



The Weekly News

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What	When
In school incursion—all students	Tomorrow, Friday 30th May
Grade 5&6 Lightning Prem practice	Friday 6th June
Grade 5&6 Lightning Prem practice	Friday 13th June
Grade 5&6 Lightning Prem practice	Friday 20th June
School Council meeting—7.30am	Tuesday 24th June
Last day Term 2	Friday 4th July

“Every Day Counts”

If your child is absent from school we must have a note, phone call or you can also enter the reason directly onto COMPASS to explain the absence. This is required by the Department for our records.

Contact School Council: rceps.schoolcouncil@gmail.com

No assembly this week

2026 Prep Information Sessions

Thank you the parents and students who came along to the 2026 Prep information sessions yesterday. It was great to meet new families and also update the parents of current families with 2026 enrolments.

For those parents who could not make it, please feel free to contact the office for a tour or to collect enrolment forms. If anyone in our community knows of any families looking at coming to East next year, please encourage them to contact the school ASAP.

A special thankyou to Mia and Toby (School Leaders) who came to both sessions to share their thoughts of our school with the families.

Also thank you to the staff who stayed behind for the evening session to entertain the children so their parents could listen to the session without distraction.

Overall it was a very positive experience.



Regional Cross Country—St Arnaud

On Tuesday we had 3 students participate in the Regional Cross Country in St Arnaud.

Congratulations to the 3 boys who qualified and made the trip to compete on behalf of our school and the district. It was a typically tough track and the wind was particularly difficult to run against.

The boys had the following results:

Henry Glen—31st

Beau Gathercole—58th

Sonny Glen—60th

Well done boys. We are very proud of you.

A big thank you to the parents who drove the boys to St Arnaud to compete. What a fantastic effort!!!!

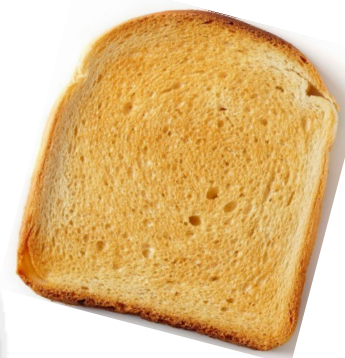


Breakfast Club Helpers

We have a few very loyal and helpful parents/grand parents who help run our Breakfast Club every morning. We are so grateful to these people. They do a wonderful job for all our students.

We cannot keep relying on these helpers. We need more people to help out!!

If your child comes to breakfast club (and many do) then perhaps you could come along and help out. We need people from 8.30am to serve the students toast. We have some student helpers who like to give a hand, but we need adults to be in charge of the space.



Grade 5 And 6 camp

Thank you to the parents who have paid the \$100 deposit for the Grade 5 and 6 camp to Beechworth. This deposit was due by the 16th May.

Any additional (or full) payments can be paid at any time this term. We will need complete payments by Monday 21st July (first day of Term 3).

Camp notes (permission etc) will be sent home this week with your child.



OHSC—After School Care

This week at After school care we have used our time after our snacks for outside play. Children never feel the cold – we do. We have spent most of our outside play on the playground this week with playing chase, footy, sandpit play as well as showing off tricks on the monkey bars.

Inside activities included board games, foil art (that is on display at the office – please have a look at your child's work as they have been creative and patient with their art pieces), diamond art, mosaic stickers as well as being creative with magnetic sand.

We encourage children to wear their jumpers whilst we play outside as it does get colder in the afternoon.

Next week we are finishing off our foil art and are looking at a new art project making flowers/butterflies out of milk bottles. If you have any spare plastic milk bottles, we would love for you to bring them in to ensure we have enough for all the children who would like to participate in this project.



Class Awards:

Prep: Freddie Dawson for being a self-motivated learner. Freddie, we are so proud of you! It is wonderful to see you trying your best and growing as a learner. Your happy, smiling face brightens our classroom, and we love seeing you share your ideas and have fun with your friends. We can't wait to see all the amazing things you will do as you continue on your learning journey!

Grade 1: Adam Sandler for being a brave learner in the Grade 1 classroom. You have shown a willingness to have a go at tasks that are challenging. You have also been a reflective learner this week and listened to feedback that has been given to you. Well done Adam, keep up the excellent work!

Grade 2/3: Izack Mete for being an enthusiastic and active learner. Izack, it is wonderful to see your commitment to your learning and the way you are always striving to do your personal best. During math's, you have actively contributed your ideas and strategies and have confidently supported others. Your positive attitude and willingness to take on challenges is inspiring! Keep up the amazing effort, we are so proud of you.

Grade 3/4: Joahna Huddleston for being a Self-Motivated learner. Joahna, we have noticed your dedication and hard work recently. You have shown great focus and a positive attitude—whether it's building your understanding of multiplication and division or drafting your suspense writing. Your commitment to improvement is impressive. You should be proud of your efforts.

Well done and keep up the great work!

Grade 4/5: Frankie Cruise for being a dedicated and self-motivated learner who approaches every task with enthusiasm and determination. She consistently arrives to class organised and ready to learn, making the most of every opportunity. Frankie gives 100% in everything she attempts, showing persistence even when tasks are challenging. Her positive attitude, strong work ethic and commitment to doing her best make her a wonderful role model to her peers. Well done, Frankie—your efforts are recognised and celebrated. Keep up the fantastic work!

Grade 5/6: Ollie Tait for showing incredible bravery and self-motivation in your writing over the past fortnight. You have used your planning thoughtfully to guide your ideas, helping you craft a well-written and engaging narrative. It's been great to see you take one idea and develop it further, while also making a real effort to include the writing tools we have been learning. Your focus, creativity, and growth as a writer have been fantastic. We are proud of you Ollie!



Rivaside Hockey Club

Missed out on a game of footy or netball, why not give hockey a try?

Rivaside Hockey Club are looking for players in junior and senior grades. Come down to a training session for a run and see if hockey is the sport for you!

Our training sessions are Wednesdays
Aero Ovals- Gate C



Under 11's - 5.30 pm to 6.30 pm

Under 13's - 5.30 pm to 6.30 pm

Under 16 Girls - 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm

Under 16 Boy & Seniors - 6.30 pm to 8.00 pm



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