



# THE RAMBLER



Strong in the heart and Smart in the head

Principal: **Dennis Mitchell**  
Assistant Principal: **Mark Rogerson**

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**RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY**

## RANFURLY LEADERS 2021



Our 2020 Student Leaders were announced at our Ranfurly Christmas Concert yesterday.

Congratulations to the following elected **student leaders for 2021:**

**School Captains are:**

Girls Captain is *Paige Pullman*

Boys Captain is *Dasun Perera-Morawaka*

**Vice-Captains are:**

Girls Vice-Captain is *Sienna Reberger*

Boys Vice-Captain is *Taite Philp*

**Junior School Council Leaders are:**

*Abigail Bax & Homaun Rahimi*

**Making up the 10 Leaders Student Leaders:**

*Halla Alsady*

*Ilhan Toros*

*Sarah Penna*

*Soane Tu'uholoaki*

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# PRINCIPAL'S THOUGHTS

All the students did fantastic performances yesterday as we filmed our Concert. It was impressive watching the great singing and dancing. Well done students! The video of the 'It's a Ranfurly Christmas' Concert is now ready to watch on Vimeo: <https://vimeo.com/491816685> [This Concert can be watched anytime]

Well, we are at the very end of the school year and what a challenging year it has been. Today we sign off for a break for Christmas and get set for 2021.

We **welcome new teachers** Miss Sophie Milner and Mr Clayton Rowbotham to our Ranfurly team for next year. We also have **new ES staff** for 2021 & welcome Donna Stewart as our new Wellbeing Officer and Integration Aides in Erica Credlin, Holly Jones and Lizz O'Rourke. Please make sure you take the time to welcome them all to our great school.

We congratulate **Mat McLeod on his appointment as our second Assistant Principal** and also congratulate new appointments as Learning Specialists in Ange Dalziel, Mary Gill, Chelsea Spratt and Karen Barbary. We look forward to working with them all in 2021 as leaders at Ranfurly Primary School.

Our office will be closed for the majority of the holidays and will re-open (if you'd like to get your school uniforms ready) from **9:00am - 12:30pm each day from Thursday 21 January, Friday 22 January and Monday 25 January 2021.**

Tomorrow please come along at 12:45pm for our last School Assembly in the Outdoor Assembly Area, especially to celebrate our 100% attendance students for this term and to farewell our Grade 6s. **We will dismiss at 1:00 pm so please pick up students at this time.**

**First day for Grades 1 to 6 is Thursday 28 January 2021. Our new Preps will commence on Monday 1 February 2020.**

We have said many thankyou's and goodbyes already, but to everyone in our Ranfurly Family have a safe holiday and we'll see you in the New Year.

*Dennis and Mark*



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## STAFFING – 2021

### Our School Leadership Team for 2021 will be:

**Dennis Mitchell** – Principal

**Mark Rogerson** – Assistant Principal

**Mat McLeod** – Assistant Principal

**Jen Hards** – Business Manager

**Chelsea Spratt** – Coordinator of 5/6

**Karen Barbary** – Coordinator of 3/4

**Ange Dalziel** – Coordinator of 1/2

**Mary Gill** – Coordinator of Prep

<b>Prep Team</b>	PREP L	Room 3	Josie Leng/ Kim Anstey
	PREP A	Room 15	Angela Mitchell/ Erin King
	PREP G	Room 16	Mary Gill/ Erin King
	PREP M	Room 17	Tania Mc Donald/ Kim Anstey
<b>One/Two Team</b>	Grade 1/2D	Room 1	Angela Dalziel/ Erin King
	Grade 1H	Room 2	Kasey Humphrey
	Grade 1L	Room 4	Chelsea Le Gassick
	Grade 2W	Room 5	Bronwyn Walters
	Grade 2B	Room 6	Frances Bell
<b>Three/Four Team</b>	Grade 4R	Room 7	Clayton Rowbotham
	Grade 4B	Room 8	Karen Barbary/ Louise Crouch
	Grade 3M	Room 9	Sophie Milner
	Grade 3D	Room 10	Tracey Driscoll
	Grade 3F	Room 13	Alison Fielding/ Kellie Woods
	Grade 4T	Room 14	Alyson Talbot
<b>Five/Six Team</b>	Grade 5/6T	Room 21	Toby Cardew
	Grade 5/6H	Room 22	Bronwyn Hogg
	Grade 5/6S	Room 24	Shene Stephens
	Grade 5/6B	Room 25	Breanna Smith
	Grade 5/6C	Room 26	Chelsea Spratt/ Louise Crouch

<b>Specialists/ Support Teachers</b>	Ben Barker	Visual Arts
	Corinne Shore	Physical Education
	Brendan Alderton	Performing Arts
	Beck White	3-6 Literacy Teacher
	Tanya Creamer	P-2 Literacy Teacher
	Caela Newton	P-2 Literacy Teachers

<b>ES Staff</b>	Business Manager – Jen Hards Office Reception– Janine Gray Community Project Officer– Erin Byrnes Wellbeing Officer– Donna Stewart ES Integration Support – Kay Hickey, Carolyn Dickinson, Rebekah Sheahan, Grace Albert, Leah Black, Kathy Potter, Erica Credlin, Holly Jones, Lizz O'Rourke Grounds/ Maintenance – Des Hards Library – Barb Kendrigan ICT – Stephen Killeen/ Luke Cohrs Canteen – Tracy Lee Speech Therapist – Sarah Palmer Koorie Education– Ben Parker
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## SCHOOL UPDATES

December 2020

**Fri 18**

**Last Day Term 4  
1pm Dismissal**

January 2021

**Wed 27**

**Pupil Free Day (staff resume)**

**Thu 28**

**Students Grade 1-6 Commence**

February 2021

**Mon 1**

**Preps start school for 2021**

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### BUSES

**Please note due to the early dismissal tomorrow, students who use the Buslink service will need to make alternate arrangements.**

## CANTEEN NEWS



Many thanks to all the wonderful staff who supported the Canteen this year. Thanks also to Linda Mattschoss for assisting on Friday mornings and our precious volunteers who assisted prior to the school lockdown. Please remember the Canteen is closed on Friday 18th December. Wishing everyone a wonderful holiday! Stay safe, see you in 2021!!

*Tracy Lee*



## XMAS CONCERT 'THE COVID19' WAY

What great resilience our amazing students showed when filming their concert items yesterday!

With only one week to practise, they smashed it! Smiles and laughter were evident across all classes.

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