



"Pursuing fullness of life for all by inspiring faith, lifelong learning and community engagement."



We acknowledge the traditional owner groups of this land. We learn, work and live and recognise their connection to land, water and community. We pay respect to elders past, present and emerging, believing we can walk together for a better future.

## SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL:

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## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear Parents,

Last Thursday, I was fortunate enough to accompany the Year 4/5/6 boys to Horsham for Winter Sports Football. The mixed Kowree team from Goroke, Edenhope College, Balmoral and St Malachy's played extremely well and displayed superb sportsmanship during the day. Congratulations for reaching the final, but in the end West Horsham Primary were too strong in the Grand final. Thank you to Chris White and Chad Frost for their great coaching and team management for driving the bus. Equally, Gabi and Gorgia accompanied the girls netball competition. All three teams had a great day out with several wins. Unfortunately, they also came up against some strong competition and did not take out the cup. A big thank you to Drew from Goroke, Kate McDonnell and Isabel Bourne for umpiring on the day, and Geoff Simpson for driving the bus.

On Friday, we saw the final "Jump Rope for Heart" skip off. It was a great afternoon and many fancy skipping tricks were demonstrated individually, in pairs or in larger groups. All for a good cause!! The Heart Foundation is very generous with educational programs and donations of skipping ropes to schools. As a bonus, over \$600 was raised for the Heart Foundation by St Malachy's students. Fundraising certificates were awarded to these students for their individual fundraising efforts.

We enjoyed our Celebrity Reading helper this week with a visit from Mickey Carter. A number of the students and parents know Mickey from driving their Chetwynd school bus. Thanks for coming in, Mickey!! We enjoyed your visit and stirring!!

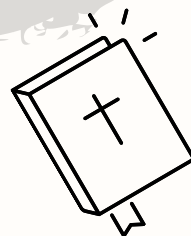
John

## PRAYER

Heavenly Father,  
Bless those who mourn, eternal God, with the comfort of your love, that they may face each new day with hope and the certainty that nothing can destroy the good that has been given. May their memories become joyful, their days enriched with friendship, and their lives encircled by your love.

## MASS TIMES

1st Sunday 9am  
2nd Sunday 9am  
3rd Sunday 11 am  
4th Sunday Lay Led  
5th Sunday 4pm



## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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Merch  
How it works



## About Our Challenge

In June, our Team is taking part in The Push-Up Challenge. We are going to help shine the spotlight on the number of lives lost to suicide in 2021 and raise awareness of mental health. Feel free to join us or support a team member who is taking part. Help us push for better mental health.

## Learning Walks

Next Learning Walk: Tuesday 13th June @ 9:15am.

### What's a Learning Walk?

A Learning Walk is a brilliant opportunity for perspective and current families to see first-hand what learning is like at St Malachy's School. Guided by our wonderful principal, John O'Sullivan, he will take you through each and every classroom and explain some of the progressive and research-based learning approaches used throughout our school.

### Interested?

Contact St Malachy's School on 5585 1396 or 0428 913 777 to book your place. We look forward to seeing you soon.

## Child Safety

The Alannah & Madeline Foundation has a range of resources to support Australian families to build essential digital skills to develop a generation of safe and strong digital citizens who are capable and compassionate. These resources are developed to help children and young people, and the people who care for them reduce their risk of exposure to online harm and empower them to successfully and safely navigate the digital world.

[www.alannahandmadeline.org.au/learning-resources](http://www.alannahandmadeline.org.au/learning-resources)



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## Before and After School Care

A reminder for families that there is care available through OSHC at Edenhope College. This service is seeking more students to join to ensure its longevity in our community and is available before and after school. Students who attend in the morning are provided a cooked breakfast before walking up to our school after 8:30.

email: [edenhopecollege@bigchildcare.com](mailto:edenhopecollege@bigchildcare.com) or contact Edenhope College for more information.

## Parent Resource: Raising Children Network

The Raising Children Network provides free, reliable, up-to-date and independent information to help your family grow and thrive together. They're funded by the Australian Government, and are reviewed by experts and non-commercial, making them a reliable resource. Designed for busy families and full of tips and tricks for you to try, their resources are easy to find and easy to digest. They have the answers to hundreds of parenting questions, where and when you need them.



[raisingchildren.net.au](http://raisingchildren.net.au)

## A Peep Into The Year 1/2 Classroom

Monday 5th of June

At the beginning of a new week we love to share stories from our weekend. From ponies, gymnastics, birthdays and motorbikes to football and netball, we had a lot to cover this week!

We then move into our daily review which includes revising letters, sounds, words and syllables. This week we learned a new song to revise common digraphs (phase 4 Jolly phonics can be found on YouTube if your ears can handle the enthusiasm!). The song helps us connect an action and a rhyme to the common sound. We noticed that in some words, "when two vowels go walking, the first one does the talking!" Next, we move onto our book boxes where students read their 4-5 chosen leveled books for the week. We work hard each week to become "an expert" in reading these books which means we check does it look right? Does it sound right? Does it make sense? To monitor for meaning. We also practice our sight word list by writing the words we find challenging. This week also included a sight words spelling test which showed me just how hard we have been working on these tricky words. We then used these for this weeks spelling rather than our regular SMART spelling words. Finally, we moved into our writing. At the moment we are working on writing our own version of Nursery Rhymes in order to build our own book of rhymes. We still have lots of work to go in editing and publishing but the stories are very entertaining!

## News from the Year 5/6 Classroom

Thursday 8th June 2023

What a whirlwind of a term! it's hard to believe that we only have a couple of weeks left, and boy are those weeks crammed with all manner of exciting things. This term the Year 5/6's have been focusing on the theme of 'Respect' for RE, where this week we have explored what it means to 'love thy neighbour'. You'll see our 'Enemy Pies', both a deeply reflective and YUMMY experience! The Year 5/6 Melbourne Camp is edging closer, and we are thrilled to experience some of the best that Melbourne has to offer. A reminder that students are **not allowed** to bring any digital devices or hold any medication/vitamins in their luggage. All medications/vitamins with the corresponding paperwork must be handed to Mr. O or Ms. Simpson before boarding the bus.

Student

## PROFILE OF THE WEEK

Favourite movie:  
Frozen

Favourite food:  
Rice

Favourite subject:  
Letters because there are so many letters.

If I was Prime Minister:  
I would go on a holiday on all weekends.

My teacher always says:  
"Sit down"

When I grow up:  
Spider man!

Mrs Chadwick says...

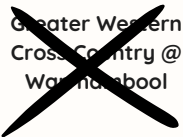
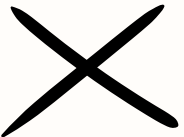
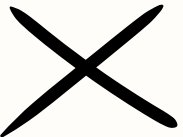

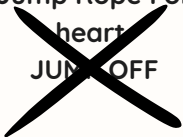
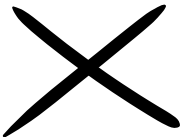




"When you need a friendly smile, you need Clara. When you need a dash of enthusiasm, you need Clara. Her sense of gratitude is infectious!"

Clara Wilson





# Term 2

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
Week 6 <b>Jump Rope For Heart</b>	29/5 Greater Western Cross Country @ Warrnambool 	30/5 	31/5 	1/6 Winter Sports in Marshall (Yrs 1-6) 	2/6 Jump Rope For Heart JUN OFF 	
Week 7	5/6 	6/6 	7/6 	8/6 	9/6	
Week 8	12/6 <b>King's Birthday Holiday</b>	13/6	14/6	15/6	16/6 Cows Create Careers Presentation Day	
Week 9	19/6	20/6 Year 5/6 Edenhope College Conversation TBC	21/6 5/6 Camp	22/6 5/6 Camp	27/6 Early Finish 2:20 Finish  5/6 Camp	

## Term 2 week 7 Photos





# CCC: Exploring Advertising



## Year F/1 Fun!



## Kowree Winter Sports



## Foundation Maths welcome!



## Jump Rope for Heart



Welcome Stevie-Bell to our school!  
She is a little pocket rocket in Grade 1 who has already made lots of new friends. She loves colouring and lego brick building.

