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**CURIOSITY INCLUSION  
OWNERSHIP PASSION**

Tomorrow is the last day of Term 3. School finishes at 2:15pm for those students onsite. The buses will run at the earlier time.

We are so excited to welcome all students back to onsite learning on the first day of Term 4, Monday October 5<sup>th</sup>.

I want to express my sincere gratitude to all families for your support and perseverance throughout Term 3. It has been an extraordinary year so far and I am proud of our whole school community.



As we return to school next term the following priorities have been identified for all schools:

- The mental health and wellbeing of every student is a key priority.
- Supporting students to catch up, and inspiring students who have progressed well to continue to excel. We know some students have thrived in the remote and flexible learning environment, others have maintained their progress and some have fallen behind despite their best efforts and those of their families and teachers.
- We will make every effort to ensure successful transitions for children moving from kindergarten to Prep and the Grade 6s moving into Year 7. Further information will be provided around how these programs will be delivered in Term 4 as we establish the plans.

### Camps

We will not be holding camps for any year level in Term 4 this year. We intend to hold 'special' activity days for each year level in the last weeks of the year. More information will follow in Term 4.

### Grade 6 Graduation

Grade 6 Graduation will almost certainly not look the same as previous years but we will celebrate and hold a special ceremony for Grade 6s at the end of the year in some format. We will keep you informed of these arrangements and students will have a strong voice in this organisation.

### Prep Transition

We intend to hold Prep transition days as in previous years however restriction will almost certainly be in place around parent participation on the school grounds. Once again we will let you know as soon as we have this finalised.



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## Preparing for the return to onsite learning

### Hats

As part of the SunSmart policy, all students and staff are to wear a broad brimmed hat whilst outside from 1st September. Please make sure that your child has a named hat upon their return to school.

### Uniform

Laser Signs and Print supply our school uniform. Now is the time to check out what your child needs for the upcoming summer season. I am sure that many children have grown! Make sure all clothing is named.

### Drink Bottles

Please ensure that your child brings a drink bottle to school each day. The bubble taps can't be used. Students can refill their bottles throughout the day.

### Lunch Orders

Lunch orders will be available on Wednesday and Friday. Lunch orders are now to be ordered through the Flexischools App. Download the app and create an account now, so that you are ready!

### Parents Onsite

Parents should only be in the school grounds if absolutely necessary. Masks need to be worn. Please remain in your car or beside your car at pick up at the end of the day rather than congregating at the school gates or in the school grounds.

### School Supplies

Students need to bring back ALL the school supplies that they took home for remote learning. This could include; toolkits, workbooks, reading books, whiteboards.

### iPads

All ipads, chargers and Wi-Fi dongles that have been loaned must be returned at the beginning of term

## Staffing for Term 4

We look forward to Ben Milsom returning to Irymple South PS in Term 4.

A huge thank you to Jamie Russell who has been a tremendous support as Acting Assistant Principal for the term.

We wish Sarah Gladman all the best as she embarks on her maternity leave as of tomorrow, the last day of term.

Sam Brinsmead will stay at Irymple South for Term 4 and will share 4R with Jamie Russell.

It is with gratitude that we head into our holidays with a sense of hope and with a little more freedom to explore life around us.

*Robyn*

## STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

### Prep G

Gabe Blundy

### Prep M

Maddi Yuill

### 1T

Sophia Kuchel

### 1M

Giselle Costantino

### 1C

Grace Solomon

### 2W

Oliver Horsfall

### 2R

Giovanni Daniele

### 2B

Suri Wright

### 3V

Giacomo Tabacco

### 3M

Clancy Stephens

### 4R

Austin Phillips-Savage

### 4C

Max Creek

### 5A

Chase Russell

### 5R

Dawson Lyttleton

Connor Merrett

### 6S

Courtney Jack

### 6H

Isabella McKinley

### Art

Iglesias Miki

Summer Tschirpig

### PE

Nicola Cavallo

### Music

Makenna Douglas

**Lunch Orders**

Lunch orders need to be ordered via the Flexischools app. Download and register.

**REGISTER**

- 1 Go to [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au) and select the REGISTER option and enter your email address.
- 2 You will be sent a registration email. Click on the link in the email to complete the registration.
- 3 Fill in your details on the Registration Form and click "submit".
- 4 Add your students, select their school and class.

**ORDER**

- 1 Go to [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au) and select the LOGIN option. Click on "Start an order" for your student.
- 2 Select the service you wish to purchase from. You can also set up orders in advance.
- 3 Add each of your items. Extras and options will appear where relevant to the item.
- 4 Select your payment option. Pay for the one order or "top up" your account. Complete payment to place order.



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**Drink bottles**

All students need a named drink bottle at school.



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**Uniform**

All students are to wear full school uniform. Our uniform is available from Laser Signs and Print. Ph. 5021 1129




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**Hats**

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## Happy Birthday

### **SEPTEMBER**

Jeremy Bruton (15th)  
 Eryn Gee (15th)  
 Joshua De Angelis (16th)  
 Brayden Sweet (17th)  
 Kylan Ziernicki (17th)  
 Ale Ale (18th)  
 Sofia Tabacco (18th)  
 Tilly Pitt (19th)  
 Eva Whitworth (19th)  
 Georgia Kourdis (22nd)  
 Lauren Hepworth (22nd)

Ellie Wilmann (25th)  
 Harrison Keir (25th)  
 Avery Fisher (30th)  
 Kyle Loxton (30th)

### **OCTOBER**

Ashlee Peters (1st)  
 Santino Cavallo (2nd)  
 Grace Solomon (3rd)  
 Nicola Cavallo (4th)

