ISC NEWSLETTER OFFICE HOURS 8AM-4PM MONDAY-FRIDAY



Last Day of

Upcoming Dates:

Friday, 4th April



Principal's Report 04/04/2025

ASSEMBLY – We all experienced a wonderful term assembly yesterday where we celebrated success and learnt about all the wonderful things that have been happening at ISC this term. SRC Reps for each form were presented with their badges. We hope they wear them with pride and do a great job representing their peers.

INTERIM REPORTS AND PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS - These

are coming up real soon. The reports will be published on Compass on the last day of Term 1. They will be based on the GROW model – G- Grit

- R Responsibility
- 0 Optimism
- W Wonder

Phone Parent Teacher Interviews will be on 24th April (Week 1 Term 2). Bookings will open on Compass on Friday, 11th April. Please ensure that your details are correct on Compass as staff will call the phone number that is on Compass.

END OF TERM - As we wind down for Term 1 I would like to thank you all for your continued support. It has been a very busy one but that just seems to be the nature of the world we currently live in. A reminder that school finishes at 2.30pm tomorrow and the buses will not be running at the earlier time. Please try and arrange alternative travel arrangements where possible.

We wish everyone a great holiday and enjoy kicking back for a bit before we start all over again on Tuesday 22nd April.

Cheers, Jo McQuinn

CAMP REMINDERS

Year 8 Phillip Island \$200 (final instalment) due Thursday, 24th April Year 9 Melbourne \$250 (second instalment) due Friday, 18th April

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Friday, 11th April	Phone Parent Teacher Interviews Bookings Open
Monday, 21st April	Easter Monday Public Holiday
Tuesday, 22nd April	First Day of Term 2
Friday, 25th April	ANZAC Day Public Holiday
Thursday, 24th April	Phone Parent Teacher Interview
Monday, 28th April	ISC Cross Country
Friday, 2nd May	Pupil Free Day

GIRLS IN PHYSICS BREAKFAST

On Tuesday the 25th of March some of our Year 10 students attended the 'Girls In Physics' Breakfast at SuniTAFE. They connected with like minded students and women working in STEM careers.

Thank you to Natalie Timmis for accompanying them.



2025 YOUTH LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

On Friday, 28th of March Mildura Rural City Council hosted a student voice and leadership summit at the Mildura Sports Precinct. Selected SRC representatives and MRCC Youth Council members were invited to attend and learn more about essential Leadership skills. It was great to see our students in action!





PETER PAN (THE NON-FLYING VERSION)





Mildura Arts Centre 22nd & 23rd October 2025

PETER PAN (THE NON-FLYING VERSION)

We are pleased to announce the cast of Peter Pan the non-flying Version

Mrs Darling Mr Darling Wendy

Nana the Dog Peter Pan Tinkerbell

The Lost Boys Tootles Nibs Curly Slightly

The Pirates Hook Smee Cecco Skylight Silence Starkey

The Forest Band Tiger Lily Prince Nicu Toma Radu

The Narrator Jane The Crocodile Eleah Johns Jackson Brymer Mackenna Douglas

Ruby Gourlay Riley Ridgwell Alexis Della Santa

Gus Keating Levi Pickering Declan Luke Jamal Taylor

Clare Blow Macey Currie Jonah Krul Lexie Marr Eva Hudak Olivia Chamberlain



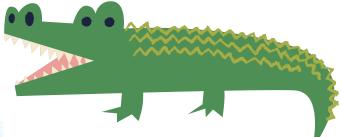
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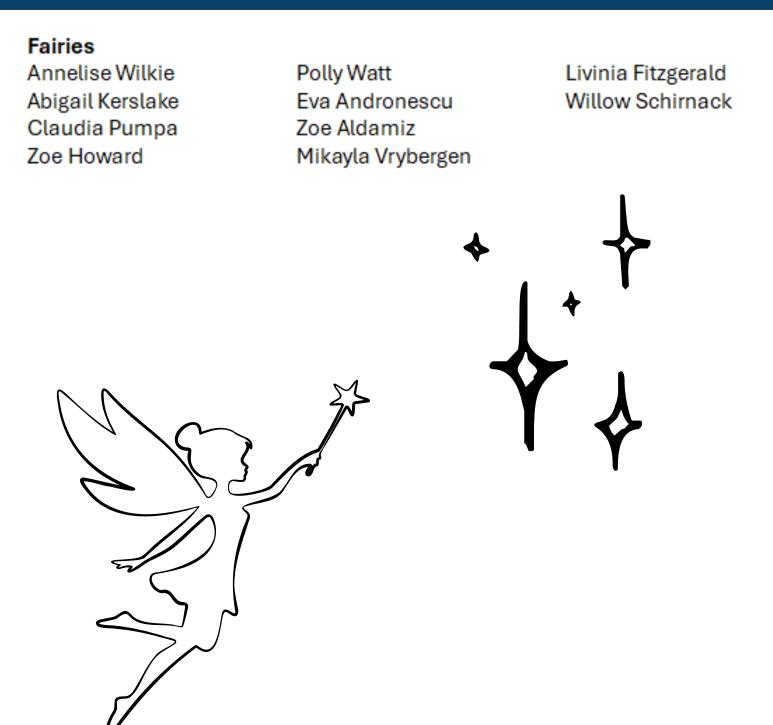
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Tess Edwards Patrick Edwards Juni McMillian Rachel Stewart

Mason Pinnington Ava Gunn Ashton Fisk



PETER PAN (THE NON-FLYING VERSION)



HARMONY DAY 2025

On Thursday, 20th of March we celebrated and acknowledged Harmony Day.

This is all about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone. We had many delicious dishes on offer celebrating internationally themed food, students could also come along and make friendship bracelets.

A big thank you to the Wellbeing Team & the FLO Team who made this such a successful day!



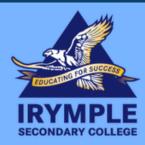








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Reminder that school will be finishing early at 2:30pm tomorrow, Friday 4th April.

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All buses will <u>not</u> be running an hour earlier but at the usual times.

If possible please make alternative travel arrangements.

LASER SIGN & PRINT -UNIFORMS

Reminder to ensure you have ordered your student's uniforms for the cooler months coming up! Laser Signs & Print have our Hoodies, Razor Jacket, Winter Jacket and Beanies available to keep your student warm.

Also our school skirts will be available 1st week back of Term 2!

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<u>Victorian Mobile Dental Van is coming</u> to Irymple Secondary College

Monday 26th May 2025

Please read all details below.

Medicare with CDBS (Child Dental Benefits Schedule): free checkup and treatment

Medicare with no CDBS (Child Dental Benefits Schedule)- only free checkup

If non eligible Medicare card holders would like to pay from private insurance or out of pocket, the Victorian Mobile Dental Van can do packages to suit.

To book, please either scan the QR code on the next page and complete online or,

Pick up a paper consent form from the front office at ISC and return to the front office by Monday 19th May 2025.







HEALTHY TEETH HAPPYKIDS



Dental Check-Ups & Preventive Care *Right at School!*

How to Register



C 0483 102 562

FAQ'S

Do I need to pay anything for a dental check-up?

There's no out of pocket charge for dental check-ups and preventive care under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule.

Do I need to attend the appointment with my child?

Parents aren't required to attend, but if you want to accompany younger kids, please let us know in advance.

What if I do not have a Medicare card?

If you don't have a Medicare card, your child can get a FREE dental checkup through VMDH. We'll give you a report if your child needs more treatment

What services are provided during the school dental check-up?**

VMDH Mobile dental care includes dental exams, cleanings, fluoride treatments, and preventive care like sealants. In addition, we teach you how to take good care of your teeth.

What if my child has special dental needs?

Our team of qualified dental professionals has extensive experience in handling a variety of dental needs and conditions. During the registration process, please let us know if your child has specific needs.

GUIDE TO MEDICARE BULK BILLING

ZERO out of pocket cost				
Item	Service	CDBS Bulk-Bill Fee	Out of Pocket Cost	
88011	Comprehensive Oral Examination	\$57.65	\$0.0	
88012	Periodic Oral Examination	\$47.90	\$0.0	
88013	Limited Oral Examination	\$30.10	\$0.0	
88111	Removal of Plaque / Stain	\$58.90	\$0.0	
88114	Removal of Calculus- 1' visit	\$98.20	\$0.0	
88115	Removal of Calculus-2" visit	\$63.85	\$0.0	
88121	Topical Remineralisation agents	\$37.85	\$0.0	
88022	Periapical or Bitewing X-ray	\$33.35 ea	\$0.0	
88311	Removal of Tooth or Part (s)	\$143.75	\$0.0	
88161	Fissure and/or Tooth surface sealing	\$50.45 ea	\$0.0	
88162	Fissure and/or Tooth surface sealing (for additional fissure sealing)	\$25.25 ea	\$0.0	
88311	Extraction of tooth (non-surgical)	\$143.75	\$0.0	

Medicare CDBS provides children aged 2-17 funding of \$ 1095 for preventative dental treatment and is renewed every 2 calendar years. This service is covered under Medicare, meaning Medicare will cover these costs and you do not have to pay for them out of pocket.

You can withdraw your consent for CDBS at anytime by contacting VMDH. For more information regarding CDBS, please visit www,humanservices.gov,au/childdental

VMDH will check eligibility before treatment. If you give consent, upon an initial examination (88011) the Medicare Benefits amounts for each service we may further provide are listed if they are required.

Pricing is set by the Department of Health and is deducted from your Medicare balance. This is paid by Medicare. You do not need to pay these amounts.

Please visit www.vmdh.com.au for details of what each treatment involves. Please visit https://victorianmobiledentalhealth.com.au/privacy-policy to view our Privacy Policy. If you have any questions, please contact 0483 102 562.

Who is eligible to get Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS)

Check if your child is eligible for the Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS). You don't need to apply or register for CDBS. If your child is eligible we'll send you a letter.

Your child can get CDBS when all of the following applies:

- they're eligible for Medicare
- they're between 0 and 17 years old for at least one day that calendar year
- you or they get an *<u>eligible payment</u> at least once that calendar year. (See below information)

You can be either the child's:

- parent, carer or guardian
- approved care organisation.

*Eligible payments

Receiving certain Centrelink payments allows children to access CDBS. To get dental benefits, you or your child must meet both of the following:

- get at least 1 payment from the list below
- get the payment at least once in the calendar year.

Who gets the payment	Payment
Child's parent, carer or guardian	Family Tax Benefit (FTB) Part A Parenting Payment Double Orphan Pension
Child	ABSTUDY Family Tax Benefit Part A Carer Payment Disability Support Pension Parenting Payment Special Benefit Youth Allowance Department of Veterans' Affairs education allowances under the: • Veterans' Children Education Scheme (if aged 16–17) • Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act Education and Training Scheme (if aged 16–17)



MUSICAL SOCIETY MILDURA

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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST THURSDAY 17 APRIL 7.30 PM SCAN ME



Competition now open!

Enter Now!

abc.net.au/heywire

MHEYWIRE

ABC Heywire wants you to tell your story, your way

Are you aged **16–22** and have a story to share? The ABC Heywire competition wants to hear from you!

Heywire is a lived experience storytelling competition for young people living in regional, rural and remote Australia. For over 20 years, we've been championing the bravery and vulnerability it takes to share your story, your way. What might seem everyday to you is **epic to us**.

Tell us what life's like where you live, what you care about, or what frustrates you. You can enter through writing, audio, video, or photos – as long as it's **a true story** about some aspect of your life in regional Australia.

The competition closes **September 1**, and we're on the lookout for incredible stories. This could be **your chance** to be heard, work with ABC producers, and attend the Heywire Summit!

→ Enter now: <u>https://www.abc.net.au/heywire</u>



SKILLS TRAINING FOR MILDURA MOTORCYCLISTS



ROADCRAFT FORUM Friday 4 April, 6pm - 9pm

FREE safety and skills forum with presentations by HART (Honda Australia Rider Training), Victoria Police and Rural Ambulance Victoria and DEECA.

"Suitable for both road and dirt bike riders of all ages and all skills. Interactive workshop. Light refreshments provided. All welcome.

Where: Benetook Room, Alfred Deakin Centre "Vicpol or Ambulance Victoria availability dependent on emergency calls on the night.

Skill level: ALL BIKES ALL skill levels

ROADCRAFT MOTORCYCLE SKILLS TRAINING Saturday 5 April, 9.00am - 3.30pm

Austink Training Centre (next to the airport).

Practical bike control exercises and techniques. Pre-requisite attendance on the Friday evening seminar, ALL BIXES, ALL LEVELS(Min Learners permit required)

Bring your own bike and gear. All practical exercises with qualified HART instructors. Morning tea & BBO lunch provided. Cost \$40 PER PERSON (\$400 value, funded by VicRoads Community Road Safety grants and MROC).







Mildura Rural City Council

SACRED HEART TENNIS CLUB

Saturday during winter juniors mornings seniors afternoons training & coaching for juniors thursdays after school 4pm-Spm training for seniors Thursday Spm onwards

FIND US ON FACEBOOK

CONTACT TESS 0438572970

JUNIOR TENNIS

Calling all junior tennis players! The Sunraysia District Tennis Association invites you to participate in this year's Winter Tennis Competition.

Held on Saturday mornings (9am - 11am) from May to September Open to all players, from beginners to A Grade

GOME AND TRY DAY SATURDAY MILDURA LAWN TENNIS CLUB

Hugh King Drive, Mildurd

Contact one of the Club Delegates listed below for further information or to register your child

3 MAY 2025, 9am

Carole - Sacred Heart:	sacredheartjuniors@gmail.com
Robyn – St Andrews:	robynherberte@gmail.com
Brenda – Sarnia:	brendaghornsby@gmail.com
Rob – Red Cliffs:	robbie@mannafarms.com.au
Louise – Alcheringa:	louiseswenolofsson@gmail.com
Cheryl – Wentworth:	cheryl.vines@bigpond.com

TENNIS IS A GREAT SPORT FOR KIDS!! Play tennis now and you will have a sport for life!

YOUTH RADIO Program

Mildura Rural City Council Youth Engagement Services is working in partnership with HOTFM Community Radio for a Youth Radio Program. The project provides young people aged 12 to 25 years an opportunity to plan and deliver a youth radio program.

What are the goals of the Youth Radio Project?

Our purpose of the radio project is to:

- Participate in radio broadcasting
- Create, plan and present content for a youth radio program
- Represent local and new music, arts and ideas
- Be involved in community radio

What are the expectations for young people?

- Work cooperatively with other members in delivering a youth radio program
- Preparation and broadcasting of a youth radio program
- Be involved as an active participant for Term 2 from 1 May 2025 to 12 June 2025 (seven weeks)
- Participate in training when required

When and where do we meet?

- The YES radio show is held live at HOTFM, Bryne Court, Mildura
- The youth radio program will be held on Thursdays from 4pm to 5pm during the school term
- Some additional hours involving evening, weekends and school holidays may be required at times
- All meetings, training and radio sessions will be supervised by Mildura Rural City Council Youth Engagement Services staff
- Transport assistance can be provided to young people to and from the radio station

What training will be offered:

All young people will be provided with opportunities to attend various training and development sessions. This may include induction training, occupational health and safety, media training, public speaking and radio programming.

The radio program training will cover the following:

- Introduction to radio how to develop a run sheet, select music, write a segment script
- What is community radio and why it's so important
- Idea generation how to come up with radio content
- Community broadcasting media law how to be a responsible radio presenter
- Your voice and how to use it
- Content creation
- Interview techniques
- Studio operation
- Program production and development
- Occupational Health & Safety

When do nomination close?

Nominations are ongoing and subject to group induction each term.

Visit www.mildura.vic.gov.au/YouthRadio for more information and to complete an online registration form.

Want to chat to someone about my application?

For more information or assistance, please contact the Youth Engagement Team on 03 5018 8100 or email youthservices@mildura.vic.gov.au





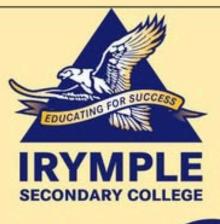






Friday, 2nd of May 2025 PupilFree Day

There will be no school on Friday, 2nd of May due to our Pupil Free Day.



We invite all prospective Year 7, 2026 students and their families to the

THURSDAY 8TH OF MAY 6PM TO 8PM

ISC OPEN NIGHT

Save the date and keep an eye on our Facebook & Instagram for further information

#theirympleway

FREE YOUTH SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.EVENTBRITE.COM.AU

ALL ACTIVITIES ARE FULLY SUPERVISED BY OUR FRIENDLY TRAINED STAFF

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT SERVICES

WEEK ONE ACTIVITIES

Monday 7 April 2025: 1pm-3pm Arnnie's Laserforce 62 Orange Avenue Mildura Ages: 12-17 years

Join in for two hours of action packed Laserforce. Play a variety of Laserforce games and enjoy free access to the arcade games and air hockey. Snacks provided.

Tuesday 8 April 2025: 9am-11am NITRO Golf 733 Fifteenth Street Mildura

Ages: 12-17 years

Experience two hours of fun playing golf on the indoor golf simulators. The indoor golf simulators provide supreme accuracy and realism. Snacks provided.

Wednesday 9 April 2025: 11am-2pm Chef for the Day: Mexican Cuisine SuniTAFE, 453 Benetook Avenue Mildura Ages: 12-17 years

A qualified Chef will guide you on how to prepare a popular Mexican flavoured dish. You also get time to sit and enjoy eating what you cooked.





For more information: Dawn Johnston 03 5018 8100 or youthservices@mildura.vic.gov.au





 Mildura Rural City Council

Thursday 10 April 2025 10am-12noon Lino Printing SuniTAFE, Skills & Job Centre 453 Benetook Avenue Mildura

Ages: 12-17 years

A two-hour session on the basics of lino printing with an etching press. You'll learn to transfer a hand-drawn original image onto a lino plate, various carving techniques and inking application.

Snacks provided.

Friday 11 April 2025 – 2pm-4pm Crafternoon - Craft activities Homebase, 89-91 Pine Avenue Mildura Ages: 12-17 years

Join us for Crafternoon at Homebase for some fun creative activities; paint a tote bag, T-shirt or shoes, and a make your own body scrub workshop. We'll provide the materials and fun. Snacks provided.



Council encourage the use of protective clothing, hats and sunscreen. 30+ sunscreen is provided, however young people can bring their own.

WEEK TWO ACTIVITIES

Monday 14 April 2025: 1pm-3pm Easter Craft Activity Mildura Scout Hall 39 Twelfth Street, Mildura Ages: 12-17 years

Marie, local artist will show us how to create a colourful Easter decorative bowl. Some chocolates may be involved! Snacks provided.

Tuesday 15 April 2025: 9.30am-1.30pm Accredited First Aid Training by Mildura First Aid Workingman's' Club, 100-110 Deakin Avenue Mildura Ages: 14-25 years

A "Provide First Aid – HLTAID011" training course is practical to know in case of an emergency and it looks great on your resume. An online component must be completed prior to course day. Bring your own snacks.

Wednesday 16 April 2025: 10.30am-12noon Dog Man Movie Wallis Cinema, 93 Deakin Avenue Mildura

Ages: 12-17 years Dog Man is half dog, and half man, he is sworn to protect and serve as he doggedly pursues feline supervillain Petey the Cat from cloning himself and going on a crime spree.

Bring your own \$\$ for snacks & drinks.

Thursday 17 April 2025: 11am-1pm 3x3 Basketball Comp & Social Back Court Mildura 2/12 Seventh Street East, Mildura

Ages: 12-17 years

Spend two hours with Sammy and his coaches at Back Court. We will have competitions, prizes and a social court just to shoot hoops. Pizzas & snacks provided.

FRIDAY 18 APRIL 2025 GOOD FRIDAY – PUBLIC HOLIDAY NO ACTIVITIES





Rivaside Hockey Club Missed out on a game of footy or

netball, why not give hockey a try?

Rivaside Hockey Club are looking for players in junior and senior grades. Come down to a training session for a run and see if hockey is the sport for you!

> Our training sessions are Wednesdays Aero Ovals- Gate C



Under 11's - 5.30 pm to 6.30 pm Under 13's - 5.30 pm to 6.30 pm Under 16's - 6.30 pm to 8.00 pm Seniors - 6.30 pm to 8.00 pm Season kicks off May 3, 2025







Please don't hesitate to email, text or call. 0435 054 012 Kerry Wood (President) rivasidehockeymildura@gmail.com www.facebook.com/RivasideHockeyClub