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Benalla Flexible Learning Centre

- Individual Learning Plans
- Flexible timetables
- Mentor Support
- Involvement in the community
- Catering for students needs

Benalla Flexible Learning receives Benalla Youth Community Grant

Congratulations to Kiarna and Colby for applying for the grant to improve our classroom at Benalla Flexible Learning Centre. The \$1000 grant money will be used to take students involved in the project to Melbourne to participate in a street art tour and workshop. Following this the students will design and paint the old blackboard in the BFLC classroom.



Colby was an excellent ambassador for our school and graciously accepted the award at the recent awards night that was held at the new Weary Dunlop Learning Centre on May 21.

BUS RUN FOR BENALLA FLEXIBLE LEARNING CENTRE

Beginning after the long weekend we will be trialling a Mini Bus service to and from school. 3 days per week. Between Benalla Flexible Learning Centre and the Gaskin Street Park.

The Benalla Taxi Mini Bus will collect students at:

10:20 am Benalla Flexible Learning Centre ———> Gaskin Street Park
10:30 am Gaskin Street ———> Benalla Flexible Learning Centre
12:20 am Benalla Flexible Learning Centre ———> Gaskin Street Park
12:30 pm Gaskin Street ———> Benalla Flexible Learning Centre

FREE OF CHARGE FOR STUDENTS

MONDAY WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY

BEGINNING WEDNESDAY 10TH JUNE

This is a trial service and may extend to each day if it is well used by students.

CIRCUS OZ & SHIFTING GEARS

June 25

Excursion forms for this great excursion are now available. This excursion is funded by the Arts Connect 9 Program for schools. The cost for this excursion is just \$5 per student and covers all travel, entry into the exhibitions and a picnic lunch for the day.

We have to be seated at Circus Oz in the centre of Melbourne for an 11 am show so will need to leave bright and early. The bus will pick up at 7:30 in the car park at BFLC and will do a second stop at the roundabout at the corner of Faithful and Bridge Street.

CIRCUS OZ is a great live circus performance where acrobats thrill the audience with their talents and other skills.

SHIFTING GEARS this is an exhibition of design, innovation and the Australian car.

We will be taking 15 students on this excursion and consequently there will be no formal classes at BFLC on this day.

ANZAC DAY QUIZ

Congratulations to Bryce and Blake for their success in the ANZAC day quiz run by WSSC. Blake and Bryce were among those students who answered 11 questions correctly..... It had some tricky questions.

Right: Anna presents Blake with his prize and certificate.



VACCINATIONS

HAVE YOU COLLECTED YOUR VACCINATION CARDS ?

PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN THESE TO SCHOOL BY MONDAY JUNE 1

Vaccinations are an extremely important aspect of keeping ourselves healthy. Many of our students may have missed important vaccinations while they were at main stream school.

We have organised for immunisations to take place for free at the school on June 22 at 2 pm.

Many of us don't remember what vaccinations we have had so the administrators are assisting us with the process. The records will be checked and if vaccinations are required they will organise the correct vaccine to be administered on the 22 June.

Email received from immunisation co-ordinator below:

We would offer all of the 3 Year 7 vaccines (chicken pox, Boostrix (Diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough) and HPV) to all students Year 8 -12. This would be done by disseminating consent cards for all 3 vaccines to all students - once we have received the signed consent cards we would double check our records and the HPV register to determine if the vaccine is still required.