Issue No. 4

20th February 2020

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What	When
Dental Van visit	Monday 24th Feb
Swimming carnival—RC Swimming club	Monday 2nd March
Incursion at school —all students	Thursday 5th March (change of dates)
Labour Day long weekend	Monday 9th March
Hot cross bun orders due	Friday 13th March
Ride to school day & Meal Deal	Friday 13th March
Family fun night	Thursday 19th March

# "Every Day Counts"

If your child is absent from school we must be informed to explain the absence. This can be done via note, telephone or placed directly into COMPASS.

Assembly tomorrow will be run by the Grade 6 class. The Grade 6 classroom will be open from 9.30 to 10am.

# School Leadership

Congratulations to the students who received their leadership badges from the Red Cliffs Secondary College School Captains at last week's assembly.



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# School Fees

School fees for 2020 are now due. The fee structure and forms have been sent home with your child last week.

School fees are vital in the operation of the school and the programs and materials we supply to the students.

The fees can be paid directly into our bank account:

BSB: 033-249

A/C No: 188361

Please indicate 'family name' and 'School Fee payment' into the description. Fees can also be paid in person at the office either with cash or card.

# School Dentist Van Visit

During the week all students received a dental van permission form. This form gives parents information about the dentist visit starting next week. If you would like your child to receive a free visit with the dentist, please complete the form and return it to school by tomorrow, Friday 21st February.

If you require another form please feel free to drop into the office and collect one.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.



**Birthdays** Charlotte Thomas, Charlie Hill, Taylor Smith, Cameron Pappin.



### Students Of The Week

**Grade Prep:** Melody Bellamy for your excellent week in our classroom. You have shown a great improvement in the way that you listen, follow instructions and complete activities in the classroom. Keep up the great effort!

**Grade 1:** Mia Alchin for working really hard on our class goal of keeping our eyes on the speaker. You are showing that you are focussed and listening carefully. Fantastic effort Mia, well done!

**Grade 2/3:** Addison Eagles for making positive learning choices in our classroom and yard. Addison, you always make sure that you are using the 51's on the floor and follow class routines and instructions. You also make sure you are safe and encourage others around you to make safe choices too Well done Addison and keep up the fantastic effort!

**Grade 3/4:** Knox Beasley for having confidence to give everything a go. Knox, you have tried new things and have made sure you are always striving for your best across all learning areas. You continue to listen and sit quietly when instructions are being given and stay focused on your work. Well done Knox and keep up the amazing work.

**Grade 4/5: Poppy Byrnes** for the terrific start you have made to the year. We love how positive you are in the classroom and in your approach to all of your school work. You are such a happy person to share our learning space Poppy and we are very grateful to be your peers.

**Grade 6: Jacqui Brealey** for the enthusiasm and motivation you have shown towards your learning this week. We have noticed you meet challenges with a 'can do' attitude, remained on task and finished all of your work. Keep up the great work!

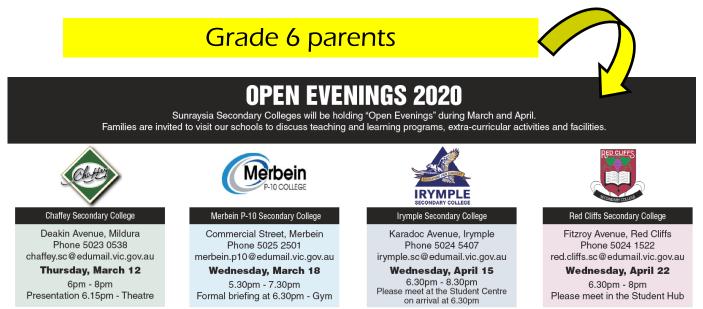
#### Bus Notes

Students planning on travelling by bus to and from school must complete the appropriate form. The forms were sent home last week with students but if you did not receive one, please drop into the office to collect one. These must be returned ASAP please. Thank you to all the parents who have already completed and returned the forms. Students who do not have notes at school by the end of February will not be permitted to use the bus from March onwards. The permission/information note is a legal requirement.

#### Hot Cross Bun Orders

The Parent's Club are once again running our annual hot cross bun fund raiser. Forms were sent home this week and need to be returned with the money by **Friday 13th March.** Of course they can be returned earlier to the office.

The buns will be available for collection from school prior to the holidays. We will inform you of the exact date.



Authorised by the principals of the participating secondary colleges: Graeme Forrester (Chaffey S.C), Chris Grimmer (Merbein P-10 College), Jo McQuinn (Irymple S.C) and David Browne (Red Cliffs S.C).

# Swimming

The Red Cliffs Annual Swimming Carnival will be held on Monday 2nd March from 6pm. Please return the entry form to school by **tomorrow, Friday 21st Feb** if you would like your child to participate. These forms were sent home with students earlier this week. Historically we have sent a large team to compete so we hope that we can do the same this year.



Thank you to those parents who have already returned these forms. If you have misplaced the form, please collect one from the office.

## Breakfast Club Volunteers

We are searching for parent volunteers to assist with Breakfast Club. The club provides students with the opportunity to have breakfast in the morning before they start school. It is open from 8.30-8.55am every school day. We need volunteers for the club to operate. Parents take responsibility for serving the students and cleaning the dishes from Monday to Friday.

If you can regularly help out on any morning, please let Bonney know that you can help or you can also let staff in the office know as well. Also, if you cannot commit every week to a particular morning, you are more than welcome to drop in and give a hand. If you have dropped your child off at school and have a spare 15 minutes, we would really appreciate your assistance.

# We run the club for the kids, but it cannot function without help from parents.

Any parents who have helped out in the past are encouraged to help again, but we would also love to have some new parents come along.

If you have any question please do not hesitate to come in and talk to any of the staff, particularly Bonney or myself

### Physical Education—Gymnastics

Over the past 2 weeks the students from Grades 1 to 6 have been participating in Gymnastic sessions at the Mildura Gymnastics Club in Red Cliffs. The students have had the opportunity to be coached by qualified gymnastic coaches and have experienced many aspects of gymnastics.

All the students had a fantastic time and loved trying something new. Many of the students said that they would like to do

gymnastics out of school so this is something parents may like to investigate further.

Thank you Mr. Tuohy for organising these sessions. The last of the sessions will be held at school next week, which will round off the gymnastics unit of work in PE.







# Advertising space in the newsletter for 2020.

We are offering advertising space in our school newsletter in 2020. For \$50 your business will be printed on 40 newsletters for the year. The newsletters are sent home to approximately 90 different families which provides your business with great access to local families.

# Cheap advertising!!!

These are the businesses who advertised in 2019.



19 flex Street, Red Cliffs Phone: (03) 5024 2140 Email: redchiffsbutchers@gmail.com



Red Cliffs Bowling Club Cnr Jamieson Ave & Guava St Ph: 03 50241513 Email: redcliffsbowlingclub@gmail.com Club rooms available for hire. Kitchen and bar facilities. Social bowls Tuesdays/Saturdays 9AM Monday night barefoot bowls. 7PM All welcome



If you have a business that would be interested in purchasing a space in 2019, or you know of someone that would be interested, please drop off your business Card and \$50 to the office at school.

Thank you for supporting your local school.