



# THE RAMBLER

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**RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY**

## WE'RE BACK FOR A BIG TERM



Ranfurly Primary students were welcomed back to four *seasons in a day* on Tuesday, including having to stay inside for the rain in the afternoon. Lots of laughs, learning and good times this week with students catching up with their mates and getting back into the school groove. Term 4 is a big term with great learning planned for all students, a couple of school sleep overs and the transition of our 2017 Preps. Don't forget Term 4 is a **No Hat – No Play** term so from Monday make sure you bring your hat, **be here on time** and bring your **smile** .

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

## Principal's Thoughts

Welcome back to everyone for the start of term 4. We are looking forward to a busy term of great learning activities across the school.

We especially welcome our five new students & their families to our school Community. The weather has certainly been delightful for the start this week and students have also settled back to work very quickly. I know everyone will work hard this term!

A warm welcome to Tanya Creamer who is our most recent person to join our Ranfurly Staff team. Tanya is working on Thursdays & Fridays in Room 6 sharing the class with Mrs Stephens. Welcome Tanya!

We have advertised that during term 4 we will hold a number of transition visits for our 2017 Prep students with the first one being compulsory for students and their parents on Wednesday 19 October between 9:30 – 11:00 am. We are currently still accepting Prep enrolments for 2017 and enrolment packs are available for collection from the office.

**Lots of exciting activities will be happening at Ranfurly this term, so it is very important that all students attend on time every day.**

Grade 2 have already been invited to sleep at school next week, Grade 3 students an overnight Camp in Week 3, Prep Tea in Week 5 and many other educational and exciting activities happening during term 4. Remember to show **RESPECT, PRIDE, SAFETY** at all times.

Term 4 is especially important for our grade 6 students as they only have a short time left to ensure that they are prepared for the transition to Secondary School. We know they will work hard this term!

We wish nine Ranfurly students to do their personal bests next Monday as they compete in the Regional Primary Athletics Championships in Bendigo. They will be accompanied by Mrs Bradford and will travel down Sunday with the Mildura Primary team.

Please remember our Breakfast Club is there for all students and that any students at school before 8:00am will be asked to go to the Walton Wing. This helps us supervise our students in the morning as well as provided something yum to eat for them.

**It's Not Ok to Be Away** - Being at school is vitally important. Being here every day is the only way our teachers are able to get the sequence of learning that every child needs to be successful. It is important to remember a few things about school attendance:

- \* attending school at a primary age is legally compulsory
- \* coming on time means students don't miss vital lesson information
- \* having your children with a good night's sleep is important for getting to school and concentrating all day.
- \* contacting the school when your child is going to be away is a must and sending a note to the teacher is the best way to do that, or telephoning the Office is okay too.

Please make sure we see your children's smiley faces everyday so we can continue to make them "Strong and Smart".

**Dennis and Mark**

### RANFURLY ROCKERS

The Ranfurly Rockers Choir have been asked to perform Friday October 7, 2016 at the Langree Connection Opening Event (Mildura Riverfront Redevelopment) Students will perform 2 songs at 2.45pm as part of the formal Ribbon Cutting Ceremony. Families are encouraged to attend and celebrate the opening ceremony.



The event commences at 2pm and will be open for a public walk through from 3pm. Live entertainment and a free barbeque will be available. The event will finish at 8pm.



## RANFURLY SPORTS UPDATE

### Bendigo Regional Athletics

On Monday, a total of 11 students will represent Ranfurly Primary School at the Regional Athletics Meeting to be held at the Bendigo Regional Athletics Centre. Students qualified through the Division Athletics Meeting, finishing either 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> for their event.

Good luck to the following students;

Student	Event
Jourdain Jayet	9/10 Boys Discus
Blake Peterson	11 Boys Discus
Luke Howarth	11 Boys Shot Put
Tyrone Hudson	11 Boys 200M
Tyriecce Hudson	11 Boys High Jump
	11 Boys 100M
leesha Williams	11 Girls 100m
	11 Girls 800M
Xavier Hines	11 Boys 1500M
Ky Jayet	12 Boys Discus
Tyriecce Hudson, Tyrone Hudson, Xavier Hines, Blake Peterson	11 Boys 4x100M relay
Cody Mosello, Ky Jayet, Hudson Bartels, Max Leeder	12 Boys 4x 100M relay

We wish the students all the best in their events on Monday. Thank-you also to Mrs Bradford who is accompanying the group.

### Division Basketball – 5/6 Girls

Congratulations to our 5/6 Girls Basketball Team who have qualified for the Division Championships to be held at the Hothouse on Tuesday the 11<sup>th</sup> of October. The girls will play in a round robin format against other winners from their District competitions; Sacred Heart, Irymple South, and The Lake. Our first game is scheduled for 10.30am and we welcome parents, family and friends to come along and support the girls.

Good luck to the following students for Tuesday - Lara Burrows, Lahni Graham, Georgia Blaby, leesha Williams, Kiera Nagyidai, Ella Weston, Jayda Johnson – Mcdermott, Isabella Van Schie, Dione Tuifao and Lucy Walls.

Game 1	Ranfurly PS v The Lake	10.30am
Game 2	Ranfurly PS v Irymple South	11.30am
Game 3	Ranfurly PS v Sacred Heart	12.30pm

**Toby Cardew**  
P.E. Co-ordinator

## LIBRARY NEWS

**BOOKCLUB:** Our next issue of Bookclub has been distributed to students. Orders can be placed on-line, or bring them in to Mrs. K. in the Library.

Please note *orders close at 9am on Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> October.*

## SCHOOL MAGAZINE 2016

Order forms for the 2016 school magazine have been sent home today. Order forms and money must be returned on or before Monday 14 November, 2016.

**NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

## HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS



Hats are compulsory for Ranfurly students in Term 4. Please ensure your child has a wide-brimmed hat for the first day of school. Hats are available from the Uniform Shop for \$10.00. Students without hats will be required to sit in the shade at recess and lunch breaks.

## LOST PROPERTY

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



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## SCHOOL UPDATES

### OCTOBER 2016

Fri 7	Ranfurly Rockers perform at Riverfront Opening
Mon 10	Parents' Club Meeting - Staffroom 4.30pm Regional Athletics Meeting
Tues 11	5/6 Girls Basketball Division Championships
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 7/10	Katherine Tschirpig
Fri 14/10	Catherine Blaby
Fri 21/10	Laura Smith
Fri 28/10	"You Can Do It " Day
Fri 4/11	Tammy Bustard

**Advantage Pharmacy**  
Opening Hours:  
Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 7pm  
Saturday: 10am - 2pm  
Address: 239-241 Thirteenth Street, Mildura 3500  
Ph: (051) 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

Welcome back to Term 4! There is a new price list attached to the Newsletter this week.

We have a New burger— Cheese Burger—Beef burger in a pocket pita bread roll with cheese and sauce \$4.00.



Note there have also been a few price increases.

### COMMUNITY NEWS



**SpikeZone and VolleyStars Program Registration**  
from  
9:30am to 11:00am  
on  
Saturday, October 8  
at the  
SJC Stadium, 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Mildura  
For boys and girls U/14



**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**

### Langtree Connection to the Riverfront Official Opening

Friday 7 October 2016

Join us to celebrate the opening of the Langtree connection to Mildura's Riverfront



2pm - 3pm  
Official Opening on the lawn at Langtree Ave & Seventh Street

- 3pm - 8pm  
Community Celebration
- Live Entertainment
  - Art Workshops
  - Explore the new connection to the Riverfront
  - Sign the Official Launch Book
  - Free BBQ (until 8pm)



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## Preps Term 4 @ a Glance

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

## Years 1/2 Term 4 @ a Glance

<p><b>You Can Do It Stars of the Week</b></p> <p><b>Room 2T:</b> Mahalia Bottreill for great improvement in her handwriting.</p> <p><b>Room 2W:</b> Omar Morsey for working well during the topic of Money in Maths Groups.</p> <p><b>Room 2S:</b> Christopher Taperell for being a good friend to his classmates.</p> <p><b>Room 1M:</b> Louise Smith for showing resilience and persistence in class.</p> <p><b>Room 1A:</b> Aleera Hollis for a confident start to Ranfurly.</p> <p><b>Room 12G:</b> Eric Bueno for showing resilience during class.</p>	<p><b>Birthdays</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; border-right: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">15<sup>th</sup> October</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Mitchell Simms</td> </tr> </table>	15 <sup>th</sup> October	Mitchell Simms
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<p><b>This Week’s Unit Topics</b></p> <p><b>Numeracy</b> Money</p> <p><b>Literacy</b> Advertisements</p> <p><b>YDCI</b> Gary Get-Along</p>	<p><b>Special Notices and Events</b></p> <p><b>Reminder!</b> - BBQ Dinner and Sleepover is tonight Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October. Grade one students stay behind after school and are picked up at <b>7pm</b>. Grade two students return to school at <b>5.30pm</b>.</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 17<sup>th</sup> Ariana Hipe  
 Oct 19<sup>th</sup> Esdras Setu/Jessica Smith  
 Oct 15<sup>th</sup> Holli Bolitho  
 Oct 18<sup>th</sup> Ahmad Rezaei

### This Week's Unit Topics



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

- 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.

- 13<sup>th</sup> Oct Sam Davies  
 15<sup>th</sup> Oct Jayda Johnson-McDermott  
 16<sup>th</sup> Oct Lahni Graham

### This Week's Unit Topics

- Literacy:** Poetry  
**Numeracy**  
**Other** Science  
 Geography



### Special Events

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

