

# **ISC NEWSLETTER**

# Principals Report 01/09/2023.

It feels like we are nearing the end of the cold weather with a few nice days being thrown in currently. Nice weather seems to make us come out of our shells and we are seeing happy kids enjoying the new soccer goals, the ovals, basketball courts along with down ball and Pickle Ball.

Please start getting prepared for the warmer weather by visiting our uniform supplier – Branded Collective to purchase shorts and tops in readiness.

Unfortunately, due to inclement weather we had to postpone our planned Athletics Day last week to this past Wednesday. Despite the breezy conditions it was a great day with so many records being broken. Our students are wonderful and behave so well when in a public setting – this is a credit to the staff, parents and particularly the kids. The day ran like clockwork, and I thank Meg Hammond, all the PE staff and our House Captains for the wonderful work in planning and organising such a big whole school event.

Speaking of large events, the next one coming up is our School Production of Shrek. The cast under the guidance of Noeleen and her team have been working tirelessly rehearsing, designing, and making costumes and props ready for the show.

Week 10 (last week of term) progress reports will go live, and Parent Teacher Interviews will be held on the Wednesday 13th September. PT Interviews will be via phone again with bookings opening on Monday 11th September.

MORRISBY REPORTS AND INTERVIEWS (Career Insights) – this program for our Year 9 students is amazing. The feedback from our students and parents is so positive with all letting us know that it is a worthwhile experience. Again, we had such a fantastic turn out of parents accompanying our kids to the interviews and we thank parents for making the time to attend their appointments with their students. Thanks to Jackie Horkings, Sue, and the office team as well as the Humanities team for supporting students and parents with this.

# Jo McQuinn,

# Principal

#### ATHLETICS DAY

After unfortunately having to reschedule our Athletics due to poor weather, we managed to have a successful Carnival on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> of August at Aero ovals. It was so great to see #theirympleway on display and high participation numbers. A wonderful day was had by all and some excellent times and results recorded in both track and field events.

This year we continued with our 'Irymple Gift' event at the conclusion the day, which saw our 100m age winners all race off in a handicapped 100m event to determine the top 3 fastest students in the school. Congratulations to:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Josh Driscoll
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Eloise Kalms
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Aijay McDonald-Vozlic

#### Our Age group champions were:

- 13 Yrs Female Champion Eloise Kalms
- 13 Yrs Male Champion Aijay McDonald-Vozlic
- 14 Yrs Female Champion Annabelle Kennedy
- 14 Yrs Male Champion Joshua Driscoll
- 15 Yrs Female Champion Brea Wilson
- 15 Yrs Male Champion Jacob Price
- 16 Yrs Female Champions Milla Bambrick
- 16 Yrs Male Champions Steve Meimetis



### **ATHLETICS DAY**

#### **Records:**

There were 5 records which were broken on the day. These records were:

<u>Aijay McDonald-Vo</u> 2:34.60.	ozlic 13 Yrs M 800m – 2:28.33. Old record: Denholm Shaw (2019) –
	13 Yrs M 400m – 1:04.40. Old record: Franklyn Primarano (1991) –
1:05.35.	13 Yrs M 1500m – 5:09.20. Old record: Jordan Stainer (2015) – 5:22.06.
Eve Jukes	13 Yrs F 800m – 2:57.68. Old record: Latara Trigg (2017) – 2:59.70.
<u>Colby Marr</u>	14 Yrs M Discus – 36.52. Old record: David Lalotoa (2004) – 33.79

#### **House Results:**

The House championship was keenly contested throughout the day with Middleton taking the early lead, but it was Johansen who came out on top! Lloyd and Roberts battled it out for the minor places.

As is turns out, Johansen won by 85 points with a total of 1,152 points. Middleton finished  $2^{nd}$  on 1,067 points, Lloyd  $3^{rd}$  on 874 points and Roberts brought up the rear on 751 points.

Congratulations to all age group champions, record breakers and of course Johansen house on their success. A big thank you to all staff for their efforts on the day. Special thanks also to Mildura and District Little Athletics Club for their support and assistance on the day.



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### **CANTEEN NEWS**

Sushi Monday has been great! However, due to supply issues it will no longer be available until Term 4.



### **AROUND SCHOOL**

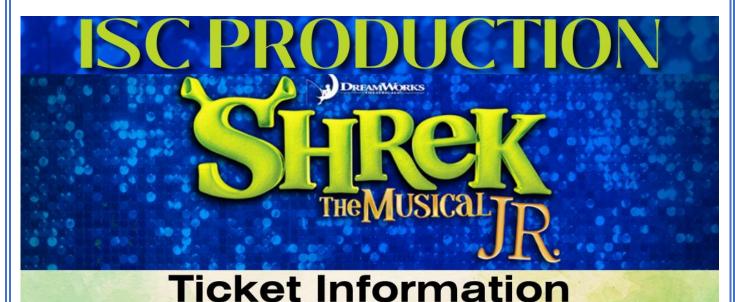
Thanks, Jeff, for putting up our new Soccer Goals! Students can now enjoy a game of soccer in our break times!



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#### **ISC PRODUCTION: TICKET INFORMATION**



Tickets for our production 'Shrek the Musical Jr' will be available from the Mildura Arts Centre from October 2nd. Prices are as follows:

\$20

Pension/Concession - \$17

Under 15's - \$10

Adult

Family of 4 - \$55

(Children under 15)

Mildura Art Centre -

Open daily, 10am – 4pm 199 Cureton Ave Mildura VIC 3500 Telephone: 03 5018 8330 Email: arts\_centre@mildura.vic.gov.au

## **MY CAREER INSIGHTS MORRISBY REPORTS**

We would like to thank our visiting careers advisors, Paul and Heather, who over the past 2 weeks have discussed with our Year 9 students about their careers aspirations.

The interviews have been helpful in getting students to think about careers and study options for the future.

Thanks to the many parents/carers who also attended. The interviewers were blown away by the number who accompanied their students.



#### THE BEAT

Well done to all our students who performed and helped at 'The Beat' last week!

Great to see so many of our past students performing too!



## SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Term 3 School Assembly will take place on the last Tuesday of the term, the 12th of September.

We invite all that would like to attend to meet us at the Irymple Leisure Centre at 12:40.

IRYMPLE

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# TERM 3 SCHOOL ASSEMBLY TUESDAY 12TH OF SEPTEMBER

Our Term 3 school assembly will take place at the Irymple Leisure Centre on the 12th of September at 12:40.

We invite all parents who would like to attend to meet us there!

## **MURRAY RIVER ART COLLECTION**

On the 10<sup>th</sup> of August at lunchtime students and staff were treated to delicious food & milkshakes served and prepared by our Cafe OverFLO, we painted some awesome murals and created some sidewalk art with Pavement Chalk!

The Murray River paintings looked amazing beside our Map Mural Space Gallery!

Thank you to Ms Clyne and all involved who made lunchtime so great!



## CHILD SAFETY AND WELLBEING AT IRYMPLE SECONDARY COLLEGE

Information for families and the school community

The Victorian Government has announced new Child Safe Standards to further strengthen child safety across organisations, including schools. The new standards recognise the critical importance of families and the broader school community in maintaining and promoting child safety and wellbeing.

Irymple Secondary College has reviewed and updated our child safety policies and procedures to ensure they meet the requirements of the new standards. These are available to view via the school website, which can be accessed by following this link <u>https://www.irysec.vic.edu.au/key-documents</u>

We are committed to continuous improvement in our approach to child safety and wellbeing and welcome feedback from families and members of our school community on ways we can further strengthen our child safety policies, procedures, and practices.

If you have any suggestions, comments, or questions, please contact Principal, Jo McQuinn on 03 5024 5407, or via email to Irymple.sc@education.vic.gov.au

# **OUTSIDE NEWS**

Hello, my name is Neil Heyme. I'm a Tennis Australia coach with over 30 years' experience.

I'm going to be the NEW Coach at Mildura Lawn Tennis Club.

I will be holding SIGN ON mornings for Term 4 after school Tennis Coaching and Saturday mornings.

SIGN On will be on Sat 7th October and Sunday 8th October from 9am till 12 noon on both days.

If anyone wants to book before, they can Email neilstennis@hotmail.com

Thanking You,

Neil Heyme ph. 0407058211





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# Mildura 10,000 Steps Challenge

# Sun 1st Oct - Tues 31st Oct 2023



To register your team - visit <u>https://schs.com.au/health-promotion/physical-activity-initiatives/10000-steps</u> and follow the online registration process.

- Registrations Open from: 21st August to 28th September 2023
- Early Bird Registration: Register your team by the 1st September & ALL team members will recieve a 10 visit pass to Mildura Waves
  Participation is FREE and open to all ages and abilities!



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# WHAT DOES C.H.A.I.L.I.S. STAND FOR? Children having an illness living in sunraysia

The aim of C.H.A.I.L.I.S. is to raise funds, hope and awareness for families with children in Sunraysia living with an illness or life impacting disability.

Each family is supported on an individual needs basis. Ways we help may include the following:

Monetary

- Travel or Accommodation
- Medical Equipment
- Assistance with Expenses

Much of the fundraising has been aimed at helping families with children going through life threatening conditions including Cancer, Leukaemia, Epilepsy and other diseases and disabilities. 100% of funds donated are given to our families.

We provide financial assistance to Parents during the duration of time their child is receiving treatment and provide a caring and supportive network for families of children living with an illness. Sunraysia families with a child with a serious illness or organisations who assist families are able to apply for support.

Contact us either via our Facebook Page or our website and complete the application form so we can confirm your eligibility for assistance.

#### Make a donation online or over the counter at any branch of the Bendigo Bank

Acc Name: CHAILIS BSB: 633000 Bank: Bendigo Bank Acc: 153833629



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# TRY SOMETHING NEW

YOU WILL NEED: GOGGLES, DRINK BOTTLE, BATHERS, TOWEL TWO FREE TRIAL SESSIONS

FRIDAY 25TH AUGUST & FRIDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER

5:00-6:30PM

MILDURA INDOOR POOL

#### IMPORTANT:

Open to primary and secondary students.

Swimmers must be able to swim a lap of freestyle and backstroke (or almost).

This is NOT a learn to swim program. Pool entry to be paid at the Waves counter. SWIMMING TRAINING RACES DIVING BLOCKS NOVELTY EVENTS



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