



THE RAMBLER

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RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY

Making a difference in someone's life



Last term the grade 5/6 Quest For Kindness team worked really hard to try and make an impact on homelessness in Mildura. These students held a Silver Coin Challenge to raise money for the purchase of Street Swags and organised a Food Can Drive here at school. We aimed to not only contribute but to also raise awareness of this growing issue. There are many people to thank including our MASP, Sunraysia Community Sleepout and our wonderful families for amazing support in helping us with our quest. Ms King said, "the students and I are very proud that a little group of people could have such a big impact". These students also spread kindness within our school by creating a Kindness Patrol and Kindness Cards for every student. "We are very proud of ourselves considering we are only little people, who have made a pretty big difference."

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

Principal's Thoughts

Hopefully the warmer weather is just around the corner and making the most of that at school will be terrific. There is lots on at school as usual with our Activity Night and Grade 2 sleep over today and our Grade 3 'Camp In' next Thursday. Lots of fun and good times!

Prep Enrolments

Next week is our first compulsory session for next years Preps. Please remind our families with next years students that this is very important and getting their little one along for a school experience helps with settling in next year. There is limited space left in our Prep grades for next year so if you know of anyone who hasn't yet been into school, please remind them to get to the office ASAP.

Hats for Term 4

Please remember there are plenty of hats available at the office for sale. \$10 means a new hat and then its ok to play in our playgrounds. Remember term four is No Hat No Play to make sure we are sun smart.

Parent Opinion Survey

Once again thank you to those parents who returned their survey. This is great support for our school to be even better in the future. The results have been released this week and I will be sending the graph home for all families to see.

Dennis Mitchell
Principal

LOST PROPERTY

If your child is missing any items of clothing please check the large red chest in the BER building (5/6 Area).

LIBRARY NEWS

***BOOKCLUB:** Just a friendly reminder that Bookclub orders CLOSE at 9am tomorrow, Friday. Orders will take approximately one week to arrive.*

Mrs. K.

RANFURLY ROCKERS

Our talented Ranfurly Rockers Choir performed with great confidence at the Opening of the Mildura Riverfront Redevelopment on Friday. The Choir performed 'Down Under in Australia' and 'Gold'.



HEAD LICE

To assist in reducing the spread of head lice we ask that you please check your child's head for the presence of any eggs or lice as soon as possible. No action is needed if eggs are not present in your child's hair.



In accordance with the current Head lice Policy, if eggs are found in your child's hair appropriate treatment must be applied to remove these eggs. Your child may return

SCHOOL MAGAZINE 2016

Order forms for the 2016 School Magazine were sent home last week. Order forms and money must be returned on or before Monday 14 November, 2016.
NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

RANFURLY SPORTS UPDATE

Regional Athletics Meeting

Last Monday, 10 Ranfurly Primary School students competed at the Regional Athletics Meeting held in Bendigo. Competing against other students in the Loddon Campese region, our students acquitted themselves very well and achieved some outstanding results at this level of competition.

Field Events

Jourdain Jayet	3rd in Boys 10 Discus
Tyriec Hudson	4th in Boys 11 High Jump
Blake Peterson	4th in Boys 11 Discus...
Luke Howarth	5th in Boys 11 Shot Put
Ky Jayet	4th in Boys 12/13 Discus



Track Events

Tyrone Hudson	4th in Boys 11 200m Finals
Tyriec Hudson	4th in Boys 11 100m Finals
Xavier Hines	5th in Boys 11 1500m Finals
Tyriec, Tyrone, Xavier and Blake	4th in Boys 11 4x100m Relay Final
Cody, Ky, Hudson and Max	4th in Boys 12/13 4x100m Final

Well done to all of our students on their results and also for representing our school with great pride and distinction. A special thank-you must go to Mrs Bradford who gave up a part of her weekend to accompany the group along with Mr Warwick McDermott from Mildura Primary School. Thanks also to parents for supporting their children and giving them this opportunity.

Girls Division Basketball

On Tuesday, our 5/6 girls basketball team travelled to the Hothouse to participate in the Division championships against other winners from their District competitions.

In our first game, we were pitted against The Lake Primary School. Our starting 5 of Burrows, Nagyidai, Blaby, Graham and Williams got us off to a great start by offering quick ball movement on offense and sound defensive pressure in the zone. With a comfortable lead at half time the girls held The Lake in the second half to come out on top 24 – 16.

Our next game was against Irymple South who are always a formidable opponent. It was evident early in the game that our girls gained great confidence from their first up win. They again moved the ball well and were able to get the ball in good spots where we could maximise our scoring opportunities. In a fantastic all round team effort we were able to win 28-16. Johnson-McDermott, Weston, Tuifao, Van Schie and Walls all making valuable contributions when given the opportunity.

In our last minor round game we were to face another undefeated team through the first two rounds; Sacred Heart. In a very physical contest, Sacred Heart proved to be a little bit stronger than our girls running out winners 21 -6. In the Grand Final we had another opportunity against Sacred Heart to reverse the result. Led by Burrows, our girls tried valiantly but we unfortunately fell short in what was an improved performance from the pool game.

As a result of their efforts, our girls finished the competition as runners-up which is a fantastic feat and one that they should be very proud of, as are we.

Toby Cardew
P.E. Co-ordinator



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SCHOOL UPDATES

OCTOBER 2016

Thu 13	Grade 2 Camp/Sleepover
Fri 14	Grade 1/2 Activity Day
Thu 20	Grade 3 Camp/Sleepover
Fri 21	Grade 3 Activity Day
Fri 28	'You Can Do It' Activity Day

CANTEEN ROSTER

Fri 14/10	Catherine Blaby
Fri 21/10	Laura Smith
Fri 28/10	"You Can Do It " Day
Fri 4/11	Tammy Bustard
Fri 11/11	Tash Adair

Advantage Pharmacy
 Opening Hours:
 Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 7pm
 Saturday: 10am - 2pm
 Address: 239-241 Thirteenth Street, Mildura 3500
 Ph: (03) 5021 1219

**Children's Pain Relief
 20% Discount Offer**

Present this voucher in store today to receive your offer. See in store for further details - Limits may apply.

CANTEEN NEWS

Have you tried the new Cheese Burger?
 A beef burger in a pita pocket with
 cheese and sauce. YUM! \$4.00

COMMUNITY NEWS

LEARN TO SWIM
ENROL NOW
 For Summer
 vicswim.com.au
\$30
 For 5 sessions
*An additional entry cost may apply at some pools.

RANFURLY PRIMARY

FRIDAY FUN CLUB AT RANFURLY

- Blocks
- Painting
- Lunch Included
- Dress Ups
- Art & Crafts
- No Cost
- No need to book

**EVERY FRIDAY
 1.30 - 2.45pm**

For more information
 Jasmin Parker at Ranfurly on
50221 299

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Applications to be considered for this Funding Round need to be submitted by November 11th 2016

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Preps Term 4 @ a Glance

	<p>You Can Do It Stars of the Week</p> <p>Room PRB: Jarrell O’Neill for trying hard with all learning tasks.</p> <p>Room PRE: Tyler Sherwell for becoming more organised.</p> <p>Room PRM: Starsha Hibberd for being a caring friend when others are feeling sad.</p>	<p>BIRTHDAYS</p>
	<p>VIP</p> <p>Room PRB: Taylor McMullan</p> <p>Room PRE: Brenna Hyde</p> <p>Room PRM: Navaeh Widgell</p>	
<p>This Week’s Unit Topics</p> <p>Literacy: ‘th’ – the, they, that, them, then, than Reading Strategy: Skippy Frog – Reading on.</p> <p>Numeracy: Place Value Addition</p> <p>Developmental Learning: Getting Along – Gabby and Garry</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SPECIAL EVENTS</p>	

<h2 style="margin: 0;">Years 1/2 Term 4 @ a Glance</h2>		
<p>You Can Do It Stars of the Week</p> <p>Room 2T: Mahalia Bottreill for great improvement in her handwriting.</p> <p>Room 2W: Omar Morsey for working well during the topic of Money in Maths Groups.</p> <p>Room 2S: Christopher Taperell for being a good friend to his classmates.</p> <p>Room 1M: Louise Smith for showing resilience and persistence in class.</p> <p>Room 1A: Aleera Hollis for a confident start to Ranfurly.</p> <p>Room 12G: Eric Bueno for showing resilience during class.</p>	<p>Birthdays</p> <p>15th October</p>	<p>Mitchell Simms</p> 
<p>This Week’s Unit Topics</p> <p>Numeracy Money</p> <p>Literacy Advertisements</p> <p>YDCI Gary Get-Along</p>	<p>Special Notices and Events</p> <p>Reminder! - BBQ Dinner and Sleepover is tonight Thursday 13th October. Grade one students stay behind after school and are picked up at 7pm. Grade two students return to school at 5.30pm.</p> 	

Year 3/4 Term 4 @ a Glance

YOU CAN DO IT STARS OF THE WEEK



- Room 3B:** Angus Jarrett for his great attendance and enthusiasm at school.
- Room 3D:** Chris Modeste for becoming more confident when sharing his ideas during class discussions.
- Room 3/4D:** Liam Johnson for showing kindness and support to his classmates.
- Room 4H:** Jay Tulloch for making thoughtful and valuable contributions to class discussions.
- Room 4L:** McKayla Roberts for trying very hard to complete all set tasks.

Birthdays

- Oct 17th Ariana Hipe
 Oct 19th Esdras Setu/Jessica Smith
 Oct 15th Holli Bolitho
 Oct 18th Ahmad Rezaei

This Week's Unit Topics



Special Events: Year 3 Sleepover menu notes were sent home yesterday, Wednesday October 12th. All notes need to be signed and returned by tomorrow, Friday October 14th

- Literacy:** Procedure text
Numeracy: Multiplication and Division

YEAR 5/6 TERM 4 @ A GLANCE



You Can Do It Stars of the Week



- Room 6M:** Sophie Mcaliece for being a supportive and friendly class member.
- Room 5/6H:** Aka Fatanitavake for demonstrating patience, excellent listening and getting along skills when working in groups. Keep up the good work Aka!
- Room 5S:** Warren Harris for his excellent getting along skills when working with his partner to complete his geography poster.
- Room 5K:** Mobina Ahmadi for her friendly and caring approach towards all members of our class, especially during our Check in's.
- Room 6B:** Noah Mouskovias for his excellent getting along skills and determination to his geography project with his partner.

- 13th Oct Sam Davies
 15th Oct Jayda Johnson-McDermott
 16th Oct Lahni Graham

This Week's Unit Topics

- Literacy:** Poetry
Numeracy
Other Science
 Geography



Special Events

- Y.C.D.I DAY - Friday 28th October
- F.L.I.P begins next week

