

Murrayville Community College Newsletter



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12-16 February

12	100%
11	98%
7	97.7%
5	95%
3	94.9%
6	93.3%
10	92%
8	89.2%
4	82%
2	80%
9	87.5%
1	78.5%
Prep	72%

From the Principal

Swimming Sports

It was great to see all students doing their absolute best at the swimming sports last Friday. Our very competitive primary students broke 7 records on the day (see page 3), contributing to a well deserved win to Lowan this year. Well done to students and teachers for making this such a successful event, particularly sports coordinators Josh Willersdorf and Eryn Wyatt. They have expressed their thanks to other helpers on page 4 and I also thank those who contributed in any way to what was a very well-structured day.

William Westbury

Our Year 9 Humanities students travelled to Pinnaroo on Tuesday to participate in this commemoration ceremony. They, along with students from Pinnaroo and Lameroo, formed a guard of honour for the catafalque party that formed around the newly upgraded grave and memorial reflecting the military service of this ex Pinnaroo soldier. Many of you will have seen the report on ABC TV news that night. Students will long remember this memorable experience (see photos on page 5).

Primary Student Free Day

All Maths teachers from MCC will be attending a conference on 'Critical and Creative Thinking' at Merbein on Tuesday 13th March. This is organised by the Maths Association of Victoria, and ties in well with our current teaching strategies.

As a result, there will be no school for our primary students on that day. Secondary students will still have their normal classes, with any Maths lessons covered by remaining staff. With the Monday being a public holiday, that will mean primary students have a 4 day weekend.

Deb Ball

Next week will be very busy for those involved in our 2018 Deb Ball. Debs and partners will begin their intensive training this weekend under the leadership of Sue Howard-Denton, and continue each day after school. The big night is not far away now!

A reminder that ball and raffle tickets can be purchased at the College front office during school hours.

Natasha Mudie
Principal

Please note : the school must be notified of all absences - if your child is ill please phone (03 5095 2001) or send an email

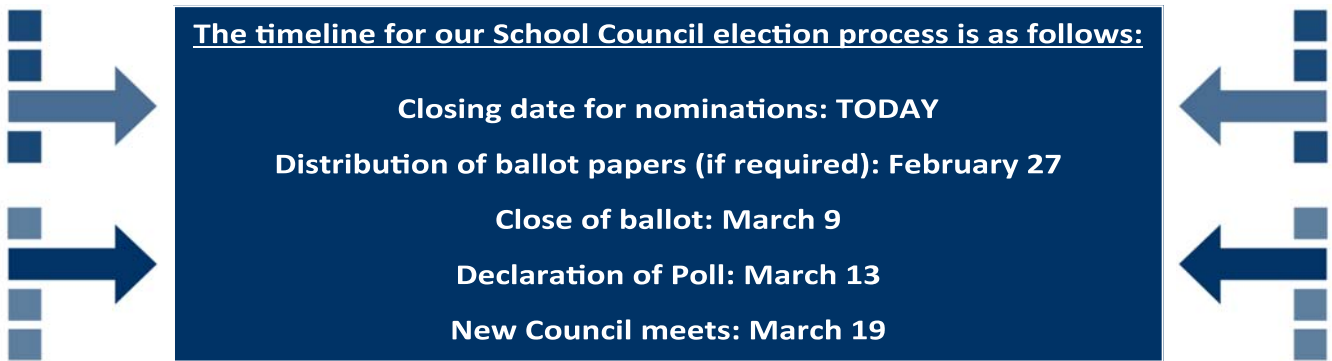
Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF)

Parents or legal guardians who have a Health Care Card, Pensioner Concession Card or a Veterans Affairs Gold Card on the first day of term one (29 January 2018) or the first day of term two (18 April 2018), may be eligible to claim funds to be used towards Camps, Sports and Excursions (\$125 per eligible primary student / \$225 per eligible secondary student). Eligibility will be determined when a parent’s concession card successfully validates with Centrelink on either the first day of term one or term two. If you think you may be eligible to claim CSEF, please contact Joylene Moyle who will assist you to make a claim.

PARENT REMINDERS



- ⇒ If you have not already done so, please return the **red** form relating to excursions, publication of names/photos, computer use, etc.
- ⇒ Also, if there are changes to student details on the enrolment form sent home with reports on Presentation Night at the end of 2017, please ensure these forms are returned so our records can be updated .
- ⇒ Students who received immunisation cards need to return these to the front office as soon as possible please.



CANTEEN

ALL ORDERS TO BE PLACED at the Front Office BEFORE SCHOOL

MONDAY	Sandwiches/Rolls <u>AND</u> Hot Foods including Toasties
TUESDAY	Sandwiches/Rolls <u>AND</u> Toasties
WEDNESDAY	Sandwiches/Rolls <u>AND</u> Toasties
THURSDAY	Sandwiches/Rolls <u>AND</u> Toasties
FRIDAY	HOT FOODS & Toasties ONLY (no sandwiches or rolls)

Pies / Pasties \$4.50
 Party Pies \$1
 Sausage Rolls \$3
 Sauce 20c

Pizzas (Ham & Pineapple or Bacon & Cheese) \$2
 Sandwiches / Rolls (see price list provided page 3)
 Ham & Cheese Toasties \$2

Please - no more than \$5 in your envelope

PRIDE AWARDS

- P-2:*
Jack DUNNING and Ryder LINDNER
 for PERSISTENCE
 in completing their Maths work
- 3-4:*
Evie OAKLEY
 for showing RESPECT
 to classmates and including them in her group
- 5-6:*
Brooklyn MORZER-BRUYN\$
 for showing DETERMINATION
 to do his best at MCC Swim Sports
 Showing great self-motivation
- Lila OAKLEY**
 for showing RESPECT
 in her approach to school and her learning
 Being focussed and on task

HOUSE SWIMMING RESULTS



Lowan 2040 defeated **Winjeel** 1822 (by 218 points)

Record Breakers:

10yr Girls

Matilda Wyatt Freestyle 21.37 seconds
Backstroke 26.50 seconds

10yr Boys

Harvey Crane Freestyle 20.01 seconds
Backstroke 30.25 seconds

11yr Boys

Brooklyn Morzer-Bruyns Backstroke 26.32 seconds

CHAMPIONS



12-13yr Boys

Zac Kelly Backstroke 24.11 seconds
Jonathon Peers 75m Freestyle 1 min 16 secs

Girls

Champion
12-13yrs Emma Parker
14yrs Talita de Wet
15yrs Annika Yard
16yrs Lara Mudie
17yrs Kirsty Heintze
18-20yrs Maddison Mudie

Runner up

Tiana Jenzen
Suzie Beckmann
Allea Heintze
Miranda Walker
Emma Allan
Taylah Beer



Boys

Champion
12-13yrs Cooper Wisneske
14yrs Brock Milde
15yrs Bram Schiller
16yrs Darren Virgo
17yrs Blake Virgo
18-20yrs Colby Hawthorne

Runner up

Timothy Virgo
Jarrod Wilkie
Luka Morzer-Bruyns
Malcolm Moore
Mitchell Hawthorne
Jaxon Brown



HOUSE SWIMMING



We would like to congratulate our entire student body on the way that they performed last Friday at the House Swimming Sports. The participation rate was exceptional and the way that you cheered each other along throughout the day was fantastic to see. Congratulations to Lowan for winning the day, their first swimming sports win since 2014 after only losing by 6 points last year.

Thank you to everyone who helped the day run so smoothly - Paul and Barb in the canteen and on the BBQ, the school council members who donated food and also helped out in the canteen, Kevin Lynch for having the pool and grounds looking perfect for the day, Ross and Brady for lifeguarding, Dmitri, Brock and Kynan who came early to set up in the morning; and our staff that were present for doing the large array of jobs throughout the day.

The Primary UDSSA event is being run today at Ouyen, we wish you luck as you compete against other students in our district. The Mallee Division Secondary event will be held on Tuesday the 6th of March in Mildura. Remember Cross Country will be held early term 2, so start preparing and we can't wait to see you all there.

Josh Willersdorf and Eryn Wyatt



WILLIAM WESTBURY MEMORIAL



Debutante Ball Information

Debutante Ball Catering Return Slip : Please return to front office at school by 22nd February

Family Name : _____

I wish to donate the following cake and/or slice _____
(Please deliver to school on Friday March 2nd)

Please find enclosed \$_____ donation towards the Debutante Ball Supper

The choreographer has asked the school to source some props for the night.

If you have any of the following you are able to donate or loan for the evening, please contact Joylene Moyle at the school

- ★ Old style wooden chairs (need 8 or 10) that can be painted/decorated
- ★ Fairly lights (white only). These can be named and returned.
- ★ Christmas or other decorations in silver or midnight blue
- ★ Wine bottles (20 required)

RAFFLE PRIZES : Tickets \$5 each

- 1st : Weekend in Port Elliot holiday home (Barry & Fionna Edwards)
 - 2nd : Sonic Wireless Rechargeable sound blaster (Greggs Electrical)
 - 3rd : Pamper pack (Shearers Quarters & Mallee Escape)
 - 4th : \$100 Meal voucher (Golden Grain Hotel)
 - 5th : Elders esky (Phil Rae, Elders Insurance)
 - 6th : Kaftan & \$50 iTunes voucher (Murrayville Newsagency & Hotel)
 - 7th : Wine and movie (Pinnaroo Newsagency & Mallee Cinema)
- To be drawn at the ball on Saturday 3rd March*

TICKETS

are available at the College front office
Please purchase in advance to avoid a queue in the hall foyer on the night of the Ball

Murrayville Community College
Debutante Ball
Saturday 3rd March : Presentation 8:30pm

Wish Upon A Star

Prices : Adult \$25, Pensioner \$15
Family \$60 (2 adults plus children)
School Students : Secondary \$15 / Primary \$10
Doors Open 7:30pm and Close 8:15pm
No BYO - Bar Available



COLLEGE CALENDAR

2/3	Sunraysia Swimming (Primary)
3/3	Deb Ball
6/3	Mallee Swimming (Secondary)
9/3	Year 11 PE Cluster Trip (Ouyen)
12/3	Labour Day
13/3	Student Free for Primary Sector
14/3	School Photos
19/3	Council AGM
22/3	LMR Swimming (Sec & Prim)
29/3	End of Term 1
30/3	Good Friday
1/4	Easter Sunday Daylight Saving Ends
16/4	Term 2 Commences
17-18/4	Parent/Teacher Interviews (7-12)
26/4	Immunisation : Years 7 & 10
27/4	House Cross Country
9/5	Mallee Cross Country
15-18/5	NAPLAN
21/5	College Council
23/5	P-4 to Mildura Arts Centre

A good listener
is the wisest
of persons

Community Notices

Mole scan Bus to Adelaide
 There will be a bus travelling to Adelaide to the Rainforest Skin Cancer Clinic on Monday March 19th
 To book an appointment and a seat on the bus please call Jacqui at the Neighbourhood house on 5095 2205



WIRE is the only Victorian women's service providing information, support and referral to any woman on any issue.
WIRE works with the State's most vulnerable women - such as those who have experienced family violence, social isolation, economic insecurity and homelessness.
 It enables women to develop new skills and knowledge necessary to increase control and decision making in their lives.
 The vision of **WIRE** is for a society where women are safe, respected, valued, informed, empowered and free to make genuine choices in their lives.
FREE support, referral & information is available by phoning 1300 134 130. Visit www.wire.org.au for more info.

It's never too late to talk

PINK STUMPS DAY 2018

Saturday 24th February
 Murrayville v Pinnaroo
 1:30pm at the MCG
BE SURE TO WEAR PINK
 Gold coin donation entry
 All day BBQ and Tea by Southern Mallee Scouts

Please support the McGrath Foundation in their quest to raise funds for breast cancer nurses and breast care awareness



FREE FINANCIAL WELLBEING WORKSHOP

- You're invited to hear:
- What is Financial Counselling
 - Working out the difference between needs and wants
 - Money management
 - Dealing with debt and debt collectors
 - Know your rights
 - Pay-day loans
 - Understanding energy costs
 - Concessions and entitlements
 - No Interest Loans Scheme
- Wednesday 28th February
 Pinnaroo Primary School PCW Room
 11am to 1pm
FREE LUNCH
 Phone 8577 8176 for more details

COMMUNICATIONS SENT HOME THIS WEEK

1. Years 3-6 : UDSSA Swimming
2. SRC : Planning event
3. Senior PE Students : Prac session in Ouyen
4. Year 7 & 8 Girls : 'Shine' invitation
5. Year 7, some Year 8, Year 10 : Immunisation cards and information



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