

# Brunswick East Primary School

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'The BEPS Weekly News': 13 FEBRUARY 2017 - ISSUE 1

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**Next Friday Market:** Friday 17 February: (Orizonte)

## **TERM DATES 2017**

**Term 1:** Monday 30 January to 31 March

**Term 2:** 18 April to 30 June

**Term 3:** 17 July - 22 September

**Term 4:** 9 October - 22 December

*Our Vision: To create confident, passionate and curious learners who are highly literate and numerate, have high expectations and are engaged in their community.*

[www.beps.vic.edu.au](http://www.beps.vic.edu.au)

**PLEASE NOTE:** Children are supervised at school between **8.45am** and **3.45pm** each school day. They should not be on school grounds outside those times. If you require your child to be supervised outside those times they need to be at OSHC.

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## BEPS Community Events

### INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC AT BEPS

BEPS offers the opportunity for children to learn a range of musical instruments and places are still available for 2017. Learning an instrument allows students to develop social, creative and coordination skills that will help them in other parts of their lives – it's also a lot of fun!

Instrumental music lessons take place during school hours with an experienced team of private tutors and include the following instruments – Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Recorder, Classical or Modern Guitar, Ukelele, Piano, Percussion and Singing.

If you are interested in lessons please contact the appropriate tutor listed below – we'd love to hear from you!

Katherine Anderson      Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Recorder, Classical Guitar  
[keanderson78@gmail.com](mailto:keanderson78@gmail.com)

Liam Gerner (Uke4Kids)   Ukelele  
[info@uke4kids.com](mailto:info@uke4kids.com)

Nick Goulding              Piano  
[nickgouldingmusic@yahoo.com](mailto:nickgouldingmusic@yahoo.com)

Julian Goyma                Drums, Electric & Acoustic Guitar, Bass Guitar  
[j.goyma@gmail.com](mailto:j.goyma@gmail.com)

Emma Bathgate            Singing  
[embathgate@gmail.com](mailto:embathgate@gmail.com)



#### **Brunswick East Primary School Community Facebook Page**

The BEPS Facebook page is for parents and carers of current students only. It's a place we can share everyday information about school events, services relevant to the BEPS community and to record and reflect on school activities.

To join search for Brunswick East Primary School Community and send a message including the name of one of your kids and their learning community.

When you have been approved to join please ensure you read the guidelines. These are enforced to ensure the page is a safe place for positive engagement and community building.

Please note this page isn't an official school communication channel and is moderated by a rotating group of parent volunteers.

## MULTIVERSE - The MOVIE – now on VIMEO

Have you been waiting to relive the 2016 School concert!  
(and I bet you have, as it was so UNREAL! )

You can now watch the whole thing on VIMEO and there's a bonus BEHIND the SCENES mini video too. <https://vimeo.com/202724642>

The link is at the BEPS Vimeo page <https://vimeo.com/201805663>  
But you'll need the password...

Please **make a DONATION** towards the arts and music program here at BEPS - just pop notes or gold coins in this here box and someone at the front office will hand you the secret password for your personal use.

### Friday Market Dates: TERM 1 2017



Feb 17	Orizzonte
Feb 24	Il Nido
March 3	Garden
March 10	Bicicletta
March 17	Alveare
March 24	Su Nei Cieli
March 31	<b>(No Market Last day Term 1)</b>

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's background and their outcomes.

### CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is:

- \$125 for primary school students
- \$225 for secondary school students.

### HOW TO APPLY

Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

### MORE INFORMATION

For the CSEF application closing dates and more information about the fund visit [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)



## Community Ads

The Moreland School Holiday program information and enrolment forms will be available for the **April 2017 School Holiday Program from Friday 17 February 2017, 5pm, bookings will close on Friday 3 March 2017.**

Families are able to make a casual booking via our online booking system by visiting council's website **from Friday 17 February 2017, 5pm.**

For those wanting to use a hard copy

Forms are available from:

- Local Primary Schools in the municipality;
- Council's website and;
- Citizens Services Centres – Monday to Friday between 8.30 am to 5.00 pm.
  - Coburg Offices, 90 Bell Street, Coburg
  - Brunswick Offices, 233 Sydney Road, and
  - Glenroy, 796N Pascoe Vale Road, Glenroy

If you have difficulty accessing the information and enrolment forms or general queries, please contact Council on Ph: 9240 1111.

Thanks and regards

**Regards**

**Mena Matheas & Shanel Di Salle**

School Holiday Program Officer

Moreland City Council

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Mena: Monday to Wednesday 9.30am to 5pm

Shanel: Wednesday to Friday 9.30am to 5pm



Hello!

My name is Morris. I am the manager of D1'UNO: BEPS Lunch order provider.

Sponsor me and you'll help me achieve so much!

Today, 35 Australians will get the news they have blood cancer. That's another 35 reasons to support the Leukaemia Foundation's work.

Link to

<https://secure.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/registant/mobile/mobilePersonalPage.aspx?RegistrationID=659756&Referrer=direct%2fnone>





# *Merri's Magical Gum Morning*

*Discover the magic of nature at  
Merri Park under the gum trees at a  
fun family event:*

**Merri Park**

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2017**

**10am - 12 noon**

Off Winifred St, Northcote (look for the flags)

**Melways 30 C8**

***Wurundjeri Djirri Djirri Dancers***

***Wurundjeri Welcome to Country***

***Gum Tree SkinArt***

***Trash Puppets - Clean Up Australia Day***

***Walk-in butterfly enclosure***

***Weaving with local grasses (Poa)***

***Live frog & water bugs***

***Sacred Kingfisher colouring activity***

***Coffee van & snacks***

For more information contact MCMC on 9380 8199 or [angela@mcmc.org.au](mailto:angela@mcmc.org.au)



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