



From the Principal

End of the year -

It is hard to believe that I am writing the 2nd last newsletter for the year and looking over the proof of the school magazine. Head start for VCE students concludes today and today is also the last day for Year 11 students. Students are starting to work on final assessments and staff are starting to write reports, and together we are trying to finalise the organization of 2023, the school is a very busy place at the moment.

Staffing –

I have much pleasure in announcing that we have appointed a Senior English / Humanities teacher. Deb Armstrong has a wealth of experience teaching in New South Wales, she has taught in small, rural and large schools, has been an assessor of Year 12 exams and also worked in the university sector, teaching and mentoring student teachers. She has been a highly effective English teacher, engaging students and raising their achievement so that they have been able to achieve outstanding outcomes. We think that she will be a great asset to our school and community. We now have all of our staffing in place for 2023 and I am absolutely thrilled with the quality of our teachers from Prep through to Year 12.

Transition –

Kinder to Prep transition has been running on Tuesdays this term. The final transition visit for next year's Preps is on Tuesday. Many thanks to Mrs Wyatt for her organization of this program and to Mrs Finn and Ms Hogan who have facilitated it. We held our first transition day for Pinnaroo students entering secondary on Wednesday and next Wednesday the 30th of November we have our whole school transition day, where every student goes up a year level. Thanks to Mrs Inglis for her organization of whole school transition.

Presentation Night –

Please note that we have made a change to Presentation Night. Originally it was set for Friday the 16th of December until we realized that this would clash with Pinnaroo Pageant Night. **Presentation Night is now scheduled for Thursday the 15th of December!**

Student Free Day –

Monday the 19th of December is a Student Free Day and Tuesday the 20th of December, the last day of school is an early finish – dismissal at 1.30pm.

Year 7/8 Camp 2023 –

I am thrilled to announce that we have been able to secure a free camp for Year 7 & 8 next year to Anglesea Valley Lodge. The camp is an adventure style camp with a team building focus. It offers activities including, surfing, canoeing, mountain biking, high ropes, bushwalking, camp cooking and camping out. This will be a wonderful bonding experience for our Year 7 & 8 students. The camp will run in the very first week of Term 1 and students will travel to and from the camp via coach. A more detailed letter will come home to families after next Wednesday's transition day.

Year 5/6 Adelaide Camp –

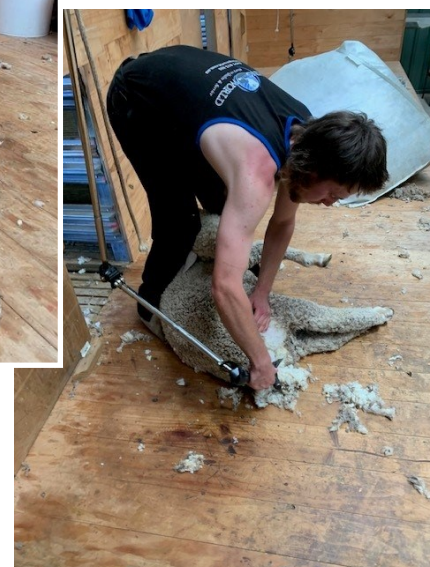
The Year 5/6 class are having a fabulous time this week in Adelaide. They have been participating in a range of excellent activities. Many thanks to Miss Allan for organizing such a detailed and fulfilling itinerary and to Mrs Chaplin for driving the bus and assisting with supervision.

Year 7/8 Grampians Camp –

The Year 7/8 students had a great time at the Grampians last week, despite the cool weather. They participated in a range of adventure activities in a truly beautiful setting. Many thanks to Miss Grant who drove the bus and supervised the students and to Mr Brown who participated in a range of the activities with the students and assisted with supervision.

Natasha Mudie - Principal





Cooper and Rourke were busy crutching the sheep earlier this week

SWIMMING SEASON

Please ensure that students bring swimming gear on days when they are timetabled for PE or Sport



CANTEEN

Ham Sandwich \$2.50

Ham & Cheese Sandwich \$3.00

Cheese Sandwich \$2.00

Cheese & Tomato Sandwich \$3.00

Ham, Cheese & Tomato Sandwich \$4.00

Tomato Sandwich \$2.00

Vegemite Sandwich \$1.50

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

Pizzas (Ham & Pineapple or Bacon & Cheese) \$2.20

Ham & Cheese Toasties \$2

ALL ORDERS TO Front Office BEFORE SCHOOL

Late orders will only have access to ham & cheese toasties

Please - no more than \$5 in your envelope

PRIDE AWARD

Prep :

Isaac SANDERS

for showing INDEPENDENCE with his classroom routines

1:

Lucas AURICHT

for his EXCELLENCE in completing all homework activities and extra reading, every week

2-4:

Xenophon Du PREEZ

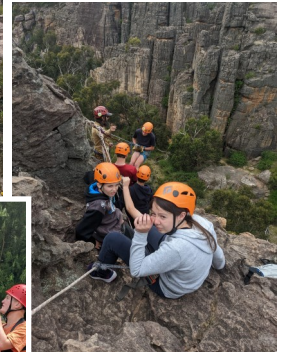
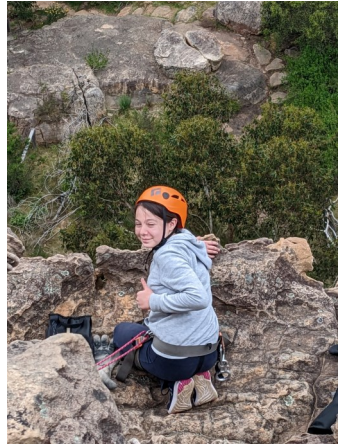
for showing excellence in his weekly spelling tests - 100% in 5 consecutive weeks!

5-6:

Phoenix MORZER-BRUYNS

for showing RESPECT in the classroom and yard at all times

WELL DONE



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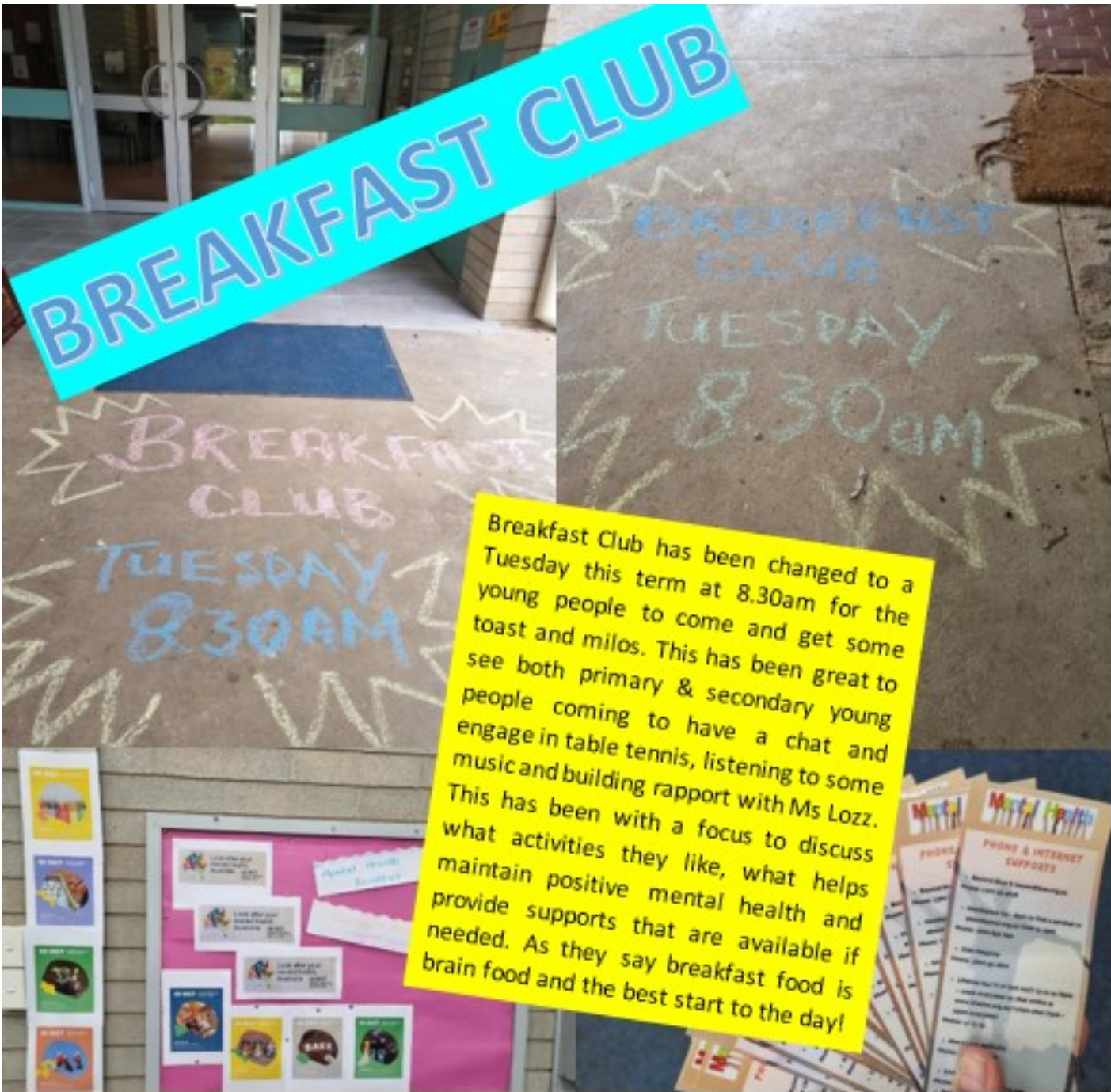


The Preps have been reading an old classic 'Wombat Stew'. They enjoyed learning new Wow Words, singing the catchy tune, making masks and role playing the story and whipping up a delicious wombat stew smoothie.



WOMBAT STEW







COLLEGE CALENDAR

We acknowledge the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, the first peoples and traditional custodians of the lands where we live, learn and work. We pay our respects to the Elders, both past, present and future, for they hold the memories, traditions, culture and hopes of Indigenous Australians.



25/11	Year 11 last day
30/11	Whole School Transition
2/12	Year 10 last day
8/12	College Council
9/12	Regular secondary classes end
12-16/12	Secondary Performance/Activity Week
15/12	Presentation Night - NOTE CHANGE
19/12	Student Free
20/12	End of Year for staff
2023	
27/1	Staff resume
6/4	Term 1 ends
24/4	Term 2 commences




MARKET NIGHT

TONIGHT 4-9pm
 Victoria Building, Pinnaroo
 Check out a variety of
 Local Businesses
 & Products
 Sausage Sizzle fundraiser
 for Variety SA
 Christmas gift ideas
 / Raffle



BE SUN SMART!



Terms 1 & 4
**MURRAYVILLE
 COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

No hat, no play



Wisdom is the
 reward you get
 for a lifetime of
 listening when
 you'd have
 preferred
 to talk