



THE RAMBLER

Strong in the heart and Smart in the head

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RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY

Champion Athletes



'It's Not OK To Be Away' and 'It's Great If You're Not Late'

PRINCIPAL'S THOUGHTS

A fantastic morning of competition was held today for the **Ranfurly Athletics Sports** with everyone striving to earn points for their house and to achieve personal success.

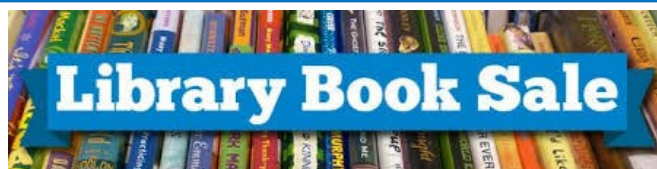
Congratulations to everyone involved. **DAIRTNUNK** House were the champion team in a very close contest with the other Sporting Houses. Congratulations also to our Age Group Champions who were the outstanding individual achievers throughout the morning. Thank you to Corinne Shore and staff who organised and assisted with events.

Thank you to the families who have completed the **Parent Opinion Survey** so far. Your feedback is most appreciated as we take all comments/ suggestions seriously and give you a chance to have your say and influence important school/student-based decisions. If you have had an email sent to you, it's not too late to do the survey – make sure you do it before Friday 3 September 2021.

We have spent most of the past week looking over our great results for **student Literacy Learning data** for Semester 1. We have taken particular interest in the Reading data for Prep, Year 1 and Year 2. It is amazing the connection between student success in their reading and the factors that help with development. Our students who are really flying often have great attendance - they come to school. They also frequently complete their home readers and practise with their parents. Finally, they are well taught. While we strive to ensure the teaching is excellent, your efforts at home really do count.

We would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate the **Education Support staff** for their contribution to Ranfurly Primary School. We are very fortunate to have an amazing team of support staff helping to care for and educate our students. Our Education Support staff include our friendly and caring Office staff, Integration Aides, Librarian, Wellbeing Co-ordinator, Community Project Officer, Canteen Manageress, as well as skilled Maintenance/Grounds and ICT staff. Such staff work tirelessly to support our students and teachers and ensure we have every opportunity to effectively deliver an excellent curriculum in an engaging environment. **We wish to thank our Education Support staff for their significant contribution to Ranfurly.**

Mark and Mat



To help celebrate Book Week, the Library will be holding a **20 cent book sale!** We have lots of books we have removed from stock and some donated items as well, so we are clearing them out.

The Sale will be on Tuesday, 24th August for all Prep, 1 & 2 students and on Wednesday, 25th August for Grades 3-6. Both sales will be

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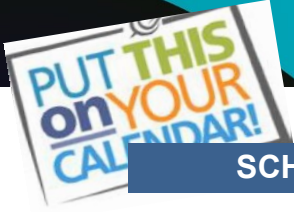
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SCHOOL UPDATES

AUGUST 2021

Tue 24	Library Book sale
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SEPTEMBER 2021

Fri 3	Fathers Day Stall
Mon 6- Fri 10	Grade Preps, 1 & 2 Swimming



TOASTIES (Gluten Free Available)

Ham & Cheese	\$4.00
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$4.50
Tuna, corn, red onion, cheese, mayo	\$4.50
Chicken, cheese & pineapple	\$4.50
Chicken, cheese & corn	\$4.50
Cheesy corn	\$3.50
Baked Beans	\$3.50
Baked Beans, cheese & tomato relish	\$4.00
Cheesymite – vegemite & cheese	\$3.00
Cheese	\$3.00



MILDURA SKATE PARK

Hugh King Dr, Mildura

Saturday 30 October | **Skate Park Leagues Competition** | 11am - 4pm

Sunday 31 October | **All Aboard Skateboarding Sessions** | 10am - 2pm

ALL AGES AND ABILITIES WELCOME | FREE | EQUIPMENT PROVIDED

Book sessions at skateclub.ymca.org.au

Comp rego at: skateparkleagues.com/skatepark-leagues/registration/



Hearing Clinic

The University of Melbourne will now be coming in Term 4, Week 8 for those students in Grade 3-5.


It's not too late to get consent forms in for a FREE hearing assessment for your child.

The clinic is voluntary and your child does not have to participate.




Forms can be collected from the front office if you need a new one.

Please contact Mrs Byrnes should you require further information.

Preps Term 3 @ a Glance

	Stars of the Week	BIRTHDAYS
	<p>Room PA: Elle Greenaway Kirby for trying really hard in all areas of her learning, especially with writing. Well done Elle!</p> <p>Room PG: Alexa Hennig for working hard on her personal learning goal by being more confident. Well done Alexa!</p> <p>Room PM: Martika White for trying hard to 'say the sounds and read the words'. Well done Martika!</p> <p>Room PL: Elly Degoumois for always showing Gabby Get Along to all of her classmates. She always has a big smile and tries her best in class.</p>	<p>Awards</p> <p>20 Nights of Home Reading: Mahina Mavae</p> <p>50 Nights of Home Reading: Brayden Kellett, Esmee Kerr-Backus, Tirrilee Johnson -Kelly, Daniel Hullah, Caitlin Saxby, Sophie Casey, Aria Dogan</p> <p>100 Nights of Home Reading: Liam McCullagh, Stella Doody, Irshad Ibrahimi, Elly Degoumois, Lucas Knight</p> <p>150 Nights of Home Reading: Alexa Hennig, Heidi Noonan Nathaniel Craig, Alex DeBoo</p>
Next Week's Unit Topics		<u>SPECIAL EVENTS/REMINDERS</u>
Literacy: Numeracy: Developmental Learning: YCDI:	<p>We are reviewing the sounds of these letters and digraphs.</p> <p>'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</p> <p>Number: Counting forwards/backwards to 10. Counting forwards/backwards to 20.</p> <p>Time</p> <p>Hairdressers, Vets, Farm animals, Builders</p> <p>Oscar Organised: how to be like Oscar and show that I am organised.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Swimming notes: were sent home last week. Please return by Wednesday 1st September. Dental Health Visit: a free Dental health check-up note was sent home this week. Please return by Monday 6th September. 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:	<p>Ethan Yilmaz for a great improvement in his story writing. Your stories are really interesting to read and your handwriting has improved out of sight! Keep up the extra effort Ethan, it is really paying off.</p>	
Room 1H:	<p>Jiren Woodhouse for excellent editing in his writing! You are doing a great job re-reading and fixing up mistakes. Keep working hard Jiren!</p>	
Room 2B:	<p>Damon Hawke for showing an improvement in writing sentences with correct punctuation. Well Done. Keep working hard Damon !</p>	
Room 2W:	<p>Peyton Brabender for her great participation in a Guided Reading session.</p>	
Room 1/2D:	<p>Nephi Tuimoala, for being a thoughtful member of the class who is always ready to learn. Well done Nephi!</p>	
Grade 1/2 News		<u>Special Notices and Events:</u>
<p>Our focus in the classroom this week...</p>		<p><u>Reading Awards</u></p> <p>Maikolo Taufa, Zion Zafari, Leena Alleblas, Payman Abdel, Lucas Howell, Henry Gouillet</p>
Numeracy Reading Writing Integrated Studies	<p>Time</p> <p><u>Grade 1:</u></p> <p>'q' 'u'</p> <p><u>Grade 2:</u></p> <p>Narratives – fables and writing sentences</p>	<p><u>Mathematician Awards</u></p> <p>Mckenzie O'Rourke, Zion Zafari, Martin Ros, Alexis Mitchell, Elijah Fielding</p> 

YEAR 3/4 TERM 3 @ A GLANCE

STARS OF THE WEEK



ROOM 3D: Eftekhar Hussaini for always working hard with a big smile on his face. Well done Eftekhar!

ROOM 3F: Jackson Lewis for his thoughtful contributions to class discussions and for sharing his interesting ideas.

ROOM 3M: Koda Williams-Mackay for having a great start at Ranfurly and a positive attitude towards his learning.

ROOM 4R: Nina Vo, for showing fantastic organisation and persistence in completing all her classwork. Keep up the incredible work!

ROOM 4B: Brohden Durbidge for contributing more successfully to discussions, including his interesting question ideas.

ROOM 4T: Lainey Williams-Rigby for a positive attitude to school showing great getting along skills with her classmates.

AWARDS



25 Nights of Reading

Cadence King
Sarah Tuimoala

50 Nights of Reading

Ruby Johnston

Angus Cameron

75 Nights of Reading

Chase Allen

YCDI Awards

Organisation

Zayden Warr
Nina Vo

100 Nights of Reading

Charlotte Hardy

Nina Vo

Billie Sheriff

150 Nights of Reading

Jayden Khan

Rowan Byrnes

This Week's Unit Topics

LITERACY:

Literature Circle conversations.
Reading and Writing poetry

NUMERACY:

Time

BIRTHDAYS



Billie Sheriff 12th August
Charlotte Hardy 22nd August

NOTICE BOARD



Grade 3 and 4 camp notes/medical forms must come back ASAP. Also please return Geography excursion forms with the \$2.

Year 5/6 Unit@ a Glance—Term 3

Stars of the Week!



5/6S: Immi Misimoa Mauaiaivao for presenting all her school work in a neat and organised way. Keep up the great work Immi!

5/6C: Levi Robins for the fantastic effort and growth mindset demonstrated when completing his writing on a twisted fairytale. Well done Levi.

5/6T: Tasi Mavae for putting in time, effort and hard work to experience success with his learning.

5/6H: Japji Kaur for preparing an amazing Lit Circle role to help with your groups deep discussion of the book

5/6B: Chloe Clarke for her positive persistence and attitude when completing her reading and numeracy tests.

Birthdays!



5/6C - Memphis Young, August 14th,
Levi Robins, August 15th

5/6B - 15th August - Storm Binder,
19th August - Zaviar Howell

5/6H - Brenna Hyde, 17th August

Upcoming Events/Reminders

A few reminders;

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

Regards, the 5/6 Team

Next Week's Unit Topics:

Literacy: News reports and Literature Circles

Numeracy: Financial Numeracy

Reading awards:

25 nights of reading: Abbi Bax

50 nights of reading: Amara Mathers

100 nights of reading: Kade Kerwin, Skyla Rosebottom

150 nights of reading: Indianna Chamberlain, Scarlett Bracken, Jypsie McKenzie, Bella Holt-McKay, Sarah Penna,

200 nights of reading: Kaylie Hadenfeldt, Alexander Thomas

MATHS AWARDS - MEASUREMENT

5/6S - Darby Hatcher

5/6C - Dasun Perera Morawaka

5/6T - Mehmet Sacal

5/6B - Tezmen Roberts

5/6H - Loclin Newton