

## Principal's Report

### Murrindindi Beanie Festival - This Weekend!

Thank you to everyone who has offered to help in some way for our fundraiser this weekend. We are still in need of a couple of helpers on the stall. If you have any time to spare, please let us know ASAP and we can let you know which shifts we need help with.

### Cross Country

We were so proud of the resilience and effort our students displayed at the Cross Country event at Eildon Primary School on Wednesday. Everyone gave it their best and persevered in very tricky weather conditions. We had several students cheering each other on and celebrating each other's achievements.

Thank you to all the family members who came along to support our students, it means so much to them that you were there.

### School Council Meeting - Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May

Our next School Council Meeting will be held on the 27<sup>th</sup> May at 5pm. All welcome.

### 2026 Government Schools Principal Conference

Next Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> and Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May, I will be attending the annual principal conference in Melbourne. The two day conference brings together principals from all over Victoria to hear updates about new Department of Education initiatives, policy changes and educational research.

If you need to get in touch with me during those two days, sending a message via uEducateUs or email ([sarah.irving@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:sarah.irving@education.vic.gov.au)) will be the best. For absence notifications please use uEducateUs or for other more urgent matters, please call the school directly on 5774 7341.

Friday 22nd May 2026

## Reminders

### Naming Uniform Items

Please make sure your children's school jumpers are named as it is very hard to return lost property to it's correct home when we can't identify who it belongs to.

### Cold Weather Clothing

With the cold weather setting in, students are welcome to bring a pair of slippers to school to wear indoors. This helps to keep our floors less muddy and our students warmer on freezing cold mornings. They can also wear warm coats or rain jackets over their uniform to keep them warm outside. Please ensure that these are also clearly named.

## Upcoming Events

- 23/5** 23/5 and 24/5 Murrindindi Beanie Festival Fundraiser
- 27/5** Tennis lessons in PE begin
- 08/6** King's Birthday public holiday
- 26/6** Last day of Term 2. Students can wear free dress. 2:10pm finish.

## Contacts and Bank Info

**Phone:** 03 5774 7341

**Email:** [buxton.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:buxton.ps@education.vic.gov.au)

### Payments

**Name:** Buxton Primary School Council

**BSB:** 063 255

**Account No:** 1012 6565

## School-Wide Positive Behaviour Support

The School-Wide Positive Behaviour Support (SWPBS) focus for Weeks 5-6 of Term 2 is RESPECT – I keep my hands and feet to myself.

At Buxton Primary School, we respect everyone's personal space. It is important to keep our hands and feet to ourselves during learning time or at playtime so that everyone stays safe. If I am feeling annoyed or upset, I can use my words to tell others how I feel while continuing to keep my hands and feet to myself.

### School-Wide Positive Behaviour Support

Our focus in weeks 5-6 is  
"I keep my hands and feet to myself"



### Cross Country @ Eildon



### 2026 School Term Dates

- **Term 2:** Monday 20 April to Friday 26 June 2026.
- **Term 3:** Monday 13 July to Friday 18 September 2026.
- **Term 4:** Monday 5 October to Friday 18 December 2026.

### Lunch Orders

#### Term 2 Lunch Order Dates











- Friday 5/6
- Friday 19/6

The link to the 2026 menu and order form is below via the QR Code or under the 'Help & Resources' Tab on uEducateUs.

**Orders and payments must be in by the Tuesday before each lunch order day.**



# Winter Vacation Care Program 2026

Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July
<p><b>Winter Warmer</b></p>  <p>Brighten up the chilly season with our fun-filled Winter Warmer Day! From creative crafts like mini scarves and winter art to fun indoor games and hands-on STEM activities, children will explore how to stay warm while enjoying a day full of laughter, movement and imagination!</p> <p>Daily Fee</p>	<p><b>Build a car</b> (Onsite Experience)</p>  <p>Children will have the exciting opportunity to build and create their own wooden car with the support of the talented members from the Alexandra and Eildon Woodworkers Guild! This hands-on experience encourages creativity, problem-solving and practical building skills while giving children the chance to learn from local craftspeople.</p> <p>Daily Fee + \$5</p>	<p><b>Minute to win it</b></p>  <p>Get ready for fast-paced fun. Students will race against the clock in a variety of hilarious challenges, teamwork games and exciting activities designed to test their speed, coordination and creativity. It's a high-energy day full of laughter, friendly competition and nonstop fun!</p> <p>Daily Fee</p>	<p><b>Australian Animals</b></p>  <p>Explore the wonders of wildlife at our Australian Animals Day! Through creative crafts, active games and meaningful discussions, children will discover their own animal totem while learning about habitats and how to care for native animals. It's a fun and engaging day that builds connection, creativity and compassion for Australia's wildlife.</p> <p>Daily Fee</p>	<p><b>Pjs and stuffies</b> (Onsite Experience)</p>  <p>Students are invited to come in their PJs for a cozy day of creativity as they design, create, and care for their very own stuffed animal, complete with a teddy picnic to celebrate</p> <p>Daily Fee + \$20</p>
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July
<p><b>Pokémon Trainer Day</b> (Onsite Experience)</p>  <p>Get ready for an action-packed Pokémon Trainer Day where your child can create, battle and play their way to becoming a Pokémon Master! From designing their own Pokémon cards to taking on fun "gym challenges" and games, the day is filled with creativity, teamwork and adventure. It's a high-energy experience perfect for Pokémon fans of all ages!</p> <p>Daily Fee + \$10</p>	<p><b>Mini Master Chef</b></p>  <p>Get ready for a deliciously fun day where children will cook, create and play like real chefs! Making pita pizzas and fruit sticks. The day is packed with hands-on fun and creativity.</p> <p>Daily Fee</p>	<p><b>Mini Ramp Mayhem</b> (Onsite Experience)</p>  <p>Get ready to build, design and shred! Children will create their own cardboard skate park and custom fingerboard before testing their tricks in an exciting mini skate challenge</p> <p>Daily Fee + \$5</p>	<p><b>Safari Day</b></p>  <p>Send your child on a wild adventure where they'll explore the animal kingdom through hands-on crafts, exciting obstacle courses and imaginative play! From creating explorer gear to building safari habitats, students will learn about animals while staying active and creative. It's a fun-filled day of discovery, teamwork and adventure in the "wild"!</p> <p>Daily Fee</p>	<p><b>Disco day</b></p>  <p>Join us for a fun-filled Disco Day where children can dance, play games, and celebrate the end of holidays in a relaxed, music-filled environment</p> <p>Daily Fee</p>

# MURRINDINDI BEANIE & FIBRE FESTIVAL

LIVE & ONLINE AUCTION  
[32auctions.com/beanie2026](http://32auctions.com/beanie2026)

WEAR A BEANIE DAY  
FRI 22ND.



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FABULOUS BEANIES  
MAKERS MARKET  
MORE STALLS  
SCHOOL ART,  
CWA DEVONSHIRE TEA  
ALEXANDRA QUILTERS  
SCULPTURES IN THE PARK  
ALEXANDRA TIMBER TRAMWAY  
BRUCE WATSON WORKSHOP-PERFORMANCE WITH UKULELE HEAVEN

## 23-24 MAY

\$2.00 DOOR ENTRY  
ALEXANDRA SHIRE HALL

10-4pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
& ENTRIES 0415476639