



# THE WEEKLY NEWS

What	When
Grade 5 and 6 Lightning Prems	Wednesday 24th July
Prep 100 days at school	Wednesday 31st July
Student/Teacher/Parent conferences	Friday 2nd August
School Council Meeting	Tuesday 6th August—7.30am
Athletics Sports	Wednesday 7th August
Book Week activities	Friday 23rd August

### “Every Day Counts”

If your child is absent from school we must have a note, phone call or you can also enter the reason directly onto COMPASS to explain the absence. This is required by the Department for our records.

Contact School Council: [rceps.schoolcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:rceps.schoolcouncil@gmail.com)

No assembly this week

### Thank You Mrs. Bowring!!!

For 33 years Mrs. Bowring has been one of the faces that greets you at the office. She has been the voice at the other end of the phone. She has been a constant in our school community.

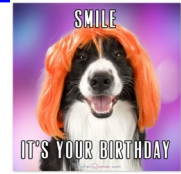
Next Tuesday, 23rd July, is officially Leigh’s last day of work at Red Cliffs East PS. She has made the decision to retire. In saying that, she will continue to support us with the change over by working 1 day a week until the end of the year. It is hard to fathom working in one place for 33 years (a third of the time that the school has been open). Leigh has been such a loyal employee and community member during that time. She has seen so many families and students come and go, and still remembers so many. Her love of our school and the people in it will be so greatly missed.

As a community, I am sure you will all join me and thanking Leigh for everything she has done for our school and the community. If you get the chance to drop into school on a Tuesday, don’t be shy and come into the office and say thanks.



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**Happy Birthday** Heidi Preston, Lucinda Thomas, Miles Hurford, Logan Pittaway, Isaac Wright, Seth Wright.



### **Class Awards:**

**Prep: Henley Nelson** for being an enthusiastic and attentive learner. Henley, it has been fantastic to see you tackle each day with a big smile on your face and a can-do attitude. You are always kind and considerate to others when completing your independent work and happily co-operate with your classmates when required. Your positivity and love for learning has made your teachers smile every day. Well done!

**Grade 1: Ryder Heeman** for the bravery you have been showing in your learning. You are having a red hot go with your writing and it is great to see you growing more confident and believing in yourself. Keep up the excellent work Ryder, you should feel very proud!

**Grade 2: Isack Mete** for the bravery you have shown as a learner. Isack, we have noticed you stepping outside your comfort zone and using different strategies when working through challenges. You have consistently displayed a positive attitude and given your best effort in all areas of your learning. Keep up the amazing work! **Kaiden Heeman** for being a self-motivated learner. We have noticed how quickly you get organised and ready for your learning. You display persistence and focus while you are working and always strive to give your best effort. Well done Kaiden. Keep up the fantastic work!

**Grade 3/4: Ruby Hensgen** for the bravery that you have displayed in the classroom this week. Ruby, you have shown that you can be a role model by using your initiative to help out other students. The way that you have explained your thinking to others is very confident! Well done Ruby!

**Grade 4/5: Charlotte Thomas** for your bravery you have demonstrated as a learner over the past fortnight. We have noticed you consistently taking on and accepting challenges in your learning. During Math's tasks, you have been shown a high level of commitment towards your learning and stepping out of your comfort zone to improve your knowledge and understanding. This has also transferred into other learning areas such as Maths and Inquiry. Well done, you should be very proud of yourself!

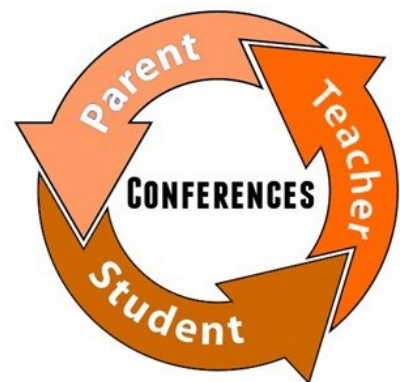
**Grade 5/6: Stephanie Senior** for being self-motivated this week when publishing your historical narrative. Stephanie, you have been organised and creative, applying yourself to your writing to make it something spectacular. It is fantastic to see the level of commitment you have shown. Keep up the amazing work!

### **Student/Parent/Teacher Conferences**

Student/Parent/Teacher meetings will be conducted from 8.30am to 3.30pm on Friday 2nd August. Therefore, this day will be a pupil free day except for the time that they will need to be at school for their conference with their teacher and parent.

***First week back in Term 3 you will be able to book your conference time on COMPASS. Any issues please contact the office.***

Out of School Hours program for the day starting at 8.30am concluding at 2pm. If you would like your child enrolled for the day, please contact the office. The cost will be \$50 per child for the day (Childcare subsidy rebate will apply for those who are eligible). You can pick up your child from After School Care to attend their meeting, and then return your child at the completion of your meeting.



Conference times are now live on COMPASS ready for you to book your time.

### **Book Club**

Book Club orders are due Friday 26th.

## Prep 100 Days At School—Celebration


On Wednesday 31st July, the Prep students will have completed their first 100 days of schooling.

We are inviting all students and staff to come to school dressed as a 100 year old. Have some fun with the concept.

There are some ideas below.

We are inviting all students to dress up, not just the Preps.

We've been counting the days and it's coming soon...




**THE PREPS  
100<sup>TH</sup> DAY  
AT SCHOOL!**

Dear Parents/Carers,  
In celebration of the Preps first 100<sup>th</sup> days of school, we are asking that each student dresses as if he/she is 100 years old!  
Be creative and have some fun!

**WEDNESDAY  
31<sup>ST</sup>  
JULY**

Thank you  
for your  
support!



Red Cliffs East P.S.

Here are some ideas to help your child look 100 years old:

- Glasses
- Shawl
- Knee highs
- Costume jewelry
- Handkerchief
- Powder or gray spray in the hair
- Gray wig or bald wig
- Big purse
- Pocket watch

## Enrol Now For 2025

Enrolments are now being taken for 2025. If you have a child (or know of someone who does) who will be starting school in 2025, enrolments are now being taken. We are looking to have a good idea of students numbers of 2025 by the end of this term.

Please collect an enrolment form from the school office.

We are more than happy to offer individual tours of our school. If you know someone who would like to tour our school, please ask them to ring the school (Ph 50241147) and we will find a time that works.

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## 2025 kindergarten registrations now open!



Three and four-year-old kindergarten registrations are now open for:

- Playalong Early Learning Centre
- De Garis Kindergarten
- Pasadena Preschool
- Shine Bright Irymple Kindergarten
- Kathleen Kelly Kindergarten
- Shine Bright Mildura South Kindergarten
- Nangiloc & District Kindergarten
- Mildura West Kindergarten
- Red Cliffs Kindergarten
- Shine Bright St Margaret's Kindergarten
- Shine Bright Merbein Kindergarten

Mildura Rural City Council coordinates registrations for these kindergartens through an online process.

For more information visit [mildura.vic.gov.au/kindergarten](http://mildura.vic.gov.au/kindergarten)

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