



THE RAMBLER

Strong in the heart and Smart in the head

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2023 PREP ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN!



Ranfurly PREP 2023 OPEN MORNING

Friday 10th June
9:00-11:00

Developing our children to be
*Strong in the Heart and
Smart in the Head.*

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PRINCIPAL'S THOUGHTS

The Ranfurly Family celebrates that our school sits on the land of the First People of the Millewa-Mallee. Our connection to community in our school is strong and we wish to acknowledge the Latji Latji and Ngintait as the Traditional Owners and Custodians of the Country on which we are on. We also wish to acknowledge the deep history of our neighbours the Barkindji-Wiimpitja have in our district and our community.

This week is National Reconciliation Week. The theme, "Be Brave. Make Change." is a challenge to all of us — individuals, families, communities, organisations and government—to *Be Brave* and tackle the unfinished business of reconciliation so we can *Make Change* for the benefit of all Australians. It is important that this bravery is not simply shown through Reconciliation Week but for every week of the year. It is a time for all of us to continue to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. The Reconciliation Australia website is a great place to start for increasing knowledge.

On Monday and Tuesday I was privileged to attend the Education State Principals Conference. The theme this year is Stronger Together; Every Student, Every School. I am looking forward to sharing my learnings with our staff.

Regards,

Mat & Chelsea




IMPORTANT DATES

- 3-6 Swimming Monday 6th June – Friday 10th of June, 2022
- Tours for 2023 Prep Families – Friday 10th of June, 2022
- Term 2 Finishes – Friday 24th of June, 2022
- NAIDOC Community Celebration Day – Thursday 21st of July, 2022



**MUSIC AND SINGING FEES
ARE NOW DUE. THANK
YOU!**

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Preps Term 2 Unit @ a Glance

	Stars of the Week	BIRTHDAYS 7 th June Dania Al-Sady 
	Room PL: Dania Al-Sady for excellent sound work and reading. Room PM: Ethan Ndagijimana for working hard on his 6 Ls of Listening. Room PG: Dustin Barrett for excellent sound work and reading.	READING AWARDS 50 Books Frankie Perry, Kerrah Gathercole, Daisy Alleblas, Savannah Gahan, Drazik King, Rylan Cook, Malvin Ros 100 Books Dakota Coutts 
Next Week's Unit Topics <u>Numeracy</u> –We are learning about value in numbers to 20 and beyond. <u>Literacy</u> - Preps learning new sounds- <u>x</u> , <u>y</u> <u>ff</u> , <u>ll</u> , <u>ss</u> , <u>zz</u> . We are introducing the concept that 2 letters make 1 sound (diagraphs). <u>You Can Do It</u> -This week we are reviewing all the You Can Do It characters.		<u>SPECIAL EVENTS/REMINDERS</u>

Years 1/2 Week @ a Glance

<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: space-between;"> ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Stars of the Week ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ </div>		Birthdays: Kobe Ward 3 rd June Xander Presecott 6th June Mrs. Anstey 7th June 
Room 1E:	Fred Scanlan for an amazing improvement with his reading. I love how confidently you are blending the sounds in the words. Keep it up Fred	Reading Awards 25 nights Zeke James, Elijah Wright, Kayde Harris, Braydon Kellett, Esme Kerr-Backus, Zoe Lilburn, Zion Zafari 50 nights Waylon Manning, Chloe Reberger 100 nights Pandora Jenkins-Edwards 
Room 1L:	Cliffy Williams-Mackay for an amazing improvement in all of his learning. Your brain is growing so big Cliffy, soon we won't be able to fit your head through our classroom door!	
Room 1M:	Xander Clarke for his awesome go at making a Constellation during Integrated Studies.	Special Notices and Events: Thank you to all the families who have sent a box of tissues to the classrooms. Our supplies are getting low, if you have not yet it will be greatly appreciated.
Room 2B:	Kendrick McCoy for a positive change in his 'Growth Mindset' and practising the 'Ranfurly Way'. You have made me a very happy teacher. There's no stopping you now ☺	
Room 2W:	Bonny Kirby for her great results in the Essential Assessment Multiplication and Division post tests.	
Room 1/2D:	Loki Anderson for his awesome improvement in his reading. Well done Loki!	
Grade 1/2 Unit Topics		
<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="flex: 1;"> Grade 1 Focus Literacy: Information Texts Numeracy: Chance Integrated Studies: Changes in Our Sky Y.C.D.I!: Getting Along Sounds Write: /oa/ as in coat tow and bone </div> <div style="flex: 1;"> Grade 2 Focus Reading – Information Text Writing – Information Text Sounds Write - /oo/ sound as in look, put, should Numeracy: Chance YCDI: Relationships – Values, Character Strengths and Getting Along Skills Integrated Studies- Changes in Our Sky </div> </div>		

YEAR 3/4 TERM 2 @ A GLANCE

STARS OF THE WEEK



ROOM 3D: Lucas Howell for being more confident and showing great persistence with his reading. Keep up the great work Lucas!

ROOM 3M: Damon Hawke for having a more positive attitude towards his learning and showing more confidence by participating in discussions. Keep working hard Damon!

ROOM 3/4W: Isabella Tanner for her willingness to help in the classroom and offering her support to others. We appreciate your efforts Isabella!

ROOM 4R: Lindon Greenaway Kirby, for showing more resilience when completing a challenging task. Keep up the great effort!

ROOM 4B: Levei Williams for doing some clever spelling work. Well Done Levei!

ROOM 4T: Brycen Hillier for being a kind and helpful member of the class always ready to help others out

AWARDS



25 Nights of Reading

Kohen Barling, Lisia Maea

50 Nights of Reading

Liam Ezzey

100 Nights of Reading

This Week's Unit Topics

Literacy
BIG Ideas and Connections
Information Reports
Maths - Chance

BIRTHDAYS



NOTICE BOARD



Donations of tissue boxes would be greatly appreciated!

Next week is swimming week. Please make sure your child has their bathers and a towel packed in a separate bag

Year 5/6 Unit@ a Glance—Term 2

Stars of the Week!

5B: Blake Ward for his positive and hard working attitude during our numeracy and literacy testing.

5K: Enayat Shabir for being organised and completing all his tasks in the allocated time. Keep up the fantastic work Enayat!

56C: Akipe Piawi for showing persistence during his assessments. Keep up the great work Akipe!

6S: Aurora Hoffmann for being a fantastic role model and always producing high quality work, 6S is lucky to have you Aurora!

6T: Temperance Kerr Backus for writing an interesting and thought provoking persuasive text about whether students should have to play sport.



Birthdays!

No Birthdays this Week!!



Reading Awards

25 Nights -

50 Nights— Abby Jeffrey, Ebony Bracken

100 Nights

Upcoming Events/Reminders—A few reminders;

- Remember to record your **nightly reading** in your diary and bring it to school every day.
- Homework** is due this Friday (3rd June).
- Interschool Sport** - Interschool Sport is on this week, Friday, 3rd June from 12:45pm. Parents are very welcome to come and help out or just simply watch.
- Swimming** is on next week.
- Please return **Grade 5 camp notes** and medical

LIBRARY NEWS

A huge thankyou to everyone for supporting our Scholastic Book Fair. Our sales were the second-highest ever, totalling \$4020.00!!!

Our school benefits from these sales with a \$30% commission, which is very generous.

It was fantastic to see so many families come to the Book Fair during our Reading Night. We had lots of happy faces throughout the week and lots of excitement.

Thankyou to Scholastic for their awesome efforts to get Book Fairs to country areas!



PREPS LEARNING THROUGH DEVELOPMENTAL PLAY

Due to the rainy weather our Preps spent their Developmental Play inside on Monday. The instructions were to construct a campsite and make up a story through their play. They then wrote a narrative about their imaginary camping trip.



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SCHOOL UPDATES

JUNE 2022

Thur 2	Eisteddfod Commences
Mon 6-Fri 10	Swimming Grades 3-6
Fri 10	Ranfurly Prep Tours 9am-11am
Mon 13	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday

School Car Park

The School Car Park is for staff car parking, disabled car parking and deliveries to the school **only**. In order to protect the safety of all children, we ask that parents **do not** park in the school *car park* or *bus loop* to drop off or pick up children. The staff car park gate is also not to be used for pedestrian access. Children and parents are **not** permitted to enter or leave the school via the staff car park gate for safety reasons. Please use footpath access points. *Thank you for your continued assistance in keeping Ranfurly students safe.*



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.

CANTEEN NEWS

Hot Hearty Choices

Chicken Nugget	-----\$0.70
Mini Steamed Corn on Cob	-----\$0.50
Fried Rice	-----\$5.00
Minestrone Soup	-----\$5.00
Creamy Pumpkin Soup	-----\$5.00
Chicken and Corn Soup	-----\$5.00

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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.



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