Our mission is to inspire the self belief and motivation in students that will enable them to achieve and grow.

WELCOME BACK TO EVERYONE
What a lovely, smooth and happy start to the school year we have had! A special warm welcome is extended to our new children and their families, especially our new preps, who completed their first week of school today.

Each year when we return, I am delighted see such happy and enthusiastic faces. Students seem to be well rested and keen to return to school after the holiday break. They have been all happily engaged in activities in their classroom and are enjoying getting to know one another in their new classes. A focus in all classrooms over the first few weeks of school is the creation and establishment of a positive, engaging learning environment where each child feels valued.

We are very fortunate to have such an outstanding staff at Carnegie Primary School who work tirelessly to ensure the very best for each child, ensuring they are supported and their individual needs are considered. Throughout the year, I hope we will share many opportunities of watching our students shine in many ways. Staff have been busy over recent weeks preparing for a smooth start to 2017 and I would like to thank you, the parents, for your efforts in preparing your children so well for the start of the school year.

We welcome seven new staff to Carnegie Primary School this year. Penny Bradley has returned as an ES officer to our Prep team this year and Michelle Tyzack supports the Year 1 team. Amy Carhart and Isabella Paholek have joined the Year 2 team as class teachers. Genevieve Murtagh has also returned to teach at CPS and is part of the Year 3 team. Jenni Spataro will be teaching in Year 5 with Ms Anna Remfry. Tyahnne Cogan will join us two days a week teaching Prep PE and as a part time support teacher. We are again counting ourselves very lucky to have enticed such capable people onto our staff.
This year, we again welcome many new families to Carnegie across a range of year levels. As well as our beautiful preps, we also welcome new children and families to other year levels at our school. I am sure the whole community joins me in welcoming you all to our school and I trust that your time with us is positive and enjoyable. I am certain that you will all quickly become part of our wonderful community.

In the coming weeks, parents will have a chance to meet staff informally before and after school and many of you will have chosen to attend tomorrow’s ‘You Tell Us’ afternoon. Parents have received an invitation to come up to school for this early get together with their child’s teacher. Invitations were sent home last week.

We encourage an open door policy at CPS and an invitation is extended to all parents to visit the school or ring, should you wish to discuss any issues, talk through a problem or just have a chat about their child at any time throughout the year. All parents will also receive an Information Booklet pertaining to each year level that will outline some of the more general ‘housekeeping’ items for each year level as we commence a new year.

As this is the first newsletter for the term, it is full of many ‘housekeeping’ items but I do strongly encourage families to take the time to read our fortnightly newsletter as it is an excellent form of communication. As in 2016, parents can choose to subscribe to an email copy or a more traditional paper copy.

SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS TO OUR PARENTS 😊
In the last few days of 2016 I was touched by the thoughtfulness of families. As a staff we received a number of cards with kind words acknowledging the efforts of our school; we also received some culinary delights to share. There are certainly some fine cooks within our community.

Belated thanks also are extended to those parents who prepared delicious food for the staff luncheon on the last day. All staff thoroughly enjoyed the fantastic fare that was prepared for them. We all enjoyed this lunch along with Kris Kringle festivities. It was a lovely way to end our year together. We still have a few bowls, platters and serving spoons in the staffroom that may belong to parents who cooked for us. We have once again seen wonderful volunteers. Last Thursday a small number of our PFA mums welcomed the new Prep parents after they said farewell to their children.

LOVELY NEWS TO SHARE AS WE COMMENCE 2017
Our grade 6 teacher, Miss Sarah Lockett, shared the lovely news with us that she and her partner, Andrew, announced their engagement over the holiday break. I am sure you will join me in congratulating Sarah and Andrew on this lovely news.

OUR SCHOOL’S GOALS & PRIORITIES
As part of the rigorous DET Accountability, our school wrote a new Strategic Plan in 2014 which still guides our school’s direction. This has set purposeful goals and priorities in the areas of Student Achievement, Engagement, Wellbeing and Productivity. The specific goals that we’ve agreed upon are:-

ACHIEVEMENT GOALS
- To maximise literacy and numeracy outcomes for students
- To equip Carnegie students with the skills, knowledge and understandings that will enable them to actively participate and prosper in the world as global citizens

ENGAGEMENT GOAL
- To build a rich, challenging and stimulating learning environment that promotes consistent high levels of student engagement and parental involvement and understanding of curriculum and pedagogy

WELLBEING GOAL
- To enhance student wellbeing and resilience in a supportive learning community that fosters the school values
and nurtures social, emotional and physical development of all students

PRODUCTIVITY GOAL
• To manage and allocate resources (human, financial, time, space and materials) to maximise the learning outcomes for all students

A full copy of our Strategic Plan is available on our website www.carnegieps.vic.edu.au

TIMETABLE CHANGES FOR 2017
We are trialling a slightly adjusted Arts timetable for 2017. Our dedicated Music teacher, Mrs Alice Dell, will teach a specialised music lesson for one hour per week for each prep class for semester one and for each grade 5 class in semester two. For all other classes, the music component of the Arts curriculum will be incorporated into Ms Suzy Bolger’s specialist Arts program. Preps will complete their Arts program with Ms Bolger in semester two whilst grade 5 classes will do Arts with Ms Bolger in semester one.

WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECKS – CHANGES FOR 2017
As mentioned last year, any parent or carer who wishes to attend an excursion and supervise a group of students (eg visiting the zoo, museum, Scienworks etc) will need to provide the school with a Volunteer Working With Children Check from the commencement of 2017. Obviously the primary duty of care always falls to our teachers but on such occasions, parents may be the primary carer for a period of time at an excursion. These are free and relatively easy to obtain online at www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au. If parents have sought one of these or already have one due to other volunteer work they undertake could you please send a copy to the office so we can maintain accurate records. Thank you for your time and support in relation to this. Such checks aren’t required for parents who attend sessions such as Book bags or the Parent Helpers program as activities such as this are exempt under the guidelines. If you have any questions or need assistance, please see Linda or Michael.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER OR FAMILY SITUATION
Parents are requested to advise the school if a child’s family situation, address or phone contact changes during the school year. It is important that all information is kept up-to-date in case the school needs to contact parents/guardians.

FIRST AID PROCEDURES AT SCHOOL
Children who are sick during the day are sent to the First Aid room. If children need to go home, parents or carers are informed and children are collected from school. If children are very sick or more seriously injured and parents or their emergency contact person cannot be contacted by phone, we are obliged to ring an ambulance to take the child to the doctor or hospital. DE&T does not provide personal accident insurance for students. Parents and guardians are generally responsible for paying the costs of medical treatment for injured students including medical transport. Teachers cannot take children to the doctor or hospital in private cars. The cost of the ambulance will be the responsibility of the parents. This can be very expensive unless parents have an ambulance subscription. It is very important parents consider taking out ambulance cover. Health Care Card holders receive free ambulance service (children’s names must be on the Health Care Card).

SCHOOL UNIFORM
Even this early in the new school year there has once again been a small number of students regularly not in school uniform. We appreciate that there may be exceptional circumstances for some students on a specific day but it is expected that students wear our navy blue and gold uniform. Your support for these school rules is greatly appreciated.

SCHOOL COUNCIL
I would like to convey the community’s gratitude to Larissa Casamento, Liz Grist, Verity Walker, Anat Wilson and Karen Phillips (PFA Rep) who have finished serving their current term on School Council. We also farewelled Doris Stamp at the end of 2016 as her daughter finished Year 6 but the other retiring councillors, along with all parents, are invited to put themselves forward for the 2017 School Council. Council is responsible for ensuring the smooth running of our school, overseeing school policies, finances and other aspects of school administration. It is made up of parents and teachers meeting once a month in the evenings. For information please call at the office to see Mr McCarthy or myself.
SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS

Thank you to all those families who have already settled their 2017 School Contributions. It would be appreciated if all payments could be made by next Friday, 17th February. If payments are causing any concern, please contact our office to make alternative arrangements. If you are unclear about any of these payments or require a new payment slip, then please call in to the office for further details.

FRIDAY ASSEMBLY

Our fortnightly Friday assembly will commence this week for year 1 to 6 children. Our assembly time is 9 till 9.30 in the hall. All parents are invited to attend.

CURRENT SCHOOL AND GRADE ORGANISATION

Linda Jones  Principal
Michael McCarthy  Assistant Principal
Karen Bentata-Grimm  Assistant Principal
Suzy Bolger  Arts / Visual and Performing
Alice Dell  0.2 Performing Arts (Music)
Joel Pollard  PE / Sport
Tyahnne Cogan  0.2 PE and 0.2 Support teacher
Josh Acklom  Information & Communication Technology
Tess Yoshida  0.53 - LOTE Japanese

Prep A  Amanda Dowsett and April Minniece  Rooms 1&2
Prep B  Emma English  Rooms 3&4
Prep C  Dominique Oosterbaan  Rooms 3&4
Prep D  Alicia Parker  Rooms 1&2
1A  Stephanie Lipson  Year 1 Learning Centre
1B  Emi Nakajima  Year 1 Learning Centre
1C  Abbey Pomeroy and Dim Budic  Year 1 Learning Centre
   Cate Allan  0.8 Year 1 teacher
2A  Amy Carhart  Year 2 Learning Centre
2B  Amanda Knight  Year 2 Learning Centre
2C  Izabela Paholek  Year 2 Learning Centre
   Karen Bentata- Grimm  0.5 Year 2 teacher
   Desiree Oh  1.0 Year 2 teacher (term 1)
3A  Larissa Kennedy  Year 3 portable
3B  Kate Lawerson  Year 3 portable
3C  Genevieve Murtagh  Year 3 portable
   Cheryl Laing  0.4 Year 3 teacher 0.2 Leadership
4A  Rebecca Batten  Year 4 portable
4B  Marcus Champion  Year 4 portable
4C  Alistair Chisholm  Year 4 portable
5A  Liz Harley  Year 5 Upstairs
5B  Steve Miller  Year 5 Upstairs
5C  Anna Remfry and Jenni Spataro  Year 5 portable
5D  Janette Taylor  Year 5 portable
6A  Sarah Lockett  Year 6 Upstairs
6B  Sue McGregor  Year 6 Upstairs
6C  Amanda Miller  Year 6 Upstairs

Education Support Officers supporting students and learning teams across the school: Suzie Dawe, Margaret Roberts, Sabrina Scrivener, Michelle Tyzack, Selina O’Sullivan, Liz Rogers, Kae Slattery, Izabela Pichotka, Penny Bradley and Stephen Chilver
NEW LUNCH ORDER MENU
In this newsletter you will find a copy of the new lunch order menu from AJ Bakery. Some of the suggestions from last year’s lunch order survey have been taken on board. You can also pick up a hard copy from the office.

WORDS OF WISDOM
A well-spent day brings happy sleep.

Linda Jones & Michael McCarthy

PARENTING IDEAS
By Michael Grose, Parent Educator

LEARNING ABOUT FRIENDSHIPS
Friendships are important to everyone and as a new school year begins with children in a new class old friendships may continue and new friendships begin. In the first years of school some children make lasting friendships, while many have shorter friendships based on interests at the time. Your child may be good friends with someone one day and not the next. Children learn how to be friends by watching the people around them. How members of their family speak to one another, consider each other, welcome visitors and work out problems and disagreements, show children how friendships work. Parents, teachers and other adults support children’s friendships skills when they:-
• Treat their children and other children in a respectful way
• Talk with children about how other people feel and help them to talk about their own feelings
• Talk about how we can understand and enjoy the differences between us
• Give them ideas about what to say to start joining in
• Teach them to stop, wait and listen and then offer to join in with whatever the other children are playing rather than changing the game
• Invite children over to play so they can get to know each other
• Help children to change their behavior if it gets in the way of making friends
• Don’t try to force a friendship. If it doesn’t work out with one child, try with someone else – usually it will be OK in the end.

SUSTAINABILITY NEWS
The school vegetable garden has grown exceptionally well over the summer. We encourage you all to visit - especially to see the amazingly tall sunflowers! The gardens would not have been such a success without the hard work and dedication of a group of students and their families who watered and weeded the gardens throughout the holidays. We would like to extend a special thank you to the following people: Alex and Susan Harper, Alana and Faye Smith, Bethany and Linda Allison, Maddie and Maree Eastwood, Mohan and Di Parmar, Maya Clarke and Liz Grist. Your help was greatly appreciated. You are sustainability superstars!
Wellbeing at Carnegie Primary School
2017

Start Up Program

The first 8 Days of our 2017 year is ‘Start Up.’ This is a program that the whole school participates in and is focussed on building relationships and setting expectations for the year ahead.

**Through the Start Up week activities, we hope to achieve:**

- clear, explicit and shared expectations and processes for the learning space
- a collaborative style of teaching and learning
- an understanding of restorative practices
- an understanding of circle time
- a sense of responsibility and active involvement in decision making
- a sense of comfort, security and belonging
- a sense of fairness and consistency
- an awareness of the behaviours that demonstrate the values held
- more self-directed learners who are able to take action for themselves
- classrooms where students can see their personal safety (emotional & physical) is protected

There have been inspiring and engaging activities happening in all of our classrooms and our 2017 communities are collaborating and connecting. This is a positive way to start our year and will ensure that students, teachers and parents are all have strong, open and honest relationships and will work together for the remainder of the school year.

One of the activities that your children have been participating in is CIRCLE TIME.

Circle Time is a planned time when students sit in a circle in order to maximize eye contact and feelings of safety. Everyone has the opportunity to speak and be listened to. Circle time can promote empathy for others’ views and feelings and allow students to feel more confident about talking about their feelings and giving their own opinions.

There are a specific set of guidelines/rules to follow. At Carnegie Primary we begin each circle by setting the ground rules. These are: One person speaks at a time, you have the right to pass and there are no put downs.
Although we generally don’t discuss student comments outside the circle if they tell us something that we believe could lead to either themselves or others being hurt, we have to tell another adult. This is done to keep them safe.

The features of Circle Time are:

- There is a structure in circle time, which includes a short opening activity. Reading an appropriate picture storybook can be a good opening activity. This is followed by one or more focused activities such as rounds (where everyone, in turn, has a say) or an open forum discussion. Sometimes the Think Pair Share or Partner Retell strategy is used. It concludes with a closure activity and sometimes a follow up activity.
- There is an emphasis on social skills such as listening well, not interrupting, taking turns and respecting others’ views. They are reviewed before each session begins.
- There is a specific focus each time. Sometimes this will be a personal slant on a relatively neutral topic such as ‘pets’. Sometimes it will be a more personal topic such as ‘fears’. Circle Time can be used to celebrate successes on some occasions. A classroom problem can also be discussed and it may end in a decision to pursue a positive goal as a whole class.
- The teacher acts as facilitator for discussion and recognises when it might be appropriate to end a circle. The time together needs to be positive and beneficial for all involved and if students are disengaging, a change will be made.

CIRCLE TIME RULES
One person at a time
No putdowns
You have the right to pass

Start Up Celebration
OPEN MORNING
Please join us on Friday 10th February 2017 straight after assembly until 10.15am.
All classrooms will be open to wander through. We invite you to share in our celebration of the completion of our Start Up Program for 2017.
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<td>For being so persistent with your Oxford words! Keep up the wonderful attitude and remember You Can Do It!</td>
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<td>Samantha F</td>
<td>Prep C</td>
<td>For being such a hard working and diligent Prep who is also a great friend to others. Well done.</td>
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<td>Abigail B</td>
<td>Prep B</td>
<td>For being a delight to have in Prep B and for always trying her very best!</td>
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<td>Melissa N</td>
<td>1B</td>
<td>For always being ready for each class to take on new challenges.</td>
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<td>Martin K</td>
<td>2B</td>
<td>For being respectful to all of your teachers and peers. You are an incredible role model to the Year 2 students.</td>
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<td>Andy E</td>
<td>2A</td>
<td>For being a great participant in all learning areas throughout the year.</td>
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<td>Shreevidya P</td>
<td>3B</td>
<td>For her incredible attitude towards all learning and classmates for the entire year. We are so glad you are staying.</td>
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<td>Darcy S-H</td>
<td>4A</td>
<td>Your ongoing enthusiasm and cooperation towards the entire school year!</td>
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<td>Natalie D</td>
<td>4D</td>
<td>For being so organised and creative in your preparation to teach the preps.</td>
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<td>Milly Y</td>
<td>5C</td>
<td>For being such a fun, creative and caring class member. Good luck at your new school. We will miss you.</td>
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<td>Isabella A</td>
<td>5A</td>
<td>For your kindness, compassion, sense of humour and passion for learning. We will miss you terribly. Good luck at your next adventure at Oakleigh Grammar.</td>
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<td>Noah D</td>
<td>6B</td>
<td>For contributing to our Lion King Production by doing choreography and make up. A valuable team member.</td>
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<td>Joshua O’R</td>
<td>6B</td>
<td>For being an awesome drumming coach and leading the drummers in the Lion King Production.</td>
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## AJ’s Menu 2017 for Carnegie Primary School

243 East Boundary Road, East Bentleigh VIC 3165 | Phone: 9579 0883

### Sandwiches & Rolls

**Sandwiches and rolls available in white, wholemeal or multigrain**

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<td>Smoked salmon &amp; creamed cheese (MF)</td>
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<td>Butter roll (MF)</td>
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### Healthy Choices

- **Sushi rolls** $3.50
- Crispy chicken and cucumber
- Tuna, cucumber and mayo
- Vegetable - cucumber, avocado and carrot

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<td>Chicken rice paper roll (NF)</td>
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<td>Veggie pasties (MF)</td>
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<td>Party pie</td>
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<td>Egg &amp; bacon pie</td>
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<td>Hot dog with sauce</td>
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<td>Blueberry or chocolate muffin</td>
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<td>Rock Cake (GF &amp; DF)</td>
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### Main Meals

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<td>Quiche - bacon/vegetable</td>
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<td>Pasta –</td>
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<td>Mon, Wed &amp; Fri: Red Sauce – beef</td>
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### Desserts

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### Drinks

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### MF – Meat Free

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**Halal chicken available BY REQUEST**

Please notify AJ’s Bakery if your child has any allergies.
WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE PFA IN 2017?
A note will be going home tomorrow asking if you would like to join the PFA this year.
The cost is a nominal $2 and you can be involved as much as little as you like. We meet once a month on a Monday night in the staffroom at 7.30pm. And even you can’t come along to meetings there are lots of other ways to be involved during the year.
Our first meeting is next Monday 13th February in the staffroom at 7.30pm.
All welcome!

PFA CONTACT LISTS
We are once again compiling grade contact lists so you can organise play dates etc within your year levels. Due to privacy laws we can’t access families’ contact details from the school, so we need to ask for it separately. If you were on a class list last year you will receive an email this week from Kerin von Steigler, our contact list organiser asking for any updates. If you are new to the school or haven’t participated in the lists before you will receive a paper notice asking if you would like to be involved.

FETE - MARCH 18TH 2017

CALL FOR DONATIONS
We are looking for donations for our Fete. We need items for the following stalls:
Books
Toys, games & puzzles (no stuffed toys please)
Accessories (hats, scarves, jewellery etc)
Good quality girls and boys clothing (SIZES 3-8)
Jams and preserves
Empty, clean & label free jars (for our lucky jar stall)
You can drop off donations at the office.

ONLINE AUCTION
This year we are running an online Auction on Fete day. We are looking for items such as accommodation, services or any big ticket items. If you are able to donate anything please contact Leesa (details below) or Bianca Bowman on 0412 899 001. If you would like to be involved in any of the Fete organising please contact Leesa.
We will also be calling on volunteers for Fete in a couple weeks for all the stalls so everyone will have a chance to do their bit!

Other Term 1 Happenings
After the Fete we will be doing our Hot Cross Bun Drive through our friends at Bakers Delight and of course our famous Easter Egg Raffle which will be drawn on the last day of term. More about those later!

Leesa Needham
PFA President
leesa.n@optusnet.com.au  ph: 0408 556 669
Youth Leadership Victoria
Carnegie Primary School OSHC

Opening Hours:
Before School Care 7am-8.45am
After School Care 3.30pm-6.30pm
Vacation Care 7am-6pm

Contact Information:
For bookings call 0402 043 810
Account queries or change of bookings please email: accounts@ylv.com

A copy of the enrolment and booking form can be downloaded through our website on www.ylv.com.au

Prices for the Program:
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After School
Permanent Booking: $15
Casual Booking: $18

After School Care News:
Welcome back to all our families. The team look forward to another exciting year with your children and to meeting all our new prep children and families to the service.

Just a few reminders for the New Year.
All new families will need to fill out an enrolment and booking form.
Existing families only need to fill out a new booking form, for prior bookings do not roll over for the new year. These forms can be found on the company’s website: www.ylv.com.au. Alternatively you can email head office with your booking details for your child at: admin@ylv.com.au

Existing families whose contact details have changed (phone numbers/email address etc) need to advise the service, as soon as possible, in order to update their enrolment forms.
Also note that a registration fee applies to all families. This is still $30 and only has to be paid once a year for each family. The fees for this year are stated as above

Families with children with medical conditions/allergies need to provide the service with an updated medical action plan as well as the required medication.

Being term 1 of a school year, families need to provide their children with a hat to be worn when going outdoors. Since the children tend to leave their school hats in their tubs, I suggest that you provide an additional hat to be used just for after school care.

Please note that if you have any questions or concerns you can contact the service on 0402043810 or alternatively you are more than welcome to contact me at the service.

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Glen Huntly

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Where: The Parish House, 74 Grange Road,
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