Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences
Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences will be held on Monday April 4th, Tuesday April 5th & Wednesday April 6th from 3.30 – 6.00. The purpose of these meetings is for teacher’s to discuss your child’s learning, for students to share and reflect on their learning and to give parents the opportunity to question or clarify their child’s learning.

This will be a three way conversation and we expect all students and parents to attend these meetings. Please ensure you nominate a time for your child’s conference on the website as explained in the enclosed page.

School Sports
Our school athletic sports are approaching. The students have been learning all the required skills and are excited about the upcoming sports.

The long distance run will be held on the afternoon of Monday 28th March, starting at approximately 1:30pm. The rest of the events will be held on Friday 1st April, starting at 9:00am. The events will run all day, concluding with the sprint races.

This year the children will be grouped in their grade levels, not age groups as we have done in the past. This is due to the large numbers in some age groupings.

We are holding an Easter Egg Raffle which will be drawn on the last day of this term – Friday April 8th. Each family will receive one book of raffle tickets. Tickets are 50c individually or $10.00 for the book of tickets. We need donations of Easter Eggs for our raffle. All donations need to be given to your child’s teacher. Each class will create their own ‘basket’ of eggs to be raffled. Parents are required to help wrap the baskets on Wednesday 6th April at 9:00am. All money raised will go towards the cost of fencing the school.

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**MARCH**

Lily Bruhn (15th)
Ms Sharon Welsh (15th)
Jordan Stephen (16th)
Ms Robyn Brooks (16th)
Sophie Driscoll (19th)
Sam Hayes (19th)
Milla Deckert (20th)
Angus Forrest (20th)

In order to expand and support our environmental programs, Irymple South Primary School will become a stall holder at the Sunraysia Farmer’s Market this Saturday. We will be selling our liquid gold ‘Worm Whiz’ fertiliser at the market for $2 per 3 litres. Come down to the Ornamental Lakes this Saturday and say hello! We will be there from 8am—12pm.

**Students of the Week**

**Prep M**
Ethan Bruton

**Prep R**
Clare Lyttleton

**1E**
Lilly Harris

**2/3C**
Julia Sherry

**2/3G**
Mckensie Wade

**3/4D**
Unique Kirkpatrick

**4/5P**
Vinnie Petrolo

**5/6M**
Sarah Garlick

**5/6S**
Jaydn Weir

**Art**
Tiah Barone

**Italian**
Brittany Laskaj

**Science**
Tylah Anderson
Olivia Putland

**Principal**
Ava Zadow
Cooper Waylen

**Meals On Wheels**

Grade 6 students from 5/6M will be undertaking the first round of Meals on Wheels from Monday March 21st to Friday March 25th. To support this worthwhile activity we require a driver each day. If you are willing to help out by driving 3-4 students and delivering the Irymple Meals on Wheels please notify the office or Ben Milsom.

**Working Bee**

Due to the wonderful grant we have received from the Coles Junior Landcare Garden Grant, we will be holding a working bee at the school on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 from 1.30—4pm.

More details to follow, however, **if you have access to a dingo digger**, could you please contact the front office ASAP.

Our school is supporting the Mobile Muster for Terms 1 and 2. Please continue to collect any disused mobiles and place them in the box at the front office. **You are also required to fill in your name and how many phones you have deposited. The more mobiles you deposit, the greater chance you have of winning a great prize!** Please see the poster on display in the front foyer for more details.

**Happy Birthday**

**Sunraysia Farmer’s Market—This Saturday!**

Come along to our Friday Farmer’s Market for fresh, school grown produce. Our Environmental Leaders will be setting up our stall ready to sell Worm Whizz, fresh chook eggs, capsicums and pieces of pumpkin. All proceeds go directly back into our environmental projects.
Dear Parents

As part of our Assessment and Reporting process Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences will be held on between 3.30pm – 6pm on Monday 4th April, Tuesday 5th April and Wednesday 6th April.

The aim of these conferences is for you to meet with your child’s teacher to discuss their learning and to share future learning goals.

This year we are implementing an online booking system for our conferences. This new online system will allow you to book times that suit YOUR FAMILY. Go to www.schoolinterviews.com.au and follow these simple instructions.

BOOKINGS CLOSE FRIDAY 1ST APRIL at 4pm. If you do not have access to the internet, you are more than welcome to use the computers at school.

If you have any concerns or questions please contact us on 50245345.

Kind Regards,

Robyn Brooks

Go to www.schoolinterviews.com.au Enter THIS school event code. Then follow the 3 simple steps.

When you click finish, your interview timetable will be emailed to you automatically - check your junk mail folder if you do not receive your email immediately. You can return to www.schoolinterviews.com.au at any time, and change your interviews - until bookings close.
Joel & Allira
Team Leaders

Alisha & Noah
Prep R

Vincent & Darcie
Prep M

Georgia & Nunzio
1E

Anthony & Lily
2/3C

Lily & Emma
2/3G

Sophie & Jackson
3/4D

Jiah & Imogen
4/5P

Jai & Lachlan
5/6S

Bronte & Josh-Tom
5/6M
“A Night Amongst the Vines”

When: Friday March 25th  
Where: Irymple South Primary School Oval  
Time: Commencing at 6:30 p.m.

The night will feature a live band, two course meal and a Goods and Services Auction. Tickets are $50 and are still available from the front office.

Auction Items

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Bidding can occur on items before the night. The Multi-Purpose Room will be set up on Friday March 25th and will be open all day. Please take the opportunity to place a bid on Silent Auction items throughout the day.

For bidding on major auction items please see Ben Milsom. These will also be on display in the Multi-Purpose Room from the morning of Friday March 25th.
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Italian

Ciao a tutti,

Welcome to a new year of Italian for 2011. Each class has Italian for one hour a week. So far this term students have been introduced to topics such as Greetings- ciao, arrivederci, buongiorno, buonasera and buonanotte. Saying your name- Mi chiamo... come ti chiami? Saying how you are- come stai? Bene, grazie and molto bene. The Italian Regions- Sardegna, Sicily, Calabria, Abruzzo and Venezia just to name a few. The geography of Italy and its neighbours. For the remainder of the term we will be covering numbers and colours. In the senior unit we have been incorporating the use of the netbooks to learn Italian.

Ciao for now, Carmel Casale.

School Sport

Last Friday our cricket team competed in the Sunraysia Country Division Finals. We played games against Irymple, The Lake and Nichols Point. We started off the day in great style winning our first game comfortably but we battled in our next game. The third game went down to the wire with the possibility of us winning in the last over. Unfortunately we fell a few runs short. The boys represented the school with great pride and sportsmanship. A big thank you to the parents who helped transport the students to and from the event, as well as, those who came to support.

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CRICKET CLINIC

On the 7th of March some of the grade 5 & 6’s went to a cricket clinic at the Aerodrome Ovals. The first thing we did was front foot play, which is driving. We had to drive the ball to a partner 5 times. The second thing we did was catching. We had to get a partner and throw the ball at them and they had to try and catch it. At the end of the catching drill we had the same partner and two cricket balls and you throw them at the same time and if you both catch it you both take a step back. The third thing we did was bowling. We had to bowl at the stumps and the wicketkeeper had to get the ball and throw it back to you. The last thing we did was back foot batting. The one thing we were concentrating on was the pull shot someone had to throw a underarm to you and you had to pull it into the net. At the end of the clinic we were allowed to get all of the player’s signatures.

Campbell Vadlja

The Eagles Baseball Club is holding their Registration Evening on Tuesday 5th April, 5.00pm to 6.00pm Aerodrome Ovals Pavilion All existing players and any new or interested players for Under 8 T/Ball, Under 10 Coach Pitch, Under 12 Little League, Under 14 and Under 16 are invited to attend and register for the 2011 Sunraysia Junior Baseball Season.

Come along and meet the Coaches and Committee members.

If you are interested but cannot attend Registration you can contact Kim LAW (0428399336) for a registration package or for further details.
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