



## MPS NEWS

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### From the Principal

15/06/2023

#### Diversity Dash

On Friday afternoon our school participated in a very colourful celebration of the contribution refugees have made to our community. It was a fantastic time for our students and teachers to come together and have a fun time getting covered in colour and for some of us covered in a watery ice bucket challenge. Thank you Mr Tonkin for organising the afternoon.

#### NAIDOC Celebrations

Next Thursday we will be celebrating NAIDOC – For Our Elders. A day of special activities have been planned with various community members coming into the school to support the day. Starting and ending with a whole school assembly.

#### Staff changes

At the end of this term we will be saying good bye to Mrs Brown. She will be heading off to another school to teach and will be sadly missed here at Mildura Primary. I wish Mrs Brown all the best for the future. We are currently looking at finding a replacement teacher to be teaching 1B next term.

We would also like to say thank you to Mr K. He will be taking up a position at his previous school starting next term also. Thanks Mr K for being in and around the school covering staff absences.

#### Whole School Assembly – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June

We will be having a whole school assembly this Friday to celebrate our award winners, 100% school attenders for this term and saying goodbye to some staff members.

#### Last week of this Term

Next week is the last week of term. School will finish an hour earlier than usual. Finishing at 2.15. There will not be an assembly due to the NAIDOC day the day before.

#### Next Term

Next term we will be visited by the School Dental Van and Glasses for Kids programmes. Keep an eye out for further information in our next newsletter.

Also next term the grade 5 and 6 camps program will be happening with the Grade 5s heading off to Queenscliff and Grade 6s to Melbourne.

#### Term 3

Term 3 will begin again on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July.

David Midgley  
Principal



Do you know someone starting school  
next year?

Mildura Primary School is now taking  
enrolments for 2024.

Please contact our office for  
more information.

# 2023 Term 2 Calendar

| Sun- | Monday   | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday                               | Friday                               | Sat |
|------|--|---------|-----------|--|--------------------------------------|-----|
|      | 12<br>King's birthday<br>public holiday              | 13      | 14        | 15<br>2024 Prep information<br>session | 16<br>Whole school<br>assembly       | 17  |
| 18   | 19   | 20      | 21        | 22<br>NAIDOC Day<br>Celebrations       | 23<br>Last day term 2<br>2.15 finish | 4   |
| 25   | 23   | 27      | 28        | 29                                     | 30                                   | 01  |
| 02   | 03   | 04      | 05        | 06                                     | 07                                   | 08  |
| 09   | 10<br>Term 3 begins<br>Dental Van visit<br>this week | 11      | 12        | 13                                     | 14                                   | 15  |

## Uniform shop

### School Uniform Price List

School uniform is compulsory at Mildura Primary School.

Uniforms are available at all times from the office.

|                      |         |
|----------------------|---------|
| Polo –               | \$16.00 |
| Basketball Shorts    | \$10.00 |
| Track/cotton pants   | \$18.00 |
| Skorts               | \$13.00 |
| Fleecy Zip Jacket    | \$22.00 |
| Windcheater          | \$15.00 |
| Bucket Hat           | \$10.00 |
| Surf Hat             | \$10.00 |
| School bag with logo | \$32.00 |
| Library Bag          | \$10.00 |



Please remember:

To use the school crossings when crossing the road.

To safely park your car before dropping off and picking up your children.

Yard supervision begins at 8.45am each morning.

Children riding scooters and bikes need to be wearing helmets and travelling safely.

## Strengths of the Week

### Respect



### Kids First

PK –Cooper  
PM –Kenzo  
1B –Levi H  
1M –Ava  
1Z –  
2A –  
2L – Hayley  
2S – Lara  
3L – Leeroy  
3M – Morgan  
3S – Tamika  
4L – Georgia  
4P – Syira  
4S –Aiden  
5C – Jess  
5S –Cole  
5T – Darby  
6T – Tyreeka  
6S –Japji  
6V – Annabell

PK –Buddy  
PM –James  
1B – Arian  
1M – Tupou  
1Z –  
2A –  
2L – Kaura  
2S –Ava  
3L – Roland  
3M – Xavier  
3S –Rhydah  
4L – Roseanne  
4P –RJ  
4S –Shartarnya  
5C –Levi  
5S –Kalinda  
5T –  
6T –  
6S –Jolie  
6V–Lilly





# Volunteer with Red Cross - Mildura




Scan to apply!

Alternatively contact Volunteer Hub on 0467 778 125

## Perks of being a Red Cross retail volunteer!

- 20% discount in our shops
- Learning skills in retail
- Add new experience to your resume
- Connect with the community
- Make new friends
- Improve your English





MON 3 - WED 5

# JULY

9AM-3PM EACH DAY

AGES 7 -15

KNOX REGIONAL FOOTBALL CENTRE



**Some of the activities during the Camps will include:**

- Shooting practice
- Skills sessions
- Small sided games

Various awards given out throughout the camp

Training with FV's technical staff

**Important Information**

First Aid professional on site

Morning snacks provided

Please bring a packed lunch

Registration early bird (Friday, June 2) prices: \$70 per day, \$180 for three days.


**Registration price post early bird: \$80 per day, \$210 for three days.**

**SCAN QR TO REGISTER**

For enquiries contact the Go Football team on 0394741872 or [info@gofootballcom.au](mailto:info@gofootballcom.au)




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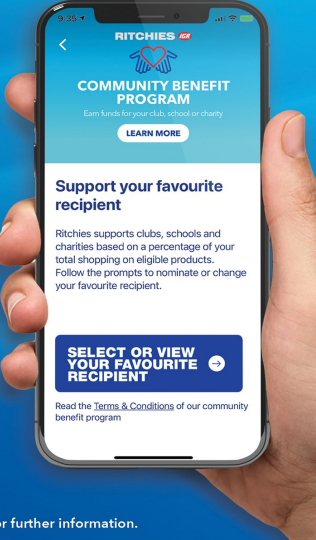
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- Every time you shop at Ritchies and scan your app or card, Ritchies will contribute a percentage of the total to us\*



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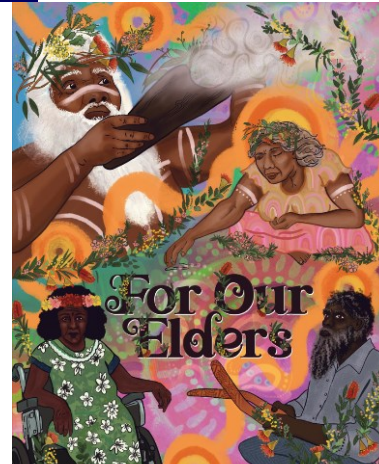




**Mildura Primary School**  
KIDS FIRST



## *Invitation*



*Mildura Primary School Students and Staff would like to invite you and the community to our*

### ***NAIDOC day celebration***

*Date: 22/6/23*

*Time: 9:30-2:30*

*BBQ: 11:30*

Mildura Primary School has approximately 40% Indigenous and Torres Strait Islander heritage students.

This year we are planning our NAIDOC Day celebrations around traditional Indigenous outdoor activities.

This day is to celebrate the history, culture, and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders.







This term in grade 5 we have been focussing on Asia and Australia. Students have been investigating Vietnam through culture, language, maps, and food.

Students have been working towards making a brochure that they could share with someone. We have also engaged in the Vietnamese language where students have made common word connections from English to Vietnamese. As part of our journey, we had the opportunity to explore the foods of Vietnam with a trip to Mr Bun Mi.



Students got a chance to eat Pork spring rolls, Honey and Soy Chicken Noodles, Chicken Fried Rice, as well as plain rice. As an extra bonus to those trying new foods there was also tradition chicken dinosaurs and chips. Some students attempted to use chopsticks, some were quite successful.

It was a great experience to share between students and teachers in grade 5...





The Diversity Dash is an inclusive celebration through School Sport Victoria designed to celebrate the diversity within Victorian schools. The students completed four team building activities around the oval and we finished off with a teacher and student ice bucket dunk. We look forward to running a similar event next year!



# Diversity Dash

