



# THE RAMBLER

*Strong in the heart and Smart in the head*

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**RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY**

What fun Year 1 and 2 Students had on Monday! Witches, Ghosts, Skeletons, Pumpkins and even a couple of Superheroes turned up to have some Spooky Fun. Ghoulish Groups raced to turn each other into Mummies, concocted special potions and enjoyed other ghostly games



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

## PRINCIPAL'S THOUGHTS

Another great week at our school with lots happening! Our Grade 3/4 students have had their **wonderful inventions** on display this week. I have enjoyed hearing how articulate they have been when describing their projects.

**Bike Ed** for our Prep to 2s is in full swing with many classes already completing their course. A big thanks to Miss Shore for the implementation of this program. Our students have shown great improvement in their skills and having great fun doing it! It is a great reminder to our whole school community to ensure we are being safe on our bikes and scooters and wearing a good fitting helmet.

Tonight is our **Grade 2 Sleepover**. Our students are super excited about having their first 'camp' experience, followed by lots of fun activities tomorrow too! Thank you to the staff for their organisation for this event.

Over the next two weeks our students will be completing our mid-term assessments. At Ranfurly we are data driven and work with your child to set goals based on their results. It is also our opportunity to celebrate growth from their previous assessments and learning blocks.

This week we have been conducting our Prep Interviews for 2023. Over the remainder of this term we will be seeing their enthusiastic little faces at our scheduled transition days and experiences. If you need a transition calendar please don't hesitate to contact the school.

Earlier this term we unfortunately had to postpone our **Grade 3 Camp** due to the flooding threat in Swan Hill. Our Grade 3 Team have been working frantically to coordinate a new experience for our students. Please note down **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> of November** into your calendars. More information will be out shortly.

Ranfurly teachers are making a difference to the lives of young people every day. Last Friday, **World Teachers' Day 2022** was celebrated across Australia. It was a chance to recognise and thank over 21,000 teachers who work in our public schools. Despite the challenges of the last 2 years, teachers bring their best to work and continue to put their students first. Teachers play an important role in our community and we appreciate and thank our Ranfurly teachers for their passion and dedication to inspire children and young people!

*Dennis, Mat & Chelsea*

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# RANFURLY UNIFORM SHOP ORDER FORM

STUDENT NAME .....

DATE.....

ROOM No .....

PHONE NUMBER.....

## PAYMENT MUST BE INCLUDED WITH THIS ORDER

**Payment Methods available: Cash / EFTPOS / BPay**

ITEM	SIZE	QUANTITY	COST	\$
<b>Polo Shirts</b> Sizes 4 – L			<b>\$25.00</b>	
<b>Windcheater (Navy with school logo)</b> Size 6 – L			<b>\$32.00</b>	
<b>Jacket (Navy fleece with logo)</b> Size 6 - 14			<b>\$35.00</b>	
<b>Bomber Jacket (Navy with striped ribbing)</b> Size 4 – 16			<b>\$55.00</b>	
<b>Summer School Dress</b> Size 4 – 14			<b>\$42.00</b>	
<b>Winter Tunic/Skirt &amp; tights package</b> Size 4 - 16			<b>\$60.00</b>	
<b>Unisex Basketball Shorts (Navy)</b> Size 6 – 14			<b>\$10.00</b>	
<b>Girls Skorts (Navy)</b> Size 4 – 12			<b>\$15.00</b>	
<b>Hat – Broad brimmed, Navy with logo</b> Size XS/53cm, S/55cm, M/57cm, L/59cm, XL/61cm			<b>\$10.00</b>	
<b>Navy School Bag/Backpack with Logo</b>			<b>\$45.00</b>	
			<b>TOTAL</b>	

### Price List current from 1 January 2020

Uniform is available for purchase during school hours.

Ordering, using this form is an option outside of school times.

Either email to address below or ask your child to drop off at the school office.

BPay details are noted on your family statement or available from the school office (5022 1299).

Email your Bpay receipt to [ranfurly.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:ranfurly.ps@education.vic.gov.au) to confirm payment.



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## SCHOOL UPDATES

### NOVEMBER 2022

Thu 3	Grade 2 Sleepover
Fri 4	Grade 2 Activity Day
Thu 24	Grade 3 Camp
Wed 30	2023 Preps Family BBQ

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### MUSIC FEES

All outstanding Music Fees for this year must be paid as soon as possible. Any queries please contact the office.

Thank you!

## CANTEEN NEWS

### Meal Deal \$6.00

4 Chicken Nuggets

1 Corn Cob

Flavoured Milk, Milo or Juice

Quelch Icy Pole



Lucinda Grant

### WORLD KINDNESS DAY

Ranfurlly is celebrating World Kindness day on Monday 7 November.

Come dressed in your favourite bright colours and help spread kindness like its confetti.

Junior School Council will be collecting a gold coin donation to give back to a local charity.



If you have the power to make someone happy, do it. The world needs more of that.



#### Why is kindness important?

Kindness allows us to connect with other people and build meaningful relationships. When someone shows us kindness, we feel connected and more willing to cooperate with them.

#### How can I be kind?

You can show kindness in many different ways:

- Tell someone what you like about them
- Speak respectfully to everyone
- Set a good example, hold a door open, ask someone to play
- Volunteer your time, offer to help someone in need
- Listen more, be a good friend

#### Why is kindness powerful?

Witnessing acts of kindness produces oxytocin (feel good hormone) in our body, which helps keep our blood pressure low and our heart healthy.

Oxytocin also increases our self-esteem and optimism, which is extra helpful when we're anxious or shy in a social situation.



## ITLAS COURSE

**DATE:** Saturday, 12th November, 2022  
**LOCATION:** Mildura LAC, Old Aerodrome Sporting Complex 537 Eleventh Street, Mildura VIC 3500  
**TIME:** 9:45am - 4:00pm | **FEE:** \$75 pp

Learn the basics of Little Athletics so you can teach beginner athletes! Perfect for parents, volunteers and teachers who want to learn how to teach the fundamentals of each Little Athletics event.



**REGISTER HERE**





50th Anniversary of Little Athletics SA Mildura District Little Athletics Centre

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## Preps Term 4 Unit @ a Glance

	<b>Stars of the Week</b>	<b>BIRTHDAYS</b> 
	<p><b>Room PL:</b> Olivia Muscat-Lavery for trying hard with all her Learning Tasks and the 6 Ls of Listening.</p> <p><b>Room PM:</b> Aivah Blore for hearing the sounds and writing the words during writing.</p> <p><b>Room PG:</b> Keith Matthews for trying hard during Sounds Work. Well done Keith M!</p>	<b>READING AWARDS</b> <b>100 Books:</b> Isaiah Lowther <b>150 Books:</b> Dustin Barrett
<b>Next Week's Unit Topics</b> <p><u>Numeracy</u> – Maths Groups are going well with children enjoying learning about numbers and place value.</p> <p><u>Literacy</u>- We are working on Unit 11 –the 'wh' sound.</p> <p><u>You Can Do It</u>- We are learning about Ricky Resilience and what it means to show resilience.</p> <p><u>Healthy Minds and Bodies</u>: We are learning about healthy foods, the importance of a good night's sleep and mindfulness.</p>		<b>SPECIAL EVENTS/REMINDERS.</b> <p>Prep Tea was a wonderful evening for all our children. It was the beginning of our camps and excursion program.</p> <p>During PE Sessions between Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October through to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November Bike Ed will commence. Please ensure you have your child's bikes ready. Check your original note for your child's day.</p>

## Years 1/2 Week @ a Glance

Stars of the Week		Special Notices and Events:
<b>Room 1E:</b>	Shylah Herold-Cluss for going out of her way to help others and making our class a better place to be. Thanks for being you Shylah!	<b>Grade 1 Activity Night</b> <b>Thursday 17th November.</b> <b>Birthdays:</b> Elly Greenaway Kirby 3rd November Waylon Manning 7 <sup>th</sup> November 
<b>Room 1L:</b>	Lucas Knight for terrific teamwork in our mummy race on Spooky Day.	
<b>Room 1M:</b>	Alex De Boo for showing such great enthusiasm and 'Spooktacular Spirit' on Spooky Day!	
<b>Room 2B:</b>	Savannah Malycha for applying new learning to write a persuasive text. You did a fantastic job for your first time. Well done Savannah!	<b>Reading Awards:</b> <b>150 Nghts</b>  Henry Goulet  <b>Organisation Awards:</b> Chloe Reberger, Astrid Clifford and Monika Ros
<b>Room 2W:</b>	Scarlett Coomber for having the confidence to contribute to 'Sounds Write' sessions by sounding out words.	
<b>Room 1/2D:</b>	Scarlett Roberts for working hard in reading. Well done Scarlett	
Grade 1/2 Unit Topics		
<b>Grade 1 Focus</b> Maths - Fractions Reading - The /u/ sound can be spelt 'u' 'o' and 'ou' Writing - Procedural Writing Integrated - Creative Thinking and Problem Solving	<b>Grade 2 Focus</b> Reading: Narrative texts Sounds~Write Phonics: same sound, different spelling /eu/ Writing: Persuasive texts Numeracy: Fractions Integrated Studies: Robot Buddies Y.C.D.I -Social and Emotional Skills	

## YEAR 3/4 TERM 4 @ A GLANCE

### STARS OF THE WEEK



**ROOM 3D:** Zahlia McCorkindale for her confident approach to her learning and persistence to complete tasks. Well done Zahlia!

**ROOM 3M:** Lilly Mckenzie for her great enthusiasm in classroom discussions. Well done Lilly!

**ROOM 3/4W:** Ernest Mitchell for being more organised and ready for learning. Well done Ernest!

**ROOM 4R:** Charlotte Hardy for showing great persistence in all of her classwork.

**ROOM 4B:** Satar Mohammadi for his enthusiastic and efficient 'Awesome Invention' model creating. Great effort Satar!

**ROOM 4T:** Archer Newton for a fantastic introduction for his persuasive text.

### BIRTHDAYS



1st November - Satar Mohammadi

2nd November - Hayleigh Beaver

3rd November - Clarabelle Lye, Sophie Lye

5th November - Raiden Hudson

### AWARDS



**100 Nights of Reading**

Blake Griffiths

**150 Nights of Reading**

Jayden Khan

### **YCDI AWARDS**

**Persistence** - Eli Walker

**Organisation** - Martin Ros, Levi Kellett

**Resilience** - Cayden Rosebottom,

### NOTICE BOARD



### This Week's Unit Topics

**Literacy - Persuasive Text**

**Maths - Time**

## Year 5/6 Unit@ a Glance—Term 4

### **Stars of the Week!**

**5B:** Nina Vo for her fantastic effort and hard work when completing her post test for Data and Statistics. Well done Nina!

**5K:** Owen Chang for working hard in Maths and achieving outstanding results on his post test for Data and Statistics. Great work Owen!

**56C:** Ivy Smythe for being a kind, attentive and compassionate class member and friend. We are so lucky to have you, Ivy! Thanks for all that you do.

**6S:** Kaylie Hadenfeldt for your amazing achievement in your Data and Interpretation post test. Keep up the great work Kaylie!

**6T:** Alara Kandemir for working efficiently and with a clear sense of what needs to be achieved when catching up on her work.



### **Birthdays!**

**5K:** Liam Farrell (November 2nd)



### **Reading Awards**

**250 Nights** - Thomas Button

### **Upcoming Events/Reminders-A few reminders;**

- Remember to record your **nightly reading** in your diary or on your reading slip and bring it to school every day.
- Homework due **Friday, 4th, November.**
- Hats—As it is now Term 4, please make sure you bring your school hat to wear at lunch and snack times.