



## ISC NEWSLETTER

Office Hours 8:00am-4:00pm Monday - Friday

<b>Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup></b>	-	Year 9/10 Interschool Netball
<b>Monday, June 10<sup>th</sup></b>	-	Kings Birthday Public Holiday
<b>Tuesday, June 11<sup>th</sup></b>	-	Girls Interschool Footy
<b>Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup></b>	-	Arts Tech Wing Official Opening
<b>Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup></b>	-	Boys Interschool Footy
<b>Thursday, June 19<sup>th</sup></b>	-	Year 7/8 Interschool Netball

### Principals Report 31/05/2024.

Please enjoy the newsletter and our socials with all the updates around camps and sporting teams. We do our best to capture as much as possible for you and we apologise in advance if we miss something.

Please help us and ensure your child is in full school uniform each day – hoodies are not to be worn under t-shirts but you can purchase a beautiful school hoodie from Branded Collective for your child. Navy bottoms (pants/shorts) are to be worn and black shoes please.

We have some major grounds work about to start which will mean that some of our grounds will not be available to our school community or other community members whilst this is happening. Please do not enter the cordoned off areas under any circumstances. We expect this will finish off the watering system upgrade and ensure that we have wonderful green grounds and despite the inconvenience we think this upgrade will benefit everyone in the long run.

We are experiencing an incredible number of student absences this last few weeks and we ask that if your child is away for any reason that you please put a note on Compass or call the office to notify us of this absence and the reason for the absence. An interesting fact - One day missed a week equates to 40 days missed a year which is 8 weeks a year (almost a whole term of learning is lost). This also makes it difficult for students to have continuity with friendship groups and it can impact their emotional wellbeing.

Have a great few weeks we are over the hump for this very long term with the last four weeks being extremely busy with lots of interschool sport on.

**Jo McQuinn,**

**Principal**

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## YEAR 8 CAMP 2024

On the 13th of May, 102 Year 8 students embarked on an unforgettable adventure to Phillip Island, a trip packed with exciting activities and memorable experiences. From encountering wildlife to engaging in thrilling sports, the camp offered something for everyone. Here's a recap of the highlights from our incredible week away. The Penguin Parade, one of the most magical moments of the trip was our visit to the Penguin Parade. As the sun set, we gathered on the beach to witness the world-famous parade of little penguins waddling ashore. Phillip Island's pristine beaches set the stage for our surfing, stand-up paddle boarding and kayaking sessions. Under the guidance of skilled instructors, students learned the basics of those water activities. At Crazy Golf, the mini golf course offered a lighter, yet equally competitive activity. Believe it or not but Megan (office staff) actually got a hole in one!



The hiking trails of Phillip Island showcased the island's natural beauty. Students trekked through lush landscapes, discovering local flora and fauna. For those who love a challenge, Climb & Climb provided an excellent opportunity to test their limits. Students donned harnesses and helmets, scaling indoor rock walls of varying difficulty. For those that have a love for animals, Heritage Farm was a hit. Students were able to pet and interact with different species of animals on the farm. They also showed how to shear a sheep, milk a cow, crack a whip (yes even Leon the Englishman was able to do it) and showcasing a cattle dog in action. No trip to Phillip Island would be complete without a visit to the Chocolate Factory. Lastly, yes, all students and staff survived.

Some of the students said that they didn't want the camp to end, which was a good indication that year 8 camp was a big success. A big thank you to all involved.





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## YEAR 9 CAMP 2024

Last week 108 Year 9 students and 12 staff travelled to Melbourne for a jam-packed city experience camp. After a long 6-hour journey, the kids were thrilled to jump out some of their energy at Bounce! This was followed by an evening trip to the Eureka Skydeck, where they braved a glass box known as 'The Edge' to enjoy the cityscape from the sky.

They engaged in music workshops at the Melbourne Arts Centre on Tuesday, making their own electronic songs. Afterwards we wandered through laneways completing a street art scavenger hunt. Bailey Crump, Chloe Surace, Millie Hobbs and Charlee Martin were the winning group, successfully taking the most fitting photos of each of the required prompts. We finished the day at Kingpin, ten pin bowling and playing arcade games.

We travelled to Docklands on Wednesday to spend the day ice skating, exploring ArtVo and shopping. Lots of the kids picked up ice skating quickly and had a great time racing staff. They were then challenged to take the most ridiculous photo at ArtVo using the optical illusion backgrounds as inspiration. Liam Sinclair won our competition, taking many hilarious photos with his group. Our day concluded at the theatre, enjoying Wicked the Musical, which was a great experience for many students who had never seen a musical before.

Thursday was spent shopping at Melbourne Central and immersing ourselves in Monopoly Dreams, where students played interactive games. We then enjoyed the Swans VS Bulldogs AFL match Thursday night. We were lucky to secure some great seats and some of the kids even had the opportunity to take photos with players. Cooper Campbell took out our footy tipping competition, correctly tipping Swans by a margin of 14 points!

We finished our trip with a quick stop to the Queen Victorian Markets Friday morning, before venturing home. A huge thank you to all the staff who accompanied the Year 9s to Melbourne, the staff back at school for taking extras and the office staff for helping to organise & coordinate such a great experience for our kids!





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## YEAR 10 MARKET DAY

Market Day was run by our Year 10 Economics and Business Studies students on Wednesday the 29<sup>th</sup> of May.

There was a range of foods and drinks on offer. Inclusive of donuts, cookies, pizza, chocolate dipped strawberries, fried chicken, hot chips, and sausages. (Just to name a few)

Below are just a couple of the promotional posters some students made for their stalls, as well as students selling their products on the day. They all learnt a lot about being prepared, organisation and teamwork.





## CELEBRATING THE ARTS

Year 7C completed their Picasso self-portraits demonstrating the elements of art in their artwork. 7B made slab boxes and Tiki Masks in Ceramics. They have all done a great job.





## INTERSCHOOL SOCCER 2024

A big few weeks in Inter-school Soccer.

Year 7/8 Girls team finished runners-up from a Round Robin competition losing to the eventual champions SJC (0-1)

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Year 9/10 Girls finished as champions beating TLC in the final 4-0.

Year 9/10 Boys finished runners-up losing to SJC in the final 0-1

All teams were brilliant representatives of ISC, both in performances and sportsmanship. We are very proud of how all our teams went about their business.

Special thanks to Corey Barbara and Steve Batchelor for coaching.





## LMR INTERMEDIATE GIRLS SOCCER 2024

It was a massive day for our 9/10 Soccer girls yesterday with a 5am start and back-to-back games in Loddon Mallee Regional finals.

The team won their first game against St Mary of Angels: 4-0

They won their next game against Mackillop College 3-1.

Our girls bowed out in next game against Castlemaine Secondary College, losing 4-0.

Although the rain held off, the last game against Bendigo was very wet and the girls experienced a marginal defeat of 3-2.

The girls were thrilled for ISC to finish 3rd in the LMR division!

Goal scorers for the day:

India	7
Charlotte	1
Abby	1



Thanks for coaching Andrew and the parent assistance of Larisa, Jayne and Debbie.





## INTERSCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY 2024

On Thursday 9th May we had 48 students represent our school at the Interschool Cross Country Competition. This event was again held at Riverside Golf Club. It was a great day for running and our students did an amazing job!

All students upheld our school value by going out and 'having a crack' with an amazing result of 44 students qualifying to the next level!

Congratulations to the following students in particular who won their events and therefore were the Age Group Champions on the day:

Mackenzie Crump – 13yrs Girls

Aijay McDonald-Vozlic – 14yrs Boys

Eve Jukes – 14yrs Girls

Zanda McDonald-Vozlic - 15 Boys

Rhory Adams - 16 Boys





## LMR CROSS COUNTRY 2024

On Tuesday the 28th of May we had 26 students represent ISC at the Loddon Mallee Region (LMR) Finals in St Arnaud for Cross Country.

It was an early 5am start on the road. The weather was beautiful with the sun beaming down for a day full of running!

All students did an amazing job and we managed to come away with some medals.

Congratulations to Sachin Tyrrell who managed to win his 15 Boys Age Group, closely followed by Zanda McDonald-Vozlic on his tail coming in 2nd place. The individual success continued with Aijay McDonald-Vozlic also placing 2nd in 14 Boys.

Our 15 Boys team consisting of Sachin Tyrrell, Zanda McDonlad-Vozlic, Jack Burford & Josh Driscoll won their Age Group due to the well placing and points scored for participation.

Our 14 Girls team consisting of Eve Jukes, Ava Gunn, Eloise Kalms & Delaney Hedley were runners up in their Age Group.

Our 16 Girls team consisting of Addison Brown, India Droffelaar & Matilda Jamieson came 3rd in their Age Group.

Our 16 Boys team consisting of Rhory Adams, Blake Hanstock, Brooklyn Hudak & Tom Connelly also came 3rd in their Age Group

Thank you to the parents who drove students to and from St Arnaud and supported our school on the day. Thank you to the staff who made this day happen and a big thank you to Gregor for driving the bus.









## LMR CROSS COUNTRY 2024 PHOTOS





## BREAKFAST CLUB

Thank you, Woolies, for your support in the Breakfast Club program.





# WORK EXPERIENCE 2024

It's great to see that many of the students have submitted their forms. **Students will receive their Work Experience Packs in the last week of school.** This pack have information for students, parents and employers.

*Please don't attend placement if you have not received the work experience pack.*

**# Don't forget to complete safe@work certificates (general and Industry specific) and submit them via Compass.**

Please bring your Work Experience Arrangement Forms by 7<sup>th</sup> June 2024 at the latest.

Please arrange for an appointment with your employer to have the paperwork signed. The form needs to be signed by the student, parent/guardian, and employer. Signed forms can be returned to the front office.

## **2024 Work Experience Dates – Irymple S.C.**

Term 3 - Week 1    **July 15<sup>th</sup> to July 19<sup>th</sup>**    Mid Sem Holidays – Week 1 : July 1<sup>st</sup> to July 5<sup>th</sup>

Term 3 - week 2    **July 22<sup>nd</sup> to July 26<sup>th</sup>**    Mid Sem Holidays – Week 2 : July 8<sup>th</sup> to July 12<sup>th</sup>

(Snow Camp week July 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> July)    Use holidays **ONLY** if necessary

Talk to your Pathways Teachers, Mrs Barrett, Mrs Kalkal or Bu Jackie.

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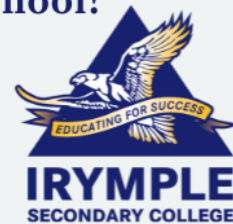
**MONDAY JUNE 10TH**

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**KING'S  
BIRTHDAY  
PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

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**Students are not required at school!**







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# YEAR 9 / 10 INFORMATION NIGHT

WEDNESDAY 5 JUNE, 5.30PM - 6.30PM

Mildura Senior College, Gymnasium  
Parking available through Gate

Learn about:

- Upcoming important dates for transition
- The Main Features of MSC
- Subject Selection Process
- Student Wellbeing
- Study Support
- Extra Curricular Activities
- Enrolment Process Explained





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