



RANFURLY PRIMARY

# THE RAMBLER

*Strong in the heart and Smart in the head*

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**RESPECT PRIDE SAFETY**

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## Grade 6 Melbourne Camp





**BOOKCLUB:** Catalogues for the next issue of Bookclub have been distributed today with newsletters.

Please note that **orders will close at 9am on Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> June**. Order on-line or cash orders to Mrs. K. in the Library.



SPARK Learn is a program that aims to ignite the joy of learning with flexible options to meet students individual needs. Students have been working on their sewing skills in the last few weeks- they have practiced stitching, beading and designing. Next we will upcycle some clothing.

### Reminder parents

#### MUSIC TUITION FEES-TERMS 1 AND 2

Reminder that all outstanding fees must be paid. Thank you!

### CSEF REMINDER

4 July 2025 (last day of Term 2) is the last day that CSEF can be applied for. If you have a current HCC or Pension Card and have not applied or are not sure if you are eligible. Please call in the office and ask one of our friendly office staff.

## Preps Term 2 Unit @ a Glance

### Stars of the Week

**PREP C: Dominick Ireland** for working hard at remembering to put his hand up to share his great ideas with the class.

**PREP E: Vanessa Butoto** for using her Connie Confident voice during our morning check-ins. Well done Vanessa!

**PREP L: Stark Van Miltenburg** for being Oscar Organised in the playground and helping his teachers and friends to tidy up! Great job Stark!

**PREP M: Aidan Sauer** for showing confidence in all areas of the school day.

### Birthdays

Matthew Penna 12 June



### Reading Awards

25 Nights: Maisam Shabir

50 Nights: Danny Jabari

100 Nights: Actavia Brabender-Kirk

### Next Week's Unit Topics

Numeracy –We are learning about number and place value.

Literacy - We are learning the new sounds ff, ll, ss, zz

The Resilience Project - We are learning about what it means to be grateful and thinking about all the things that we are grateful for.

Developmental Play - We are continuing our 'Traditional Tales' topic. This will cover Fairytales and Dreamtime stories.

### Special Events/Reminders

Please make sure all student clothing is clearly labelled.

## ★★★★★ YEARS 1/2 UNIT @ A GLANCE ★★★★★

### STARS OF THE WEEK

**Room 1/2 B:** Abigail Matthews for trying hard to focus and be a great learner. Well done, Abigail!

**Room 1C:** Aeney Chhoeut for being a Heggerty superstar. Keep up the great work Aeney!

**Room 1G:** Kitione Namoumou for working independently with focus to improve his writing. Good job Kiti!

**Room 2B:** Makenzie Nunn for using the 'Feeling's Poster' to share how she is feeling each day. Well done!

**Room 2S:** Daisy-Lynn Kelly for your focus and determination in achieving your reading goals. You should be proud of your achievements. Well done!

### BIRTHDAYS



### This Week's Unit Topics

#### **Reading:**

Grade 1: Non-fiction

Grade 2: Features of information texts

#### **Sounds:**

Grade 1: Introduction to polysyllabic words

Grade 2: Reviewing same spellings, different sounds

#### **Writing:**

Grade 1: Fragments and sentences

Grade 2: Information reports

**Maths:** Space

**Integrated Studies:** Then and Now - How has life changed and stayed the same?

### READING & MATHS AWARDS

Matilda Moss, Porshah Stoker-Potts, Daisy-Lynn Kelly, William Ibbetson, Pippa Fenna, Elijah Young, Ruhan Arsallan, Javahn King, Xavier Treble, Oliver Lewin

### NOTICE BOARD

Book Club orders close at 9am on Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> June.

**Please name all clothing items.**



## 3/4 UNIT @ A GLANCE

### STARS OF THE WEEK

**3D:** Lucas Baldock for becoming more focussed and putting greater effort into his learning. Well done Lucas!

**3M:** Jorja Nunn for showing greater confidence when sharing her ideas in classroom discussions and in our daily check ins. Keep it up Jorja!

**3W:** Ethan Jambor for having a positive attitude to learning and willingly participating in all class activities. Keep up the great work Ethan!

**4B:** Shylah Herold-Cluss for her positive and persistent attitude towards her work. Awesome effort Shylah!

**4M:** Myah Parfrey for her valuable contributions during our class discussions. Keep up the great work Myah!

**4R:** Lucas Knight for being a kind and helpful class member. Keep up the great effort!

**4T:** Lewa Damuni for making a great effort with her persuasive writing this term.

### AWARDS

#### 50 Nights of Reading:

Owen-John Smith, Alex DeBoo,  
Millie Lehmann,  
Blayde Campbell-Barby,  
Lawrence Shirren, Astrid Clifford,  
Felice Ebor

### This Week's Unit Topics

**Reading** - Artful Artist

**Writing** - Persuasive Text

**Maths** - Four Operations

**Integrated Studies** - Australia: Where have we come from?

### BIRTHDAYS

**16th June** - Lucas Knight, Tyler Beaver

**17th June** - Vivianne Rigby

**18th June** - Olive Parker

**20th June** - Georgia Pike, Bella Pike

### NOTICE BOARD

**Grade 3/4 Swimming** lessons are next week, Monday 16th June to Friday 20th June. A note with further information will be sent home tomorrow (Friday).

## Year 5/6 Unit@ a Glance—Term 2

### ☆☆☆ Stars of the Week! ☆☆☆

**5C:** Loki Anderson for applying a positive attitude towards being mindful and practising this skill in an authentic way

**5M:** Mico Sevilla for his enthusiastic attitude when planning his second historical narrative. Keep up the great work Mico!

**5T:** Zion Zafari for being an organised learner across all subjects and showing growing confidence in the classroom. Keep it up, Zion!

**6A:** Nephi Tuimoala for his terrific attitude and effort on Grade 6 Camp! Your use of manners and willingness to give every activity a 'red hot go' have been outstanding! Well done Nephi!

**6J:** Lucas Jolly for setting a great example while on Grade 6 Camp. Your kindness, positive attitude and willingness to listen and join in activities, has not gone unnoticed. Keep up the awesome effort Lucas

**6P:** Alirah Smith for her positive energy and enthusiasm during camp. You embraced every moment, fostering connections and creating lasting memories with your classmates and friends.

### Happy Birthday!

**5C:** Xander Prescott (June 16th)

**5M:**

**5T:**

**6A:**

**6J:**

**6P:**



### AWARDS



#### Reading Awards:

**25 Nights:**

**50 Nights:** Piper Casey

**100 Nights:** Ellenestina Niyera

#### Numeracy Awards:

Mr. Cardew:

Mr. Mays:

Miss Thompson:

Mrs Snow & Mrs Alderton:

Miss Jenner:

Ms. Parfrey:

### Upcoming Events & Reminders

- **HOMEWORK:** Due Friday 13th June.
- **SCHOOL PRODUCTION:** Rehearsals every Wednesday – Remember to practise at home and bring your scripts/music to every rehearsal.
- **GRADE 6 CAMP:** We hope the Grade 6's have had a terrific time in Melbourne and wish them a safe trip home on Friday!
- **GRADE 5/6 SWIMMING:** Notes need to be returned by Wednesday, 18th June
- **ELEPHANT EDUCATION / BIG SISTER EXPERIENCE** - Tuesday 17th June

# SPARK Learn

SPARK Learn is a program that aims to ignite the joy of learning with flexible options to meet students individual needs.

Among the many skills students practice we will be gardening, cooking, sewing and mending.

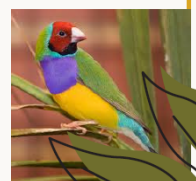
We are asking for donations of any items that may be used for these skills. Things like fabric, buttons, wool, pots, cotton, string or seeds, garden ornaments and cuttings would be greatly appreciated. Donations can be left in room 26 (6A).

We look forward to sharing our learning with the school community- thankyou!



## Grow it Know it

In the Grade 6 FLIP Course, Grow it Know it, the students have constructed a bird feeder to attract local birds to help the garden. The birds we are hoping to attract are wrens, robins, parrots and finches.



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## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

### JUNE

#### Monday 16 - Friday 20

- Grade 3/4 Swimming Program

#### Monday 23 - Friday 27

- Grade 5/6 Swimming Program

### JULY

#### Friday 4

- Last Day Term 2

#### Monday 21

- First Day Term 3

#### Friday 15

- Ranfurly Athletics Day

## CANTEEN NEWS

### Nugget Meal Deal \$6.50

4 Chicken Nuggets

Popcorn

Flavoured Milk, Milo or Juice

### Toasted Focaccias

(not available Thursday/Friday)

**Small \$6.00      Large \$8.00**

Chicken, pesto, spinach, red pepper,  
red onion & cheese

Chicken, pineapple, spinach, cheese  
& mayo

# COMMUNITY NEWS



Great news: Sunray Warrior is back for 2025, and registration is now **OPEN** for primary school-aged students. Sunray Warriors is a multi-agency environmental event.

#### **Event details:**

Dates: **September 16 & 17 (Tuesday and Wednesday) 2025**

Location: **Mildura South Sporting Precinct**

Students will enjoy four 30-minute hands-on Interactive activities with an environmental focus.

The morning session to start at 9.30 – 12.00 pm

The afternoon session to start at 12.00 pm – 2.35 pm

To register: [Sunray Warriors 2025](#)

Registrations close: Friday 1<sup>st</sup> August 2025