

# Belvoir Special School Newsletter



Dear Parents/Carers/Friends,

What beautiful weather we've had for week 9! This week students across the school have enjoyed being able to be out and about in the sunshine. It was brighter than the sun here at Belvoir on Thursday the 12th, we had lots of fun learning experiences happening across the school to acknowledge RU OK day on Thursday and we saw lots of great yellow outfits! It was great to see classes enjoying a silent disco and there were some awesome dance moves on display. It was wonderful to see classes engaged in explicit teaching around ways to check in with your friends.

Next week is our last week of term 3. We will have a 2pm finish on Friday the 20th of September & to celebrate the last day of term the SRC are holding a "SPORTS COLOURS" dress-up day. We look forward to seeing lots of wonderful sports colours on show to celebrate a wonderful term!

**Nicole Ledger**  
Assistant Principal - Belvoir SDS







# School Bulletin

## DATES TO REMEMBER, 2024

- **WELLBEING WEEK and R U OK? DAY CELEBRATIONS** – Week 9 (September 9th to the 13th)
- **SCHOOL ASSEMBLY**– Friday 13th September @2.15pm
- **LAST DAY OF TERM 3**– Friday 20th September, School will finish at 2pm
- **SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL FUNDRAISER**– Friday 20th September–Sport colours can be worn. Gold coin donation
- **SCHOOL PHOTOS**– Wednesday 16th October



Last day of  
SCHOOL



**BUS PHONE NUMBERS**

**BUS 1:** 0460 935 609

**BUS 2:** 0460 875 492

**BUS 3:** 0460 896 490

**BUS 4:** 0460 869 012

**Belvoir Bus:** 0431 756 813

*The*  **CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
**ALBURY WODONGA**

RSVP BY 13TH SEPTEMBER





# Ask RUOK?™ ANY DAY



Thursday 12th September, we asked that students/staff wear yellow







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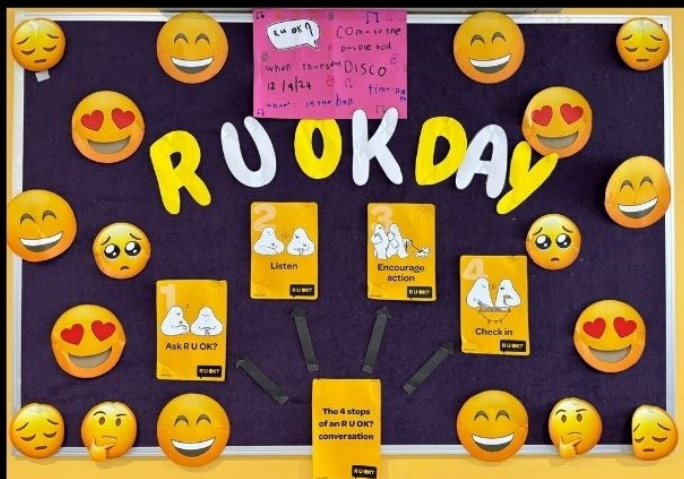
I'm **here**  
to **hear**



**R U OK?Day** provided an ideal opportunity for our students and staff to learn, connect and have some fun in recognition of the importance of being a good friend and regularly checking in on each other. On Thursday we had a wonderful time at our disco. It was a hit!



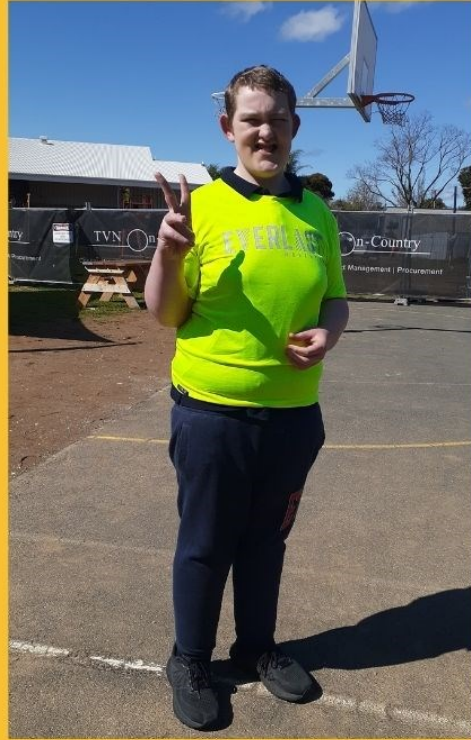






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# R U OK?

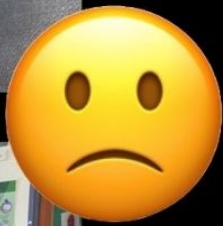


**R U OK?**<sup>TM</sup>





# ASK RUOK?™







# RUOK?™

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## ROOM 11 NEWS

Chloe, Laura, Shirl, Robyn



During performing arts, we have been doing role plays to act out different scenes.

For a few weeks we were exploring different scenes of the Murray River to tie in with our term topic- Our river the Murray. A student is exploring a light that was set up in one of those scenes to signify the moonlight. Another student is on the phone taking a

fake order in our McDonalds scene. The students have absolutely loved exploring new scenes every week.

We had an amazing book week in Room 11. We had so many amazing costumes and the staff all dressed up as well, the students all loved the book week parade and showing off their costumes.

This week we went on an excursion to Noriel park.

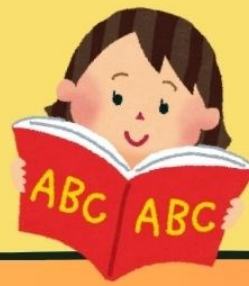
We went to the playground out the front of the river front café and played some games. Our students did an amazing job of following school values.





# ROOM 5 NEWS

Elle, Jo, Maddi

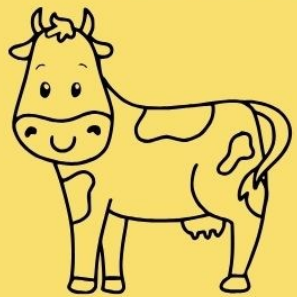


We can't believe Term 3 is almost at its end, we have had so much fun kicking off the second half of the year! Our Book Week parade and dress-ups were a definite highlight for the whole team, Fairy Godmothers included!

We have been consolidating all our literacy skills we've been working diligently on throughout the year, especially letter-sound recognition, full sentences, and letter formation. Math has been all about number, addition and subtraction, and our Class Garden has been thriving as we continue to look at 'Farm' for Term Topic! For Father's Day/Special Person's Day we decorated personalised mugs.



This week was R-U-OK Day, our beautiful Room 5 poster can be seen in the office. Swimming lessons wrap up next Monday, and we are beginning to work on our performance for the End-Of-Year Concert- Stay tuned for more info soon!





# ROOM 18 NEWS

Jo, Jacinta, Michaeli, Bridget, Morgan

It has been a very productive term, with students working hard in all areas of their learning. In Literacy we have focussed on a range of text types and practised writing poetry, narratives, persuasive texts and informal letters.

In Maths, we have covered the topics of shape, location, position and made a start on addition and subtraction. Students enjoyed following directions and hiding items for their peers to find, by using a map to pinpoint the correct location.

During our Term topic of 'Festivals' we have learnt about many different countries and their cultural celebrations.

Students have enjoyed researching and making a PowerPoint presentation of a chosen 'festival' of interest.



Our class have attended several outings this term, including the Albury Library Museum, Jindera Pioneer Museum, Yindyamarra Sculpture Walk and even a fun visit to Bounce. We are now looking forward to attending our Purple Pod camp to Blackwood next week, which will take us to the end of a successful term.







**The**  
**CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
**ALBURY WODONGA**

Dear Parent/Caregiver,

Your child has been offered an opportunity to attend this year's Children's Christmas Party

The party is only for children with disabilities and complex needs, where they can enjoy just being a 'kid' again, there will be lots of rides, face painting, activities, a 3 hour stage show, yummy food and of course, Santa and 3 presents, all provided completely **FREE!**

This year's party is being held at:

**The Wodonga Sport & Leisure Centre**  
**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2024**  
**10am – 1pm**

If you are interested in your child attending this year's Party, please send this form back to your school or organisation that informed you about the Party. Your school or organisation will then get in touch with the organisers of the Christmas Party to register your interest and perhaps you might be lucky to receive an invitation!

To see what happens at a Party, please have a look at some of the videos on our website: [sccpau.com.au](http://sccpau.com.au) and if you have any further questions about the event, you may visit: [sccpau.com.au/faqparents](http://sccpau.com.au/faqparents).

**Remember, this is only a request for an invitation, not a guarantee that you will receive one. You will be advised by your school or organisation at the end of September if you are successful in obtaining an invite.** Each year, we have over 2,000 requests for children to attend and it's not possible to accommodate that many children.

This form needs to be back to your school or organisation before 13<sup>th</sup> September 2024.

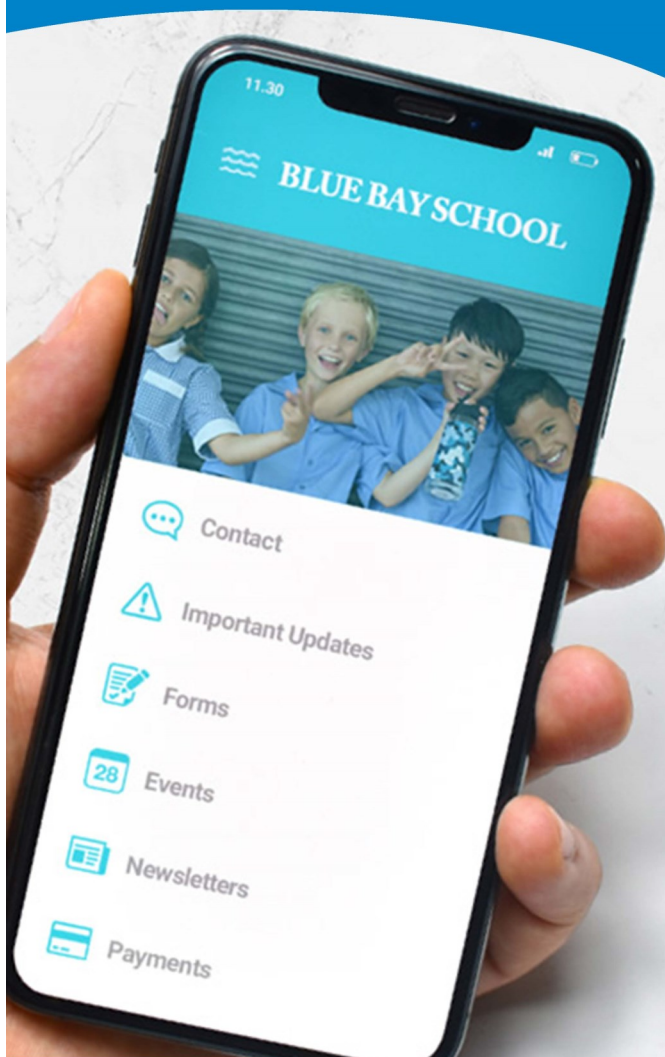
Yes, I would like to register my interest for my child to attend.

Child's Name: .....

Age: ..... (must be under 12 years)



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