



School Newsletter

Monday 25th November 2024

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Notes due back:

- Swimming lessons
- Swimming Carnival

Coming Up

- Transition
Friday 29th Nov 9 am-11:30 am
- Swimming Lessons commencing
Tuesday 3rd Dec
- Swimming Lessons
Wednesday 4th Dec
- Swimming Lessons
Thursday 5th Dec
- Small School Swimming Carnival
Friday 6th Dec
- Swimming Lessons
Monday 9th Dec



Another week down, it was so nice to see all of the children return to School after the bout of whooping cough and other illnesses.

While the infants have been busy writing their Dust Buddy narratives, they have also used the skill of storytelling through play. We listened to the story "Billy Goats Gruff", then created a setting and finger puppets for each of the characters. We also created a new character "the ship" to change the story to create our own version.

3-6 have been looking at Mass and Length in Maths and trying to make estimates based on what they can see and feel. They then went a step further and looked at the difference between our estimates and the actual mass or length.

We have our Intensive Swimming starting Tuesday 3rd and we would like to remind parents to send a long sleeve rash shirt, swimmers, sunscreen, hat, water bottle and recess and lunch.



It's beginning to feel alot like Christmas



Students from our school have recently undertaken, an education tour of the national capital. Students were given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage, and democracy. The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding to our school in the amount of \$90 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion. As the students have already participated in this excursion there will be a refund back into Students accounts who participated.



Kindergarten Transition Day

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RANKINS SPRINGS PUBLIC
SCHOOL

Cordially Invites You to Our

PRESENTATION
NIGHT
CEREMONY

We extend this invitation to you
and your extended families.

December 11th
6 pm

at Rankins Springs Public School

Please R.S.V.P. by December 9th to
Donna Post at
rankinspr-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Or
02 69661206

Mobile Library



Mobile Library - Tuesday 10th December

The Shire Mobile Library van will be in Rankins Springs at:

11.55am - 12.10pm, at the Pre-school

12.10 pm - 12.40pm, at the school

Please remember to return any books due to go back.

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P & C News

Girls Winter Pinafore

The Girls Winter Pinafore can now be ordered through Lowes online store. You can order the "Blue Plaid Tunic" through the Schoolwear-School Uniform tabs and searching the St Cecilia's Primary School (we use the same pinafore as St Cecilia)

Pavers Forms

The P&C is still accepting orders for named pavers. This is a great way to show your involvement with the school. If you'd like to have your name on a paver, please complete the template and return it to the school, payment can be made via direct deposit.

Stuck-on-you fundraiser

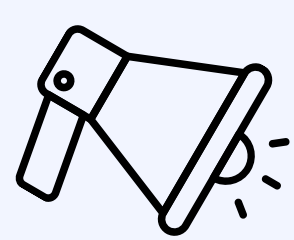
Are you in need of name labels? Consider purchasing through Stuck-on-You and help our school at the same time! Our P&C association has a special fundraising code (1YT94A7LM6QQ) that benefits our school with every order. Stuck-on-You offers a fantastic range of personalized labels for all your needs.

Visit their website at www.stuckonyou.com/au to explore their products and support our school.

DrumMUSTER

FARMERS: If you have any empty chemical drums collected please contact Jono Street or Renee Fair to arrange the delivery of clean chemical drums for DrumMUSTER





Community News

CWA NEWS

SOCIAL CUPPA AND 'SHARE THE DIGNITY' DAY

On Tuesday 26th November 2024 at the Golf Club, Rankins Springs CWA will be hosting a social gathering where 'Share The Dignity' bags will be put together, commencing at 10am. Donations of toothbrushes & toothpaste, shampoo & conditioner, soap or body wash, roll-on deodorant, packets of sealed tampons & pads (adult or teenage sized) may be left at Midstate Trading before this date. Financial donations would also be appreciated. Also welcome are 'used but in good condition' handbags, we don't have many of these, to pack the items into. Any other small luxury items (but no food) that you think would be nice may also be donated (emery boards, tissues, shower caps, make-up wipes etc). Please bring along a plate to share for morning tea, and some lunch if you are staying that long (we hope you will!). Everyone welcome, please come along for a break and a chat! Enquiries to Annette, Kaylene or Ellen.

Community News

If you or your organisation would like to contribute to the weekly newsletter please send any articles through to the school email address: rankinspr-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

We will add the article into the newsletter. If you have something coming up we can run your article in newsletter until the date of the event. Any enquiries or for more information please ring the school or send an email.

**GOOLGOWRI
2025
& SURROUNDS**

SUMMER INTENSIVES

MONDAY 06 JANUARY TO FRIDAY 10 JANUARY

5 X 30MIN LESSONS FROM 10:00AM - 1:00PM
**Please note that class times may be subject to change*

TOTAL COST: \$100.00

**REGISTER YOUR INTEREST VIA EMAIL TO:
hello@blacklineswimschool.com**

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE ENTRY FEES FOR THE POOL ARE NOT THE RESPONSIBILITY OF BLACK LINE SWIM SCHOOL. FEE ADVICE CAN BE FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE:
<https://carrathool.nsw.gov.au/services/swimming-pools/>

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Transport for NSW

School Student Travel 

School student travel information for parents and students

School Travel Passes

Applications are now open for 2025 School Student Transport Scheme (SSTS) travel.

<https://transportnsw.info/tickets-opal/ticket-eligibility-concessions/school-student-travel/school-drive-subsidy-eligibility>

**COME AND TRY
DAYS**

 **Want to see what GFA is all about? Everyone is welcome to come and join in with some training and small-sided games!**

Who: Boys and girls, U8-U16
When: Sunday 24th Nov and Sunday 8th Dec, 9am-10:00am.
Where: Ted Scobie Oval, Griffith (middle tier, on the Holmes Cres side)
Cost: Free
Bring: Drink bottle, soccer boots, shin pads

Please register here: <https://forms.gle/BVrKArLa9Hv6p8hY8>



School Calendar

14th October-20th December 2024

Term 4		2024
Week 7	Friday 29th November	Kinder Transition 9-11:30am School Leaders Thank you Day
Week 8	Monday 2nd Dec Tuesday 3rd Dec Wednesday 4th Dec Thursday 5th Dec Friday 6th Dec	All School Library books to be returned Swimming Goolgowi Swimming Goolgowi Swimming Goolgowi Swimming Carnival Lake Cargelligo
Week 9	Monday 9th Dec Tuesday 10th Dec Wednesday 11th Dec Thursday 12th Dec	Swimming Goolgowi Swimming Goolgowi Presentation evening at School 6pm Swimming Goolgowi
Week 10	Monday 16th December Tuesday 17th December Wednesday 18th Dec	Principal Reward Day Pool Fun Day Holland Park West Wyalong 11am - 3pm Last Day of school 2024 Christmas Craft Day
Week 1 Term 1 2025	Thursday 13th February	Students return to school
Week 2 Term 1 2025	Tuesday 18th February	Small Schools Swimming Carnival

All events and dates subject to change

