



Friday 14th March
Issue 7, Week 7,
Term 1, 2025

OPTIMISM ★ OWNERSHIP
CURIOSITY ★ INCLUSION

Learning Conferences

Our first conferences about your child's learning will take place on **Tuesday 25th March**. The conferences are designed to be a conversation between your child, yourself and the classroom teacher. Classroom expectations, routines and our approach to learning will all be explained. Please come with any questions that you have about your child and their learning. All staff look forward to talking with you and your child. Students are not required to attend school on this day but are to attend the conference. Bookings can be made via XUNO. Go to the 'School' tab and click on 'Parent Teacher Interviews'. 'TheirCare' will offer care during the day if needed.

REGIONAL SWIMMING

On Tuesday Ollie Hughes (5B) competed in the Regional Swimming Championships in Swan Hill. He swam in the 50m freestyle race and came 5th. What a fantastic achievement and a wonderful experience.



Leadership in Action

Our Grade 6 students have started their projects for 2025.

Evan and Phillip did an amazing job with their very first 'Dreamy Drawers' session in the Art Room. The Prep students had a great time learning how to draw a house. Next week the Grade 1 students will be able to take part in this lunchtime activity.



Phoebe, Grace, Paityn and Sevannah have been busy organising the **'Family Film Evening'**. Please save the date, Friday 28th March. The night will commence at 7pm and drinks and snacks will be available for purchase. They girls are yet to finalise the movie that will be screened. Stay tuned!

FAMILY FILM EVENING

FRIDAY 28TH MARCH
MOVIE COMMENCING @ 7PM

SOFT DRINK, POPCORN & ICE CREAM WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

LIA PROJECT BY PHOEBE, GRACE, PAITYN & SEVANNAH - SUPPORTED BY SCHOOL COUNCIL



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The department respectfully acknowledges the Traditional Owners of Country throughout Victoria and pays respect to the ongoing living cultures of First Peoples.

ISPS Cross Country Day

Our Cross Country will be held on Thursday 3rd April (Week 10, Term 1). All students will compete in their year level groups with separate boys' and girls' races. The Cross Country event is about participation, having fun and promoting personal health and fitness. Every student who takes part earns points for their house.

This is a **HOUSE** day and all students can dress in their house shirts or colours to support their teammates. Students should also wear suitable Sun Smart clothing that is easy to run in and appropriate running footwear.

The day will start with the whole school assembly in house at groups 9:15am. This will be followed by the official oaths and then the house groups will move off to their house colour marquees. Races are due to commence with the Year 6 girls race at 9:20am.

All parents and families are invited to the cross country to watch the children run.

Further details and a timetable for the day with start times for each race will be in next week's newsletter.

ANZAC CEREMONY



Our ANZAC Ceremony will be held on Thursday the 24th April (Week 1, Term 2) at 10:30am. Our Grade 2 students will sing 'Lest We Forget' and our Grade 6 students will host the ceremony. Once again, we will be making our ISPS Memorial Wall of names of our students' family members who have served in the war. If you have added a name to the Memorial Wall in the past, it will be included again this year and you don't need to let me know. If you didn't, or are new to the school and would like to add a name, please email Emma.Lord@education.vic.gov.au with the name, the war they served in and the student's name by the Friday 4th April.



Leadership in Action

Dreamy Drawers
Lunchtime Activity P-6
Phillip and Evan



Family Film Evening
Community Event:
Friday March 28th
Phoebe, Grace, Paityn,
Sevannah Supported by
School Council



ISPS Values
Afternoon Sessions
Week 9
Grade P-4
Zara, Mietta, Chloe, Ivy



Tabloid Sport Day
Friday April 4th
Grade P-6
Frankie, Jaxon, Chace



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep T

Samuel McShane

Prep C

Demi Englefield

Prep D

Logan Bellini

1W

Aria Hura

1S

Zyla Pitt

1H

Daniel Hocking

2M

Everly Mee

2G

Hugh Yetman

2D

Austin Perry

3G

Owie McClure

3Z

Harlow Brennan

4R

Otto Ferguson

4G

Ruby O'Connor

5G

Ryder Brennan

5B

Indigo Gibson

6S

Mila Jary

6H

Bryce Siemsen

Art

Mila Englefield

Music

Daisy Brady

PE

Annie Boyd

Health

Olivia Hunt

Principal

Evan Krul

Phillip Marciano

Alfie Callow

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

MARCH

Jack Barton (11th)

Milan Caristo (11th)

Penni Williams (11th)

Lacey Webster (12th)

Julian Kourdis (14th)

Sawyer Gauci (14th)

Leo Winderlich (15th)

Sharon Welsh (15th)

Lily Bruhn (15th)

Maggie Gee (16th)



Year 4 Swimming and Water Safety Program

The Swimming in Schools initiative provides funding to contribute to the cost of delivering quality swimming and water safety education so all students have the opportunity to:

- learn how to swim
- develop lifelong skills in water safety to reduce their risk of drowning and injury

By the end of primary school, it is anticipated that students should be able to demonstrate the knowledge and skills identified in the Victorian Water Safety Certificate. The Certificate is awarded when a student can:

- swim 50m continuously
- perform a survival sequence wearing light clothing
- answer water safety-based questions
- perform non-swimming rescue techniques
- respond to an emergency by demonstrating DRsAB and recovery position.

In response to this program Irymple South Primary School are running an intensive program targeted at all Year 3 to year 6 students delivered by qualified swimming instructors at the Mildura Waves Aquatic Centre.



The Year 4 students intensive program will run from Monday 17th March to Friday 21st March. A permission note has been sent out via XUNO.

 **ToyBox AUSTRALIA**

Charity Movie night
Hosted by Shelby Armstrong

Friday March 21st, 7:00PM at
Wallis Cinemas Mildura

Tickets \$25 adults, \$20
children available now at
Wallis cinema (cash
only) or online:



Profits from ticket
sales donated to
ToyBox Australia

Lucky door prizes!



Disney
SNOW WHITE



FUNDRAISING TWILIGHT MARKET



**SATURDAY, 22ND
MARCH
4:00PM - 7:00PM**

**GOLD COIN ENTRY
LUCKY DOOR PRIZE
2 NIGHT STAY
AT THE OAKS IN GLENELG. SA**

**SRS BENETOOK FARM,
1022 BENETOOK AVE MILDURA**

LOCAL BOUTIQUE MARKET STALLS, LIVE MUSIC, SRS
RHYTHMIC SQUAD DANCE PERFORMANCE, SCAVENGER
HUNT FOR THE KIDS, SRS BBQ HUT DINNERS, AND
BENETOOK FARM FUN



**COME & START YOUR FOOTBALL
JOURNEY AT MILDURA DEMONS!**

**SESSIONS - 4:45PM THURSDAY
START DATE - 17TH APRIL 2025
COST - \$85 INCLUDES PACK**



SIGN UP TODAY!



**IRYMPLE BASKETBALL
ASSOCIATION**

PRESENTS!

MINIBALL

**TERMS
2 & 3**

FRIENDS

FUN

Miniball is an introduction skillsbased basketball program for primary
school aged children. The program is player-centred, fun focused
and affordable. It provides children with the opportunity to learn,
play with friends and develop social skills in a convenient safe, and
friendly environment.

For more information
Contact Stephanie
0408 893 596 or ibaminiball@gmail.com

  

Mildura Variety Abilities Unleashed Kids

A free, fun and inclusive day connecting children with
disabilities to local sport and active recreation opportunities.

**Wednesday 19 March, 2025
10 am - 1 pm
Mildura Sports Precinct, 684
Deakin Ave, Mildura VIC 3500**

Click here
or scan the
QR code
to register:



Contact: abilitiesunleashed@sports.org.au

Presented by
   



BORDER SPORTS TERM 1 2025

Sunday 16th of February 2025
Sunday 23rd of February 2025
Sunday 2nd of March 2025
Sunday 9th of March No Training
Sunday 16th of March 2025
Sunday 23rd of March 2025
Sunday 30th of March 2025

UNDER 8'S - UNDER 20'S

Tournaments

Under 12's - Under 18's

Whittlesea Autumn Showdown
April 11 - 13
Adelaide Easter Classic
April 18 - 21
Nunawading June 7 - 9
West Adelaide Bearcats
July 25 Dates to be confirmed
Barossa November 25
Dates to be confirmed

Under 20's

Whittlesea Autumn
Showdown
April 11 - 13
Adelaide Easter Classic
April 18 - 21
Ballarat June 7 - 9

REGISTRATIONS
www.bordersportsacademy.com.au

Looking for a Team? Join Our Mildura Magic Team as an Individual Player!

Have you been struggling to find a club/team to join? Don't sit on the sidelines—come
be part of something special! Our Mildura Magic Team is looking for individual players
ready to learn, grow, and compete in a supportive and fun environment.

- ✓ No team? No problem! We welcome players looking for a fresh start.
- ✓ Develop your skills with great coaching and teammates.
- ✓ Be part of a team that values effort, teamwork, and improvement.
- ✓ Make new friends and enjoy the game you love!

Don't miss your chance—join our Mildura Magic Team today!



**Are you looking
to join a team?**

We are excited to open
individual registrations to join
our Magic teams:

9&U
11&U
13&U
15&U



**Players must enter in their 2025 age groups
(age as at 31/12/2025).**

Registration must be completed on Netball Connect - first 10 registrations
will be taken.
For more information please email competitions@milduranetball.com.au

2025

		Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
MARCH	8	17 Grade 4 Swimming	18	19 School Council Meeting	20	21	22	23
	9	24	25 Learning Conferences	26	27	28 Family Film Evening	29	30
APRIL	10	31	1	2	3 School Cross Country Event	4 End of Term 1	5	6
		7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		14	15	16	17	18 Good Friday	19	20 Easter Sunday 
	1	21 Easter Monday	22 Term 2 starts	23	24 ANZAC Day Ceremony	25 ANZAC DAY	26	27
MAY	2	29	29	30	1	2	3	4
	3	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	4	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		19	20	21	22	23	24	25

2025 Dates

Term Dates

<u>Term 1</u>	Thurs 30th Jan – Friday 4th April
<u>Term 2</u>	Tuesday 22nd April – Friday 4th July
<u>Term 3</u>	Monday 21st July – Friday 19th Sept
<u>Term 4</u>	Monday 6th Oct – Friday 19th Dec

Public Holidays

Good Friday - Friday 18th April
 Easter Monday - Monday 21st April
 Anzac Day - Friday 25th April
 King's Birthday - Monday 9th June
 Grand Final Eve - Friday 26th September
 Cup Day - Tuesday 4th November

School Events

Grade 4 Swimming Program - Monday 17th To
 Friday 21st March
 Learning Conferences - Tuesday 25th March
 Family Film Evening - Friday 28th March
 Cross Country - Thursday 3rd April
 School ANZAC Day Ceremony - Thursday 24th April
 Glasses for Kids Program - Tuesday 27th May to
 Thursday 29th May