Last Monday over 20 students went to the Aerodrome Sporting Complex to represent Ranfurly in the Interschool Cross Country. More than 12 schools were competing. Novalli Hudson, Wilkie Hudson and Max Leeder have made it to the next stage for Division Cross Country.

The Ranfurly Age 11 Boys team came second in the team competition. Overall everyone did a fantastic job and everyone tried their best. Good Luck to Novalli, Wilkie and Max in the next stage of the competition.

Adriannah, Jess and Novalli

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PRINCIPAL’S THOUGHTS

Congratulations to our cross country team members who achieved great results at the district event this week. The weather was perfect for running and the competition between schools was intense. Special congratulations to Max Leeder, Wilkie Hudson and Novalli Hudson who all qualified to compete in the regional event next month in St Arnaud by getting a place. In the 11 year Boys team event our team of Max, Wilkie and Tyson Harris came a credible second in the district. Well done to all students who represented Ranfurly with pride. Many thanks to Corinne Shore for her work preparing the students for the run and to the staff of Jason Kirby and Alyson Talbot who assisted on the day.

Today our grade 6 students visited local secondary colleges as part of the district transition process. Students enjoyed the chance to investigate what happens at a secondary school and have a look at the facilities. Our school received great reports about our students terrific behaviour from all schools.

All next week we have a Book Fair in our library. Families are welcome to visit the library before or after school to view the books and perhaps make a purchase.

Please, please, please make sure your children are on time for school. Those who are late miss so much valuable learning time.

Dennis Mitchell

UNIFORMS

Can all parents please make sure your children are in full school uniform. The cold weather is here (almost) and our Parents’ Club have lots of options in stock for the winter. Call in on Tuesday mornings or Thursday afternoons to get what you need.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Studio 12 Weekend Art Classes!
Are your kids CREATIVE? Do your kids LOVE to draw? Do they get BORED on the weekends?! Then Studio 12 is the PERFECT solution!
Offering creative art classes for kids, Studio 12 is run by a professional arts specialist with over 11 years of teaching experience. The sessions are designed to develop skills, encourage creativity, and, above all... Have FUN!!!!
The next classes will be run on: 23rd of May!
For further inquiries call or text Ben on 0448 228 981 or “LIKE” the Studio 12 Facebook page.

Tennis Australia Hotshots Program
Mildura Tennis Courts
Tennis Lessons Beginners to Advanced
Fully Qualified Coaches
Free Hotshots T-shirt & Free Racquet Hire
For more info pls ph Dean 0414 826 318

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Please list “Electronic Newsletter” as the subject and in the body of the email include your children’s names and any email addresses you wish to have the email sent to.

This will save the school time and resources in producing hard copies and will also benefit our environment.

PLEASE SEND OUR FAMILY THE WEEKLY ‘RANFURLY RAMBLER NEWSLETTER ‘ELECTRONICALLY:

Eldest Child Name:
______________________________________________
Room No: ________
Email address:
__________________________________________

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Sunraysia Mallee Ethnic Communities Council
COMMUNITY CULTURAL OPEN DAY

Join us at the new JRECC Community Cultural Centre (CCC) 187 -111 Twelfth Street
Saturday 13th June, 10am - 5pm

Giovanna’s Gift Charity Fundraiser
Mildura Dockside Cafe
Saturday 16th July 2016 at 5:30pm
Tickets $30
Meal Included

Contact National Hotel 0359 601 404; Andrea 0430 679 991

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SCHOOL UPDATES

MAY 2015

25-29 Scholastic Book Fair

JUNE 2015

Mon 8 Queens Birthday
   Public Holiday
   Fri 12 Prep Come ‘N Try Day
   Jun 16 Grade 5/6 Market Day
   Fri 26 Last Day of Term 2

CANTEEN ROSTER

Fri 22/5 Cherie Dunstan
Fri 29/5 Megan Anderson
Fri 5/6 Natasha Adair

UNIFORM SHOP NORMAL OPERATING TIMES

Tuesday 8:30 am—9:00 am
Thursday 3:15 pm—3:45 pm
CASH, CHEQUES, EFTPOS & BPAY available

CANTEEN NEWS

Two delicious soups to choose from this week.

Pumpkin Soup
Creamy Cauliflower
Both $4.50 with crusty bread.

LIBRARY NEWS

The Library will be holding a Scholastic Book Fair from 25th – 29th May. This is a great opportunity to purchase some fabulous books! The Fair will be open every day during the week before and after school (closed at recess times). Children will get the chance to view the Fair during their Library time, but everyone is welcome to come any day to visit the Fair. There is something for everyone! The school benefits from every purchase, but our students benefit by reading great books every day!

Barb Kendrigan

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LOST PROPERTY
Please ensure all uniforms, hats and personal property are all clearly named. We have had many instances of lost items that are named but are not being handed back to the owner. Please check your children have the correct uniforms and return any to the office that may have accidentally been taken home.

TUESDAY IS SCHOOL BANKING DAY
### Preps Term 2 @ a Glance

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

| Room 15: | Tia Johnson for confidently writing the sounds that she hears in words. |
| Room 16: | Sienna Reberger for persisting with her handwriting. |
| Room 17: | Arda Anar for becoming more organised in the mornings. |

#### VIP

| Room 15: | Angie Walker |
| Room 16: | Tracy Francis-Coslovich |
| Room 17: | Ali Hussaini |

#### This Week’s Unit Topics

**Literacy:**
- Hh – Harry Hat Man (Letterland character)
- Reading Strategy – Getting our mouth ready to say the sounds we can hear at the beginning of words.

**Numeracy:**
- Measurement
- Picture graphs

**Developmental Learning**
- Dice games
- Role Play – Getting Along
- Looking After My Baby

#### Special Events

*Don’t forget to practise the High Frequency words in the purple books that go home each Wednesday night.*

#### Goals:

Look in the Homework book for a copy of the learning goals and ideas for how you can help your child achieve them.

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### Years 1/2 Term 2 @ a Glance

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

| Room 2T: | Emily Adams for reading with lots of confidence and starting to use expression. |
| Room 2W: | Latrell Quayle for his great effort in his number and reading On Demand tests. |
| Room 1M: | Aja McCarron for persisting to improve her handwriting. |
| Room 1H: | Kobe Kelly for showing confidence and improving his reading. |
| Room 1A: | Aysha-Jade Taylor for being persistent to write on the dotted thirds. |
| Room 1/2G: | Sumaya Maarof for always being like Penny Persistence and never giving up! |

#### Birthdays

- 24th May: Antwan Dowell-McGee
- 25th May: Emily Adams
- 27th May: Reagon Duffield

#### This Week’s Unit Topics

**Reading**
- Visualising and Digraphs

**Writing**
- Information Reports

**Numeracy**
- Money

#### Special Notices and Events

Just a reminder that if each student could please bring a packet of tissues, a jumper and water bottle to school every day.

School stationery – each student is issued with one packet of coloured pencils and two grey lead pencils every year. Please come in and check if your child needs any of these items replaced.
## Year 3/4 Term 2 @ a Glance

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<td>Tyler Martin</td>
<td>For his excellent effort to persist and work positively to complete his learning.</td>
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<td>Mckayla Roberts</td>
<td>For willingly persisting with tasks and completing more activities in the time set.</td>
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<td>Warren Harris</td>
<td>For using confidence when rounding numbers.</td>
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<td>Room 4H</td>
<td>Bella Sloane</td>
<td>For being persistent with her Mathletics tasks and not giving up.</td>
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<td>Room 4L</td>
<td>Raihaneh Mohammadi</td>
<td>For always displaying a positive attitude to her learning.</td>
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<td>28th May</td>
<td>Shelby Chamberlain</td>
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### This Week’s Unit Topics

- **Literacy:** Persuasive text – advertisements
- **Numeracy:** Four Processes & Word Problems, Chance and Probability

### Special Events

- Grade 3 and 4 students have enjoyed their weekly tennis sessions on Wednesday, and have shown great improvement. If you would like your child to continue tennis lessons outside of school further information is in the newsletter.

## Year 5/6 Term 2 @ a Glance

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<td>Alana Roberts</td>
<td>For excellent contributions to class discussions</td>
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<td>Haniyeh Jafari</td>
<td>For her positive attitude in the classroom</td>
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<td>Poppy Briggs</td>
<td>For consistently demonstrating fantastic getting along skills</td>
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<td>Kyla Cornish</td>
<td>For being persistent and completing activities to the best of her abilities.</td>
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<td>Room 11</td>
<td>Shaniqua Wilkey</td>
<td>For a great letter to Bunnings using a wide range of persuasive devices</td>
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### Special Events

- Interschool Sports Notes to be returned
- Interschool Sport against Mildura PS

### This Week’s Unit Topics

- **Literacy:** Persuasive Writing/ Procedures
- **Numeracy:** Multiplication/ Division, Fractions, Chemical Science, Economics, Market Day

### Interschool Sports Notes to be returned

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Interschool Sport against Mildura PS