. By Madeline, Grade 4.

## The Awesome Alphabet of Science

We went to the awesome alphabet of science. To see an alphabet of science with explosions. And the people were very funny especially the man. By Ruby, Grade 4



On Wednesday we went to the Alphabet of Awesome Science at the wedge it was so much fun. We went from A to Z but all the letters where mixes up. They exploded a lot of stuff they made 2 fireballs possibly even more i cant remember. Then we went to the seed garden and hade a snack and then we went to the park and play there. Then we got on the bus to go back to school and then we went to go and do PE. Ava L, Grade 6.

On Wednesday we went to the Wedge to see the Alphabet of Awesome Science. We went from a to z we even saw them explode things like balloons and liquid nitrogen we even saw them blowing into a tube and fire going out of the other side of the tube. After we went to the alphabet of awesome science we went around the lake to go to the seed garden for a little snack, Then we went to the park for lunch for a while. We had to go to school after we went to the park. Jordyn, Grade 4.

