**Student of the Week**

**P/1 Abby-Mae Dean** for contributing in Circle Time and for being a great listener.

**1/2F Shannon Shovan** for working hard to make new friends and settle into a new classroom routine.

**3/4G Jamie Francis** for running lap after lap during Cross Country practice.

**4/5/6M Dylan Butler** for always participating in classroom activities with enthusiasm.

**5/6U Bridget Rasmussen** for showing confidence and enthusiasm during our classroom debate.
Welcome

We have two new students at our school both Shannon and Bethany are in Grade 1/2 with Miss Fillmore. They are settling in well and we welcome both the girls and their families to our school.

Cross Country

On Monday many Grade 3-6 students participated in the yearly cross country event at Eildon, running against students from our cluster schools. All students have all been training twice a week this term and we are going to continue this training for all students in Prep to Grade 6. The results from yesterday were Harriet Rasmussen 7th and Melina Zipsin 8th in the Grade 3 event. The following students will be running in the Zone Cross Country on the 1st June at the Yea Golf Club. In the 11 year old event Dylan Butler ran 3rd, Johnny Turvey 7th, Tyffany Potts 7th and Keira Lawrence 8th. In the 12 year old group Hayley Lawrence was 1st, Sophie Stares 7th, Lily Marsden 6th and Michael Cudmore was 6th. The top eight in each age group are entitled to run at Zone. Congratulations to all the students who competed and good luck to the students representing our school at the Zone Cross Country event. Thank you to Deb Male for organising our training and entries for the Eildon Cross Country.

All Prep to Grade 2 students participated in a cross country race at school on Monday and had a lot of fun running against the students in their grade level. When we returned from Eildon there were many proud students showing me their ribbons.

Sports Equipment

T Ball is a game enjoyed by many grades and is a terrific game for students to learn catching, throwing and hitting. As these areas improve they also learn the tactics required in the field to be successful as a team. At some stage this term our two good metal green and silver bats have gone missing. We would love these to be returned as we are left with an aged wooden bat.

Uniform

The Grade 6 students are wearing their Grade 6 rugby jumpers and jackets with pride. They look fantastic and seem to be lovely and warm. The school uniform is being worn by most students and the girls’ hair is tied up. I am concerned with the footwear of some students. The school shoe is black or plain white runners. Some students are wearing very light weight canvas or slip on shoes that get very wet on the oval and are not appropriate for sporting activities. There are plenty of second hand jumpers to purchase from the uniform shop.

Contact Numbers

Please let the school know if your contact details change. In the last week I have had trouble contacting two families as the phone numbers had been disconnected.

With thanks

Debbie George

Drinks at School

Just a reminder that students need to bring water only in their drink bottles. Fruit juices and cordials are not recommended as they have an adverse effect on learning.

Fruit Snack

Fresh fruit only is recommended for fruit snack. Please send fruit that is easily handled, for example apples, mandarins and grapes.

Earn and Learn

This year we are collecting stickers to fill charts from Safeway and Woollies. Please remember to get the stickers if you shop there. Thanks to those who have already brought in a full chart or have collected some. This will enable us to buy free stuff for school. The P/1/2 area are keen to buy a world globe amongst other things. So keep those stickers coming.
(please ask friends or relatives to collect too!!)

Thanks

Sal and Mrs Madden
Rosebank Visits

Every fortnight on a Wednesday a grade will visit Rosebank. Prep/Ones visited last Wednesday, they read, sang and generally spread some cheer. It was a very successful visit, Grade 5/6 will be visiting next week.