



THE RAMBLER

Strong in the heart and Smart in the head

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RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY

DATES TO REMEMBER

THURSDAY 19 MARCH
SCHOOL PHOTO DAY

FRIDAY 20 MARCH
RANFURLY CROSS COUNTRY RUN
BACK OVAL
FIRST EVENT 9.05 AM
PRESENTATIONS 10.35AM

WEDNESDAY 25 MARCH
GRADES P-6 GOAL SETTING
MEETINGS
BETWEEN 3.30PM—6.15PM

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

PRINCIPAL'S THOUGHTS

We have our **School Photos being taken next Thursday 19 March**. We look forward to all our students being in full school uniform. Photo envelopes must be returned on or before the day.

Our **Goal Setting Meetings** are set for Wednesday 25 March 2020 for all students. Thank you for those that have already booked a time online already. This is a great opportunity for you to come along to school and for the student to share their learning this term, particularly in relation to the expectations being set for the year and their learning goals. Please remember that your child is running these meetings and it is extremely important to them that you are here. Placing the student at the centre of their learning, ensuring they are central to the conversations about their learning is critical in building learner agency and more successful outcomes.

We are having a small number of **students arriving later** than 15 minutes or more after school commences. A reminder doors open to classrooms at 8:30am and school starts at 8:45am with the 'class check in'. If children are late, it is not only disruptive to the class, but the children miss out on the important messages and instructions for the day. Please make sure your child is at school ready to start before the first bell.

We are on track as a school with our **student attendance** at the moment, but the last two weeks of term traditionally have large absence rates. Come on Ranfurly staff, parents and students let us all take responsibility to get the students to school every day till the end of this term.

Dennis & Mark

**FREQUENTLY
ASKED QUESTIONS**

Q. Why is organisation important for schooling?

A. It is important for children to develop organisational skills so that they are prepared for learning. There are many everyday things you can do to encourage organisational capacity. These include helping your child with the following:

Get a good night's sleep

Have breakfast and organise food for the day before arriving at school

Have uniform ready the night before

Come to school every day and be on time

Prepare everything you need for school the night before

Avoid bringing personal or valuable items to school

Create a routine for learning

Talk to your children about the positive things they have learnt at school

**IT'S NOT OK
TO BE AWAY**

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

TONIGHT

Act, Inclusion, Pride, Responsibility

Chaffey
Secondary College



OPEN INVITATION

to all parents, students and community members

OPEN NIGHT

for prospective year 6 students
and families

Thursday, March 12
6pm - 8pm

Presentation at 6.15pm in the theatre



Year 7 students for 2021

SEAL PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

(Select Entry Accelerated Learning Program)

Thursday, April 30

Presentation at 6.30pm in the theatre



For further information contact the college

Applications available from website www.chaffey.vic.edu.au

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P: 03 5023 0538
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Parents' Club News

Our annual Parents' Club AGM will be held on Monday March 16th at approx 9.15am (after assembly) in The Hub.

CSEF (Camps, Sports & Excursion Fund)

If you have a Health Care or Pension Card you may be eligible to apply for CSEF. Please call in to the office any time between 8.00am and 4.00pm to fill out an application. Please bring your current card to be copied.

NB If you have received CSEF in previous years, you DO NOT need to fill out a new application unless you have a new child commencing school this year.

School Holiday
ACTIVITIES
FOR YOUNG PEOPLE
AGED 12 - 16 YEARS

YOUTH
JOBBIES - MILDURA

VICTORIA
GOVERNMENT

Mildura Rural City Council

Ranfurly Primary School

Photo Day 2020

Thursday 19th March



To Order Photos:

Go to www.msp.com.au, enter your unique shootkey and follow the prompts.

Order your School Photos before midnight Wednesday 25th March

Late Orders can be accepted after Wednesday 25th March by contacting 03 5482 3190. All late orders incur an extra \$20 for postage and handling.

Family Photos - Please order online prior to photo day with this unique shootkey. One shootkey per family.



msp
photography

03 5482 3190
admin.mrr@msp.com.au
www.msp.com.au



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

My child has lost their order form, so I don't have their shootkey. What should I do?

If you are planning to pay using cash, pick up a spare envelope from your school's administration. If you would like to order online, please call us on 03 5482 3190 and we can provide you with your child's unique shootkey.

My child never received an order form or shootkey.

This is likely because your child was a new student or late enrolment. Please call our office on 03 5482 3190 and we will issue you one immediately.

My partner and I have separated. Can we both order photos?

Of course. Simply use the same shootkey to order for your child. Any students with multiple orders processed will have their photographs delivered to the front office of the school to ensure orders are sent home to the correct parent.

How do I order a family photo?

Most schools will have been sent family order forms attached to the eldest child of each family. These forms are orange on the back. If you have not received an order form, please pick up a spare from your school's administration.

I didn't receive an order reference number, but the money has been taken out of my bank account.

Your order has been automatically received by our system. Simply send your child to school on photo day with their order form as normal.

I can't pay today. Will I still be able to get photos?

Of course. All students will have their portrait taken regardless of whether you are purchasing photos or not. Online ordering will remain open for 3 calendar days after photo day. If you are still unable to order in this time frame, please contact us and we will endeavor to help you out.

UNIFORM SHOP

| | |
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| Windcheater (Navy with school logo) | |
| Size 6 - L | \$32.00 |
| Jacket (Navy fleece with logo) | |
| Size 6 - 14 | \$35.00 |
| Bomber Jacket (Navy with striped ribbing) | |
| Size 4 - 16 | \$55.00 |



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SCHOOL UPDATES

March 2020

| | |
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| Mon 16 | Parents' Club AGM 9.15am The Hub |
| Thu 19 | School Photo Day |
| Fri 20 | Ranfurly Cross Country Run |
| Wed 25 | Goal Setting Meetings |
| Thu 26 | Drought Angels Day Casual Dress |
| Fri 27 | Last day Term 1 |

SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWS



- COME ALONG TO THE -

SCHS COMMUNITY

PICNIC

FUNDRAISER FOR
THE FAMILY AND CHILD HUB

GOOD FRIDAY - 11AM TO 3PM
 Jaycee Park Mildura (Hugh King Drive)

JUMPING CASTLE | EnviroEDU | EASTER EGG HUNT
| SAUSAGE SIZZLE | ICE-CREAM | CHILDREN'S
ENTERTAINER | SMOOTHIE BIKE | FACE PAINTING |
RAFFLES | LIVE MUSIC | COLOURING COMP | MAKE
YOUR EASTER BASKET | TOOTH FAIRY TRAIL |
GAMES

for more information on this event please contact SCHS on 5022 5444
www.schs.com.au f @schseasterappeal @familyandchildhub






CANTEEN ROSTER

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|------------|--------------------------|
| Fri 13 Mar | Donna Holt |
| Fri 20 Mar | Kelly Woods |
| Fri 27 Mar | Hope Zadow |
| | SCHOOL HOLIDAYS |
| Fri 17 Apr | Tae Richards |
| Fri 24 Apr | Sarah Casey |
| Fri 1 May | PUPIL FREE |
| Fri 8 May | Chantelle Curnuck |

CANTEEN NEWS

Don't forget, the Canteen is open everyday for delicious, healthy lunches. Also open in the afternoon for snacks at recess.

Sacred Heart Tennis Club - Aero 11th

Juniors and Senior Players All Welcome.
 Social Tennis, Mid-Week Ladies Tennis,
 Saturday Competition Coaching Available

Training & Registration— Every Thursday
4.- 5.pm Starting 12March. Club Phone
50214673 or ring Merle 50232883 or
Inez 50230742

SDTA Comp. Juniors Teams—Saturday
Mornings 9.00 -11.30am

SDTA Senior Comp—Saturday Afternoons
1.00pm – 4.30pm

Both Competitions start 2nd
May.Phone As Above!
Come Along! OPEN DAY



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

ORGANISATION



We are learning how to be organised in Prep M...



We have our Library bags at school each Tuesday, so we can borrow a picture story book.

We have our hat at school every day.



By coming to school on time every day!



We wear our school uniform with pride to school each day!



We have our drink bottles at school each day. Our names are clearly labelled on them!





We have our school bags packed with all of our equipment, including our lunch boxes each day.



We have our blue reader bags at school every day. It has our Reading journal, M100W book and readers in it.

Preps Term 1 @ a Glance

| Stars of the Week | | BIRTHDAYS | |
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|  | Room PB: | Kayden Allen for becoming more like Pete Persistence by working hard to finish his work, even when it's a bit tricky. That's showing the Ranfurly Way! | Jiren Woodhouse Jace Dunstan 13 th March 17 th March |
| | Room PT: | Leena Alleblas for showing persistence when writing sounds she can hear in words. | |
| | Room PM: | Ellenestina Niyera for always giving her best effort and being a quiet but proud achiever. | |
|  | VIP | | Reading Awards 10 nights: Kendrick McCoy, Jayden Benton, Unaloto Maa, Virazveer Aulakh, Matthew Marks, Jamarcus Finau 25 nights: Marcus Byrnes, Joshua Dines, Nickolas Hope, Jacob Ryan-Heraud, Lucas May, Jace Dunstan, Elijah Fielding, Henry Goulet, Maddison Lawson, Hudson Newton, Jiren Woodhouse, Sonny Parker, Xander Prescott, Maikolo Taufa, Waylon Manning, Leena Alleblas, Kamarni Williams |
| | Room PB: | Piper Casey | |
| | Room PT: | Jamarcus Finau | |
| | Room PM: | Xander Prescott | |
| Next Week's Unit Topics | | | SPECIAL EVENTS/REMINDERS |
| Literacy: | Letter Cc | | *Reminder to return school nurse forms |
| Numeracy: | Counting, patterns and positional language | | *Home readers to be returned to school every day |
| Developmental Learning: | Learning to use our new play spaces | | |
| YCDI: | Introduction to YCDI | | |

Years 1/2 Term 1 @ a Glance

| Stars of the Week | | Birthdays | |
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| Room 1H: | Manekam Kaur for including all the features of a recount in her writing! Great work Manekam! | Xavier White | 14th March |
| Room 1L: | Peyton Brabender for an excellent effort with her learning task. You sure know the difference between fiction and non-fiction texts, well done Peyton! | | |
| Room 1W: | Leo Chang for always being Stronger and Smarter when completing his work. | | |
| Room 2A: | Archer Newton for always giving 100% to all his learning tasks. You work very hard to be your best learner Archer, keep up the great work! | | |
| Room 2T: | Kevin Nguyen for showing great confidence performing mime on the stage in Performing Arts. | | |
| Room 2D: | Satar Mohammadi for always working hard in class. | | |
| This Week's Unit Topics | | Special Notices and Events | |
| Numeracy Reading Writing Integrated Studies | Addition and Subtraction Fiction and Non-fiction texts Recounts Special Places | Reading awards: Charli Deiesi, Zahlia McCorkindale, Javahna Hampton, Mahmoud Maarooof, Maddison Macdonald, Angus Cameron, Olivia Riggs-Brindal, Ariyana Harris, Eray Sahin, Emily Parker, Jayden Khan, Troy Holt, Levi Kellett, Martin Ros, Isabelle Goulet, Kallum Philp, Charlotte Hardy Abby Crouch, Adelle Cameron, Satar Mohammadi, Temprance Carradine Magic 100 Words Awards: Jax Thouliss, Zahlia McCorkindale, Javahna Hampton, | |

YEAR 3/4 TERM 1 @ A GLANCE

STARS OF THE WEEK



ROOM 3D: James Bigirmana for following more of our classroom expectations and doing things the Ranfurly Way. Keep trying James!

ROOM 3G: Marzia Mohammadi for super organisation every morning.

ROOM 3S: Bella Martin for always helping out her classmates and making sure everyone feels included.

ROOM 4W: Violette Munezero for using fantastic strategies to improve your vocabulary and spelling.

ROOM 4D: Parasto Rezaei for always putting in 100% effort into her work . Well done Parasto!

ROOM 4B: Ivy Smythe for being a more organised and thoughtful learner. Well Done Ivy!

AWARDS



25 nights Reading:

Ebony Bracken
Nate Degoumois
Abby Jeffrey
Rylan Connell
Rowan Byrnes
Slater Gilmour
Zayden Warr
Cooper Dingwall

Franklin Mitchell
Akiye Piawi
Jai Arnold
Archie Charles
Esther Kellett
Aliabbas Hussaini
Zach Valeydon

This Week's Unit Topics

LITERACY: CONNECTING

NUMERACY: ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION

Birthdays

March

17th Tyler Sherwell
16th Archie Charles
20th Nina Vo



NOTICE BOARD



Term 1 'No hat, No play' policy
Homework is due on Fridays :)

Grade 4 expression of interest has been handed out. Due Friday 20th March

Year 5/6 Term 1 @ a Glance

Stars of the Week!



5C — Kamahl Gocol for the fantastic effort you put into your Lit Circle role. Well done Kamahl!

5S — Jakiah King for your fantastic effort and enthusiasm towards your Lit Circles roles. Keep up the great work!

5/6M — Soane Tu'uholoaki for showing great confidence when sharing his thinking during class discussions.

6C — Latrell Johnson for the persistence he showed in maths groups when solving subtraction equations.

6H — Henry Coombes for sharing amazing ideas during our class discussions about texts.

6R — Vaiolupe Mavae for demonstrating persistence and always presenting her work to the best of her ability.

Happy Birthday!

Faith Misimoa Maulaivao - March 14th

Riley Blake - March 15th



Upcoming Events/Reminders

Home Reading – 4 nights a week

Maths Homework due tomorrow

Goal Setting Meetings

Notes have gone home for our 'Goal Setting Meetings' that will be happening on Wednesday 25th of March. Please book in ASAP to ensure you get the time that suits your family.

Reading Awards—25 Nights

Lucy Coombes, Abby Cross, Zali Dowling, Shaima Rahimi, Shauna Lawson, Jessica McDonald, Annalise Jones, Sarah Francis-Coslovich, Mitchell Simms, Aliesha Whyte, Mia Blaby, Leanne Affleck, Jypsie McKenzie, Mitchell Simms, Hayley Johnston, Skylah-Lee Stoker, Seth Stalling

Maths Awards

Shauna Lawson, Soane Tu'uholoaki, Levi Knee, Dasun Perera Morawaka, Darby Hatcher, Faith Misimoa Maulaivao

This Week's Unit Topics

Literacy—Students are half-way through their Literature Circle book in Reading and we are continuing to upskill our knowledge on how to write a great narrative.

Maths—The Four Operations (Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division)



RPS Drought Relief Fundraiser



On Thursday the 26th of March, we are holding a fundraiser in association with 'Drought Angels'.

Drought Angels is a charity that aims to help those affected by drought.

On this day, please come dressed as a farmer and bring a gold coin donation to help people who have been affected by this natural disaster.

You will be giving back to your community and Australia.

