A great evening at the Art Centre for the 2016 Beat this week and Ranfurly Rockers Choir and our Dance Group really produced the goods for their performance. Ms Clarke and Mrs Bradford were very proud of their students’ performance and the dedication they showed to rehearse and be ready for the event. The Beat is a local schools spectacular highlighting Arts Performance of our amazing local talent. Special mention to a couple volunteers who supported our students also; Maz Hanton and Emily Bradford.

‘It’s Not OK To Be Away’ and ‘It’s Great If You’re Not Late’
Thank you to all those parents who read the last newsletter and have attempted to help our school with this issue. Together we will be able to support the student and the rest of our school community to deal with head lice.

Twilight Foodies Market

If the words ‘alfresco’, ‘live music’, ‘great food’ and ‘fun for the kids’ sound appealing to you then save this date. On Friday 2nd September, the ‘Twilight Foodtruck Market’ will bring together your favorite food trucks for a fun family night here in the Ranfurly PS grounds.

For the past couple months the Parents’ club and a few members of our staff have been collectively putting this event together for our school. We would like to be able to call on you to help us on the evening, so if you have a spare 30 minutes, and are attending the event, please see your class teacher or the front office to offer assistance.

Check out the school Facebook page or Twilight Foodies Market. Yum Yum!!

NAPLAN Results coming home

For all those students who sat the National Testing Program earlier in the school year, these results have arrived and will be sent home in personal envelopes tomorrow. There is a parent guide in there to assist with reading the document and please feel free to talk to your child’s teacher.

Dennis Mitchell
Principal

HEAD LICE

To assist in reducing the spread of head lice we ask that you please check your child’s head for the presence of any eggs or lice as soon as possible. No action is needed if eggs are not present in your child’s hair.

In accordance with the current Head lice Policy, if eggs are found in your child’s hair appropriate treatment must be applied to remove these eggs. Your child may return to school as soon as the appropriate treatment has been undertaken.

Next week is the CBCA Book Week where we celebrate Australian authors and books. There will activities over the week for children to participate in. These activities are:

20c second-hand book sale in the Library at lunch play. All books will be just 20 cents each!

BOOK WEEK PARADE – Friday 26th August 10 am in the Gym.

Children are welcome to come dressed as their favourite book character.

20 cents 20 cents 20 cents

Come to the Library’s

~ SECOND-HAND BOOK SALE ~

Books and Posters
all just 20 cents each!

Wednesday, 24th August at lunch play for Grades Prep, 1 & 2
Thursday, 25th August at lunch play for Grades 3, 4, 5 & 6.

PARENTS’ CLUB NEWS

The Parents’ Club will be holding their annual Father’s Day stall on THURSDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER 2016. Our stall enables the students for a small price $1.00 - $5.00 to purchase a gift for their dad and or grandfather for Father’s Day.

I need several volunteers throughout the day to help with running the stall. If you are able to help out on the day please contact the office with a time that you are available or phone/text Wendy Affleck on 0417827588.

Also, if anyone has any items that they would like to donate to the stall please drop them off at the front office. Thankyou!

Wendy Affleck
FATHER’S DAY STALL COORDINATOR

FAMILY PORTRAIT

‘It’s Not OK To Be Away’ and ‘It’s Great If You’re Not Late’
RANFURLY SPORTS REPORT

CONGRATULATIONS to Yerre Yerre for being the 2016 Athletic Champions!

Yerre Yerre out jumped, out ran and out threw the other three houses on the day.

1st YERRE YERRE
2nd DAI RTNUNK
3rd KULNINE
4th COWRA

Yerre Yerre House Captains:
Tyrone Hudson & Renne Affleck

Under clear blue skies the scene was set early for a fantastic day of Athletic Sports last Thursday. All students showed true determination to do their very best and this was evident in the results that they achieved. I was impressed how students approached each event they participated in employing correct technique to maximise their performance.

After a busy morning of competition, the much anticipated sprint finals took place. These are always exciting to watch and allow the students to cheer for competitors in their houses. The huge Ranfurly crowd was also treated to the annual Teachers vs Students race which the Teachers won after a scintillating run by Mr Tonkin.

P.S. Mrs Le Gassick’s hamstring is ok.

A big thankyou to our parent helpers and the Merbein P-10 students who helped mark cards, rake sandpits, time races and collect equipment. I would also like to thank the staff of Ranfurly PS for their hard work, George Natu ilagilagi (La Trobe University) and congratulate the students of Ranfurly for a wonderful day.

Age Group Champions

The students who received the most points in their year level are the ‘Athletic Champions’. These students were presented with their certificates and medals at the conclusion of the day. Congratulations to the following Athletic Sport age group champions;

9 Year Old Girls        Rebecca Penna
9 Year Old Boys        Jourdain Jayet
10 Year Old Girls      Roghayeh Jafari
10 Year Old Boys       Noah Ellis Castle and Yuna Rurageze
11 Year Old Girls      Ieesha Williams
11 Year Old Boys       Tyrone Hudson
12 Year Old Girls      Lara Burrows
12 Year Old Boys       Max Leeder

Mini Olympics

Our athletes who performed well at our Athletic Sports will compete in the Mini Olympics at the Aerodrome ovals on Tuesday 23rd August. Students who were selected are reminded to return their notes by tomorrow and we wish the Athletic team all the best.

Toby Cardew
P.E. Co-ordinator
**SCHOOL UPDATES**

**AUGUST 2016**

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**CANTEEN ROSTER**

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**CANTEEN NEWS**

Chef Kiera and Chef Ava made scrumptious Samosas and Coriander Raita this week. Really tasty! Next week we will have two new chefs cooking Roast Vegetable Salad with Chilli yoghurt and Herb Dressing. (not too spicy!) $5 per serve.

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

- **FRIDAY FUN CLUB AT RANFURLY**
  - Blocks
  - Painting
  - Lunch Included
  - Dress Ups
  - Art & Crafts
  - No Cost
  - No need to book
  - EVERY FRIDAY
  - 1.30 - 2.45pm
  - For more information
  - Jasmin Parker at Ranfurly on 50221299

- **Night Glow**
  - Light up the fairway
  - Join us and experience the joy of hot air balloons lighting up the fairway
  - Date: Friday August 19, 2016
  - Venue: Mildura Golf Resort
  - Time: 6pm to 8.30pm
  - Entry: $2 coin donation
  - Enjoy $5 School Night
  - Lions Club Sausage Sizzle
  - Market Stalls
  - Live Music

- **SAVING CHILDHOOD**
  - The key building blocks to preventing childhood
  - A free community cinema for children and families
  - Children are encouraged to dress up in any costume they like and to bring along a book to read while they watch. Snack and free drinks will be available. Theatre services will provide an opportunity for children that may not have experienced theatre before. A booking fee of $2 per family includes the movie and snack pack. Proceeds will be donated towards camp programs for children in need.

‘It’s Not OK To Be Away’ and ‘It’s Great If You’re Not Late’
Preps Term 3 @ a Glance

You Can Do It Stars of the Week
Room PRB: Arlie Edwards for showing ‘The Ranfurly Way’ during our Community Excursion.
Room PRE: Nyoka Handy for showing ‘The Ranfurly Way’ during our Community Excursion.
Room PRM: Akipe Piawi for showing ‘The Ranfurly Way’ during our Community Excursion.

VIP
Room PRB: Phoenix Sutton-Scarlett
Room PRE: Fatemeh Jafari
Room PRM: Giselle Nimpaye

Birthdays

This Week’s Unit Topics

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Special Events

Upcoming Learning Experiences/Excursions

Family Maths Night – Wednesday 24th August 5:30-7:00. Come and join in with some fun Maths activities.

Book Week Dress-up Day: Friday 26th August (Students to come dressed as their favourite book character)

Prep Swimming – Monday 5th - Friday 9th September.
The cost of swimming is $40. If you have the CSEF Government funding, this can be used to cover the cost of swimming.

Years 1/2 Term 3 @ a Glance

You Can Do It Stars of the Week
Room 2T: Jack Lang for showing a caring nature, helping out others in his class.
Room 2W: Bailey Nunn for writing an excellent descriptive sentence about a jungle.
Room 2S: Sarah Francis-Coslovich for working on her goals and choosing to be a Strong and Smart learner in our classroom!
Room 1M: Denim Kerr for being persistent when using his wheelchair to get around. Very impressive Denim!
Room 1A: Carrina Kerr for always following our classroom expectations.
Room 12G: Teba Alsady for great thinking and answering questions in class discussions.

Birthdays

19th August 2023
Cooper Manning
23rd August 2023
Zahra Hussaini

Special Notices and Events

Swimming notes must be returned by tomorrow – Friday 19th August! (CSEF Funding applies if eligible)
Looking forward to seeing all students dressed as their favourite book character next Friday 26th August at our Book Parade. See you there – 10am in the Gym.

This Week’s Unit Topics

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### Year 3/4 Term 3 @ a Glance

#### YOU CAN DO IT STARS OF THE WEEK

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<th>Rachalle Slater for her enthusiastic and confident contributions to our discussions about Information Reports. Well Done!</th>
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<td>Kiera Prescott for being willing to share her knowledge and help others with their netbooks.</td>
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<td>Anakin Hurley for talking and thinking about reading.</td>
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<td>Room 4H:</td>
<td>Kayden Dewyse for his research and planning organisation for his report on Mexico.</td>
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<td>Room 4L:</td>
<td>Shelby Chamberlain for clarifying the meaning of unfamiliar words during independent reading time.</td>
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#### This Week’s Unit Topics

- **Literacy:** Information Reports
- **Numeracy:** Measurement.

### Year 5/6 Term 3 @ a Glance

#### You Can Do It Stars of the Week

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<th>Hudson Bartels for showing great persistence when attempting difficult mathematical tasks! Top work Hudson!</th>
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<td>Tyrone Hudson for demonstrating excellent leadership and sportsmanship throughout the Ranfurly Athletics Day.</td>
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<td>Xavier Hines for his hard work and persistence when learning about time.</td>
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<td>Room 5K:</td>
<td>Tegan Hunt for not only her persistence in events, but for her amazing resilience during her first athletics day! Awesome Effort Tegan!</td>
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<td>Room 6D:</td>
<td>Marika Kelly for her persistence, commitment and dedication to her ‘Beat’ Performance. Excellent work Marika!</td>
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#### This Week’s Unit Topics

- **Literacy:** Information Reports
- **Numeracy:** Measurement
- **Science:** YCDI, FLIP

**Special Events**

- **Grade 3/4 Swimming notes and money must be returned TOMORROW PLEASE as numbers for groups need to be finalised.**
- **Mungo Youth Project –31st August- 2nd September**
FAMILY MATH NIGHT

Wednesday 24th of August, 2016

5:30 PM - 7 PM

Come and join us in the Grade 5/6 Building for a great night of mathematical fun!

There will be activities for all ages. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Tea and Coffee provided**