



Mitch Tambo

I'm sure most of you had excited students come home on Monday, telling you about our visit from Mitch Tambo. Mitch was absolutely brilliant. He had everyone up dancing during his performance and spent time with Years 4-10 students in sessions back at school. At our staff professional learning session, Mitch shared his story of growing up and gave us some information about Aboriginal culture. Seeing the excitement and buzz around the school really made everyone's day.

Student Voice

In Term 2, we are offering our students the opportunity to participate in the NSW Public Schools Student Survey. The survey gives students the chance to share their thoughts and feelings about life at school, including questions about their engagement, learning experiences and wellbeing at school. Hearing directly from our students will help us understand what's working well and where improvements can be made to our school. The survey is confidential, takes around 10 to 15 minutes to complete, and will be conducted online during school hours. Participation is voluntary. If you prefer your child not to participate, please complete the opt-out consent form, which will be sent home, and return it to the school. Further information about the survey is available at <https://education.nsw.gov.au/npss>

Public Speaking Competition

Today I enjoyed being a judge in our primary public speaking competition. I'm so proud to see so many of our students get up and have a go, especially those who had to push themselves out of their comfort zone.

Until next week,
Terrie Payne



Spotlight

**Congratulations to
Shay-Lee Crofts who
was part of the Under
15's Riverina Girls
AFL team who came
runners up at the
NSWCHS AFL
Championships!**

Principal: Mrs Terrie Payne

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Term 2 Week 3					16 May National Walk Safely to School Day Canteen: Lisa Crofts
Term 2 Week 4	19 May Scholastic Book Club Issue 3 orders due back P&C Meeting 1.30 to 3pm Canteen: Ashley Heath	20 May	21 May	22 May	23 May Lower Lachlan Cross Country @ Ungarie Canteen: Lisa Crofts
Term 2 Week 5	26 May Year 9 White Card Course (2 days) Yr 10 Evolution Mining's Cowal Operation School Day Canteen: Sheree Birks	27 May CWA Public Speaking Competition Sam Byrne - Wiradjuri Language and Culture Workshop	28 May	29 May UCS Athletics Carnival	30 May Canteen: Tara Rowling
Term 2 Week 6	2 Jun Canteen: Mel Roberts	3 Jun Secondary Volleyball Gala Day @ Blayney	4 Jun	5 Jun Stage 5 Macbeth @ Leeton	6 Jun Canteen: Marreesha Chantrill
Term 2 Week 7	9 Jun King's Birthday Public Holiday	10 Jun Sam Byrne - Wiradjuri Language and Culture Workshop	11 Jun	12 Jun 5/6 Leadership with Sally Russell	13 Jun Canteen: Tara Rowling



Happy Birthday May

20th	Imogen Chantrill
21st	Jack Douglas
29th	Adelaide Ward

SUPER SPELLERS

K/1/2 **Wk 2:** Leo McClintock, Hannah Jenkins, Claire Ward, Ava Ward and Alainah Banham

Wk 3: Ava Ward, Hannah Jenkins, Leo McClintock, Alainah Banham, Connor Hoskinson, George Webster and Daisy Rossiter

3/4 Ivy McKay, Katalina Brown, Piper Gerhard, Hayden Ward, Mason Gray, Freya Rowling, Ava McClintock, Madelyn Hoskinson and Neve Rossiter

5/6 Scarlett Brown, Aiden Hoskinson, Adelaide Ward, Lucy Ward, Isla Rossiter, Hailey Ward and Taylah Tolley



Tomorrow, is National Walk Safely to School Day!

To support this important event and to help our students learn about road safety, all K-6 students will participate in a short walk to practise safe road behaviours.

We encourage all families to consider walking to school on this day, if possible, to further reinforce the benefits of staying healthy and active.

Thank you for your support in promoting road safety!

HARDWORKING HUMBUG AWARD



Isla Rossiter
Year 6



Charlotte Hoskinson
Year 7



Taylah Ward
Year 7

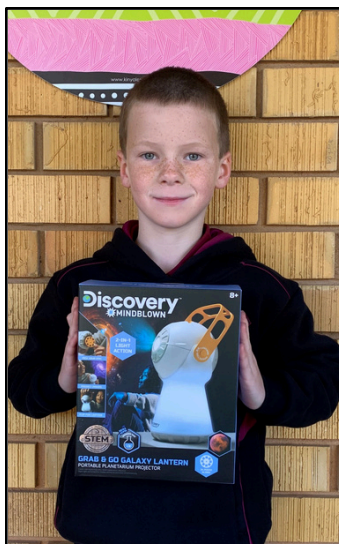
10 Humbug High Five
Awards

'HUMBUG HIGH FIVE' AND SPORTS AWARD RECIPIENTS FOR WEEK 2



ATTENDANCE DRAW 95%+

Congratulations to Leo McClintock, Claire Ward, Darcy Cattle and Alex Jackson on winning the Week 1 and 2, 95% and above attendance draw.

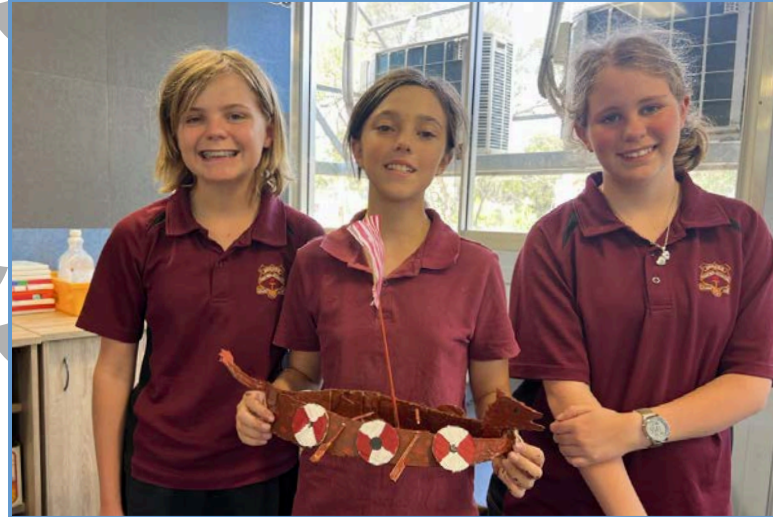


7/8 SAIL THROUGH THE VIKING AGE

To wrap up Term 1 and their studies on the Viking Age, students in Year 7/8 were split into 4 groups and took on the challenge of designing and building their own Viking ships. This hands-on project helped consolidate their learning about Viking life, exploration, and shipbuilding.

On Wednesday, 9th April, the students, with Mrs Bussenschutt, made their way to the Humbug Creek to test their boats. The 4 boats underwent 3 tests, with some, sinking quickly. Students competed for two awards: Most Historically Accurate Viking Ship and Best Floating Boat.

The winners for Most Historically Accurate were: Mia Boschko, Charlotte Hoskinson and Taylah Ward, while Caleb Protheroe, Owen Jackson, and Linden Olsen - O'Connor took out the crown for Best Floating Boat.



K/1/2 are on the hunt!

To kick off Science in Term 2, K/1/2 students learnt about magnifying glasses, telescopes and binoculars and discussed how they can help us make more detailed observations. Students then made their own binoculars to help them observe objects around the classroom.

Students used their binoculars in a scavenger hunt with Mrs Bussenschutt and Miss Kate. Their aim was to find items made from different materials including glass, plastic, metal and timber. This activity helped students practise their observation skills and learn more about the materials in everyday items.



Riverina U15's claim 2nd at AFL Championships

A huge congratulations to Shay-Lee Crofts for her superb performance with the Riverina U15's Girls representative team! Shay-Lee and the team competed at the NSWCHS Girls Australian Football Championships held in Tuggerah from May 7th to 9th.

On Day 1, Shay-Lee and her talented teammates achieved an impressive two victories, boasting exceptional scores against Sydney East and West Darling. On Day 2, Riverina faced Sydney West and suffered a loss, but they didn't let this deter them from their next match against Hunter-a nail-biter! At full time, the score was 8 apiece, and after extra time, the girls managed to secure a score of 9-8, earning them a place in the Grand Final! This marks the first time the Riverina U15's Girls have advanced to the NSWCHS Girls Australian Football Championships Grand Final.

The big dance was against Sydney North. The girls showcased their skills and competed fiercely. Their determination and teamwork paid off, as they earned a fantastic 2nd place overall!

We couldn't be prouder of Shay-Lee's unwavering spirit, sportsmanship, and commitment to her team.

Way to go, Shay-Lee!

"It was a good, fun experience to play and meet so many new people. A lot of the girls are actually from around here so there's a possibility I could see them again. It was good to make new friends."

Shay-Lee



2025 U15's
Riverina
Representative
Team

Mitch Tambo brings the beat!

On Monday 12th May, our school was buzzing with energy as students gathered at the Ungarie War Memorial Hall for an exciting performance by Mitch Tambo! Mitch is a proud singer/songwriter, social worker, and advocate for youth and culture. A proud Gamilaraay and Birri Gubba man and *Australia's Got Talent* finalist, Mitch blends traditional Gamilaraay language with English in reimagined classics and originals and has over 70 songs on Spotify. Mitch's powerful vocals and infectious beats had everyone dancing and clapping from the first note!



The performance was more than just music - Mitch shared his culture, explaining the stories and significance of many of his songs. He also welcomed questions from curious students, creating a meaningful and interactive experience. To top it all off, Shay-Lee led a conga line, which led back to the stage where Mitch joined in the fun!

After recess, Mitch held a Yarning Circle for students in Years 4-10. Students participated in a silent healing practice and ended the session with a cultural song and dance. Mitch spent his lunchtime playing basketball with our secondary students before diving into a workshop with students from Years 5-8. They looked at artifacts and animals and listened to and learnt about the didgeridoo, more traditionally called the Yidaki.

Finally, staff were involved in an enriching workshop where they learnt more about Mitch's backstory and his belief that the adversity and challenges he has faced have enabled him to become the strong, confident and compassionate person he is. Staff also learnt about life before colonisation from an Indigenous perspective.

The workshops provided a lot of insight, understanding and new perspectives for everyone. It was an unforgettable experience that brought joy, movement, and cultural pride to students from all year levels. What a way to start the week!



Sunday

1ST JUNE 2025

LITTLE FREEZE

OLD FARTS  **RIDE  MND**

AUCTION:
FREEZE YOUR FAVE!



**BBQ
LUNCH**

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Gold coin donation:
face painting | games | piñata | raffle

ENTERTAINMENT BY **LAUREN WILESMITH**

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CENTRAL
HOTEL
— UNGARIE —



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UNGARIE BOWLING CLUB Friday 16th May

Members Jackpot draw this week is \$8,500



RAFFLES drawn @ 7.30pm

Happy Hour 7-8pm

Higher & Lower

Kitchen open between 6-8pm

Friday Night Specials

T - Bone steak \$25

Prawn Cutlets \$16

**All meals served with choice of vegies or salad,
chips or mash, sauce or gravy**

Dine in or takeaway!

*Bowlo
Kitchen*

Round 6 - Saturday 17th May v Lake Cargelligo @ Lake

Ungarie play Lake this weekend as we begin the second round.

Let's all get out to the footy/netty and support our teams.

Go Pies!

Please check the scoring rosters for any duties this weekend and find a replacement if you are unable to do your turn.

Thank you for your support of the club.

Game Times

Football

Auskick - 9am

11s - 10am

14s - 11.20am

17s - 12.45pm

Seniors - 2.30pm

Netball

10s & 16s - 9.30am

13s & C Grade - 10.45am

B Grade - 12 noon

A Grade - 1.15pm

No C Res this week.



Please be at the game half hour before your game to get ready and warm up.

If you are unavailable to play this weekend, please let your coach know asap.

There's plenty of events happening around the club, so make sure to put the following dates on your calendar.

Sat 24th May - Round 7 v WWG - Sponsor's Day

Sun 1st June - Griffith Auskick Gala Day

Sat 7th June - General Bye - AFL Auskick Halftime Game

Sat 12th July - Round 13 v Hillston - Reunion & Old Boys Day

Sat 19th July - Round 14 v Tullibigeal - Ladies Day