

The Buxton Bulletin

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Principal's Report

Welcome to Term 2!

I hope you all had a great Easter break, the weather was glorious for a few days at least. The foggy, damp mornings are now upon us and students are taking their shoes off inside the classroom so they are welcome to bring a pair of slippers to leave at school for indoor wear.

STEM Club

Our first STEM Club was held on Tuesday and we had lots of fun learning about forces and levers while making mini catapults. Our next session will be static electricity experiments held on Tuesday 4th May at 3:30pm. We have a couple of places available, but please book early.



Cross Country Day - 5th May

All students will be travelling by bus to the Cathedral Cross Country event at Eildon Primary School on Wednesday 5th May. Parents are most welcome to come along on the day and cheer everyone on. The cost is \$10 per student and the permission note was sent home today via uEducateUs.

School Photos

Today is the last day for ordering school photos. Don't forget that you can preview the photos to decide if you want to order. The ones we have seen so far look great!

Marysville Kindergarten Visits

From Thursday 6th May, we will be taking small groups of students for fortnightly visits at Marysville Kindergarten. Buxton students will run a 'Mini Mathematicians' program. Our students are designing fun games and activities to help the younger children learn about numbers. It will be a great experience for everyone involved and build positive community connections.

Home Reading and Homework

I urge all parents to encourage your children to read at home (individually or with you) as often as possible. Home reading is an important part of our literacy program. All students were provided with a home reading folder and notebook to keep track of their reading in Term 1. We will follow up and remind students that they need to bring this home each day. Our Year 6 students will start receiving a small amount of weekly homework from week 2 of term so that they start to establish the routines and expectations they will experience in Year 7.

Sarah

Students of the Week



Max is a good friend to students of all ages and makes everyone feel included and welcome. Congratulations Max!

James has had a great start to the term with excellent focus on his learning and putting in his best effort. Way to go James!



Important Dates:

Term 2

Tuesday 27th April

School Council Meeting @ 6.00pm

Wednesday 5th May

Cluster Cross Country Run

Thursday 6th May

Kinder visits begin

Thursday 3rd June

Sleepover @ school

Friday 25th June

Final day of Term 2

Term 3

12 July to 17 September

Term 4

4 October to 17 December



AFTER SCHOOL STEM CLUB

Come along and enjoy a fun and engaging introduction to a range of science, technology, engineering and mathematics concepts at Buxton Primary School!

The workshops are FREE for local 4 year old kinder and primary-aged children who live in the Triangle area, but you must register by emailing buxton.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Places are limited! Kinder-aged children must be accompanied by an adult

● **4th May 3:30 - 4:30PM - Static Electricity Experiments**

● **18th May 3:30 - 4:30PM
Balloon Powered Cars**

● **1st June 3:30 - 4:30PM -
Scribble Bots**

● **15th June 3:30 - 4:30PM -
Optical Illusions**



2021 Alexandra Junior Soccer Program

Saturday mornings 10.30am | starting April 24
For 5-15 year olds

Leckie Park
Alexandra

Cost \$45

Online registrations open now.
www.playfootball.com.au/register

For more information call Larry Kelly on 0497 078 394

