



ATHLETICS SPORTS

What a wonderful day we had yesterday at our Athletic Sports Day. The weather was just perfect. There was such excitement in the air all throughout the day. All students showed true determination to do their very best and this was evident in the results they achieved.

The day started with the reading of the oaths. Thanks to our oath readers, Prue Hobbs (Parent), Sharon Branson (Staff and Officials) and Indi Gibson (Student).

Then it was straight into the first events. Students ran, jumped and threw with all their might. Five rounds of events were undertaken before a brief lunch break and then the students were straight back into their last two rounds of events. The day ended with the whole school watching the year level relay events, and the Monster Relay, which are always exciting to watch and allow the students to come together to cheer for their houses.

A big thank you to Paul Bamford and all the Mildura Senior College students who helped mark cards, rake sandpits, time races, measure events and collect equipment. Our sports day could not run successfully without all this extra help.

Our Year Level Champions and Record Breakers are listed later in the newsletter. Congratulations to these students who showed great athletic ability.

Presentations will be made at assembly on Monday morning, 3rd August.



Congratulations to
CAMPBELL
for being the
2026 Athletic Champions!

1st CAMPBELL
2nd M^CCRACKEN
3rd NEWTON
4th DEWRY



2026 ATHLETIC CHAMPIONS

The Year Level Champion is the student who received the highest number of overall points and the greatest number of first places.



Layla
Prep Champion



Bowie
Prep Champion



Dallas
Grade 1 Champion



Eli
Grade 1 Champion



Adeline
Grade 1 Champion



Jack
Grade 2 Champion



Indie
Grade 2 Champion



Reuben
Grade 3 Champion



Hannah
Grade 3 Champion



Indyana
Grade 4 Champion



Jimmy
Grade 4 Champion



Ariella
Grade 5 Champion



Max
Grade 5 Champion

Aska
Grade 6 Champion



Harry
Grade 6 Champion

2026 RUNNERS UP

These students were the runners up in their year level. Congratulations for all your effort and wonderful athletic ability.

Prep

Dyson Coates
Bobbie Callow

Grade 2

Alfie Callow
Gracie Crook

Grade 4

Alessio Costantino
Gianna Mammone

Grade 6

Robert Ale
Indi Gibson

Grade 1

Kendrik Shaw
Natalina Sergi

Grade 3

Max Gathercole
Milla Hughes

Grade 5

Flint Foliaki
Elke Brady

2026 RECORD BREAKERS

The following students have equalled or broken event records.

Prep

Layla Mee

Dyson Coates

200m Run

47sec

Discus

13.37m

Grade 1

Mae Toala

Natalina Sergi

Shot Put

4.95m

800m Run

44sec

Grade 3

Hannah Whitworth

100m Sprint

17.41sec

Grade 4

Indyana Phillips-Savage

Jimmy Jeffers

Triple Jump

7.07m

High Jump

1.13m

Long Jump

3.65m

Triple Jump

7.64m

100m Sprint

15.60sec

Noah Toala

Shot Put

7.94m

Grade 5

Nesi Katoa

High Jump

1.17m

100m Sprint

15.77sec

Flint Foliaki

High Jump

1.22m

Grade 6

Indi Gibson

Triple Jump

8.12m



We have an exciting term ahead with projects organised by our Grade 6 leaders. Grade 6 students take great pride in organising and running their events and the rest of the school thoroughly enjoy taking part!

Book Week – Save the Date!

Our Leadership in Action group of Indi, Maya and Taresa are excited to be organising this year's Book Week celebration on **Friday 28th August**.

With only a month to go, we wanted to give families plenty of notice to mark the date in their calendars and start thinking about a costume inspired by a favourite book or book character. More details about the day will be shared closer to the event, but we can't wait to see everyone's creativity on display!



Party Games
Lunchtime Activity

- Limbo
- Musical chairs
- Bobs and statues
- Chicken noodle soup
- Corners
- Dancing
- Week 4: Grade 1
- Week 5: Grade 2
- Week 6: Grade 3
- Week 7: Grade 5/6
- Week 8: Grade 4
- Week 9: Buddies

FRIDAYS WEEK 4 - 9
MULTIPURPOSE ROOM
1:30pm
Run by Ariana, Harper and Charlotte

TERM 3 WEEK 4
SAM, ROCKY & LEVANI

ISPS School

Values Week

School values week will be held in week 4. During School Values Week, we will be recognising students and staff who show our school values of Ownership, Curiosity, Inclusion and Optimism.

Ownership Taking responsibility for our learning and actions.	Curiosity Asking questions, exploring new ideas, and being eager to learn more to gain a deeper understanding of the world around us.
Inclusion Respecting, valuing and supporting all members of our community to participate, learn, develop and succeed.	Optimism Thinking in a positive way, looking for solutions, believing good things can happen, and focusing on making life happier and more successful.

Students who demonstrate our school values will be recognised with a certificate, presented over the loudspeaker during lunch on Friday.

School Values Week

Levani, Rocky, Sam



Party Games

Ariana, Charlotte, Harper
(Lunchtime Activity)



Minute To Win It

Weeks 4-9
Tylah, Hanna, Lucy



Book Day Dress Up Day

Friday 28th August
Indi, Maya, Taresa



Footy Colours Day

Friday 18th September
Noah, Andre, Robert, Gabe



Seesaw

Students participate in a range of Specialist classes throughout the week. These include Art, Health, PE, STEM, Food & Garden and Dance. Students love to participate in these classes to develop their creativity and be active. Please check Seesaw to see what your child has been doing in these classes.

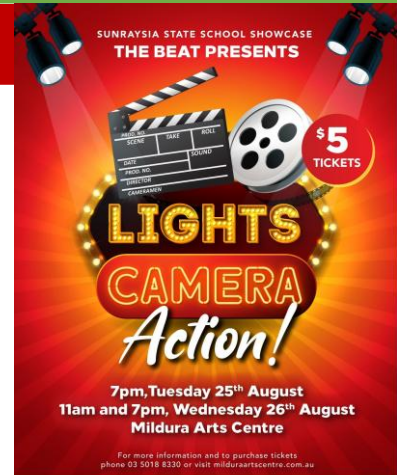
Recently there have been posts about Athletics practise, the visit by the Australian Ballet for the Grade 4 and 5 students and students sharing their artwork that they have been doing throughout the year.

Please contact your child's teacher if you have not logged on to your child's Seesaw account and they can provide you with the details.

THE BEAT

Our Grade 5 students are performing in 'The Beat' this year. 'The Beat' is a local state school spectacular showcasing a variety of performing arts. Tickets for 'The Beat' go on sale this Friday. The students will perform in both night shows (Tuesday 25th & Wednesday 26th August), NOT the matinee. Tickets are available from the [Mildura Arts Centre](#).

Costume information will be available soon. We plan to use existing costumes but will need some assistance with 'decorating' them! No sewing required! Please let Mrs Kennedy know if you're able to help.



100 DAYS OF PREP

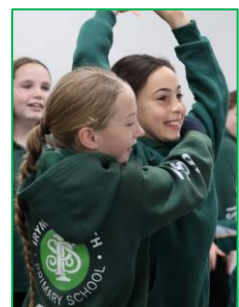


WOW! 100 days of fantastic learning has happened already for our Prep students. They had a wonderful day on Tuesday dressing up and celebrating with each other.



The Australian Ballet

On Monday our grade 4 & 5 students were treated to a day of dancing with Troy and Lana from [The Australian Ballet](#) education team. After lunch we were mesmerised by a very special performance of 'Balar Diburr', a First Nations led piece danced as a ballet contemporary duet



CAMPS PROGRAM

Our camp program commences this term, with the Grade 4 trip to Echuca at the beginning of August. The program is intended to give the students a broad range of experiences on which to build knowledge about our own local area and the greater area in proximity to Mildura. We aim to provide a sequential program that provides students with the opportunities to develop independence and resilience.

Grade 6 Camp

The students will be going to Roses Gap, this year on their camp. They will leave on Wednesday 29th October and return on Friday 30th October

Grade 5 Camp

The students will be going to Ballarat, this year on their camp. They will leave Monday 12th October and return on Wednesday 14th October

Grade 4 Camp

The Grade 4 students will be travelling to Echuca. The camp will be from Wednesday 5th to Friday 7th August.

Grade 3 Camp

The students will be going to Lake Cullulleraine. The camp will be from Thursday 29th to Friday 30th October

Grade 2 Excursion and Sleepover

Grade 2 students will be sleeping over at school on a Thursday night. They will participate in a variety of out of school activities during the day on the Friday. Thursday 26th to Friday 27th November.

Grade 1 Excursion and Dinner

Grade 1 students will participate in an end of year excursion and dinner at school at a date to be confirmed in Term 4.

Prep Excursion and Dinner

Prep students will participate in an end of year excursion and dinner at school at a date to be confirmed in Term 4.

Classroom teachers will send out more detailed information about each camp.

Payments for all camps can be made now using the following payment option.

**Direct Deposit*

Irymple South Primary School

BSB: 063520 (Commonwealth Bank)

ACC NO: 10104523

***Please put your child's surname as a reference*

**If you receive CSEF, you can use this to pay for the camps*

**you can also use your School Savings Bonus (SSB), just contact the office*



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep T

Mannix Pender

1M

Adeline Caminiti

1MG

Ruby Bamford

1H

Indianna Tully

Alex Piscioneri

2M

Alexis Jones

2Z

Aria Hura

2D

Zyla Pitt

3S

Everly Mee

4R

Archie Kimerlis

Rosalie Holding

4G

Lexi Barton

5G

Alesso Kourdis

5W

Archie Duncan

6S

Taresa Romeo

6H

Gabe Blundy

Art

Riley Mischke

STEM

Antonio Medici

Assistant Principal

Indi Gibson

Principal

Kendrik Shaw

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

JULY

Mannix Pender (30th)

AUGUST

Ruby Oliver (1st)

Tommy Oliver (1st)



DATES TO REMEMBER

Term Dates

Term 3 Mon 13th July – Fri 18th Sept

Term 4 Mon 5th Oct - Fri 18th Dec

Public Holidays

Grand Final Eve - Friday 25th September

Cup Day - Tuesday 3rd November

School Events

Professional Practice Day – Fri 23rd October

Grandparents Day – Monday 26th October

Grade 6 Graduation – Tuesday 15th December

Student Free Day – Friday 18th December

2026

		Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
AUGUST	4	3	4	5 Grade 4 Camp to Echuca	6	7 →	8	9
	5	10	11	12 School Council Meeting	13	14	15	16
	6	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	7	24	25	26	27	28 LiA Book Week Dress Up Day	29	30
SEPTEMBER	8	31	1	2	3	4	5	6
	9	7	8	9 School Council Meeting	10	11	12	13
	10	14	15	16	17	18 LiA Footy Colours Day End of Term 3 2:15pm	19	20

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