

# Rupanyup Primary School

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## ACHIEVING TOGETHER



## Week 3, Term 2

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2017

### DIARY DATES:

#### May 2017

Mon 1 <sup>st</sup>	Parents Club AGM 7.30pm
Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cross Country - St Arnaud
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	Book Club and Uniform orders due
Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>	Working Bee
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	MARC Van
9 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup>	NAPLAN (Grades 3&5)
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	Mothers' day Stall
Tues 16 <sup>th</sup>	School Council Meeting
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup>	MARC Van
Weds 24 <sup>th</sup>	National Story Time – 11.00am
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	CEP - Marnoo

#### June 2017

<b>Thurs 1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>School Photos</b>
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup>	MARC Van
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup>	Cross Country - Warrnambool
Tues 6 <sup>th</sup>	Super Assembly 9-10.30
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup>	Pirate Day
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup>	Pupil Free day
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup>	MARC Van
Tues 20 <sup>th</sup>	School Council
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Student Reports sent home
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup>	Parent/Teacher Interviews

Items in bold print are new additions to the calendar.



#### Things You may need TO DO:

- + Piggy bank books
- + **Pay School Fees**

## STUDENT of the WEEK!



**PREP / 1**  
**LYLA**  
**FOR ALWAYS**  
**SMILING AT**  
**SCHOOL**

### **YEAR 2/3/4**

#### **MILES**

**MILES, I REALLY LIKE  
THE WAY YOU HAVE  
BEEN USING YOUR  
BLUE PENCIL  
(INTEGRITY) WHEN WE  
PLAY GAMES. YOU GO  
OUT, WITHOUT FUSS  
& HELP MAKE THE  
GAME A HAPPY  
EXPERIENCE FOR  
EVERYBODY. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK.**



### **YEAR 5/6**

#### **LUCY**

**FOR STEPPING UP WHEN YOU SAW A  
NEED ON STUDENT  
COUNCIL AND  
TAKING ON THE  
IMPORTANT ROLE  
OF PUBLICITY.**



**YOUTH HALL CLEANING ROSTER**  
**MONTH: MAY**  
**FAMILY: OXBROW**

## JULIE'S NOTES

We have definitely welcomed in the Winter months with a week of rain. This is great for the farmers, but not so great for our carpets. Can I remind all students to please wipe their feet after play, and remove shoes if they are very muddy before coming inside.

The next level of cross-country will be held in St Arnaud tomorrow, and I wish all our runners well. I am sure you will all do your best. Thanks also to all those parents who drove the convoy down last week as well as those taking students across to St Arnaud tomorrow. We could not do it without you.

There is a new website for the school up and running. It still has a few hitches, so if you spot anything I would appreciate it if you could let me know. In the coming weeks I will be figuring out how to add newsletters, policies and other documents to it so all can see what this wonderful school is about.

Warm ups have continued unabated. It is great to see all the food you bring each day. There is nothing better than a warm meal on a cold day and I am glad you are all enjoying this treat. Can I remind parents that food should not be frozen as we don't heat up long enough to defrost food. There have been a few students last week chewing on a frozen pie! If your child needs cutlery to eat their warm-up, can you please send that along also.

On Monday the 8<sup>th</sup> of May at 3:30, we will be holding a composting class after school. Paul Lehman will be presenting this to us, and parents and students are all welcome. I am hoping we will be building a compost bin for our soon to be created vegetable garden as well as a worm farm. If you have any old star posts, wire, or pallets laying around that you are willing to donate (or know where we can get them from) that would be great. I will provide the worm farm. Please also collect your compost to bring with you on the day.

### Anzac Day

On Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April, we participated in the ANZAC march and the service at the Rupanyup Memorial Hall.



Congratulations to Kianah Grace, on receiving the ANZAC Day Primary School Award.

## STAFF NOTES

### Working Bee

This Sunday the **7<sup>th</sup> May** is the School Working Bee. Could everyone please be at the school at 10.00am to lend a hand.

Jobs include:

- Completing the ship
- Cleaning outside windows
- Outside cobwebs
- Vegie patch
- Clean youth hall cupboards
- Sweep sports shed
- Weeding the garden

### Youth Hall

We require families to volunteer to clean the Youth Hall on a monthly basis. If you are able to assist in this can you **please complete the slip below** and return it to the school. The roster for the remainder of 2017;

May- Oxbrow

June – Zolj

July - Downer

### Uniform Order

Uniform orders and payments due back Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May please.

Please note that there are many second hand uniforms at the school.

### Book Club

Book Club Issue 3 orders are due back Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May please.

## IN THE CLASSROOM

### Prep/1

**Letter of the Week Prep's:** 'Ff' 'Gg'

**Words of the Week:** on, the, with

**Sound of the week:** Preps- gg tug, egg  
Year1- pl, pr words

**Book of the Week:** "How do you Measure a Dinosaur?"

**Maths:**

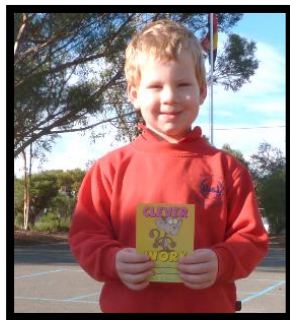
- Mathletics
- Measuring using paper clips and tape measures
- Australian coins

**Remember:** Reader bags/homework

**Please Note:** Please ensure that you check your child's reader diary on a regular basis for any special notes.

**Classroom helpers:**

Well done Hamish & Harrison



### Year 2/3/4

- Practise Naplan tests
- Structures of narrative & persuasive writing
- Guided reading groups
- "Smart thinking" in team games
- Footy tips

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

5<sup>th</sup> May -  
Thomas

Happy  
Birthday



## PARENTS CLUB

### Parents Club AGM

Parents Club AGM will be held **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May @ Rupanyup Fire Shed 7.30pm**. Everyone is welcome to come along and share their ideas.

### Meals on Wheels

A big thank you to Kellie Oxbrow, the only parent who offered to help me with meals on wheels this week. I am also greatly appreciative that Julie Powell has offered to deliver meals with some of the children on a couple of days. **Please** consider offering to help with Meals on Wheels when it is our duty again in 6-8 weeks' time. Ring Andrea on [0447 455561](tel:0447455561).

### Next Friday 12<sup>th</sup>

**May** we will host our annual Mothers' Day Stall at school during recess. This is an opportunity for students to purchase a small gift for this special day.

*Please note:* it is not compulsory to participate in the stall. *If your child/ren come to school without any money, it will be assumed that you do not wish for them to participate this year.*



## COMMUNITY NOTES

The Rupanyup RSL would like to thank the students, staff and parents for your participation in our Anzac Day commemorations. It is always pleasing to see our young community members taking active roles in this important day. Thanks also for the sign carriers, wreath layers, artists and writers.

Cheers Anne



**Yes, I can help with the Youth Hall Cleaning Roster in 2017**

**Family:** \_\_\_\_\_



## School food made easy!



Do you have trouble thinking of the things that should go in a lunch box at the end of each day? Why not use this planning template at the start of each week to make your nights a little bit easier. We all get busy and sometimes it is just easier to throw packaged foods into a lunch box for your children. However, you have to remember that your children need a lot of energy to get through the day – most packaged food doesn't provide the necessary energy. You can use this planning template to let your children choose what they would like to have in their lunch box. You can also then have the discussion with them as to whether it is healthy or not.

Just remember you don't have to go and buy fresh ingredients every day!

Child's name	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
E.G. Emily	<b>Play lunch:</b> Apple  <b>Lunch:</b> Salad wrap	<b>Play lunch:</b> Carrot & celery sticks  <b>Lunch:</b> Rice salad	<b>Play lunch:</b> Banana  <b>Lunch:</b> Healthy savoury muffins	<b>Play lunch:</b> Cheese and biscuits  <b>Lunch:</b> Salad sandwich	<b>Play lunch:</b> Grapes  <b>Lunch:</b> Healthy lunch order – E.G Soup or pizza slice
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