

GRAHAMVALE NEWSLETTER



Week Nine – 10th September 2026

Hi families,

Our final assembly of Term 3 will be held tomorrow starting at 2:45pm. We will be presenting Terrific Kid Awards with the support of Kiwanis and Year 2 W/M will be presenting their learning. We will wait until the start of Term 4 to acknowledge attendance.

Concert

Mrs Voumard has been providing weekly updates via Compass, but next week is when it all comes together! Wednesday is a full dress rehearsal in the library. On Thursday all students will be travelling to Eastbank via bus to rehearse on the big stage in readiness for the concert that evening. Please ensure you have approved this event on Compass, otherwise your child will not be able to attend.

Concert USB preorder closes tomorrow

This year's school concert will be filmed and is now available to pre-order. You can order a USB of the entire concert (it will have the F-2 and Year 3-6 shows on it) for only \$10. Please fill out and return the form that was posted on Compass recently, with payment to the front office by Friday 11th September (tomorrow). Payment options are cash or EFTPOS. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

Concert tickets

There are not many tickets left for both concert shows. You better be quick if you haven't purchased yet. Head to the Riverlinks website ASAP. [What's On - Riverlinks](#)

Fete update

Planning is full steam ahead for our fete. Thank you to those parents who have taken on the role of class coordinator. I am positive that the other parents/carers in your child's class will also provide you support.

Tickets for our fete will need to be pre-purchased through the school office and these will be handed to families when they arrive at the fete. Today, the eldest child in each family has received a ticket order form to bring home. If your child was absent, please head into the office to pick up an order form. Further tickets will be available on the night at the fete, but by pre-purchasing, we aim to make things quicker and give you more time to enjoy the fete. See a copy of the ticket order form later in this newsletter. If you would like more tickets, please go to the office in the lead up to the fete.



Fete Cake Auction

We invite families to get creative and enter a cake into our Fete Cake Auction! Any cakes, any size and any shape will be accepted into our auction. This will take place at the end of the fete, where we hope all of our community will come together. If you plan on entering a cake for the auction, please contact the office on 58214219 or email to register your interest at grahamvale.ps@education.vic.gov.au



Please see flyer in this newsletter that may prompt your interest!



Fete Class donation request list

Below is some information from classes looking for donations of items. Please contact the teacher directly or the office if you have questions.



Foundation Collins (stretch the snake): Bags of Allen's 'Snakes Alive'.

Foundation Lloga: Bottles of wine. Any type is fine. Raffia to tie the top of the bottle.

1 Rullo: \$5 per student (in this class only) to be brought to school in an envelope. This will help cover the costs of the materials required.

1 Ternes: Cans of coloured hair spray - colours required - Pink, Purple, Blue, Green, Red and Orange. Please ensure these are water based and only temporary.

2 Williams/Marcetic: packets of plain biscuits e.g. Marie, Arrowroot, Milk Coffee or Teddy Bears. Also coloured icing and small lollies for decorating the iced biscuits.

3 Holland: Temporary tattoos of all designs, shapes and sizes.

3 Williamson: 10-pack or 24-pack of 375ml soft drink cans.

4 Moran: PVA glue, bicarbonate of soda (baking soda), contact lens solution — it needs to contain boric acid or sodium borate to work, food colouring and shaving foam (optional, for fluffy slime).

4 Nicholls: Small wrapped prizes such as books, board games, footy cards, down balls, squishies, fidgets - anything kids would like. We are also seeking a 6x4 trailer to loan.

5/6 Bell: Small toys, games and puzzles, fidget toys and novelty items, stationery, notebooks and stickers, craft and art supplies, bubbles and outdoor toys, small books and plush toys, individually wrapped lollies, chocolates and snacks & wrapping paper.

5/6 Minutoli: Family blocks of chocolate, any brand is fine. Cadbury blocks are currently 30% off at Coles.

White Elephant STALL: It's time to have a spring cleanout clean out these holidays & help the environment & our school — reuse, don't throw away!

White Elephant Stall – Good condition donations only (no electrical items please)

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| • Books, games & puzzles | Gardening items & plants |
| • Bags & accessories | Stationery & school supplies |
| • Kitchen & household items | Unused gifts & gift sets |
| • Home décor & ornaments | Sports, camping & outdoor items |
| • Toys & craft items | Collectibles & novelty items |

Please drop off to front office in bags or boxes.

Toss the toilet roll: Poo/fart/toilet themed prizes such as noisy putty, scratch and sniff stickers, pop tubes, whoopee cushions, poo themed stickers, pencils, and erasers. Fun sized lollies and chocolates and lollipops.

Term 4 Assembly dates

- Friday 9th October
- Friday 23rd October
- Friday 6th November
- Friday 20th November
- Thursday 3rd December (2027 student leaders announced)
- Friday 11th December (final assembly of 2026)



Values Awards

Congratulations to these students who received a Values Awards for the past fortnight!



House points

In 4th place is **McDermott** House on 255 points.

In 3rd place is **Doyle** House with 310 points.

In 2nd place is **James** House with 360 points

In 1st place is **Hick** House with 375 points.

Congratulations to **Hick** House!



Congratulations to the winners of Mrs Cursio's Science Week Family Challenge! All artworks were creative and I'm sure families had a great time putting them together.





CAKE AUCTION

Calling all our amazing families!

We are looking for cake donations for our upcoming school fete!

We invite all families to get baking and donate a homemade or store-bought cake for our Cake Auction.

All cakes will be auctioned off at the end of the fete, with proceeds helping to support our school.

Get creative, bake something special and be part of the fun!



FETE DAY

Thursday 15th October

Thank you for your support!

GRAHAMVALE
PRIMARY SCHOOL

You're Invited!

BRING YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS!

GRAHAMVALE PS
SCHOOL FETE!

A fantastic night of fun for the whole family!

CAMEL RIDES

MINIATURE TRAIN

YABBY RACES

COLOURED HAIRSPRAY

LUCKY DIP

CAKE AUCTION

FOOD TRUCKS

LOB A CHOC

TEMPORARY TATTOOS

STRETCH THE SNAKE

ART GALLERY

SHOW BAGS

MARK THE TREASURE

...and much more!

THURSDAY
OCTOBER
15TH 2026

5PM - 8PM

CONGUPNA
RECREATION RESERVE

★ **TOKENS PRE PURCHASED AT SCHOOL** ★

COME ALONG FOR A NIGHT OF FUN, LAUGHTER AND COMMUNITY SPIRIT!
★ All funds raised support our wonderful school and students. ★



Grahamvale Fete

Thursday 15th October 2026 – 5pm to 8pm

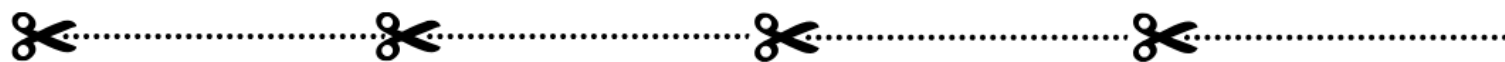
Dear Parents,
Please pre-purchase your Fete tickets using the form below.

Tickets are \$1 each and most stalls will require 1-2 tickets per activity.
No refunds will be given for unused tickets.

Tickets can be collected at the Fete from 4:45pm but need to be pre-purchased at school to reduce waiting time.

Cash/eftpos is required on the night for outside vendors. Fete tickets cannot be used for these.

Additional tickets can be purchased at the Fete,
at the ticket stall.



GRAHAMVALE FETE

Eldest child's name:

Class:

Number of tickets: (\$1 per ticket)

Payment method: Cash / Eftpos



Dates to Remember

September	Thursday 17	School Concert - Eastbank
	Friday 18	Last Day Term 3 - 2:20pm dismissal – Sporting colours day
October	Monday 5	First Day Term 4
	Tuesday 6	Interschool Aths - Year 6
	Wednesday 7	Interschool Aths - Year 5
	Thursday 8	Interschool Aths - Year 4
	Friday 9	Interschool Aths - Year 3
	Monday 12	Division Athletics
	Thursday 15	Fete! 5pm-8pm @ Congupna Recreation Reserve
	Mon 19 Tue 20 Wed 21	Year 5 Camp – Sovereign Hill Ballarat
	Wed 28 Thu 29 Fri 30	Year 3 Camp – Camp Kookaburra
	Monday 2	Pupil Free Day
November	Tuesday 3	Public Holiday - Melbourne Cup
	Mon 9 Tue 10 Wed 11	Year 6 Camp - Melbourne
	Thursday 5	Year 1 & 2 Late Stay/Sleepover
	Wed 11 Thu 12 Fri 13	Year 4 Camp - Phillip Island
	Monday 16	Year 6 Graduation Photo
	Friday 27	Colour Run
	Thursday 3	2027 Student Leaders Assembly
December	Tuesday 8	Statewide Transition Day
	Friday 11	Final Assembly
		Year 5 Aspirations Day at GSSC
	Tuesday 15	Year 6 Graduation
	Friday 18	Last day Term 4 - 1:20pm dismissal

Spring Holiday Camps

The perfect introduction for kids into summer tennis
September 21, 22, 28 & 29 Each Morning 9 to 12pm

HOTSHOTS – Beginner Juniors

Ages 5–12

Kids Learn the basic fundamentals of tennis
and play lots of games keeping them well
entertained!

JUNIOR COMP PLAYERS

Ages 10+

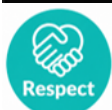
Juniors who want to compete and get extra
practice before summer competition starts.

- Drills to build confidence in technique
- Tactics and Strategy
- Matchplay

To Register please visit protennisconnect.com

Shepparton Lawn Tennis Club

196 Welsford St





HAVE A BLAST

Get into Woolworths Cricket Blast
It's a fun and active program for kids of all abilities, whether it's your first time with a bat or you're a backyard Cricket star!

JOIN YOUR NEAREST CLUB
Shepparton Youth Club United CC
Scan the QR Code for session times
Contact: 0498626650 or admin@sheppartonyouthclubunitedcc.com.au
Girls Groups Available

JUNIOR CRICKET



WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST



PROUDLY PRESENTED BY





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GREATEST GAMES

PLUS DODGEBALL = KNOCKOUT =

MOVE PLAY GROW

FUN FRIENDS TEAMWORK





TUESDAY 22ND SEPT

BUCKET CENTRE VENUE

9:30 - 10:15 F-2

10:30 - 11:15 3-6

COST: \$15 PER ATHLETE

BIGGEST HOLIDAY PROGRAM EVER = DON'T MISS OUT =

BOOKINGS: brodie@myfutureacademy.com

ALL GIRLS GROUPS AVAILABLE



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS SORTED

PLAY.AFL/HOLIDAYPROGRAMS

SHEPPARTON SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

THURSDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER | 9AM-3PM
KIALLA RECREATION RESERVE
BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 4-12 YRS
\$55 PER PERSON - FOOTY TO KEEP!




NERF BLASTER ACADEMY

HOLIDAY CLINIC

JOINED BY GATORS CAPTAIN JOSH KOOIMAN
WHO WILL BE JUMPING IN ON THE GAMES!

MONDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER

10:00AM - 12:00PM

\$30 PER ATHLETE

FOUNDATION TO GRADE 6

ACTION-PACKED NERF BATTLES. TEAMWORK. STRATEGY. FUN!

45 ATHLETES MAX
BE QUICK - WE SOLD OUT SUPER FAST LAST TIME!

RUN. DODGE. AIM. COLLABORATE. HAVE FUN!

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MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND ON OUR TRYBOOKING LINK OR LINK IN OUR INSTAGRAM PROFILE!

