Cardross Primary School Newsletter

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From the Principal's desk

What a term! There has been so much learning take place, and it has been great to see students making connections to their prior learning. The staff have done an incredible job in targeting the needs of their students, while also spending many hours of their own time collating data and writing student reports.

We have finished our recruitment process for a business manager, and are very happy to announce Kylie Fotheringham was the selected candidate. Kylie will begin at the start of Term 3, with a 3 week cross over with Ann to learn some of the ins and outs of the position.

I will be taking long service leave at the start of Term 3 – Kelly Thornton will be Acting Principal in my absence. I will be returning on Thursday 7th August.

I wish everyone a fantastic holiday when they start in a week and a half – stay safe and warm!

PJ Day

Our upcoming PJ Day is raising money for those in need – please bring a gold coin donation. Please note; students must wear proper enclosed shoes, no crocs. They may wear slippers in their classrooms but need shoes for recess and lunch.

Wet clothes

Over the past couple of weeks, a number of students have required changing due to wet clothes. We have very few items of clothing we can give to students. Please pack a change of clothes in your child's bag in case they are needed.

Parent's Club

Parent's Club are hosting a meeting Tuesday 1st July at 9am. Fundraisers for this year will be discussed. Everyone is welcome to come – many hands make light work!

Upcoming Dates:

June

27th	Student led conferences (no classes on this day)

July

1st	9am Parent's Club meeting in the staff room
2nd	Reports sent home
4th	Last day Term 2, dismissal 2:15pm
21st	First Day Term 3
23rd	Lightning Prem for grade 5/6

August

5th	School Council 6pm
8th	Ann's last day
12th	Ms Bell attending a conference
15th	School athletics day
22nd	Book week dress up day
26th	Ms Bell attending a conference
28-29th	Grade 3 camp

17 June—4th August

Lucy McManus, Sage Kennedy, Dakota Babington, Jennifer Cashen, Hamish Balog, Otto Hamence, Pippa Talent, Abigail Rowe, Indiana Bennett, Isabelle O'Connor, Lexi Bailey, Hadlie Gillies, Harry Gillies, Henry Webley, Bray Trinick, Jaxson Brereton

ROLL OF HONOUR

All of the Preps	Showing great resilience and flexibility with Mrs Zeppel in the class for the week. Well done & Thank you Preps!	Iyla Wake	Encouraging her peers to make good choices
Aleiya Wake & Lexie Knights	Outstanding work in their first-ever Socratic Circle!	Dainah Bailey, Braxton Taylor, Ostyn Poole & Blake Nunn	Reflecting on their character, owning mistakes and striving for improvements
Will Witte	Challenging yourself in your learning with Miss Bell	Maisie Calder, Alecia Reynolds & Patrick Johnson	Approaching end of term assessments with a growth mindset and striving to answer every question with accuracy
Reece Barone	Consistently reading at home and reaching over 100 nights	Andrew Seddon Kerr	Working hard on his assessments with a positive attitude
Ostyn Poole, Otto Hamence, Darcy Webley & Eli Fotheringham	Reflecting honestly about their effort and behaviour this semester	Christian Berrett & Miya Poole	Thoughtfully reflecting on their maths learning journey

Cardross Learner Dispositions:

Character, citizenship, collaboration, communication, creativity and critical thinking

Mappen

Throughout this term, the 4/5/6 students have been researching significant events and people in Australia's history. Here are some fun facts and interesting things that they have been learning about their chosen event or person!

There were over 2000 homes destroyed in the Black Saturday fires.

Cyclone Mahina is the deadliest cyclone on record in Australia.

The arrival of the First Fleet was in Botany Bay in 1788.

There were no tanks in the landing on Gallipoli.

Emus can run up to 50km/hour and were too smart to gather in large groups, making them difficult to target during the Great Emu War.

Get skating these Winter School Holidays! Head down to Mildura City Heart, pull on some skates and glide across the eco-ice rink! This is an activity for our whole community – from beginner to expert, and young to young at heart - all skaters are welcome!

Skating and Curling Sessions
Friday 4th to Sunday 20th July, 2025
Langtree Mall, Mildura
Daily from 10am til 8:30pm
Kids up to 12yo: $15, Adults from 13+ $20, Curling from $40 and more!

Each session has limited spots, so gather your friends and family and get in quick!
For session bookings or Frequently Asked Questions, go to HTTPS://MILDURACITYHEART.COM.AU/EVENT/SKATE-MILDURA/

For more information, contact Mildura City Heart on 03 5023 8010 or INFO@MILDURACITYHEART.COM.AU or pop into the office at 63a Langtree Mall, Mildura.

Don't miss the coolest school holiday activity this Winter!

Stepping Stones
Children's Services

If you are interested in enrolling your children to our After school care service please contact the school for more information or contact the service directly (Dilara & Hailey) on 0499 246 226.
After school care operates Mon-Fri from 3:00-6:00pm.

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