



RANFURLY PRIMARY

THE RAMBLER

Strong in the heart and Smart in the head

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RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY

BUDDY TIME



Ranfurly Grade Five and Six students had the opportunity to catch up with their Prep buddies this week. Our senior students showed their 'You Can Do It' skills to help the Preps complete an art activity.

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PRINCIPAL'S THOUGHTS

Well, we are getting very close to the end of the school year and what an interesting year it has been!

Learning about my new grade

This year again we have also increased the times that our children spend in their new areas of the school. When we have our new preps along, all other classes move to their new areas. Transitions through school are vital in supporting learners to get the most out of the New Year, build relationships with their new teachers and get a feel for their new rooms. Also we have been spending some time developing grade lists for 2022. Every child is asked to list 5 friends they would like to be with next year, we look carefully at academic and social needs of each child and allocate students where we believe that they will learn best. Students will meet their new teacher in the final week of school this year.

It's a Ranfurly Christmas - Concert

This year once again due to the government restrictions we are not able to have our annual ***It's a Ranfurly Christmas*** concert open to you all 😞. This doesn't mean its not happening and our students will take the time to celebrate Christmas and the learning year in our way, here at school.

We will have performances, celebration and lots of fun which we will record and send out on our social media page.

Not the perfect event but I'm sure it will be lots of fun for our students.

Prep Buddies

Very soon our Grade 4 student will become a Big Buddy. Buddies are a great way to connect new children to our school and help them find their way. At Ranfurly our Grade 5 students become the 'Buddy' for a new Prep Child, this gives the new student into our school an older student to help them settle in and learn about their school. They then keep this relationship together for the next 2 years and we organise a number of fun activities that these children can do together. Talking with one of the Grade 4's yesterday he said; "I'm super excited Mr Mitchell, I've been waiting for this for ages". A great indication that our children take this leadership opportunity very seriously and they are looking forward to the year ahead.

Dennis, Mark & Mat



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GRADE 1-2 FINAL BIKE ED SESSIONS

1H	Friday 26 th November	Friday 3 rd December
1/2D	Wednesday 24 th November	Wednesday 1 st December
2B	Thursday 25 th November	Friday 2 nd December
2W	Tuesday 23 rd November	Tuesday 30 th November

GRADE PREP BIKE ED SESSIONS

PREP A	Wednesday 24 th November	Wednesday 1 st December
PREP G	Monday 22 nd November	Monday 29 th November
PREP L	Thursday 25 th November	Thursday 2 nd December
PREP M	Tuesday 23 rd November	Tuesday 30 th November

GRADE 3 FINAL BIKE ED SESSIONS

3M	Monday 22 nd November	Monday 29 th November
3F	Thursday 25 th November	Thursday 2 nd December
3D	Tuesday 23 rd November	Tuesday 30 th November

2022 Ranfurly Prep Transition Calendar



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
15 November	16 November	17 November	18 November	19 November
<u>Class Time</u> 9:00-10:30 Parents to drop off				Performing Arts 2:20-3:00 <u>Prep Experience</u> (Optional) (Parents must stay)
22 November	23 November	24 November	25 November	26 November
		<u>Class Time</u> <u>Meet Buddy</u> 9:00-10:30 Parents to drop off		PE 2:20-3:00 <u>Prep Experience</u> (Optional) (Parents must stay)
29 November	30 November	1 December	2 December	3 December
		<u>Family BBQ</u> Buddies Attending 5:30- 7:00		ART 2:20-3:00 <u>Prep Experience</u> (Optional) (Parents must stay)
6 December	7 December	8 December	9 December	10 December
	<u>Class Time</u> <u>Meet Teacher</u> 9:00-10:30 Parents to drop off			



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SCHOOL UPDATES

DECEMBER 2021

Wed 1	Family BBQ for 2022 Preps and 2021 Grade 4 Buddies
Thu 9	Grade 6 Graduation
Tue 14	Grade 5/6 'Big Day Out'
Thu 16	Pupil Free Day (no students)
Fri 17	Last Day of school Dismiss @ 1.00pm

Student Weekly App Review Wishball



Wish ball is a great game for all ages and highly recommended for you to try.

How to play

The object of the game is to make the target number in the least amount of turns. Each time you click on the spinner, you have a choice as to how you can make the target number including whether you use addition or subtraction.

Wish ball is child friendly and a great way to learn place value and addition and subtraction.

<http://www.scottle.edu.au/ec/viewing/L8456/index.html>

Blake Walker



Toasted sandwiches are always popular. If you haven't tried one, we have a great selection to choose from:-

- Chicken/Cheese/Corn
- Tuna/Red Onion/Corn/Mayo
- Cheesymite
- Ham/Cheese/Pineapple



And many more or make your own combination.

Mrs Lee

please note




School Crossings

Our School Crossings allow children and parents to cross the road safely. Students and parents are asked to use, and set a good example by using the school crossings at all times when coming to and from school.







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Preps Term 4 @ a Glance

	Stars of the Week Room PA: Tigerliley Beckett for awesome sound work. Room PG: Alissa Parkinson for working hard to blend sounds when reading. Room PM: Jasper Wallace for working hard and being persistent to write the sounds he can hear in words. Room PL: Myah Parfrey for always being a kind and caring friend just like Gabby Get Along	BIRTHDAYS 
		Awards 50 Nights of Home Reading: Aria Dogan, Caitlin Saxby 100 Nights of Home Reading: Olive Parker, Elly Degomois 150 Nights of Home Reading: Connor Sawyer, 200 Nights of Home Reading: Nathaniel Craig, Alex De Boo 250 Nights of Home Reading: Grace Elliott
Next Week's Unit Topics		SPECIAL EVENTS/REMINDERS
Literacy: Numeracy: Developmental Learning: YCDI:	We are reviewing the sounds of these letters and digraphs. 'S, A, T, I, M, N, O, P, B, C, G, H, D, F, V, E, K, R, U, L, J, W, Z, X, Y, ff, ll, ss, zz Number: Counting forwards/backwards to 10. Counting forwards/backwards to 20. Place Value – How many groups of ten? Hairdressers, Vets, Farm animals, Builders Gabby Get Along – Ways we can be like Gabby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Prep Bike Ed:</u> is for the next 2 weeks. Students have brought home a note this week with details of what day your child will need to bring a bike or a scooter. It is an expectation that parents are reading each night with students to continue to develop confidence and knowledge. 

Years 1/2 Week @ a Glance

Stars of the Week  		Birthdays: 
Room 1L:	Ryder Clarke for his awesome effort at swimming. Well done Ryder you were so confident towards the end of lessons.	Koby Sandiman 22nd November
Room 1H:	Savannah Malycha for outstanding contributions to our reading discussions. Your predictions and questions really show that you are thinking deeply about the books we read. Well done Savannah!	Lisia Maea 24 th November
Room 2B:	Koen Ward for fantastic results with his reading. Well done Koen!	Ethan Yilmaz 28 th November.
Room 2W:	Kaylee Hyde for gaining more confidence in the water and 'having a go' during the Grade 1/2 Swimming Program.	Special Notices and Events: Reading Awards 
Room 1/2D:	Lucas Howell for working hard to complete his narrative writing. Well done Lucas!	
Grade 1/2 News Our focus in the classroom this week...		
Numeracy Reading Writing Integrated Studies	Volume and Capacity <u>Grade 1:</u> Sound /ee/ Spelling: e, y, ie, ee, ea, ey <u>Grade 2:</u> Reading – Deeper understanding of narratives Writing – Written retells of familiar texts Being Healthy	Kate Lyons, Marcus Byrnes Mathematician Awards Leo Chang, Esther Khil Teng, Koby Sanidman, Harrison Roy, Asher Sheriff

YEAR 3/4 TERM 4 @ A GLANCE

STARS OF THE WEEK



ROOM 3D: Elise Sherwell for being more persistent and bouncing back quicker when things don't go her way. Well done Elise!

ROOM 3F: Sebastian Wallace for making good choices for his learning and displaying a great attitude in class.

ROOM 3M: Ruairi Magee for thinking more deeply by asking and answering inferential questions and engaging more confidently in discussions.

ROOM 4R: Sky Taylor, for always showing kindness and great persistence in completing all of her classwork. Keep up the incredible work Sky!

ROOM 4B: Feroz Ibrahim for being a responsible, respectful and hard-working student. Well Done Feroz

ROOM 4T: Riley Blefari for great conversation showing his understanding in reading and excellent progress in his Pat reading assessment.

AWARDS



50 Nights of Reading
Jackson Young
Arlan Clifford

75 Nights of Reading
Aliabbas Hussaini

100 Nights of Reading
Layne Smythe
Zayden Warr
Kobe Jeffrey

200 Nights of Reading
Jayden Khan

250 Nights of Reading
YCDI Awards:
Persistence
Charlie Gaine, Charlotte Hardy

This Week's Unit

Topics

LITERACY:
Information Reports and
Literature Circle Roles

NUMERACY:
Money and Financial
Maths

BIRTHDAYS



NOTICE BOARD



Fantastic effort by all those students who have been reading at least 4 nights a week – VERY STRONG AND SMART!!

Year 5/6 Unit@ a Glance—Term 4

Stars of the Week!



56S: Tyler Sherwell for showing a growth mindset towards your literacy and numeracy tests. Well Done Tyler!

56C: Anthony Kelly for putting in a huge effort during our testing week where you achieved fantastic growth. Well done Anthony!

56T: Alex Thomas for showing great enthusiasm when sharing her knowledge of circuits and switches in Science.

56B: Harrisyn Wood for his fantastic persistence and problem solving when completing his Maths test.

56H: Parasto Rezaei for the great results achieved in Numeracy and Literacy testing over the week. Well done Parasto!

Birthdays!



56T: Shenae Thomas 15th November, Evie Magee 19th November, Indi Riley 23rd November

56B: Darby Hatcher 21st November, Temperance Kerr- Backus 24th November

56H: Starsha Hibberd for November 19th

Next Week's Unit Topics:

Literacy: Letter writing

Numeracy: Financial numeracy

Reading Awards

25 Nights - Mason Wilson

Upcoming Events/Reminders-A few reminders;

- Home Reading Diaries need to be signed and brought to school daily.

Regards, the 5/6 Team