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Benalla Flexible Learning Centre

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

WHAT'S ON

TUESDAYS L2P Program
PRIMAL GYM 2PM

THURSDAYS Yoga 10:15

MONDAY 26TH JUNE

Food Cents — 11:00am

Drumming Workshop

— 1:00pm

THURSDAY 29TH JUNE

School Immunisations
—2:30pm

Parent/Teacher Meetings
— 3:30pm - 8:00pm

FRIDAY 30TH JUNE

Last Day of Term 2

MONDAY 18TH JULY

First Day of Term 3

Learners Permit Program-LPP

There are a number of students that have expressed interest in learning the road rules to enable them to sit for their learners

permit.

We are going to begin a session once per week at the beginning of next term.

These sessions will go for about an hour each week and the course will include an excursion to VicRoads toward the end of the sessions.

If you would like to be part of this group please put your name down on the form near the sign in sheet.

WHAT TIME HAVE YOU BOOKED?



Parent Teacher Interviews
Thursday 29th of June 2017
3:30pm - 8:00pm

Term 2 Parent Teacher Interviews.

Please book a time with your teachers to review your
Individual Learning Plans and set Term 3 Goals.





Thank you to Kathryn, Dietician from Benalla Health for running the Food Cents program during Semester One this year. Our students have thoroughly enjoyed learning the tricks of reading food labels, purchasing wisely and of course taste testing the meals they prepared.



Cara's

Term Two Dates
Thursday 29th June

PROJECT

Cameron Boyle will be at our school every second Tuesday to provide legal advice/ information.

Next visit is: Tuesday 27th June: from 9:30 – 11:30

Please place your name on the appointment sheet located in Michele's office.

Speak to
Brad
about his latest
Literacy
challenge.

Student Activities

Marcus has had a busy week. Not only has he commenced his Work Placement as a Diesel Mechanic, he has also successfully passed his Learners Permit. Well done Marcus!

We wish Cassie C the best of luck as she transfers to our Shepparton campus.

Congratulations to Paul for obtaining his drivers licence through the L2P program!

DON'T FORGET



Be here by 2:30 on Thursday 29th June 2017

Years 10, 11 and 12 students

Meningococcal ACWY Vaccine Programme

This is a free vaccination for all Victorian Senior Secondary School Students in years 10-12.

Make sure your form has been returned.

Movie Review: Zoo Keeper's Wife

(Excursion Tuesday June 13, 2017)

A really heartfelt movie, based on a true story that displayed resilience of families that fell victim to the war in Germany. It told the story of a family who owned a zoo that was viciously attacked by air raids, with most of the animals not surviving. It shows how the family used the zoo as a bison farm to sustain their food source and protect Jewish women and children from the harsh punishment dealt by the German army.

I think it was a very good, educational movie, with an emotional pull that people can relate to. Cassie C

EXCURSIONS

YOGA – Thursdays – 10:15 am – 11pm

GYM at Primal Gym — Tuesdays 2pm - 3pm

Please remember to wear comfortable clothing for these sessions

Food Around the World

Over the last two weeks, students have been cooking a variety of foods from countries they have been learning about in VCE Food Studies with Bec.



Week one saw Misty cook Paella from Spain, whilst Jayden and Oliver made Butter Chicken from India.

The second week Oliver cooked up an authentic Ethiopian Beef Curry (wat) and fermented flatbread (injera). Misty cooked up a Peruvian style Roasted Chicken and Jayden produced an excellent Quinoa con Leche (coconut and pineapple quinoa pudding).



Next week is our third and final week of 'Food Around the World'.



Maeley will be producing Sushi and Jayden leading the way on Lamb Kofta with Fattoush and Baklava.

Thank you to the Food Studies class for enabling all students the opportunity to experience these different tastes.



2018

Over the next few weeks you need to consider what courses of study you would like to undertake next year.

The possibility in studying courses at GOTAFE in Wangaratta on Wednesdays are an option.

Would you be interested in VET Cert II in Community Services, Cert II in Auto or perhaps a Business Course. Or maybe you would like to study Individual Support via Polycom delivered from Wodonga – with some visits to WFLC.

Please talk to your teachers about what you would like to do and we will see how we can accommodate your interests.



Our Languages Matter

Thursday 6 JULY 2017 10.30am to 12.30pm

Sir Edward 'Weary' Dunlop Learning Centre

Family fun activities including story time, boomerang painting & short film screenings.

All welcome. Refreshments provided. Bookings at the Benalla Library.

NAIDOC week celebrates the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal people

FREE EVENT





Live4Life Benalla 2017



Competition!

Theme: 'Speak Up Speak Out'

Entries Open: FRIDAY JUNE 30

Entries Close: FRIDAY OCTOBER 6

Think about what 'Speak Up Speak Out' means to you and express it in a creative form to win great prizes. Entries will be displayed publically during Mental Health Week in October 2017

Categories:

- 1. Photography (people, places, things etc.)
- 2. Multimedia (video, animation, film clip, podcasts etc)
- Other (could be a poster, poem, artwork, sculpture...anything! Just create your entry, take a photo of it & send it in)

Competition Rules:

- 1. All entries need to clearly support the theme "SPEAK UP SPEAK OUT" and promote positive mental health
- You must include the Live4Life Logo on your entry. You can download a .jpg from the website at www.live4life.org.au)
- 3. You **must** also submit 50 words or less about what speaking up, speaking out about mental health means to you!
- 4. You can submit your entry via the general office or at the Council on USB or CD/DVD. You can also submit by email to amanda.aldous@benalla.vic.gov.au
- 5. Entries must be accompanied by a completed Live4Life Competition entry form
- 6. All entries must be original and your own ideas
- 7. Please don't include any names on your entry (just on your entry form)
- If entries are not appropriate or don't relate to the theme they will not be considered in the Competition
- Entries will be judged by the Live4Life Crew (Year 9 & 10 students from the Live4Life schools)
- 10. The Live4Life Competition is open to Year 8 students from the partner schools participating in Live4Life 2017.

Individual, Group & Category Winners will be awarded vouchers and prizes with the overall winner receiving \$200