Welcome back to Term 3. At assembly this week the students were reminded that this is a busy Term for our VCE students in particular but the importance of laying the foundations in the years before VCE is extremely important therefore it is all systems go for every student from Kinder through to VCE.

We have been fortunate to receive a grant to run a BREAKFAST CLUB one morning a week for the rest of the year. This will start next Thursday 21st and will be available for all our Kinder, School and Staff members from 8:30am. We are also going to implement on the LAST Thursday of every month a COMMUNITY BREAKFAST starting at 8am where we invite everyone from our community to get together and have breakfast. More information will be sent home closer to the 28th of July.

Just a reminder that any community member (including students) that wishes to utilise the school facilities after hours needs to gain permission from the school beforehand.

The school has recently upgraded the ICT equipment and we have the outdated (still in full working order) laptops and netbooks for sale. We are offering the netbooks at $10 each and the laptops for $50 each. Contact the front office if you wish to purchase any of these items as it is a first in best dressed deal and there are limited numbers. For more information please contact the school.

Throughout last Term the school had tree limbs fall in high winds and we got an abourist to give expert advice on which of our trees were unsafe. Over the holidays the trees considered unsafe were trimmed (couldn’t have happened at a better time with the wind yesterday) and the school council is organising to sell the wood to raise money for the student accounts. More information will be coming home in regards to the wood for sale.

It is always a joy to celebrate the successes of our students and having 100% attendance for a whole Term is included in this. The following students will receive a free lunch this Friday for their achievement:

Zoe Shorrock    Reece Impey    Sam Fox    Dana Kingi    Nathan Kingi
Seamus Kelly    Ella Hards    Cathryn Charles    Lachlan Charles    Riley Douglas
Mackenna Douglas

The above students also went in the draw for a $30 gift voucher and this was won by SEAMUS KELLY.

Reports went home on the last day of Term 2, if you would like to follow up with any of the teachers please ring or email and make an appointment.

Just a reminder if you are not going to be on your bus for the AM pick up please contact your bus driver to let them know.
Happy Birthday
Mitch Roads 20th July
Tom Fox 23rd July

Dates to Remember

July
K-6 MAC Excursion 26th July
School Council Meeting 27th July
School Photos 28th July
Red Food 29th July

August
P-10 School of Rock Excursion 3rd August
EnviroEdu K-6 9th August
Werrimull P-12 School Athletics 19th August
Additional Kinder Day 4 yr olds 19th August
Red Food Day 26th August
Mallee Athletics 31st August

Second Hand Uniform Shop
If you would like to have a look at the good quality second hand jumpers, polo shirts, primary dresses, shorts and long pants please see Helen at the office.

Thank you
To everyone that helped clear the wood and move it down next to the oval last Friday:
- Graeme Ruchel
- Nigel Charles
- Mal Lynch
- Daniel and Tom Fox
- John and Reece Impey
- Kim Rowe
- Nick Canning
Thank-you also to Matt Kelly and Marty Walker for lending us their front end loaders for the day.

Reminder
Please note that for any excursions and School Photos students need to be wearing their School Uniform. If your child does not have a polo shirt or jumper with the schools logo please contact the office to buy one.

Bookclub
Issue 5 of book club has been recently sent home. If your child would like to place an order, please have order forms and money to Mrs Carter no later than Friday 29th July.

Thank you.
Get your smiles ready it’s...

School Photo Day

28TH JULY 2016

PHOTO BOOK PACKAGE

REMEMBER

You must have your own envelope if you are ordering photos, you cannot use your brothers or sisters.

FAMILY PHOTOS

If you want a family photo you must collect an envelope from the school office.

From $10

ONLINE ORDERING

Online ordering is a simple secure method of ordering. Order online to receive the exclusive family discount for families with 2+ children and have peace of mind that cash isn’t being sent to school.

ONLINE ORDERING IS NOW FREE!

PHOTO BOOK

ADD AN EXTRA PHOTO BOOK

STICKERS

Contents of Photo Book varies depending on the school’s instruction

Questions? Call Leading Image on 1300 084 586 or visit our website at www.leadingimage.com.au
Rewarding regular savers with spectacular prizes.

We're bringing the exciting news that Prize Lights have appeared in the Outback sky, and the Dollarmites are giving students who demonstrate regular savings behaviour the chance to win spectacular prizes.

How to enter

Students must simply make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3 for a chance to win one of the Star Saver prizes, including camping kits, instant cameras and magazine packs.

What's more, students who complete the fun Stargazing online activity, along with making three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3, will also go in the separate draw to win one of the Supernova prizes – a PlayStation 4 pack. Students can complete the Stargazing activity online at any time during Term 3 by visiting commbank.com.au/prizelights

Win a bag of sports equipment for your school

We're also giving schools participating in the School Banking program a chance to win one of 75 bags full of sports equipment, valued at $200, when students make three School Banking deposits during Term 3.

To complete the Stargazing activity, or to find out more, visit commbank.com.au/prizelights

Things you should know: Conditions apply. See commbank.com.au/prizelights. Promotions end 11/5/16 and cash 17/5/16. School Element. Entry is open to all School Banking customers (aged 5-13 years). One entry per student when 3 deposits are made through the School Banking program. Inclusion of the word “savings” when also completing a Stargazing activity of commenting on the blog and/ or answering a fully monitored Facebook question. The 3 deposits must be made during Term 3 of School Banking. To complete the Stargazing activity online at any time during Term 3, visit commbank.com.au/prizelights. Five (5) winner per state for a total of 50 winners. The total value of the 50 PlayStation 4 packs is $500 each, and the total School Banking prize fund is $12,500. For more information, visit commbank.com.au/prizelights. School Element: Entry is open to all schools operating in Australia who participate in the School Banking program and have at least 1 student enrolled in the School Banking program. The 3 deposits must be made during Term 3. All entries must be submitted by 5pm (AEST) on 11/5/16. Drawing will take place at 14:00 on 11/5/16 at Commonwealth Bank level 3, 11 Harris Street, Sydney, New South Wales. All prizes are valued at their RRP in accordance with current orders from the supplier. This offer is subject to any change in applicable law. This offer is not transferable. It cannot be exchanged for cash. The Promoter is Commonwealth Bank of Australia ABN 44 123 123 124.
Millewa Pre-School

Shared Snack
At the Millewa Pre-School we have shared snack each day and ask that you bring along one thing to share each day with the rest of the group.

Shared Snack Ideas
♦ Fruit
♦ Vegetables
♦ Cheese
♦ Dry biscuits
♦ Dried fruit
♦ No nuts please for shared snack

Mathematics at Kindergarten
• Understanding numbers will help me in all areas of maths
• Exploring will help me understand spatial terms such as in front, behind, above, below, left and right
• Measuring will help me understand the concepts of height, length, weight, time and money
• Making and recognising patterns will help me make maths predictions
• Recognising 2D and 3D shapes will help me in all areas with geometry

Please remember to pack a change of clothes in your child’s bag each day as sometimes they get involved in messy play or have a toileting accident and we don’t have enough spare clothes at kindergarten to provide them with clean, dry clothes.

- Change of Date -

Four year old kindergarten families please note the change of date below for the Additional Kindergarten and Athletics Day from the August 12 to August 19.

Dates to Remember
26 July
K-6 Mildura Arts Centre Excursion - The Moon is a Balloon
9 August
EnviroEDU Incursion at the Pre-School

- CHANGE OF DATE BELOW -
19 August
Additional Four Year Old Kindergarten Day
Athletics Day at Werrimull P-12 School
30 August
Melbourne Museum Incursion and Kinder Express Steam Train Excursion
7 September
Additional Four Year Old Kindergarten Day, Mildura Excursion
13 September
Family Footy Day, 11am onwards