

CARRANBALLAC P-9 COLLEGE

Newsletter



TERM 3 CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

Monday 26 August	Year 9 Outdoor Education You Yangs Excursion
Monday 26 August & Tuesday 27 August	JW Fathers' Day Stall
Tuesday 27 August	Point Cook District Primary Athletics Carnival
Wednesday 28 August & Thursday 29 August	BW Fathers' Day Stall
Friday 30 August	Fathers' and Special Persons Afternoon
Tuesday 3 September	BW 5/6 Specialist Showcase Afternoon
Wednesday 4 September	BW & JW Foundation Wildlife in Action Incursion JW 5/6 Specialist Showcase Afternoon
Friday 6 September	Grandparents & Special Friends Morning BW and JW Year 7 Big Sister Workshop
Monday 9 September - Wednesday 11 September	BW Year 3/4 Arrabri Lodge Camp
Tuesday 10 September	BW Year 1/2 Lets Explore Plants Incursion
Thursday 11 September	JW Year 1/2 Lets Explore Plants Incursion
Friday 20 September	Primary Assembly, 2:30pm in Gym Last Day Term 3, 3pm finish.



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Jamieson Way Campus
Cnr Jamieson Way &
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Point Cook

VISION:

One College,
Infinite Possibilities,
Working Together,
Embracing the Future

MISSION:

Our College fosters
excellence in life long
learners who are
resilient, connected and
respectful

PRINCIPALS' REPORT

JUSTINE RYAN, BRETT WATSON &
JANELLE BARKER



Dear Families,

The past two weeks have been filled with exciting events and important learning experiences at our school, and we are pleased to share some highlights with you.

Our **Olympic Dress-Up Day** was a vibrant celebration that brought the whole school together. Students dressed as their favourite athletes, embodying the Olympic spirit and celebrating diversity and excellence. It was a joy to see the creativity and enthusiasm that went into each costume.

On Tuesday, 13th August, our Year 9 basketball teams participated in the **Hobson's Bay competition**. The students displayed outstanding teamwork and determination, making us all proud of their efforts on the court. On Thursday 20th August, our Year 8 basketball teams took part in their own competition, showing the same level of dedication and sportsmanship. Both events were a testament to the hard work our students have put into their sport's training.

The **Western Metropolitan Region Netball Competition** in Geelong saw our Grade 5/6 team representing the school with pride. The level of skill and commitment displayed by our players was commendable, and they earned accolades for their performance and sportsmanship.

The **Grade 5/6 Scienceworks Excursion** was a resounding success, sparking curiosity and wonder as our students explored the interactive exhibits. The hands-on learning experiences provided a fantastic opportunity for our young scientists to engage with complex concepts in a fun and engaging way.

On Wednesday, our Student Leaders participated in the **Future Wyndham Project Workshop** at the Wyndham City Council Offices. The workshop was an invaluable experience, as our leaders engaged with the community to help inform the Wyndham 2050 Vision. This long-term vision will underpin the Council's focus in the years to come, and we are proud of our students' contributions to shaping the future of our community. Issues discussed included racism, youth crime and public transport among others.

Our Year 9 students in the **Kitchen Culture elective class** had an enriching learning experience during their **Restaurant Excursion to Bar Thyme** in Footscray. They enjoyed a three-course meal and engaged in a Q&A session with the head chef, Howard. This excursion allowed them to see firsthand how the skills they've learned in class can be applied in a professional environment and beyond.

Last Friday, our staff came together for a **Curriculum Day** dedicated to professional learning. We engaged in significant work focused on strengthening our school culture, refining our guaranteed and viable curriculum, and enhancing student wellbeing. These sessions are critical in ensuring that we continue to provide a high-quality, supportive learning environment for all our students.

We also held our regular **Primary and Secondary Assemblies** during this period, where we celebrated the achievements of our students and reinforced the values that are at the core of our school community.

As always, we are grateful for the ongoing support of our families and the broader community, which plays a vital role in the success of our school. We look forward to the weeks ahead as we continue to strive for excellence in all that we do.

Responsibility

House Colour Teams: School Yard Cleanliness

Congratulations to the Term 2 House Colour team winners for their outstanding efforts in keeping the school yard clean!

Boardwalk

RAAF

Jamieson Way

Sea Eagles



The students in these House Colours received the most points over Term 2 for helping to keep our yard clean. They were rewarded with fun activities Thursday afternoon. Keep up the great work and stay tuned to see which House Colours will win for Term 3!





Why should we look after our school yard?

Ava 5/6M - We need to keep the environment rubbish free to help keep the wildlife safe

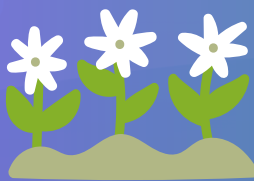
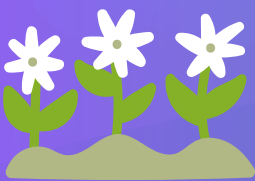
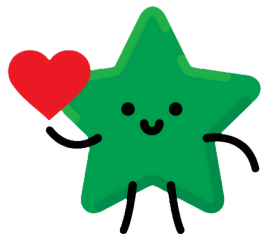
Ava 1/2M - So turtles don't eat plastic because they think it is jellyfish

Aria 1/2L - It will look nice if we keep the yard clean

Matilda 1/2M - To help keep the animals around us staying safe

Arhaan FK- We will get a stamp if we help pick up rubbish

William 1/2L - It will not be good for nature if we have rubbish lying around





HOUSE COLOUR TEAMS - YARD CLEANLINESS WEEK 5 TERM 3



We appreciate all students at Carranballac P-9 College for their ongoing efforts in keeping our school yard clean and well-maintained. Your help in creating a welcoming environment and taking pride in our school grounds is greatly valued. Please remember to take responsibility by putting your own litter in the bin and encourage others to do the same!

WEEK 5: CURRENT HOUSE POINT TALLY

BOARDWALK

- 1st RAAF - 158
- 2nd Cheetham - 142
- 3rd Sea Eagles - 114
- 4th Golden Wattle - 101

JAMIESON WAY

- 1st Golden Wattle - 60
- 2nd Sea Eagles - 47
- 3rd RAAF - 29
- 4th Cheetham - 13



WEEK 5, TERM 3

ATTENDANCE DATA

We'd like to use the halfway point of Term 3 to reflect on the previous week's attendance data and celebrate the positives that we saw across the College.

Congratulations to 8J

8J continued on from their strong start of 99% in Week 1 and managed 95% attendance during Week 5. This was the highest attendance rate at the Jamieson Way Campus.

Congratulations to Foundation B

An enormous congratulations to **Foundation B** who ended Week 5 with an overall attendance rate of 97%, the highest seen across the entire College. This is a fantastic achievement and these students should be very proud!

Days with 100% Attendance

Well done to **8J** and **Foundation B** who both had 100% attendance for two days in Week 5. A special mention also goes to **Foundation A, Foundation K, 3/4D** and **8B** who accomplished 100% attendance for a day each.

Classes with Over 90%

Shout out to the classes below who all ended Week 5 with over 90% attendance:

Boardwalk

Foundation A **3/4D**
Foundation B **5/6A**
1/2A **7A**
1/2C **8A**
3/4/A
3/4B
3/4C

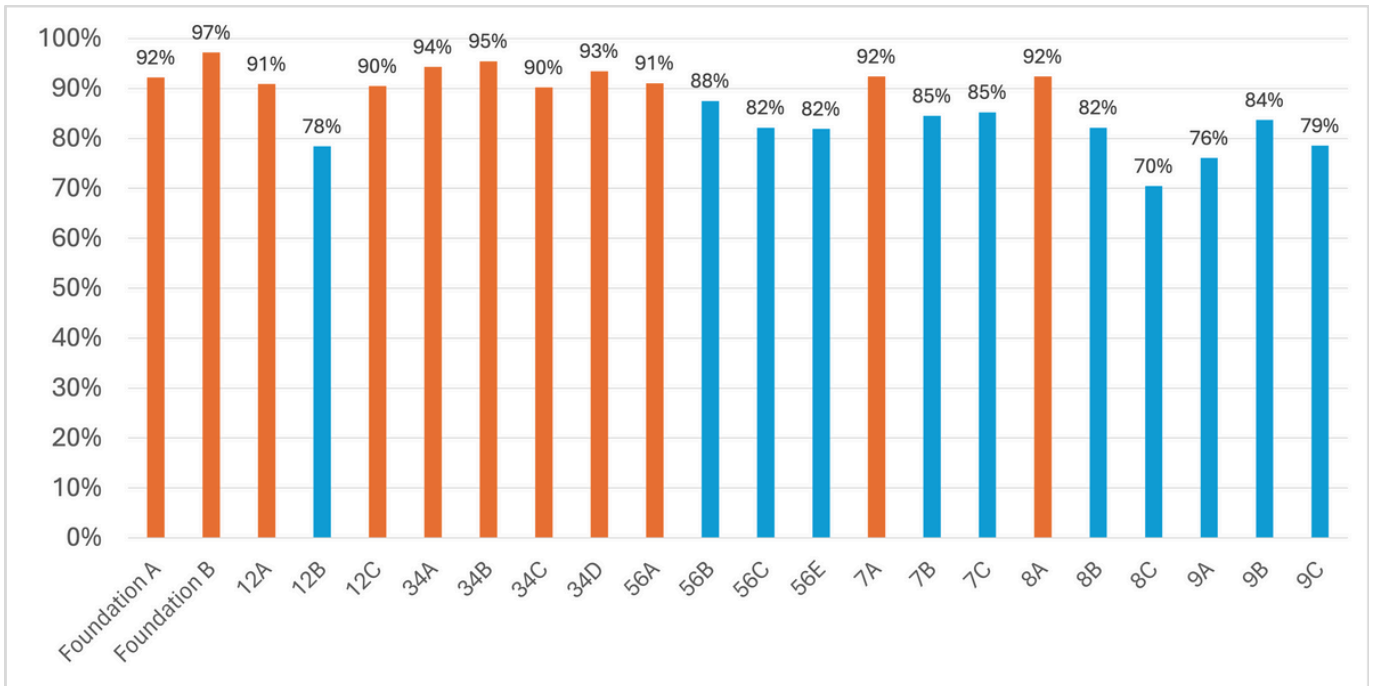
Jamieson Way

Foundation K
5/6M
8J

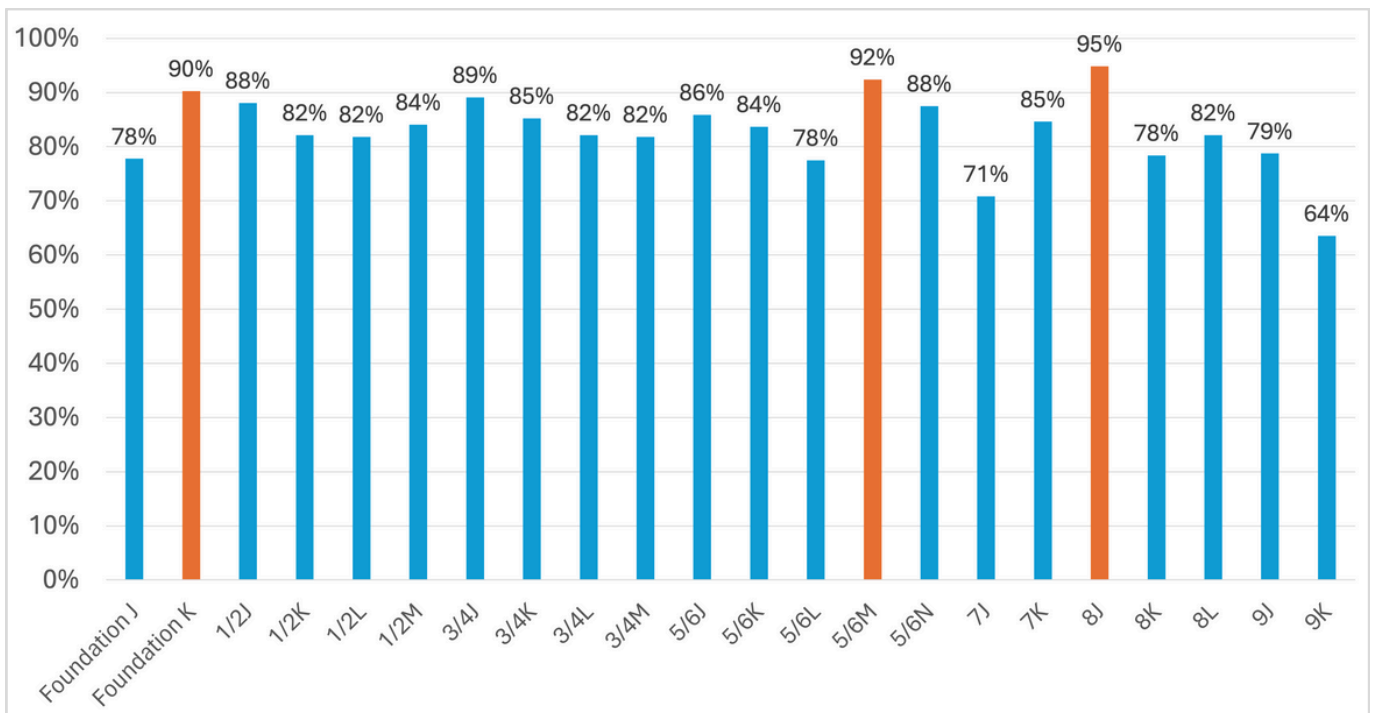
Thank you to all of our families for making this great week possible. The attendance data for the whole school is on the next page so that you can see how your class is going.

If you ever feel attendance is an issue for your family, our school is always more than happy to support you to address this. Please reach out to your child's classroom/homeroom teacher or call the office on (03) 9395 3533 to discuss further.

Boardwalk - Week 5



Jamieson Way - Week 5



Western Metropolitan Region Year 5/6 Mixed Netball

On August 9th, 2024, our Year 5/6 mixed netball team proudly represented Carranballac College at the Western Metropolitan Region competition held at the Geelong Sports Hub. Throughout a busy day filled with challenging matches, the team showcased exceptional teamwork and sportsmanship. A highlight of their day was a notable win over Tarneit P-9, which demonstrated their skill and determination. Despite their best efforts and a strong performance overall, they were unfortunately not able to advance to the next stage of the competition. However, they should be immensely proud of their achievements and the significant progress they made as a team. Their commitment and enthusiasm were evident, and their positive spirit made the day a memorable experience for all.



SPORT REPORT

PRIMARY POINT COOK DISTRICT ATHLETICS



Congratulations to all the following students for making the Carranballac primary athletics team to compete at the Point Cook District athletics carnival on Tuesday the 27th of August.

Name	Age Group	Events
Harper L 3/4B	9/10 Girls	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, high jump, triple jump, relay
Nicha S 3/4J	9/10 Girls	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, long jump triple jump, relay
Kaia B 3/4C	9/10 Girls	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, relay
Jorge P M 3/4L	9/10 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 100m triple jump, relay
Kelvin M 3/4D	9/10 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, relay
Ceza P N 3/4J	9/10 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, long jump triple jump, relay
Jaelyn T-L 5/6J	11 Girls	Hurdles, 100m, relay
Frankie J 5/6K	11 Girls	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, relay
Amity S 5/6K	11 Girls	Hurdles, 800m, 100m triple jump, relay
Macy P 5/6N	11 Girls	800m, discus triple jump
Adriel G 5/6A	11 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, high jump, long jump, relay
Reef B 5/6L	11 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 100m, high jump, long jump, triple jump, relay
Archie B 5/6A	11 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 100m triple jump, relay
Kelly A 5/6K	12 Girls	Hurdles, 800m, 200m, shotput, discus, relay
Matthew D 5/6M	12 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 200m, shotput
Alexandros A 5/6E	12 Boys	Hurdles, 800m, 200m
Otis Z 5/6A	12 Boys	Hurdles, 100m, relay
Arcelia C 5/6M	12 Girls	800m, 200m, high jump, long jump triple jump, relay
Viktor S 5/6J	12 Boys	800m 100m, high jump triple jump, relay
Etta A 3/4C	9/10 Girls	100m, long jump, relay
Graham Y 3/4D	9/10 Boys	100m, relay
Lilia R 5/6A	11 Girls	100m, relay
Cyrus M S 5/6C	11 Boys	100m, relay
Dennis M 5/6B	12 Boys	100m, high jump, long jump, long jump, relay
Ali M 3/4A	9/10 Girls	200m, shotput, high jump
Quorra G 3/4A	9/10 Girls	200m, shotput
Charlie-Grace S 3/4B	9/10 Girls	200m
Elina S 3/4J	9/10 Girls	200m
Brayden P 3/4K	9/10 Boys	200m, long jump
Matthew Q 3/4L	9/10 Boys	200m
Alex K 3/4M	9/10 Boys	200m, high jump
Louie P 3/4C	9/10 Boys	200m
Seraphina P 5/6C	11 Girls	200m, shotput, discus, high jump, long jump
Vivienne C 5/6N	11 Girls	200m, shotput
Soyule K 5/6E	11 Girls	200m
Tasneem H 5/6B	11 Girls	200m
Finn D 5/6L	11 Boys	200m, shotput, discus
Aydin Y 5/6L	11 Boys	200m
Jama H 5/6K	11 Boys	200m
Kobi S 5/6E	11 Boys	200m, shotput, discus
Yufei W 5/6C	12 Girls	200m
Alice N 5/6J	12 Girls	200m, discus
Valentino L 5/6L	12 Boys	200m
Xavier C 5/6E	12 Boys	200m
Lysander Y 3/4J	9/10 Boys	Shotput, discus
Mal Ikenasio T A 3/4M	9/10 Boys	Shotput, discus
River M-M 5/6L	12 Girls	Shotput, high jump, long jump, relay
Elijah T 5/6A	12 Boys	Shotput, discus
Joe H 5/6M	12 Boys	100m, discus triple jump, relay
Beau C 3/4A	9/10 Boys	High jump
Lynn-Ha L 5/6N	12 Girls	High jump, long jump triple jump, relay



SPORT REPORT

YEAR 9 INTERSCHOOL SPORT



Year 9 Interschool sport took place on Tuesday the 13th of August. Students dedicated time on Wednesday afternoons for Basketball and Table Tennis training, setting themselves up for success on the competition day. Our three basketball teams experienced mixed results, with the Jamieson Boys and Boardwalk girls winning 2 of their matches. The Boardwalk Boys unfortunately faced strong competition in their pool but still managed to win one of their matches.

A big congratulations to our Boardwalk Table Tennis Boys, who finished overall runners up on the day – eventually losing to Alamanda in a closely fought competition. Training on Wednesday afternoons from 3:15pm - 4:05pm will continue for our Year 7 and 8 students in preparation for their respective competition days. Congratulations to all students involved this term and to parents and guardians for supporting our sport program. Thank you again to all staff for coaching our students.



SPORT REPORT

YEAR 9 ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT EXCURSION

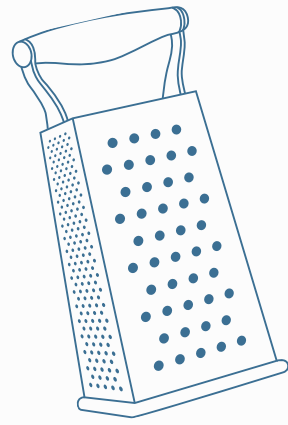


As part of their Athlete Development elective, Year 9 students at Boardwalk attended the Victorian Institute of Sport on Monday the 19th of August. VIS Sport Scientists took our students through real-life athlete examples and gave them exclusive insights into how athletes train, and how their performance in training and competition is closely monitored to ensure they reach their full potential. Our students participated in an interactive program and asked lots of sports specific and insightful questions. They were also given a tour of the facilities and were lucky enough to test out some of the equipment. Well done to all of our students who participated in this opportunity.



FOOD TECHNOLOGY

NEWS



YEAR 7

Year 7 students explored the basics of baking, creating a tasty Zucchini Slice and crispy Apple Turnovers. These recipes were a fantastic introduction to combining flavours and mastering basic cooking techniques.



Lila and Ella 7A

YEAR 8

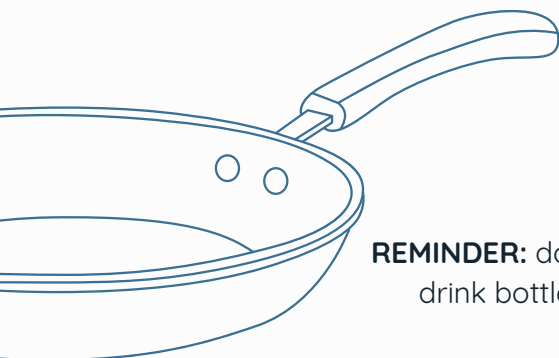
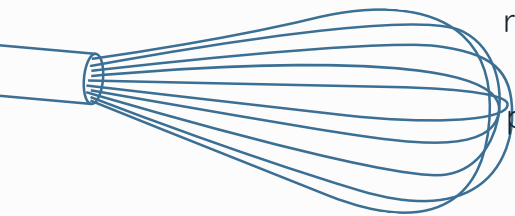
Year 8 students took on the challenge of preparing burgers and a comforting apple crumble. They learned about balancing flavours and the importance of texture in food preparation.



Leo & Oliver 8B

YEAR 9

Year 9 students advanced their culinary skills with more complex recipes. They crafted a creamy Chicken Leek Risotto and a savoury Philly Cheesesteak. These dishes required attention to detail and precision, giving students a chance to refine their cooking methods.



REMINDER: don't forget to come prepared for each session! Bring your container, fork, drink bottle, and pen, and ensure you are wearing the right protective footwear.

F-2 OLYMPICS DAY

ACTIVITIES



ON FRIDAY 9 AUGUST FOUNDATION TO YEAR 2 STUDENTS SHOWED OFF THEIR ATHLETIC SKILLS IN OLYMPIC- STYLE ACTIVITIES. IT WAS GREAT TO SEE STUDENTS BEING ACTIVE IN THE SUN!





BOOK WEEK

Little Bad Wolf Puppet Show





SPEECH PATHOLOGY DROP-IN

CLINIC TO OPEN!

I am very excited to announce that we will be running a drop-in style Speech Pathology clinic across both campuses. This is a free service available to all students and families at the College. This is to provide families with an opportunity to pop in and ask any questions they may have with regards to their child's learning, specific to Speech Pathology, including oral and written language, articulation (speech sounds), pragmatics (social language), fluency (stuttering) and literacy skills.

*The drop-in clinic will commence **Monday 26th of August** and run on the following days and times for the remainder of Term 3:*

Monday: 8.30am-9.30am and 2-4pm at the Boardwalk Campus

Tuesdays: 8.30am-9.30am and 2-4pm at the Jamieson Way Campus

*As we can't forecast how much interest we may have, we request that families initially call the College reception on **9395 3533** to book in for a 15-minute chat.*

If the above times do not suit but you wish to meet with me, I encourage you to call reception, and we can find an alternative time to suit.

I look forward to meeting with lots of families and working with them to support their child/ren's development!

Kaitlin Hughes

Speech Pathologist

Carranballac College

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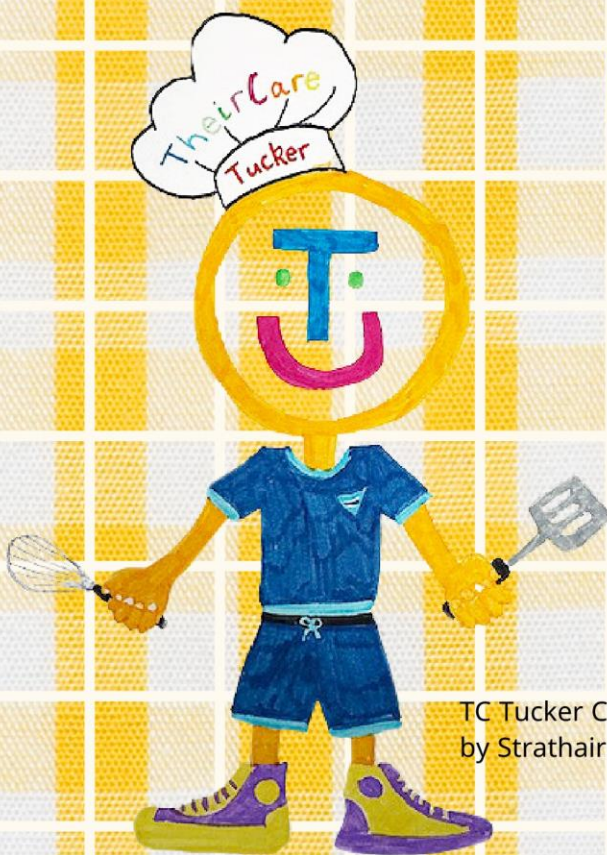


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