



Murrayville Community College

Newsletter



AGE GROUP CHAMPIONS & RUNNERS-UP

From the Principal ...

Pathways Night –

The Pathways night held on Monday was very well attended by students and parents. It is always great to see students enthusiastically discussing their futures with their teachers. It was obvious that we have a wide range of interests and will need to offer a broad range of VCE subjects in 2014 to accommodate them. Thank you to Heather Willersdorf and Mrs Inglis for their help preparing for the night.

House Athletics –

Although Wednesday was a cool day, the competition was red hot. It was very pleasing to see excellent participation levels from the students, and the number of parents who came out to support them. Congratulations to all students on their efforts. Well done to Winjeel for being the overall winners on the day. Thank you to all who helped on the day and special thanks to Mr Willersdorf and Peter Sporn for all

the preparation they have done in the lead-up to ensure the day was successful.

Staffing –

On Monday we will welcome back Mrs Karen Willersdorf after her long service leave. It sounds as though she has had a wonderful break away. Thank you to Mrs Peers who has worked with the Preps from the beginning of this term, we are very lucky to have high quality teachers in our community who can fill these short term vacancies from time to time. We look forward to having Mrs Peers in the school again soon.

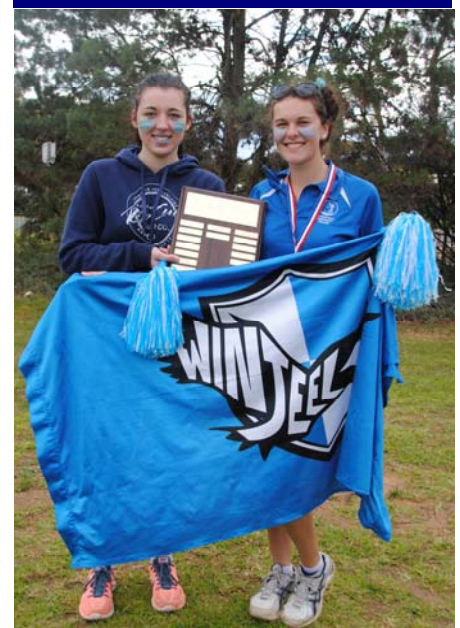
Grade 3/4 Camp –

Grade 3 and 4 will be travelling to Swan Hill next week for their camp to the Pioneer Village. The program there is an engaging and entertaining way to gain an appreciation of our past. Special thanks to Carly Heintze who will be driving the bus and accompanying Ms Luckman on the trip.

Natasha Mudie - Principal

WINJEEL 3481
LOWAN 2939

PROUD WINJEEL HOUSE CAPTAINS





This week the year 5/6s skyped in to Jakarta in Indonesia. We chatted with Lucy's Auntie, Helen Brown, who is a reporter and journalist with ABC. Her news reports are often shown on ABC 24. The city of Jakarta has 27 million people in it, more than the whole country of Australia.



CANTEEN

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Wraps / Sandwiches / Rolls

Ham & Cheese or Chicken & Cheese Hot Rolls

HOT FOOD AVAILABLE AS FOLLOWS

MONDAY - Pizza (\$1.50)

Ham & Pineapple / Cheese & Bacon

WEDNESDAY -

Hot Dogs (\$1.30)

FRIDAY - Pies & Sausage Rolls

Pie 200g (\$1.80)

Sausage roll 120g (\$1.40)

Party pie (50¢)

Sauce (20¢ or 2 for 30¢)

Prices may vary with new deliveries

ALL ORDERS ARE TO BE PLACED BEFORE SCHOOL

Please - no more than \$5 in your envelope

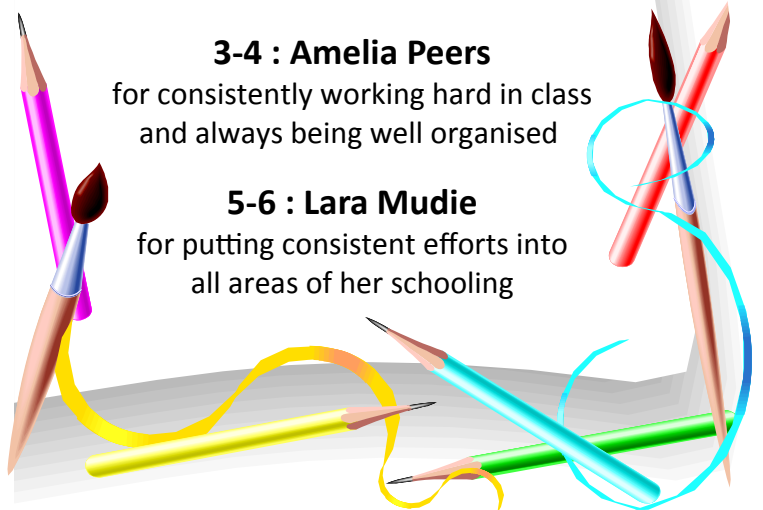
PRIMARY GOLD AWARDS

Prep : Steffinie Ammerlaan
for trying hard at the Ouyen sports

1-2 : Lila Oakley
for consistent cooperation

3-4 : Amelia Peers
for consistently working hard in class and always being well organised

5-6 : Lara Mudie
for putting consistent efforts into all areas of her schooling





UDSSA Athletics



Last Friday saw all the Primary students travel to Ouyen for the annual Underbool & District Athletics Sports Carnival. Although the sun was shining brightly, the day was also characterised by a blustery wind that made wearing a sun hat difficult. All children competed enthusiastically and can be proud of their efforts on the day. Our school had many representatives in the final sprints, although running into the wind looked like pretty hard work. Steffinie, Harvey, Brooklyn, Emma, Brock, Kynan, Hugh, Ricky, George, Kirsty, Lilly, Allea, Clay, Annika, Cooper, Jonny and Suzie made the sprint finals. Champion winners are pictured above - Jonny, Kynan, Suzie, George. Special mention must go to Jonny, who won a 21 point medallion - 3 points achieved in all events. Well done to all competitors.

* 10,000 Steps Challenge

Healthy Together Mildura has teamed up with 10,000 Steps to promote physical activity. Take the challenge: 30/9-27/10 2013. Get active with a group of friends or colleagues. For more information visit www.healthytogethertomildura.com.au/10000steps

* Social Marketing - Children's Colouring Competition

Encourage your child to 'Go One Better' by participating in the Healthy Together Mildura colouring competition, featuring the HTM Vegie Gang. Your child could win one of 10 \$25 Mildura City Vouchers. Visit www.healthytogethertomildura.com.au/go-one-better for the colouring sheets and entry details. Competition closes 13th September.

* Social Marketing - Mum and Dad Let's 'Go One Better'

As part of our support for the Healthy Together Mildura 'Go One Better' campaign, why not take the kids on a healthy excursion and play some vegie promoting games? HTM has compiled a range of tools and activities for schools and early childhood services to have a 'vegie week' or 'vegie month'. For more information visit www.healthytogethertomildura.com.au/campaign-resources





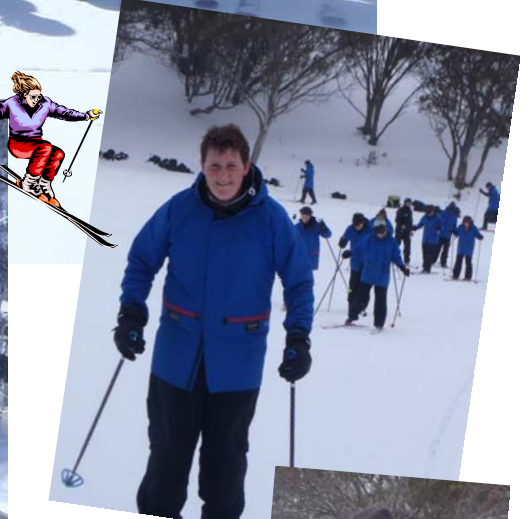
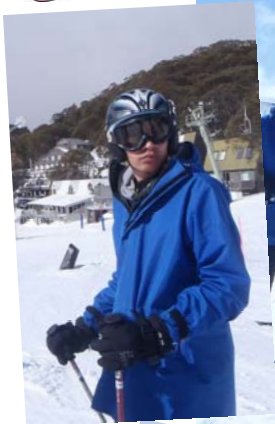
Last Thursday the Year 3/4 class headed down to the Murrayville Museum as part of their local history studies. There was much excitement at spotting relatives names and photos

amongst the artefacts on display and Sue Kalms was an excellent guide, helping the children to identify information for their Murrayville history timelines and answering their myriad questions.



3-4 VISIT THE MUSEUM

Bogong with the Year 9/10s



SNOW





House Athletics



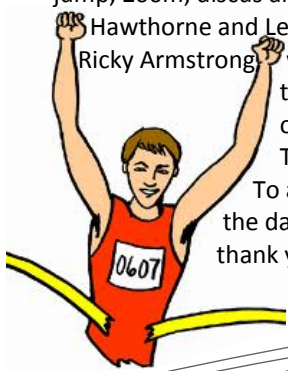


On Wednesday the athletics sports day was held on the school oval. The day started off cold and windy but the sun came out soon enough and it turned out to be a pretty good day. With a 175 point lead from the 800m and 1500m that were done in sport, Winjeel had their sights set on the shield. Throughout the day Lowan put up a fight, with

William Venning breaking their first record in shot put with a distance of 8.14m. Also for Lowan with a distance of 17.6m, Carrie Armstrong took out the discus record, and Harry Brown also with a distance of 22.13m for the 18-20 year olds. Harry was happy with this as it was his last sports day. Many other records were broken, including Henry Gibson breaking 6 records - in the 800m, javelin, triple jump, 200m, discus and 400m for Winjeel. Other records were also broken by Elly Thomas, Moss Kingdon, Jack Sharrad, Thomas Hawthorne and Lexi Thomas. In the end, after a long day, Winjeel defeated Lowan with a score of 3481 to 2939. Well done to Ricky Armstrong who won the maximum 21 points in the primary competition. We would like to thank everyone who participated throughout the day - we are very proud of what everyone achieved. A massive thanks to Mr Sporn who kept the oval in good condition for the day. Also thank you to Mrs Ross for the amazing food she provided for everyone. Thanks to all the parents who came and watched us, it was an excellent turn up.

To all the helpers with timing, keeping score, selling food and marshals - the day would not have been so successful without your help, thank you.

House Athletics





COLLEGE CALENDAR

Community Notices

27/8	Barista Course : Hospitality
28-30/8	3/4 Camp : Swan Hill
3/9	Mallee Division Athletics
16-20/9	Dance & Author
20/9	Open Day End of Term 3
21-22/9	Pedal Prix : Round 3
Term 4	7/8 Canberra Camp (date TBA)
7/10	Start of Term 4
9/10	Pinnaroo Show Day
10/10	Region Athletics : Bendigo
25/10	Final round of immunisations
4-8/11	Outdoor Ed : Mt Arapiles
18-22/11	5/6 Melbourne Camp
29/11	Last day for Year 11 students
2-6/12	7-9 Canberra Trip
5/12	P-2 Ballet : Mildura
6/12	Last day for Year 10 students
12/12	P-6 Sleepover
18/12	Presentation Night

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Murrayville Swimming Pool

Notice is hereby given to all members of the Murrayville Community that the AGM of the Murrayville Swimming Pool will be held on Monday 26th August, at 7pm (AEST) at the Murrayville Swimming Pool
Everyone Welcome

Murray Village Soccer Club

Games on Wednesdays
4.10pm for kids / 4.45pm for adults
Sundays 2.30pm
(subject to numbers)
Phone Nic 0407 343 405
or Kym 0429 184 841



A chance to **PUTT FOR PA**
Mildura Golf Resort
Sunday September 1 (Father's Day)
10:30am - 1pm
\$25 pair (includes lunch)
+ \$10 each additional child
Age divisional group entries:
0-5 / 6-10 / 11-16
Heaps of prizes, raffle draw,
face painting, sports skills clinic
Phone 5023 1147 to register
or download form at
www.milduragolfresort.com.au

BLOOD DONATION BUS

There will be a bus travelling to Mildura on Monday September 2nd for those who wish to donate blood to Australian Red Cross Blood Service.
We have had to cancel our last appointment due to lack of numbers, please consider donating!
Contact Jacqui Gibson on 5095 2205 at the Neighbourhood House to book your seat.



Responsible Service of Alcohol Course – Ouyen

SuniTAFE Mallee Campus
Wednesday August 25th
from 5pm – 10pm
Cost - \$80 per person
Places limited
Call 5091 0400 to book your place.

PINNAROO BASKETBALL CLUB

The 2013/2014 basketball season is fast approaching
If your children would like to play in one of the teams please contact Jessie Simon on 0417 811 829
They are also seeking volunteers to help with coaching and umpiring positions



AGM
Tuesday 3rd September
at 7pm
Golden Grain Hotel

HEALTH SCREENING DAYS

at Murrayville Neighbourhood House
Tuesday 27 Wednesday 28
August
from 9am to 12 noon
FREE

Mallee Netball Association Successes

Congratulations to MCC students who were awarded Best & Fairest trophies at last weekend's Association Netball dinner - Lexi Thomas (D Grade) and Brooke McNeilly (E Grade).
Also to Anna Thomas and Bec Oakley on being selected by their peers in the Team of the Year.

Whatever you
write, consider
it to be on
permanent display