

Newsletter

Murrayville Community College



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From the Principal

Daffodil Day –

Today was Daffodil Day. Congratulations to the school captains for getting involved and increasing awareness about cancer and raising money for the Cancer Council to help beat the disease. They successfully organised a range of school based activities including the selling of daffodil decorated cupcakes for morning tea for the Cancer Council, a colouring competition and a sausage sizzle lunch. Thank you to those that assisted them by donating cupcakes, decorating cupcakes, and to Jacqui Gibson for donating the sausage sizzle.

Prep Trips –

This week our Preps were involved in two local excursions to inspire their 'Big writing'. The Preps, along with the kindergarten students who are transitioning for 2016, ventured out to Mrs Edwards' garden on Wednesday. Back



in the classroom they all participated in some 'Big Talk' activities. We know that the first step to writing about things is talking about them. Mrs Edwards has a very inspiring garden, as is confirmed in the students' writing on page 4. The Preps then visited Mrs Willersdorf's farm on Thursday afternoon to see the shearing. I can't wait to read what they write about that. Thank you to Mrs Edwards and Mrs Willersdorf for making these authentic learning experiences possible.

NAPLAN –

All families of students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 should have now received their child's NAPLAN results. Overall I was very pleased with the school's results this year and the rates of growth that have been achieved by the students who sat NAPLAN here two years ago. In almost every category our school has outperformed the state and the region average. Those students should be very proud of their efforts in these important tests.

Year 10 Careers & Geography Trip –

Two weeks ago the Year 10s travelled to Adelaide to carry out geography fieldwork at Morialta Falls and Port Noarlunga on Thursday and to attend the Flinders Uni Open Day on Friday. Given the wintery weather conditions they were able to see the Morialta falls in all of their glory and some dynamic erosion processes at work at the Port Noarlunga coast. The students filled their day on Friday with a range of information sessions about various courses and interesting tours of the accommodation options and the new Tonsley campus, where the engineering, computer science and mathematics courses are based. This has given these students some added clarity about their pathways as they finalise their subject choices for VCE in 2016.



MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD IS IN SCHOOL EVERY DAY.

Attendance at MCC 17-21 August 2015

6	93.34%
10	92.5%
12	90.8%
2	88.3%
9	87.5%
4	84.0%
7	85.3%
3	82.3%
11	80.0%
5	78.9%
1	78.9%
8	70.91%
Prep	63.34%

Finals –

Good luck to all of our students who are competing in football and netball finals this weekend. Well done to Ryan Lewis and Henry Gibson who were awarded the senior colts league Best and Fairest and Runner-up respectively.

Natasha Mudie
Principal



Thank you to everyone who supported the students in the lead up to and on the MCC Sports Day. It was a glorious day and it was fantastic to have the family and friends of students there to cheer them on. Congratulations to all the primary students on your efforts, it was excellent to see your skills improve over the term and you perform so well on the day. Well done to all the age group champions and our 21 point medal winners Timothy Virgo and Brock Milde. I apologise to Allea Heintze and the Winjeel team, as I announced Allea winning the age group champion as a Lowan member. With Winjeel winning overall I know her points were important to Winjeel's overall success. Congratulations to Jonathon Peers, Cooper Wisneske, Timothy Virgo, Daniel McDonald, Allea Heintze, Suzanne Beckmann, Kynan and Brock Milde who have qualified for the next stage in Mildura on Tuesday the 8th of September.

We wish you all the best.

Eryn Wyatt

OPEN DAY is on Sunday 30th August from 10am to 3pm at Ballarat and Gippsland campuses.

FedUni is excited to be able to offer regional students and their families grants of up to \$100 to contribute to the travel costs associated with attending Open Day - students need to register beforehand at federation.edu.au/openday

Details of the day's program can be found at federation.edu.au/programfinder



Certificates for Inspiring Pride were awarded to:

Prep-Year 2

Nate KELLY – for demonstrating DETERMINATION to improve his handwriting

Riley MUSGROVE - for showing INDEPENDENCE in completing all his work correctly and independently

Evie OAKLEY - for showing EXCELLENCE in expressing her opinion in writing

Years 3/4

Noah EWINS – for demonstrating growing PRIDE in his work and greater DETERMINATION to succeed
Shania HEINTZE – for showing INDEPENDENCE in assessing and improving the quality of the work she submits

Years 5/6

Suzanne BECKMANN - for showing INDEPENDENCE and great maturity on sports day - helping teachers with events and recording, as well as taking photos and cheering for all athletes

Timothy VIRGO - for showing DETERMINATION to achieve his best, as well as great sportsmanship in congratulating others

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Friday 11th September
 SRC raising money to support deaf children

CANTEEN

AVAILABLE MONDAY-FRIDAY

Wraps / Sandwiches / Rolls

Ham & Cheese or

Chicken & Cheese Hot Rolls

MONDAY - PIZZAS \$1.60

Bacon & Cheese or Ham & Pineapple

WEDNESDAY - TUNA PASTA BAKE \$4

FRIDAY - PIES, PASTIES \$3.70,

SAUSAGE ROLLS \$2.70 & PARTY PIES 70¢

Sauce extra 20¢ (or 30¢ for 2)

ALL ORDERS ARE TO BE PLACED BEFORE SCHOOL

Please - no more than \$5 in your envelope

Please be aware that pizzas are ONLY available on Mondays, and pastries ONLY on Fridays

THURSDAY 8th September
is OPEN DAY for 2015
at MURRAYVILLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

We invite you to visit
and see our school in action

A BBQ lunch will be provided

For catering purposes, please RSVP by Friday 4th September (03 5095 2001)

Join us for OPEN DAY

PROPOSED PROGRAM

10:45 Raising of the Time Capsule, followed by Morning Tea of 20/40 Birthday Cake for all (recess time)

11:15 Prep–2 classroom tours, 11:35 Language games
3-6 classrooms English (VCOP Big Write activities)
Year 7 English (G2 classroom)
Year 8 Science (Science room)
Years 9/10 Biology (Humanities room)
Auto (Tech Shed)
Sport & Rec (Ag classroom)
Hospitality (Home Ec room)
Years 11/12 Biology (Senior Science room)
Studio Art (Art room)
Physical Education (PE classroom)
Hospitality, Auto (with 9/10)

12:15 Prep–2 classroom : Language games, 12:30 Japanese
3-4 Science (Science room)
5-6 Integrated Studies (5-6 classroom)
Year 7 Maths (G1 classroom)
Year 8 English (G2 classroom)
Years 9-12 (continue as for 11:15)

1:15 Free Sausage Sizzle for parents, staff, students (BBQ area)

Check out displays
and facilities around
our school

Garden Tours from the
Kitchen Garden bench in the
Primary Gallery at 1:40pm

After lunch : presentations
by all classes in the shelter
area on the northern side
of the school - performances,
poetry, music items

I went to a garden.
I saw a blue flower.
I saw a green leaf.
I like the red flowers.
Emmazyn



At Mrs Edwards garden there are lots of flowers. I saw purple flowers. I saw brown leaves. There were orange trees. We saw a wagon wheel when we went up the driveway. All of the Prep class went on the bus.
Sarah



I liked her garden because it has a shed and I liked the garden shed. I want a garden like your garden. Bees go to the flowers and carry the seeds. There was a wagon wheel in the garden. Next I saw a little tree.
Oliver

When I went to Mrs Edwards garden it was beautiful. I saw some flowers and I picked one. I saw a wagon wheel. They were near the tree.
Nate



Yesterday we went to Mrs Edwards garden. We saw bamboo and we saw pumpkins in the garden. I saw a red flower in the garden.
Seth



Daffodil Day



Hospitality students making cupcakes to sell



Wear something YELLOW was the code for today



COLLEGE CALENDAR

2-4/9	3/4 Camp : Swan Hill
3/9	Mallee Division Secondary Athletics
8/9	College Open Day Mallee Division Primary Athletics Learning & Teaching Meeting 3:30
11/9	SRC Casual Day - Loud Shirt Day
18/9	End of Term 3
19-20/9	HPV Round 4 : Murray Bridge
5/10	Start of Term 4
7/10	Pinnaroo Show
8/10	LMR Athletics : Bendigo
12/10	LMR Primary Athletics
26-30/10	Mt Arapiles Outdoor Ed Camp
3-6/11	5/6 Camp
16-20/11	Years 10 & 11 Exams
23/11	VCE Transition Commences
1/12	Student Free Day
2/2	Transition Day : Whole School
3/12	P-2 to Mildura & Sleepover
4/12	SRC Casual Day
18/12	End of Term 4

You were born
an original;
don't die
a copy

Community Notices

Three Colours SC - official provider of the AIA Vitality Minirooms program in Mildura
Program commences 13 October 2015 for children between 4 – 9 years old.
Register at http://www.minirooms.com.au/program-finder/?search_value=mildura

MOBILE EYE CARE
Murrayville dates for
RFDS OPTOMETRIST
October 15th and December 17th
Call Ouyen Hospital (5092 1111)
for an appointment
May be appointments available at
Ouyen if Murrayville dates are filled

MURRAYVILLE SWIMMING POOL AGM
Tuesday 1st September at 7pm
At the Community Centre
Apologies to Penny Peers (0427 952 191)



OPEN GARDEN DAY
Friday 16th October
Host : Underbool Primary School
5094 6342
Starting at 9am
Major raffle drawn at lunch
Morning Tea, Lunch & Afternoon
Tea included
Plants available for purchase
Tickets \$25 each from the school
If you would like to travel by bus
please call Jacqui on 5095 2205 at
the Neighbourhood House
Cost will be \$10 per person and bus
will only go if numbers permit

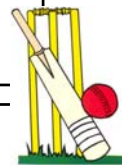
LIFEGUARD UPDATE COURSE
Sunday 1st November
At Murrayville Pool
More information - contact Penny Peers

BECOME an AUSTSWIM TEACHER
AUSTSWIM teachers are in demand
Develop essential knowledge, skill
and understanding to teach vital
swimming and water safety
Saturday 12 & Sunday 13 September
8:30-5:15 in Mildura
Cost \$348
Enrolments close 28 August
Phone 1300 885 666 for info
or email vic@austswim.com.au

**MURRAYVILLE BULLDOGS
FOOTBALL & NETBALL CLUBS**
Signature pavers will be placed under the
shelter at the new courts to finish off the
area and make the community a part
of the new facilities
You can buy a paver for your family, business
or club by ordering and paying through
Jaimi Willersdorf, Lisa Crane or Carly Heintze
Pavers are \$50 each and can have
up to 48 letters included

MURRAYVILLE CRICKET CLUB AGM
Tuesday 8th September
7:30pm at the Murrayville Hotel
All welcome

PINNAROO CRICKET CLUB AGM
Monday 31st August at 7.30pm
Golden Grain Hotel, Pinnaroo
Apologies to Heath Boseley



COMMUNICATIONS SENT HOME THIS WEEK

(* Return from parents)

1. 7-12 Athletes - Ouyen competition *
2. Preps - visit to shearing shed
3. Primary athletes - details of Mini Olympics in Mildura

Please check that you have received this information and, if not,

contact the College for

another copy

