



# Shepparton East Primary School Newsletter

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## DATES TO REMEMBER

### April

- Thu 18th Curriculum Day - No students at school
- Mon 22nd School Photo Day
- Tue 23rd Prep 2025 Small Group Tours and Information Session 10am and 4.30pm
- Thu 25th Anzac Day - Public Holiday
- Mon 29-9 GSSC Tours (See flyer Pg 5)

### May

- Thu 2nd Prep 2025 Small Group Tours and Information Session 10am and 4.30pm
- Fri 3rd EGPSSA Cross Country - Qualifying students
- Tue 7th Cultural Performance - Slice of Vaudelle
- GSSC Information night 6pm and Tours from 5.30pm (see flyer pg 5)
- Notre Dame College Open Day
- Wed 8th First Aid in Schools program—Yrs P-2 & 3/4G
- Thurs 9th First Aid in Schools program - Yrs 3-6
- Fri 10th Division Cross Country - Qualifying students
- Mother's Day Breakfast
- Mother's Day Stall
- Thurs 16th Education Week Open Day Afternoon
- Fri 17th Division Winter sports (Yr 5/6)
- Thurs 30th VSSS Choir Rehearsal (SEPS)
- June
- Mon 3rd - Thurs 6th Book Fair
- Mon 10th Kings Birthday - Public Holiday
- Fri 14th Region Cross Country - Qualifying Students
- Tue 18-21 Yr 5/6 Camp - Cottage by the Sea
- Thurs 27 Reports sent home
- Fri 28th Final day for Term 2 - 2.30pm finish

Wednesday 17th April 2024

### **DIRECT BANK DEPOSIT**

**Account Name:** Shepparton East Primary School  
**BSB:** 063—527 **Account number:** 00907665

Please ensure you include family name and payment description as reference.

### **CURRENTLY DUE BACK**

- BBQ Orders
- Yr 5/6 Camp—Cottage By The Sea

## **NEW LUNCH ORDER APP QKR**

The QKR App has Shepparton East Primary School loaded and is ready for families to order.

Commencing next Friday 26th April, we will be using the App QKR for lunch orders. Further details and instructions have been sent out via Compass today. Any queries, please contact the office.

Families/carers can access the QKR App to input child/student profiles and **view the menu or place an order from today [Wed 17 APRIL](#)**



## From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents,

Welcome back everyone to an exciting Term 2. I hope you all had a relaxing break catching up with friends and family and are refreshed and ready for a busy Term. Some of our planned activities include: School Photos, ANZAC Day celebrations, 2025 Prep Tours, Cultural Performance, Mothers Day Stall, First Aid In Schools Program, Education Week Open Day Afternoon, Yr 5/6 Camp and Book Fair.



### Easter Raffle

Congratulations to the following winners of our Easter Raffle held at the end of last term, raising just over \$2000 towards our camp costs:

Meredith Lonie, Sammy Murphy, Audrey Murphy, Zarli Emmi, John Morgan, Wendy Cook, Charlie Comensoli, Zane Jinnette, Cooper West-Pummeroy, Siobhan Dunstone, Karen Fabris, Sammy Murphy, Ellis Family, Karen Fabris, Ellis Family, Natalie Pennisi, Ollie Laws, Willow Boumbis Jess Flasz, Alannah Stephens, Sam Dainton, Willow Maher, Prue Mactier, Tilly Lindsay, Sarah Hardwick, Colleen Wilkinson, Alix Betts, Michelle Castle-Singh, Sam Dainton, Mia Said, Lucas Pennisi, Peter Vance, Meg Scott and Mason Moloney.

### Curriculum Day—Thursday 18th April

All staff will be attending a Professional Learning day this Thursday 18th April (first week Term 2).

Students will not be required at school on this day.

TheirCare will be operating for the day for anyone wishing to utilize this service.

### BBQ lunch

Orders for this Friday's BBQ lunch are due in by 3:30pm this afternoon (Wednesday 17th April)

### Lunch Order APP

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### 2025 Prep Enrolment information

2025 Prep enrolments are now open.

Small group tours: Tuesday 23rd April @ 10:00am and 4:30pm  
Thursday 2nd May @ 10:00am and 4:30pm

If you know of any families who are considering SEPS for 2025, please pass on this information.

Current families with a child who will commence Prep in 2025 are also welcome to attend or simply pick up an enrolment form from the office.



### School Photos

School photos will take place on the morning of Monday 22nd April (Week 2, Term 2)

Order your photos via Compass now. Families who would like to order special group photos (School Captains, Junior School Council or Year 6 Care Teams) can grab the special group photo envelope from the office as these are unable to be ordered via Compass.

### ANZAC Day Ceremony

Our School Captains will be representing our school at the ANZAC Day Service and Wreath Laying Ceremony on Tuesday 25th April at the Shepparton Cenotaph/Memorial.

We will hold an ANZAC Day Service here at school on Friday 26th April at 10:45am, all welcome to attend.

### Mother's Day Stall

Mother's Day is celebrated on Sunday 12th May. Parents and Friends will be seeking donations for the Mother's Day stall which will be held on Friday 10th May.

### Mother's Day Breakfast

We are inviting all of our mums/special persons to enjoy a Mother's Day breakfast here at school on Friday 10th May from 7:30am—8:30am. Our School Councillors will be cooking bacon and egg rolls. Coffee and tea will also be available. Numbers of attendees are required for catering purposes, please contact the office if you are attending.

We are also welcoming any donations of bacon, eggs or rolls. If you are able to assist, please contact the office.

### Education Week Open Day Afternoon

On Thursday 16th May we are inviting parents to join us for some fun activities to celebrate Education Week.

Students will rotate through three sessions of different activities.

Session times: 10am-11am, 11:30am-12:30pm and 1:15pm-2:15pm.

Looking forward to seeing many of you there.

### Year 5/6 Camp—Cottage By The Sea (Queenscliff)

Our Year 5/6 students will head off to Queenscliff towards the end of Term 2 from Tuesday 18th June to Friday 21st June.

Les Walsh  
**Principal**

## Education Week: Spotlight on STEM

Join us for Shepparton East Primary School's Education Week Open Day on **Thursday May 16th!** This year, our theme is "Spotlight on STEM." Parents are welcome to attend and participate in fantastic STEM activities that promote understanding of science, technology, robotics and problem-solving.

- Date: Thursday, May 16th
- Times: 10:00 am - 11:00 am, 11:30 am - 12:30 pm, 1:15 pm - 2:15 pm

(Students will rotate through three STEM activities in different classrooms within their year level) during this time.

Don't miss this opportunity to explore the exciting world of STEM with your child! We look forward to seeing you there.



## Shepparton East Primary School

Photo Day 2024

Date Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April

To Order Photos:

Order via the Compass Portal.

Order your School Photos before midnight Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April

Late Orders can be accepted after 29<sup>th</sup> April by ordering online via the Compass Portal or by contacting 03 5482 3190. All late orders incur an extra \$20 for postage and handling.

Family Photos - Please order online prior to photo day using the Compass Portal.

  
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admin.mrr@misp.com.au  
www.misp.com.au

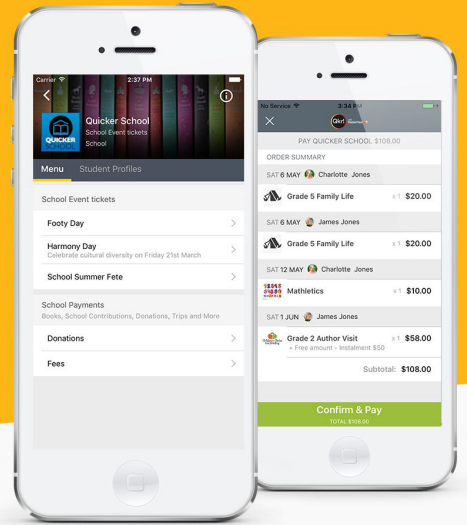


For quicker, hassle-free school payments, try Qkr! today

Introducing Qkr! (pronounced 'quicker') by MasterCard, the secure and easy way to order and pay for school items from your phone at a time and place that suits you.

With Qkr you can:

- Order and pay for your child's lunches, reducing the need to bring cash to school;



Getting started is easy - try it yourself today

### Step 1 Download Qkr!

on your Android phone or iPhone. iPad users can download iPhone app



### Step 2 Register

Select your Country of Residence as 'Australia' and follow the steps to register

### Step 3 Find our school

Our school will appear in 'Nearby Locations' if you're within 10km's of the school, or search for our school by name.

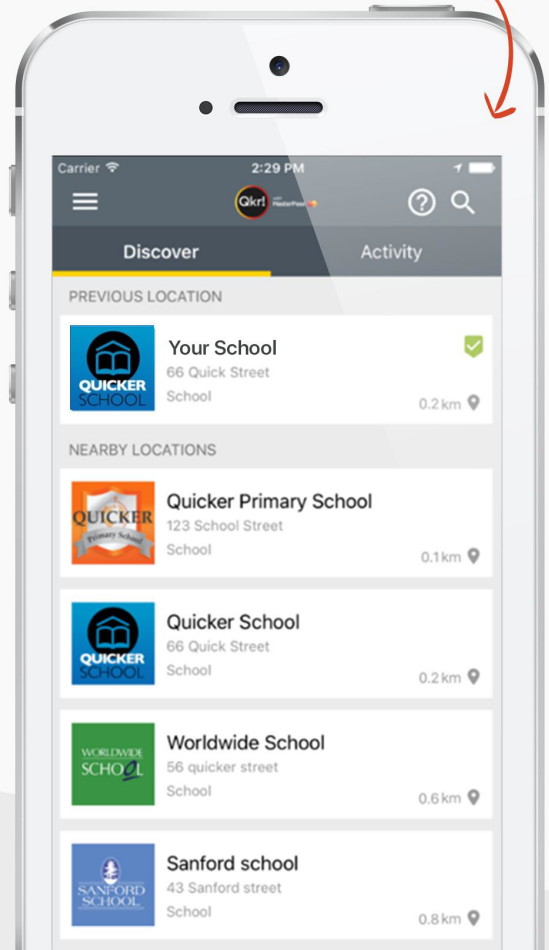
### Step 4 Register your children

When first accessing our school you will be prompted to add a student profile for your child. This allows you to make orders and payments for them.

Search for our school name

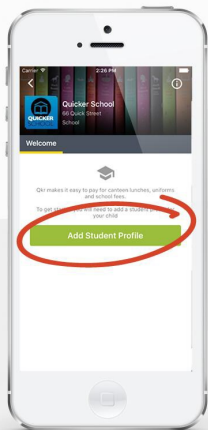
If you have made a purchase you can select our school from 'Previous Location'

If you're within 10 kms of the school, you can select our school from 'Nearby Locations'

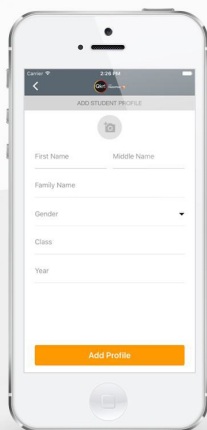


## Add your children's details in Student Profiles

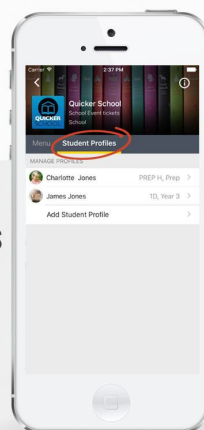
Select 'Add student profile'



Add each child's details

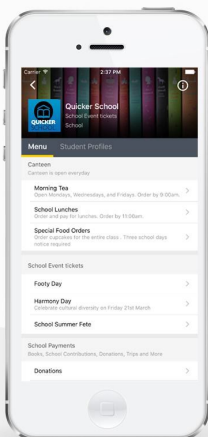


Manage each child's details in Student Profiles

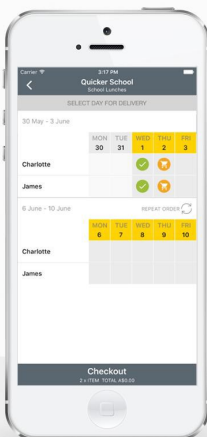


## Order meals

Select a menu from our canteen

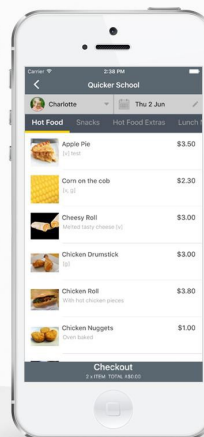


Tap the green tick to view your receipt or to cancel an order



Select a date for a child and order a meal

Tap 'Repeat order' to copy all paid orders from one week to the next



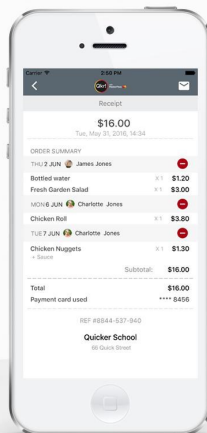
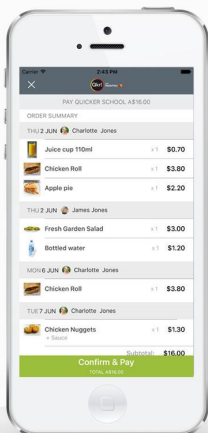
Tap to change the child you are ordering for

Tap to change the date you are ordering for

Tap 'Checkout' then confirm and pay

## Making payments

Add up to 5 cards to your wallet



At checkout select which card to pay with.

Pay with any cards accepted by the school.

Once your payment is approved you can continue to the home page, or view your receipt.

# SHEPPARTON EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL 2025 ENROLMENTS

OPEN FROM 15<sup>th</sup> April

**OPEN CLASSROOMS: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>  
March**

**9:15-10:00 & 11:45-12:30**

**Small Group Tours:**

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April & Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup>  
May 10am & 4.30pm**

**(Phone 5829 2426 to book a time)**



## AT SHEPPARTON EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL, WE OFFER:

- A supportive and active school community who strive to create a vibrant and inclusive environment for our students to learn.
- Programs that support, teach and acknowledge positive student behaviour and learning.
- A strong focus on building student, teacher and family relationships to create supportive networks that are child centered and enable our children to be their best self.
- Excellent student learning outcomes that demonstrate the academic learning styles and needs of our children.

*State Schools are Great Schools* and the schools in the Shepparton Network work together to ensure that your child will receive the same high level of learning and support at each and every school. All students are entitled to attend their closest local school and it is the strong opinion of Principals that your closest school is the best school for you. In exceptional circumstances, an alternative school may be appropriate. You may be able to enrol in a school that is not your designated neighbourhood school. In this situation, please meet with your local Principal to discuss your schooling options. To find your designated neighbourhood school, please go to: <https://www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au/>

For more information about our school, or to make an appointment to speak with our Principal Les Walsh, please call our office on 58292426 or visit our website [www.shepeastps.vic.edu.au](http://www.shepeastps.vic.edu.au)



## THINKING OF ENROLLING IN YEAR 7 AT GSSC IN 2025?



### WHAT WE OFFER...

#### JOIN OUR INFORMATION NIGHT

Families of Year 6 students are encouraged to join us for a talk and tour of GSSC on Tuesday 7th May. Tours will be hosted by our College Leaders from 5.30pm with the information session taking place from 6pm to 7pm.

#### TALK AND TOUR GSSC

Families can also come and see for themselves, the wonderful teaching and learning that takes place at GSSC by booking a tour on one of the following dates:

- Monday April 29 | Thursday May 2 | Monday May 6 |  
Thursday May 9 - 9:30am-10:15am
- Tuesday April 30 | Wednesday May 1 | Tuesday May 7 |  
Wednesday May 8 - 2:15pm-3:00pm

**GREATER FACILITIES** Greater support

**Greater pathways** GREATER OPPORTUNITIES

**WE ARE GREATER TOGETHER!**



Scan HERE to  
register!  
or call 5891 2000

To take a virtual tour of our college, visit [www.gssc.vic.gov.au](http://www.gssc.vic.gov.au)

# Undera the Stars

UNDERA RECREATION RESERVE  
1915 ECHUCA ROAD, UNDERA  
SATURDAY 11 MAY  
6:00PM - 10:00PM



LIVE MUSIC ACTS

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MADI COLVILLE-WALKER

## THE WILDLINGS WILDWOOD FOLK TRIO

FREE BBQ    FAMILY FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES    FOOD TRUCKS  
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SCAN FOR  
MORE DETAILS



Let's work together to improve our community!  
Shepparton East are looking for new members to be part of a Community Planning Group.

The Shepparton East Community Planning group are inviting you all to a Neighbour Day Community BBQ.

When: Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2024

Where: Central Park Recreation Reserve in Shepparton East

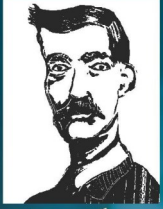
Time: 6:00 - 8:00 pm



- Are you passionate about your local community?
- What are your priorities for Shepparton East?
- Would you like to join the community group?

Bring your families and get to know your neighbours and community while you enjoy a sizzling sausage

**We'd love to see you all there!**



# Furphy Literary Award

## Submissions now open

Short story and poetry competition for juniors and youth age writers who live in the Goulburn Valley.

Competition open from March 1 – May 31, 2024.

[furphyliteraryaward.com.au/junioryouth](http://furphyliteraryaward.com.au/junioryouth)



# FOR the KICKS



# come find your awesome

Register today [play.afl/auskick](http://play.afl/auskick)



## ART, CRAFT & GARAGE SALE

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2024 8am to 2pm

@ Shepparton Lifestyle Village, 65 Channel Road, Shepparton

2<sup>nd</sup> Entrance, (Eastern end)



2 weeks before Mother's Day

# Shepparton East Football Netball Club 2024 Junior Football Program

## “Come fly with the EAGLES”

Auskick skills based sessions for ages 5-10years each week of Term 2

**UNDER 10's** playing in Goulburn Murray Junior League

**UNDER 12's** playing in Goulburn Murray Junior League

**UNDER 14's** playing in Kyabram District League

**UNDER 18's** playing in Kyabram District League

SEFNC is seeking kids of all ages and abilities to join our 2024 junior program. Our club prides itself on providing an inclusive, family friendly environment. Our junior program is well resourced with an experienced coaching team who will support your child's football development.



For further information contact Justin Davies, Junior Development Officer on 0422 441 247 or go to the clubs Facebook page.