



Dear Parents,

It's been great reading the Semester 1 reports over the past week, seeing all the great work the students have been completing. What has been really pleasing to see is the understanding that teachers have shown on how students engage in their work. Based on feedback from parents, we've worked hard as a staff to bring a more personal report to you that highlights the strengths and weaknesses of each student, whilst still discussing academic growth. As Principal, it's been nice to read the amount of similarities between all our grades, showing we are working on building students through the same processes. These include; the Reader's Workshop, VCOP, Big Writes, Cold Writes, problem solving in Maths, MAPPEN and our RIPPER values.

As the weather turns colder, coming into the depths of winter, we have noticed some liberties being taken with the school uniform. We don't mind, in fact we encourage, students to wear warm waterproof coats to protect from the winter chill, but this shouldn't be in place of school jumpers or uniforms. We have also noticed some different colour undergarments being worn under polo tops which are not part of the School Uniform Policy. Our latest policy is available on the website for you to have a look at.

Tomorrow afternoon, students from Mrs Drinken's and Mrs Dinelli's grades will be holding their 'Travel Expo' which relates to their MAPPEN inquiries for Term 2. I've been watching with interest the amount of research and work that has gone into each one of their projects. This is what our student agency is all about. Whilst students have had certain parameters to work in, 80% of the choice has been their own. They have decided which European or North American country they wanted to research, they chose how they would like to present their information and what each of their stalls will look like. They have had guidance from the teachers through the journey and every student has to show answers to the same questions, but it's up to them how they do that. I am really looking forward to the end product.

Well done to all the senior students who represented the school and themselves at the Regional Cross Country at Warragul last week. Congratulations to Milee Hayes who made it through to the next round and will compete at the State Championships in July. Best of luck Milee.

**Adam Downes - Principal**

## **Afternoon Tea for Adam**

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2019 from 3:30pm - 4:30pm**

**All parents are invited to come along to farewell Adam on the 27<sup>th</sup> June in the Multi Purpose room. If you could bring a plate of afternoon tea to share, that will be appreciated. This is being organised by the parents, so if you have any queries please contact Renee Paulet.**

### **WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN**

Our total is now at 10,080 points! Woolworths Traralgon had run out of the stickers, but apparently if you keep your docket you can claim them if and when they get more in. I've contacted Earn & Learn to query this but had no response unfortunately. I have just emailed them again asking if we can use the points on dockets, so if you are able to just send that bit in I'll keep them "just in case". Stickers can be collected up to 25<sup>th</sup> June (if they become available!).

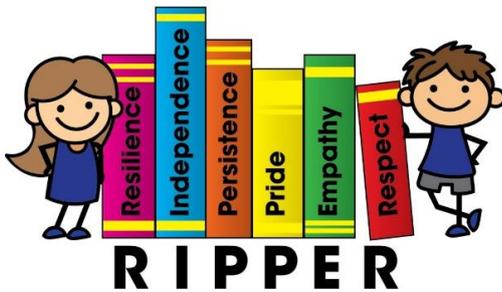
### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

27 <sup>th</sup> June	Thu	Parents Afternoon Tea for Adam - 3:30pm - 4:30pm
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Fri	End of Term 2 - <b>1:30PM Dismissal</b>
16 <sup>th</sup> July	Mon	Term 3 Begins

## CROSS COUNTRY - REPORT BY MILEE HAYES GRADE 4/5

On Thursday the 13<sup>th</sup> of June 2019, Evan Pass, Kate Edgar, Milee Hayes, Ford Gore and Eva Prior went to cross country at Lardner Park, Warragul. Everybody did an amazing job. Evan, Kate and Milee had to run 3 kilometres and Ford and Eva ran 2 kilometres. The first 12 people made it through. Evan was in 12/13 boys and came 38<sup>th</sup>, Milee and Kate were in 11 girls and Milee came 7<sup>th</sup> and Kate came 17<sup>th</sup>, Eva was in 9/10 girls and placed 28<sup>th</sup> and Ford was in 9/10 boys and placed 16<sup>th</sup>. So I, Milee made it through to State! Thank you to the parents for taking us to cross country.

### Student Awards - Week Ending 14<sup>th</sup> June 2019



Prep	Abraham Gipp	For being a respectful listener and participant in Auslan.
1	Piper Rohde	For showing persistence with all learning tasks.
2/3	Milla Phelan	For demonstrating our RIPPER values with a big smile.
4/5	James Guy	For persisting in all his work and challenging himself to be the best he can.
6	Isabella Hart	For display empathy to others and standing up for what is right in the playground.
Art/Music	Heath Kamphuis	For displaying RIPPER values in Music.
P.E.	Milee Hayes	For showing persistence and resilience to qualify for State Cross Country.

## The Traralgon College

Production of

# Disney MULAN JR.

Music and Lyrics by  
Matthew Wilder and David Zippel,  
Stephen Schwartz,  
Jeanine Tesori and Alexa Junge

Music Adapted and Arranged  
and Additional Music and Lyrics by  
Bryan Louiselle

Book Adapted and Additional Lyrics by  
Patricia Coffer

Based on the 1998 Disney film "Mulan"  
and the story "Fa Mulan"  
by Robert D. San Souci

Licensed exclusively by music Theatre International (Australasia).

All performance materials supplied by Hal Leonard Australia.

**THURSDAY 20 JUNE, 7.00PM**

**FRIDAY 21 JUNE, 7.00PM**

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