



# Coleambally Central School Newsletter

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## Important Dates:

**6th September:** Orienteering Excursion Yr 7/8,

**8th September:** Year 7 2023 Information Evening

**9th September:** Redtember - Ronald McDonald House Charity

**14th, 15th September:** Year 12 Excursion

**20th September:** Primary Spring Concert

**21st September:** Year 12 Farewell Assembly

Stage 5 Food Technology - Special Occasion Cake Decoration



## Principal's Message

What an awesome book week parade last Friday. Congratulations to students and staff for their costumes and for all of the incredible costume design skills and the time parents have taken to make a special event. Thank you to all the organising Teachers and parents who attended (I was dressed as Zoro).

Redtember is the 9 September. All students and staff are encouraged to wear red and bring a gold coin donation to support Ronald McDonald House.

The Primary Spring Concert will be at the Coleambally Community Club on Tuesday 20th September from 11.30am. Come along and enjoy an afternoon of dance.

HSC Trials have been underway over the last two weeks and stage 6 students are building towards final study and assessment in preparation for HSC exams from week 1 next term. I am looking forward to my first opportunity to farewell Year 12 students on Wednesday 21st September.

There have been some recent technical issues. A reminder to all that Yondr pouches are brought to school by secondary students each day, even when phones are left at home. We need to also ensure that Yondr pouches are kept in good condition and good working order. As we have found some unauthorised apps and downloads on secondary laptops we have needed to reimagine all of the machines. This should be completed and laptops ready again for learning in Week 9.

There has been an active staff recruitment over this term and I am hoping to be able to welcome new teachers and executive members to Coleambally Central School soon. More as it happens

Micheal Burke

Principal

### The Happiest Refugee /The Little Refugee

Year 10 English have been reading 'The Happiest Refugee' and Year 2/3 have been reading 'The Little Refugee' both written by Anh Do. The two classes combined to share their knowledge and work together. Year 10 students learnt about reciprocal reading and took part in the process with a Year 2/3 partner then our younger learners became the experts to teach our older students about the features of 'The Little Refugee'.

Students collaborated to compare and contrast the two texts - and had a lot of fun doing it!

Thank you to Miss Phillips and Year 2/3 for hosting Year 10.

**REDTEMBER - WEAR RED TO SCHOOL - 9th September 2022.**  
**GOLD COIN DONATION**





# BOOK WEEK



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## Year 7 Science - Escape Room.





Science Week 2022

Primary students collaborated to make balloon rockets during Science Week.



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## Primary Awards Week 5

### Kindergarten

**Harley Shields** for displaying persistence in writing and excellent progress in Spelling. **Harper Pound** for your wonderful effort in literacy and numeracy. You are making excellent progress! **Jacob Burke** for sharing and demonstrating his mathematical reasoning when problem solving during class discussions.

### Year 1

**Willow Pound** for demonstrating enthusiasm during Dance lessons and composing movement sequences in line with the music tempo. **Layla Heath** for displaying resilience when solving multiplicative problems. **Alex Cooney** for recognising tricky words when reading and confidently sounding out unknown words.

### Year 2/3

**Kyllie Mabulac** for Showing persistence and determination when competing at school league tag. **Poppy Jackson** for showing resilience when overcoming sporting challenges. **Brock Shields** for attempting new and unfamiliar tasks with a positive attitude.

### Year 4

**Jaide Pound** for excellence in athletics and mathematics particularly when working with measurement. **Harriet Bolton** for attention to detail in informative writing and landscape art. **Daniel Williams-Schaefer** for consistently approaching all areas of learning with a positive attitude to continue improving.

### Year 5/6

**Hannah Vremaric** for being a courteous, thoughtful and responsible class member. Well Done! **Zoe Steinhardt** for her consistent effort in composing a literacy recount. Great work! **Kyuss O'Brien** for completing class tasks and settling into year 5/6. Welcome Kyuss

## Primary Awards Week 7

### Kindergarten

**Hamish Heath** for displaying persistence and determination when learning dance routines. **Adele Wilson** for always displaying a positive attitude towards her learning. **Shem Mabulac** for being an enthusiastic class member and showing significant growth in all areas of his learning.

### Year 1

**Joey Adams** for identifying quarters in shapes and collections of objects and correctly using the fraction symbol for quarters. **Marty Carroll** for using the positional language 'left' and 'right' and partnering with the correct body parts when composing dance movements. **Oliver Shields** for including adverbs and adjectives in his sentences each day.

### Year 2/3

**Raedn-Pearl Martin** for showing persistence when reading unfamiliar texts. **Noah Flewitt** for effectively using comprehension skills to locate and justify answers.

### Year 4

**Connor Munn** for using additive strategies to successfully represent partitioned decimals and fractions. **Miley Motbey** for demonstrating leadership when summarising and clarifying in reading groups. **Dakota Greenwood** for applying positive problem-solving skills during drama and dance performances.

### Year 5/6.

**Andrew Fattore** for composing and working diligently to improve his historical factual recount on 'The Eureka Stockade'. Fantastic effort! **Brock Williams-Jenkins** for composing a historical recount about 'The Eureka Stockade', utilising difficult and challenging words within his composition. Well done! **Tara Bedard** for her consistent effort applied to composing factual recounts and for her newfound confidence in mathematics. Keep up the great work!



## Primary Assembly Week 5 & 7



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## COLEAMBALLY CENTRAL SCHOOL

### Year 6 into Year 7 Transition

### Parent/Carer Information



#### **PARENT/CARER INFORMATION EVENING**

**When:** 6:00pm – 7:00pm Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2022

**Where:** Coleambally Central School Library

(COVID-19 procedures apply & all visitors must check-in via QR code on the library entry door)

**What:** Information Session

**Who:** Parents/Carers of students enrolling in Year 7 in 2023

**LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED. ALL WELCOME.**



#### **ORIENTATION DAYS**

**Who:** 2023 Year 7 Students

**Where:** Coleambally Central School

**What:** Orientation Days

**When:** Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2022 9:00am – 3:25pm

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2022 9:00am – 3:25pm

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2022 9:00am – 3:25pm



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#### **COLEAMBALLY CENTRAL SCHOOL WELCOMES**





## Careers

### The Opportunity

Murrumbidgee Irrigation is launching its 2022/2023 Apprentice and Trainee opportunities. We are looking for enthusiastic people to join our team in the following positions (click each opportunity for the relevant position description).

- [Apprentice - Mechanic](#)
- [Apprentice - Metal fabrication \(boilermaker/welder\)](#)
- [Trainee - Civil maintenance \(2 year term\)](#)
- [Trainee - Customer administration \(1 year term\)](#)

See the flyer attached to this newsletter...

## Community Announcements



# ColCom

**Coleambally Community Stage Production Company**

Now Recruiting Local Children/Youth For.....

**'ON BROADWAY'**

**"THE MUSICAL"**

All Musical – no prior experience required with **ALL** children/Youth invited to take part in this spectacular Stage Production of a collection of Broadway Musical Hits.

All for Charity!

**SHOWNIGHT:** Saturday Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Coleambally Community Club.

**Rehearsals:** Thursday afternoon's, 3.30pm - Starting September 15<sup>th</sup>  
and some Saturday rehearsals (time and dates TBC)

Parental Permission Required

Please leave your name at the Schools' office for collection.

More information will be provided at the first rehearsal. Hope to see you there!

Please contact Jane McMillan, Jessica Pound or Janet Lamont if you require further information.



# Community Announcements

## *Coleambally Squash Club Notices*

### Junior Squash Tournament

Coleambally Squash Club will be starting a junior squash tournament which will run until Christmas Holidays. This tournament is for new and existing school aged players. If you are a new player you will need to be graded contact Neil Burke or Cate Hardy for further details. Cost: \$30 When: Thursday afternoon 4pm Contact: Cate Hardy 04 13885278 or Neil Burke 04 28281919

## JOB VACANCY

### Job Title: Casual bus driver

C and J Robertson is a privately owned, family run business that has been operating in the Griffith, Coleambally, Rankins Springs and Goolgowi district for over 35 years.

We are looking for multiple caring and committed individuals to join our team as a bus driver in Coleambally.

Robertson's have been transporting our local children to and from school for 25 +years, we have always employed local people. We are desperately looking for locals with a NSW open licence to obtain a LR or MR drivers licence & Bus driver Authority. All training and government requirements will be provided on the job.

If you are 25 years of age or older, retired, semi retired or just looking for a bit of extra money on a fill in Bases or maybe a casual permanent position if one arises, 40 weeks a year/ 5 days, split shifts a week, 12 weeks holiday a year.



### Country Education Foundation of Coleambally-Darlington Point:

Applications open on 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2022 for education grants for study in 2023. Study could be at university, TAFE, VET courses, apprenticeships, traineeships.

Students residing in postcodes 2706 and 2707 who have a financial need and have shown commitment to their goals are eligible to apply at [www.cef.org.au](http://www.cef.org.au). Applications close on 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2022.

### CICL Grant Latta Bonded Scholarships for 2023.

Coleambally Irrigation Cooperative Ltd in conjunction with CEF Coleambally-Darlington Point are pleased to offer the CICL Grant Latta Bonded Scholarship for students pursuing a career in Engineering or Information Technology.

Flyers have gone out to Year 12 students at several high schools and central schools for students interested in this scholarship. Applications are through CEF Coleambally-Darlington Point and close on 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2022. Visit [www.cef.org.au](http://www.cef.org.au) for more details or contact Penny Sheppard on 0269549157 or Ken Martin on 0427871950

### CEF Coleambally-Darlington Point

#### AGM

The AGM for Country Education Foundation of Coleambally-Darlington Point will be held at 7.30pm on Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 at Coleambally Community Club.



INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS

## Australian Government Mobile Service Centre

### Serving Regional Australia

Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Staff can provide you with information and support. They can also help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

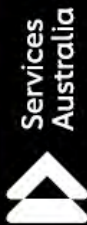
**Monday, 5 September 2022**

9:30 am to 4:00 pm

Near the Community Hall, Kingfisher Avenue

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For more information, go to [servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice](https://servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice)



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WOODWORK ★ CAMP FIRES ★ FACE PAINTING ★ HIKING AND SO MUCH MORE!!!

Jerilderie Portsea Camp Committee is once again seeking children interested in attending the 2023 Portsea Camp.

The camp will be held from **Monday 16 January – Friday 20 January 2023** for children residing in the Murrumbidgee Council area aged between **9 and 12 years**.

The cost of the camp has been set at \$500, being for 5 days of great fun and awesome activities with accommodation, meals and transport included in this cost. We are fortunate to have some local community organisations who assist in subsidising the total camp costs.

Our camp has been allocated with 40 places only and enrolments with a deposit of **\$200.00** are to be returned to Murrumbidgee Council Jerilderie Office by **Friday 4th November 2022**. The **balance** of the fee (total to be confirmed but no greater than \$300) is payable by **Friday 9th December 2022**. Please make payments by the due date to guarantee your spot. (Cheques to be made out to Jerilderie Portsea Camp Committee, alternatively direct deposit to BSB 633-000 Account # 158651968).

To obtain the enrolment link or for further information contact Eden Hercus or Toni Shaw at the Murrumbidgee Council Jerilderie Office 35 Jerilderie Street during office hours or phone (03) 5886 1200.

**Jerilderie Portsea Camp Committee**





# Community Announcements Continued...



**COLEAMBALLY-ARGOON BRANCH**  
COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF NSW

**ENTRY FORM**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

☐ 8 years and under  
☐ 9 years to 12 years  
☐ 13 years to 18 years

**JUNIOR ENTRIES: UNLESS STATED OTHERWISE ALL JUNIOR COMPETITIONS ARE OPEN TO ALL SCHOOL CHILDREN**

**JUNIOR PHOTOGRAPHY: WINDOW**  
This photography category is for a relation of a CWA member or a Junior CWA member only.  
1 photo per child  
Name; Branch (or school); CWA Group (Sturt) and age must be clearly printed on the back of the photograph.  
Size = 10cm x 15cm on photograph paper only.

**JUNIOR POSTER: AUSTRALIANA**  
Digital work on A4 size. To be computer or tablet generated and submitted on a thumb drive or emailed to Mrs Bev Rose-Wiseman [beverley\\_rose@bigpond.com](mailto:beverley_rose@bigpond.com)

**JUNIOR POSTCARD: AUSTRALIANA**  
Submitted on cardboard 15 x 10cm size. Not to be a digital work.

**JUNIOR SHORT STORY: (PRIMARY AND SECONDARY) "THE COOKING LESSON"**  
8-12 years, 13-18 years both 500 words Handwritten

**Please use this Entry form.**

**ENTRIES TO YOUR SCHOOL OFFICE BY THURSDAY, 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022.**

*Entries will go to Narrandera to the CWA Sturt Group Cultural Day on Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> September 2022.*

*Winners to be displayed at the CWA Sturt Group Conference to be held at Coleambally Community Club on Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022.*

*These winning entries will go to CWA State Conference in Bathurst in May 2023.*

*There will be money prizes for schools at this conference.*

*Beverley Rose-Wiseman, Coleambally-Argoon Branch Cultural Officer.*

*July 2022*





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## 2023 Apprentice & Trainee Intake

Murrumbidgee Irrigation (MI) is one of the largest private irrigation companies in Australia serving over 3,000+ landholding that is owned by our shareholder customers within an area of 378,000+ hectares. Murrumbidgee Irrigation is one of the most diverse and highly productive agriculture regions Australia, forming part of the Murray-darling basin. We are a dynamic and innovative regional company that employs approximately 150 people at two locations Griffith and Leeton.

We are opening recruitment for our upcoming 2023 Apprentice & Trainee opportunities:

### Upcoming Apprentice and Trainee Positions in 2023

- Apprentice - Mechanic
- Apprentice - Metal Fabrication (Boilermaker/Welder)
- Trainee – Civil Maintenance
- Trainee – Business Administration (Customer Services)

### About You

- A “can do” attitude focused on delivering outcomes
- Commitment to a strong values culture and a preparedness to “walk the talk”
- Ability to work independently or as part of a team
- Motivated and eager to learn

### What We Offer

- A proactive and inclusive work culture with focus on safety – ‘*nobody gets injured on my watch*’
- A structured traineeship to support your professional development and career growth
- Values based workforce – integrity, customers, accountability, respect, teams
- A flexibly, friendly workplace where you are a part of a team

For more information about MI, what we do and what we can offer you please visit

**[www.mirrigration.com.au](http://www.mirrigration.com.au)**

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