



## Preps Term 3 Unit @ a Glance



### Stars of the Week

**PREP L: Marita Johnson-Hunter** for striving to be the best learner she can be and always doing the 6L's of Listening.

**PREP M: Georgia Irvin** for working hard to improve her writing in her new dotted thirds writing book.

**PREP C: Alamaite Toto** for his excellent work with sounding out the words when writing.

**PREP E: Santiago Chisalita** for an amazing effort with sentence writing!

### Birthdays



Harriet Lehmann - 27th July  
Huxley Redpath - 31st July

### Reading Awards

**100 Nights:** Eyrлие Sheaves, Georgia Irvin,

**150 Nights:** Darcy Elliott, Almina Mihai,  
Alby Farrow, Rylan Sutcliffe

### Next Week's Unit Topics

**Numeracy** –We are learning about counting collections and adding two numbers together.

**Literacy**- We are learning to read and write four letter words.

**The Resilience Project**- We are learning about being a good friend.

**Our Community:** We are learning about the people who help us in the community .

### Special Events/Reminders

#### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Thursday 25th July** - NAIDOC DAY - All family members welcome.

#### **REMINDERS**

**Name Clothing:** Please make sure that your **child's name is on all of their school clothing** so that it can be easily returned if lost.

**Tissue Donation:** Please bring along a box of tissues to share with your class.



## YEARS 1/2 UNIT @ A GLANCE



### STARS OF THE WEEK

**Room 1G:** Haset Meressa for a fabulous start at Ranfurly. We love your happy smile and big laugh!

**Room 1C:** Erika Nguyen for a fantastic start at Ranfurly. We are so lucky to have you Erika, welcome!

**Room 1/2 B:** Pippa Fenna for a wonderful start to Term 3. Thank you for remembering the 1/2B way!

**Room 2B:** Cooper Lee for a wonderful start to Term 3. I love your positive attitude and the way you make us happy. Thank you Cooper!

**Room 2T:** Hudson McGurk for your positive attitude and giving things a go. Well done, Hudson!

### BIRTHDAYS

Florence Kailahi 5 July

Lincoln Coutts 10 July

Sajjad Mohammadi 11 July

Brylie Everett 11 July



### This Week's Unit Topics

#### **Reading:**

Grade 1: Fluency

Grade 2: Making connections

#### **Sounds:**

Grade 1: different spellings for /ie/

Grade 2: different spellings for /o/

#### **Writing:**

Grade 1: Different spellings for /i/

Grade 2: Expanding sentences

**Maths:** Number– Place Value

**Integrated Studies:** Growing Older and Wiser

### READING & MATHS AWARDS

Wangdak Tenzin, Ashton Sutcliffe,  
Aptin Taghavinejad, Joshua Harris,  
Elijah Young, Braylen Cernelutti,  
Sara Muradi, Abigail Matthews,  
William Godenzi, Isaac Sauer, Jemima  
De Boo, Daisy-Lynn Kelly, Makenzie Nunn,

#### NOTICE BOARD

**NAIDOC DAY** - You're all welcome to attend our activities on Wednesday between 11:50 and 1:45.



## 3/4 UNIT @ A GLANCE



### STARS OF THE WEEK

**3D:** Eloise Tyson for being a role model by showing kindness, empathy and a willingness to try her best at all times. We are lucky to have you in 3D, Eloise!

**3W:** Kerrah Gathercole for being more confident to share her ideas and always working well in class. Well done Kerrah!

**3M:** Ethan Ndagijimana for being a helpful and positive member of our class. Great start to Term 3 Ethan!

**4R:** Scarlett Roberts for completing all tasks with a positive attitude and always trying her best. Keep up the great work!

**4B:** Aria Dogan for showing great focus and persistence when completing her Holiday Postcard. Well Done Aria!

**4T:** Sirat Kaur Arora for always putting an amazing effort into all that she does at school. Great Attitude to learning Sirat!

**4M:** Kyrie Lowther for putting time and effort into the Artful Artist role and drawing an image he is proud of. Well done Kyrie!

### AWARDS

#### 50 Nights of Reading:

Denise Williams, Daisy Alleblas, Linjing Sithav, Antoniyo Wilson, Elly Degoumois, Rylan Cook, Bella Pike

#### 100 Nights of Reading:

Marley Malycha, Eloise Tyson, Mele Toto, Darci Deiesi, Adeel Hussaini, Tyler Beaver, Aarushi Debnath

#### 150 Nights of Reading:

Sirat Kaur Arora, Alecia Parfrey, Samarth Raghavendra

### This Week's Unit Topics

**Reading** - NAIDOC Dreaming Stories

**Writing** - Information Report

**Maths** - Shape and Location

**Integrated Studies** - Australia - Our Place on Earth

### BIRTHDAYS

27th July - Keith Barrett



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## Year 5/6 Unit@ a Glance



### Stars of the Week!

**5C:** Lacey Hunt for demonstrating great focus and determination in her work. Keep it up Lacey!

**5M:** Nobel Meressa for fitting in well in 5M and for his positive attitude and consistent effort in class. He always comes prepared and shows kindness to his classmates. Amazing effort, Nobel!

**5T:** Havana Evans-Walker for being a great helper and having a fantastic week back in 5T. Keep up the fantastic work, Havana!

**6A:** McKenzie O'Rourke for demonstrating great responsibility when completing her composting job and being confident to have a go in writing.

**6J:** Raiden Hudson for his great listening, engagement and participation during our lessons. Keep up the great work Raids!

**6P:** Levi Kellett for making a great start to the term, showing increased engagement and a positive approach to learning. Well done!

### Upcoming Events & Reminders

- HOMEWORK:** Due Friday 25th July.
- SCHOOL PRODUCTION:** Rehearsals every Wednesday – Remember to practise at home and bring your scripts/music to every rehearsal.
- CHAFFEY'S 'SEAL' PROGRAM:** An information night is being held on Tuesday, 12th August at 6pm for Grade 6 families who are interested in Chaffey Secondary College's 2026 'SEAL' Program.

### AWARDS

#### Reading Awards:

**50 Nights:** Josh Dines, Arlia Duffield, Lucas Howell, Mico Sevilla, Elham Rezaei

**100 Nights:** Marcus Byrnes

**150 Nights:** Meadow Dean

### Happy Birthday!

**5C:** Ellenestina Niyera (July 10th), Alexis Mitchell (July 16th) Nick Hope (24th July)

**5M:** Harlem Smith-Hunt (July 10th), Cadel Darley (July 23rd),

**5T:** Kate Lyons (July 22nd)

**6A:** Charli Deiesi (July 6th), Isabella Tanner (July 12th)

**6J:** Zahlia McCorkindale (July 5th)

**6P:** Levi Kellett (July 9th), Alirah Smith (July 12th)





RANFURLY PRIMARY

# THE RAMBLER

*Strong in the heart and Smart in the head*

Principal: **Dennis Mitchell**

Thursday 24 July 2025

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**RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY**

Assistant Principals: **Mark Rogerson & Chelsea Spratt**



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**NAIDOC DAY 2025**

**WEDNESDAY 30 JULY**

Ranfurly will be holding our Naidoc Day on Wednesday 30th July. We do encourage parents and families to come along. Please keep an eye out for a personalised invitation from your child.

**11:45– 12:30** Opening Ceremony in the Outdoor Assembly area

**12:30 – 1:05** Naidoc Day activities in classrooms

# PRINCIPALS REPORT

## Welcome to Term 3

On returning to school this week, our students are to be congratulated for a positive and successful start to the Term. It has been evident that students have enjoyed the recent holidays and have returned to school with a keenness to re-engage with their learning as well as continue to develop constructive relationships with their teachers and classmates.

## NAIDOC Day

All is in readiness for our school NAIDOC Day celebrations to be held here at Ranfurly on **Wednesday the 30<sup>th</sup> of July**. NAIDOC Day is an opportunity to celebrate and recognise the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as well as learn more about First Nations cultures and histories. Please keep an eye out for a personalised invitation from your child to this whole school community event starting at **11.55am** at the front of the school.

## Ranfurly Athletics Day – Save the Date

Another major whole school community event on our school calendar is our Ranfurly Athletics Day to be held on **Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> of August**. Students are currently practicing for the various events during Physical education classes, and we look forward to seeing them give their best efforts in gaining valuable points for their houses.

## Absenteeism – Thank you for your support!

We continue to be thankful to those parents and guardians who can explain absences if their child is absent from school. It is our aim as a school to have all student absences explained in a timely manner. As you are no doubt aware, if your child is away from school and the absence hasn't already been explained, a notification will be automatically sent at 10.00am via Compass to clarify the non-attendance. We appreciate your help in keeping our records up to date.

Enjoy the rest of the week and well done again on a fantastic start to the Term!

*Regards, Dennis, Chelsea and Toby*



# LOST PROPERTY



We have a lot of school uniforms in the lost property bin located in the Grade 5/6 building.

After school care have a load of lost property as well located in the Walton wing.

If your child is missing or has lost any uniform please come and check to see if any of it belongs to your child/ren.



Want to give wheelchair basketball a go?

Come roll with us at our fun, FREE all-abilities basketball program in MILDURA! Whether you're new to sport or keen to get competitive, this is your chance to build skills, make friends, and have a blast on the court.

**WHEN** EVERY SUNDAY  
AUG 10 - SEPT 14

**LOCATION** HOTHOUSE STADIUM,  
50-52 8TH ST, MILDURA

**TIME** 2PM-5PM

#### OPEN TO:

- People with disability or chronic health conditions
- Aboriginal and CALD community members
- All ages and skill levels
- Able-bodied players welcome

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Sports wheelchairs & basketballs provided – or bring your own!



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Please remember to keep us updated of any change of details.

- Change of Name
- Change of Address
- New phone number
- New emergency contacts details
- Medical conditions

## Reminder parents

### MUSIC TUITION FEES-TERMS 1 AND 2

Reminder that all outstanding fees must be paid. Thank you!

## BASKETBALL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

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## LIFESAVER COURSE

5 JUL, 2 AUG, 6 SEP,  
18 OCT AND 27 NOV  
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milduralifesaving.com

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Photos: People in life jackets, people in a boat, people in a pool.

JULY 27 1-2:30

## FREE ROLLER SKATING

COME AND TRY

JUNIORS 8+ AND ADULTS  
SKATES AND SAFETY EQUIPMENT PROVIDED

IRYMPLE COMMUNITY LEISURE CENTRE, KARADOC AVE.

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Register here

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## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

### July

#### Wednesday 30

- Naidoc Day Celebrations
- 11.45am - 1.45pm

### August

#### Friday 15

- Ranfurly Athletics Day

#### Tuesday 26

- Learning Talk

## CANTEEN NEWS

### Pie Meal Deal \$9.00

Pie  
Flavoured Milk, Milo or Juice  
Ice Cream or Juicie

### Nugget Meal Deal \$6.50

4 Chicken Nuggets  
Popcorn  
Flavoured Milk, Milo or Juice  
Quelch Ice Pole

Year 6 Parents and Students are  
invited to attend our:

## SEAL PROGRAM INFORMATION EVENING 6:00PM TUESDAY 12 AUGUST

Information about our  
Select Entry Accelerated Learning  
(SEAL) program 2026 will be provided  
including the application and  
selection process.



## BOOKCLUB:

Issue #3 of Bookclub has  
been distributed today.

Please note

on-line orders only

and these will *close on*  
Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> August.



## TRY GUITAR & DRUMS DAY

Iwan Soebardi will be holding a  
Try Guitar and Drums session on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> at 1:45-2:15pm  
(recess), in the Performing Arts room, for students  
Grade 1 to 6 interested in learning these instruments. Come along and  
have a strum or hit and who knows you may discover a hidden talent or  
passion ! (Instruments will be provided at the session.)

