

MURRAYVILLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE NEWSLETTER



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From the Principal

Term 2 –

I hope all of the mums had a lovely day yesterday and were spoilt as they deserve by their families. It is hard to believe that we are already starting the fourth week of term. Term 2 is always an important term for students to progress their learning and demonstrate their skills and understanding through assessments prior to the mid-year reporting period. There is still lots of extra-curricular activities happening for our students to keep them engaged and excited about learning.

Cross Country –

Congratulations to all of the students who competed in our House Cross Country on Wednesday. It was great to see all competitors putting their best foot forward and doing their best. Special congratulations to the record breakers, winners and place getters. Good luck to those primary students who have qualified to compete in the regional event at St Arnaud on the 6th of June and good luck to our secondary students who are set to compete at Mallee Division level in Ouyen this Wednesday. I am sure some of them will also qualify for St Arnaud. A big thanks to Mr Willison for his organization of the day and to the SRC (and their mums) for the cupcake stall.

Careers trip –

A number of Year 10, 11 and 12 students travelled to Adelaide on Thursday and Friday to participate in our senior careers trip. The students did two separate tours of Uni SA on Thursday. Before lunch they toured the City East campus which houses all of the Nursing, Exercise and Health related courses. After lunch they toured the City West campus that houses the Law, Humanities, Business, Architecture, Creative Arts and Design degrees. The facilities and teaching labs were state of the art at both campuses and very related to the vocation that the students are following. For most students this was their first taste of University life and although it is not for everyone it gave them some great information to consider. On Friday the students attended the Careers Expo at Wayville Showgrounds. There would have been over 100 exhibitors and many had hands on experiences. There was something for everyone there, from careers in Cyber Security, the Federal Police, to building submarines, to early childhood education, to engineering, panel beating, swim teaching and everything in between. All Uni’s and TAFE SA had exhibits, as did the residential colleges. All of our students came away with ideas and information from a range of career options. Thank you to Mr Willison again for his organization of this trip, it was a valuable experience for our students.

Arts Council -

We are back to having visits from Regional Arts Victoria again. Today Reuben visited and ran workshops for the students in Years 4-11 on Comic Art. This was very well received by our students and it was a great opportunity for them to show their creative side. We have “A Taste of Africa” visiting on Wednesday the 31st of May for an African Drumming experience. This was very, very popular when they visited a few years ago.

Student Free Day –

Just providing some advance notice that Friday June 9th (before the long weekend) will be a Student Free Day. The teachers will use this day to finalise assessment and reporting prior to the end of Term 2.

Natasha Mudie - Principal



RESULTS



AGE GROUP	CHAMPION	TIME (MINS)	RUNNER UP
6 & UNDER BOYS	RYAN WILLERSDORF	2.28	CONNOR SCHROEDER
7 & UNDER BOYS	ALEXANDER PALMER	4.40	LINCOLN CRANE
7 & UNDER GIRLS	SCARLETT WILLISON	5.56	ASTRID GUERIN
8 & UNDER BOYS	ANDY BERLIN	6.58	PARKER MORRISON
8 & UNDER GIRLS	AYLA LUMB	7.21	LILY EWINS
9 & UNDER BOYS	XENOPHON DU PREEZ	13.08	BILLY KELLY
10 & UNDER BOYS	HUDSON CRANE	8.32	PATRICK WYATT
10 & UNDER GIRLS	SCARLETT BERLIN	13.58	CHLOE PALMER
11 & UNDER BOYS	CORNELIUS DU PREEZ	16.46	ELI STORTON-GUERIN
11 & UNDER GIRLS	KALIAN MEESE	17.50	
12/13 YEARS BOYS (P)	THOMAS CRANE	12.58	JACK MCKEE
12/13 YEARS GIRLS (P)	SAVANNAH MORRISON & PHOENIX MORZER-BRUYNS	19.32	
12/13 YEARS BOYS (SEC)	JAXON WYATT	16.31	NATE KELLY
12/13 YEARS GIRLS (SEC)	EMMAZYN EDWARDS	18.38	
14 & UNDER BOYS	REECE WALKER	12.59	OLIVER BERLIN
14 & UNDER GIRLS	ALANA OSTER	18.07	IZZIE KELLY
15 & UNDER BOYS	PHOENIX MEESE	13.45	LACHLAN NUSKE
15 & UNDER GIRLS	ZHOE WILLISON	14.20 (NEW RECORD)	MATILDA WYATT
16 & UNDER BOYS	BROOKLYN MORZER-BRUYNS	19.31 (NEW RECORD)	
16 & UNDER GIRLS	SHANIA HEINTZE	21.08	KATIE MEEHAN
17 & UNDER BOYS	ZAC KELLY	22.24	DILLON WALKER
18 – 20 YRS BOYS	COOPER WISNESKE	19.3	

PRIDE Awards

Prep

Astrid GUERIN

for showing DETERMINATION when learning her sounds and letters in Literacy lessons

1

Josie Lumb

for showing DETERMINATION to learn her number facts in addition

2-3

Andy BERLIN

for showing DETERMINATION to write his letters small and close together in handwriting

4-6

Phoenix MORZER-BRUYNS

for showing INDEPENDENCE in her daily organisation in the classroom - thinking ahead and being super organised

Thomas CRANE

for showing RESPECT to others by helping a younger student this week



WELL DONE

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 \$1.20

Sausage Rolls \$3.50

Sauce 20¢

Pizzas (Ham & Pineapple
or Bacon & Cheese) \$2.50

Ham & Cheese Toasties \$2.50

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

Cross Country



Beautiful blue skies greeted the students for this year's version of the Cross Country House Sports. With a change of time and day from the traditional Friday morning event, the students were given the opportunity to complete the course and gain valuable points for their houses, without having to keep anything in the tank for weekend sport! Whilst the results are still being calculated, we were able to congratulate the individual Age Group Champions on the day and awarded medallions, certificates and ribbons to those that excelled. The list of all those award winners can be seen on page 2 of this newsletter.

This year, we had two new records set. Whilst competing in different events, Brooklyn Morzer-Bruyns and Cooper Wisneske had a ripping battle over the 5km course. Brooklyn managed to just keep in front at the end, taking 20 seconds off the record. Ironically, the previous holder of that Under 16 Boys record was none other than Cooper! The second record broken was in the Under 15 Girls event. Zhoë Willison ran 14.20 minutes for the 3km course, eclipsing the previous record by 7 seconds. The students from the Secondary section of the school have now qualified for the Mallee Division Cross Country at Ouyen this Wednesday. Best of luck to those students who make the trek down the highway.

CROSS COUNTRY



primary winners





Adelaide

careers & EMPLOYMENT expo

TERTIARY ▶ SKILLS ▶ TRAINING ▶ JOBS



Careers Expo and Uni Visits

Our senior Secondary students had the opportunity to go to Adelaide last Thursday and Friday for a tour of the Uni of SA City campuses. 11 students took up this option and headed off bright and early on Thursday morning. The City East campus is full of stairs and really put a dampener on the spirits of some of the students, but many still found the courses and facilities interesting and it certainly opened the eyes of our students with a wide array of courses available.

After lunch we toddled off to the West campus, looking at courses in the Business, Finance, Legal and Design fields. Again, another awesome opportunity for our students to see the facilities first hand, ask questions of our guide and some of the lecturers as we travelled through the campus. We then headed off to Levi Holiday Park for our overnight stay, a little rest and relaxation at Westfield Marion and a lovely meal together.

Friday morning was a little hectic, we visited the Careers Expo at the Adelaide Showgrounds. It was great that we got in so early, before the Adelaide schools started to arrive and things became busy! Our kids raced around, checked out the 130 different displays and were ready to hit the road by lunch time! There were some great hands on activities and displays for the students, as well as the obligatory freebies, giveaways and paraphernalia associated with each of the displays.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

- 22/5 College Council
- 24-26/5 Mission to Mars : Years 7-11
- 6/6 Regional Cross Countr at St Arnaud
- 31/5 Taste of Africa Performance : P-12
- 6/6 Regional Cross Country at St Arnaud
- 9/6 Student Free Day
- 12/6 King's Birthday Holiday
- 14/6 Pets in Schools (Primary)
- 15/6 VCE GAT exam
- 19/6 College Council
- 23/6 Term 2 ends
- 8/7 Year 10 Drive-in Movie Night
- 10/7 Term 3 commences
- 17-21/7 Years 10&11 Bogong Camp
- 4/8 RFDS flight simulator
- 8/8 Crow Kid performance : P-12
- 28/8 Student Free Day
- 15/9 Term 3 ends
- 2/10 Term 4 commences

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.



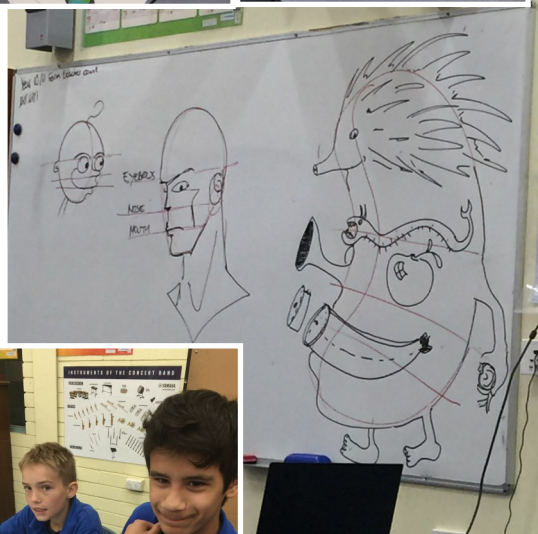
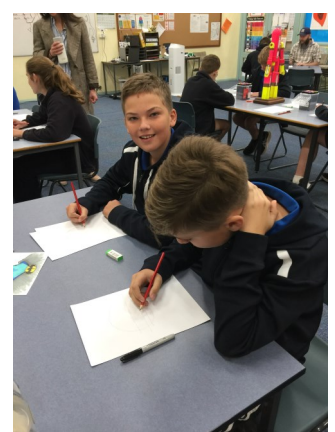
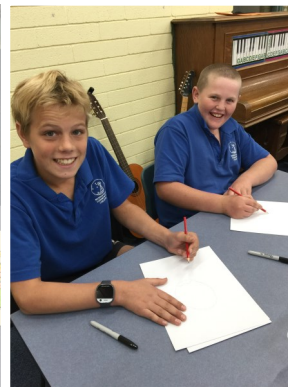
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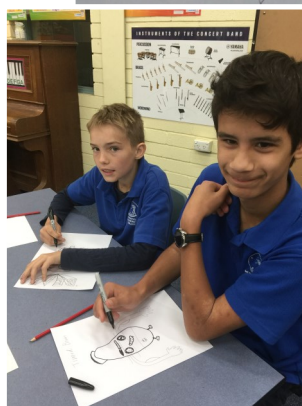
JUNIOR JOEYS!

Netball development program for children interested in learning basic netball skills.
 For anyone born 2018 or earlier (turning 5 this year)
 Continues Thursday 18th May and running every second Thursday, 3:30pm-4:15pm.
 At the Pinnaroo netball courts.

Please head to Pinnaroo Netball Club's Facebook page or contact Steph Heinicke at pinnaroosecretary@gmail.com for more information and to register.



Comic Art



Workshop

Defeat
is simply a signal
to press
onward