



As part of Integrated Studies, students in Grade 3/4 enjoyed an excursion to Roundagain and Mildura Landfill. Students participated in discussions and were eager to learn new ways on how to reduce, recycle and reuse household items.

PRINCIPAL'S THOUGHTS

It has been fantastic getting in and walking through our classrooms this week seeing happy smiling faces. Classrooms are calm and your children are working hard on their next step. Our children are so terrific with lots of energy and time to talk. Our students know where they are in their learning journey and what they need to work on next. In particular it has been powerful seeing how our students have been 'thinking about their thinking' and explaining how they have worked out their answer.

Learning Talks are on this Tuesday 30 August 2022 where we will take time to have an open conversation about how your child is going socially, emotionally and academically at school. Confirmation of your appointment time you made and a copy of a 'draft' Individual Education Plans (IEP) for the Learning Talks will come home with your child this Monday 29 August 2022. A reminder there is no school on Tuesday 30 August, except to come up to your child's classroom and participate in the Learning Talk time.

This week is Book Week with the theme 'Dreaming with eyes open'. We encourage all students and staff to dress up tomorrow (Friday 26 August 2022) as their favourite book character and come together in a dress up parade for all to celebrate Book Week at 9:00am on the basketball court. Our children just love this day! All parents and families are invited to watch!

Wow! What great performances from Mr. Brendan Alderton's grade 5/6 'Stage FX' FLIP group. The 16 students were amazing & showed an abundance of talent with their three performances on stage at the Mildura Arts Centre this week. Congratulations and Well done!

There is an additional Pupil-free Day on Thursday 15 September (Week 10 Term 4). This is due to the Education Department allocated Professional Practice Day for teachers. On this day, teachers will be working on improving Numeracy and Literacy learning sequences. A reminder that we finish term 3 on Friday 16 September 2022 and we dismiss on that day at 1.30pm.

Stay safe, stay well and stay connected.

Mat, Chelsea & Mark

BOOKCLUB

New catalogues was issued last week. Please order on-line using LOOP if possible, otherwise orders can be sent in to school.

Orders will close at 9am on Friday, 26th August.



We will be having a Book
Week Parade tomorrow
Friday 26th August
beginning at 9am. Students
and staff may dress up as
their favourite character
from a book.

Parents and Friends are welcome to attend

PARENTS' CLUB NEWS

Ranfurly's amazing Parents' Club will be running a 'Fathers' Day' stall on Friday 2 September. This is a chance for the students to buy a small gift for their father, grandfather or special person.

If any Ranfurly parents or friends are available we would appreciate some assistance running the stall on the day. It is a great way to meet other parents, have a cuppa and help out the school. If you can offer a couple of hours

please call
Donna on
0400 255 069
or contact
the office.

Thank you!



LOST PROPERTY

Once again the Lost Property chest is overflowing with unnamed jumpers, lunch boxes, and drink bottles. If your child is missing any of these items, please make sure they check the Big Red Box in the 5/6 Building.

Please ensure that all jumpers, hats and personal property are named and we



will endeavour to return it owners.

Medications

Students who require medication during school hours must have the appropriate forms completed by parents/carers. Staff are not able to dispense medication without written approval. Please contact office for further information. Thank you!



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SCHOOL UPDATES

AUGUST 2022

Mon 22 To Fri 26	Book Week
Tue 30	Student Learning Talks

SEPTEMBER 2022

Thu 15	Pupil free Day	
Fri 16	Last Day Term 3 Finish 1.30pm	

OCTOBER 2022

Mon 3	Pupil free Day
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Information Night

Come along to hear about a brand new, original Panto written by local Emily Gigg. The show is looking to cast a diverse range of performers from 4-94!

> Monday 29th of August, 2022 7:30 pm Eco Village- 15 Scherger Drive, Mildura

For more information about this exciting new opportunity, please contact the Musical Society Mildura:

musical.society.mildura@gmail.com

CANTEEN NEWS

<u>Toasted Sandwiches – Gluten Free available</u>

Ham & Cheese	\$4.00
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$4.50
Chicken, Cheese & Pineapple	\$4.50
Chicken & Cheese	\$4.00
Cheese & Corn	\$4.00
Baked Beans	\$4.00
Baked Beans & Cheese	\$4.50
Cheese & Vegemite	\$3.00
Cheese	\$3.00





Preps Term 3 Unit @ a Glance

Stars of the Week

BIRTHDAYS





Room PG: Harper Walters for trying hard when writing.

Room PL: Blayde Campbell-Barby for being kind just like Gabby Get Along and trying hard in his writing.

Room PM: Luna Neupane showing the 6Ls of listening in class.

READING AWARDS



50 Nights: Sophie Penna, Ruby McCauley, Isaiah

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100 Nights: Liora McLeod

Next Week's Unit Topics

<u>Numeracy</u> – We are learning how to heft objects to work which is heavier and lighter.

<u>Literacy-</u> Preps learning new sounds-<u>J Z W</u>. We are also practising writing these sounds and making lots of words using these sounds. -We are also using our tracking finger as we read our books.

You Can Do It-

This week we are learning about Pete Persistence and how to be more like him. Pete always keeps going even when things are tricky.

SPECIAL EVENTS/REMINDERS

Thank you to those families who have sent a box of tissues to school. If you could please donate a box this would be greatly appreciated.

It has been great to see how many children are bringing their reading bags each day. Well Done!

Please remember to have all your children's school jumpers and jackets clearly named.

Years 1/2 Week @ a Glance

***	▼ Stars of the Week ▼▼ ▼▼	Birthdays:	
Room 1E:	Elly Greenway Kirby for being like Olivia Organisation and getting her learning tasks completed. Well done Elly!	Shae-Leigh Taylor 27 th August	
Room 1L:	Aria Dogan for taking pride in her work. The illustrations for your narrative are looking absolutely amazing Aria, keep it up!	Ryder Clarke 28 th August Charlee Higgins 31 st August Reading Awards: Irshad Ibrahimi, Samer Rezaei, Harry Cameron, Leonardo Da Silva Machal, Jiren Woodhouse	
Room 1M:	Amelia Edwards for working really hard and achieving fantastic growth on your Data Representation and Interpretation Post Test. Keep up the great work Amelia!		
Room 2B:	Ethan Yilmaz for working persistently on the published copy of his story. Well done Ethan. Keep working hard ©		
Room 2W:	Zion Zafari for his increased confidence in contributing to classroom discussions.	Maths Award Shylah Herold-Cluss, Una Maea,	
Room 1/2D:	Adah McGurk for always working hard to improve her skills. Reading awards	Adrian Abdel, Savannah Malycha, Jamarcus Finau, Dakoda Wallace	
	Grade 1/2 Unit Topics	Januareas i iliau, Bakoda wallace	

Grade 1,2 cm 1

Grade 1 Focus

Literacy: Narrative Texts
Sounds Write: e & ou sound
Numeracy: Addition/Subtraction
Multiplication/Division
YCDI: Wellbeing Resilience
Integrated Studies: Combining Materials

Grade 2 Focus

Materials

Literacy: Imaginative Texts
Sounds Write: /or/
Numeracy: Addition/Subtraction
Multiplication/Division
YCDI: Wellbeing Resilience
Integrated Studies: Combining

Special Notices and Events:

Friday 26th August—Book Week (Dress up as your favourite book character)

YEAR 3/4 TERM 3 @ A GLANCE





ROOM 3D: Mahmoud Maaroof for being an active and confident participant in Mandarin lessons. Well done Mahmoud!

ROOM 3M: Lilly McKenzie for her fantastic organisational skills and for being more persistent when completing tasks.

ROOM 3/4W: Malcolm Timbery-Thornton for making an excellent return to Ranfurly and settling in well to 3/4W. Well done Malcolm!

ROOM 4R: Adelle Cameron for her terrific persistence in neatly presenting all her class work. Keep up the great work!

ROOM 4B: Emily Parker for her great effort when completing her State Information Report. Awesome Work Emily!

ROOM 4T: Bethany Barling for great effort when reading at school and home.



Karneshia De Been 23rd August, Leo Chang 25th August, Koen Ward 26th August, Liam Ezzey 29th August

AWARDS



100 Nights of Reading

Harrison Roy, Brooklyn Jones, Jayden Khan, Troy Holt, **Angus Cameron**

150 Nights of Reading

Casper Hatcher, Emily Parker

200 Nights of Reading

Cavden Rosebottom

YCDI Awards Organisation

Lilly Mckenzie

This Week's Unit Topics

Explanations

Literature Circles - Discussion Director

Maths - Money

NOTICE BOARD



Medical and covid notes for grade 4 camp need to be returned by next Friday.

Grade 3 medical forms have been sent home. Forms & final payment of \$100 is required by Friday 9th September

Year 5/6 Unit@ a Glance—Term 3

Stars of the Week!

5B: Rowan Byrnes for his fantastic effort and hard work when completing his global citizen biography.

5K: Kaden Walters for his positive attitude and great contributions to class discussions. Keep up the great work Kaden!



56C: Taniah Hollier for always bringing a positive attitude to our classroom. Keep up the amazing work, Taniah!

6S: Tom Creamer for continuing to actively seek feedback on his writing pieces and upleveling his work. Keep up the great work Tom!

6T: Jason Coslovich for his enthusiasm and participation during our Grade 6 camp to Melbourne last week.

Birthdays!

5B:

Angleica Payne (August 30th)

6S: 6T:

56C: Aliabbas Hussaini (September 1st)

Numeracy Awards

5B:

5K:

56C:

6S: 6T:

• Remember to record your *nightly reading* in your diary or on your reading slip and bring it to school every day.

• Homework due Friday, 26th August.

Reading Awards

25 Nights - Ireland Basgol

50 Nights- Zakariya Maaroof

150 Nights- Kaylie Hadenfedlt

100 Nights- Zach Valaydon

- Book Week This Friday (26th August) is our book week parade. Please remind students to wear a costume.
- Learning Talks Learning talks are next Tuesday (30th August). There are still lots of appointment times available so make sure you book by Friday 26th August. If you have any problems booking, contact your child's classroom teacher.

Upcoming Events/Reminders- A few reminders;