



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

# KOWREE ATHLETICS CHAMPIONS



We acknowledge the traditional owner groups of this land. We learn, work, 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 Friday afternoon provided a good chance to have our grandparents involved in the school life of their grandchildren at our Science Quiz at the Edenhope Community Centre. The afternoon ran very smoothly despite the heavy downpour of rain just as the students started walking. Thank you to Sherryn Simpson and her Year 5/6 class for your organisation. Well done everyone.

The Kowree Sports held on Wednesday was another opportunity for the students to demonstrate their sporting skills. The full day ran well and thanks once again to all of the organisers, teachers, parents and volunteers for your support on the day.

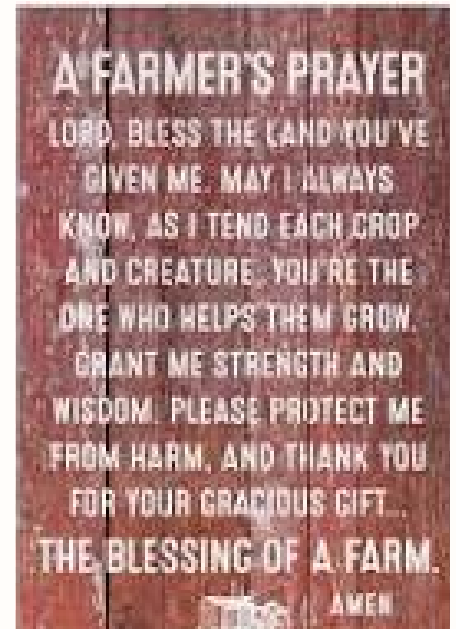
The age group champions were announced on the day and the overall school aggregate total will be announced via Zoom with the other schools. Congratulations and well done to our Champions, Milly Whitehead, Madeline McClure, Marley Irving and Louie Coxon.



**Donuts for Dads Morning Tea** - Dads, and special friends, you are invited into the school @ 11 a.m. on Tuesday, 3rd September and come and have a donut and cuppa with us. Hope you can join us.

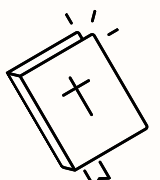
-John

## A Prayer



## Church Mass Times

1st Sunday: 9 a.m.  
2nd Sunday: 9 a.m.  
3rd Sunday: 11.15 a.m.  
4th Sunday: Lay led @ 10 a.m.






## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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# Term 3



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	
Week 7 <u>Meals on Wheels Week</u>	26th	27th	28th Year 5/6 Camp @ Sovereign Hill	29th Year 5/6 Camp @ Sovereign Hill	30th Year 5/6 Camp @ Sovereign Hill
Week 8	2nd September Numeracy @ Casterton <u>School Closure Day</u>	 Donut for Dads @ 11 a.m.	4th	5th  Mum's cuppa @ 2.15	6th
Week 9	9th	10th	11th	12th Little Desert Athletics @ Stawell	13th
Week 10	16th	17th  Mum's cuppa @ 8.30	18th	19th Year 3/4 excursion to Coorong	20th Footy Colours Day End of term - early finish @ 2.20 p.m.

## Specialist Classes

### F/1/2/3/4 Performing Arts

In Term 3, The F/1's have been exploring how to play glockenspiels (xylophones/marimbas). We have also been learning how to sing using the Solfège to help train our bodies to sing in tune. If your child has been returning home singing 'Do-Re-Mi' from The Sound of Music, we have been using it as inspiration!

### Year 5/6 Digital Technology

For Term 3, the Year 5/6 focus has been on Artificial Intelligence (AI). AI is rapidly transforming the world we live in. From using generative AI for schoolwork to dealing with misinformation and befriending AI chatbots, we have a lot to consider when it comes to this ever-evolving technology. So far, we have explored AI games with mixed reviews!

### Art:

Check out some of the amazing artworks the students created for the Flora and Fauna ACF art competition on the photo page attached. We were so proud of what the students produced. For the rest of the term, we will be switching back to our 'Art around the World' unit. We will be exploring Northern, Central and South American arts and culture.

## Year 5/6 Camp @ Sovereign Hill

Next week, the Western Trinity Year 5/6 students will take a time-travelling adventure to the 1850s at Sovereign Hill. For two days, they will dress up in period costumes and experience what school life was like during the Victorian gold rush.

Students will:

- Attend a Historic School like the Ragged School or St Alipius Diggings School.
- Live the Life of a Goldfields Kid, following the rules and expectations of the 1850s. Become a Living Exhibit in the Sovereign Hill Outdoor Museum—bringing history to life!
- Discover 1850s Social Norms and learn about the unique way of life during the gold rush.

This camp is more than just fun - it's a hands-on way to dive into history. This camp experience is deeply linked to the Victorian Curriculum, enhancing students' understanding of history, personal & social capabilities, critical & creative thinking, ethical capability, and drama.

It's sure to be an incredible learning experience that your children will remember for years to come!!



## Child safety

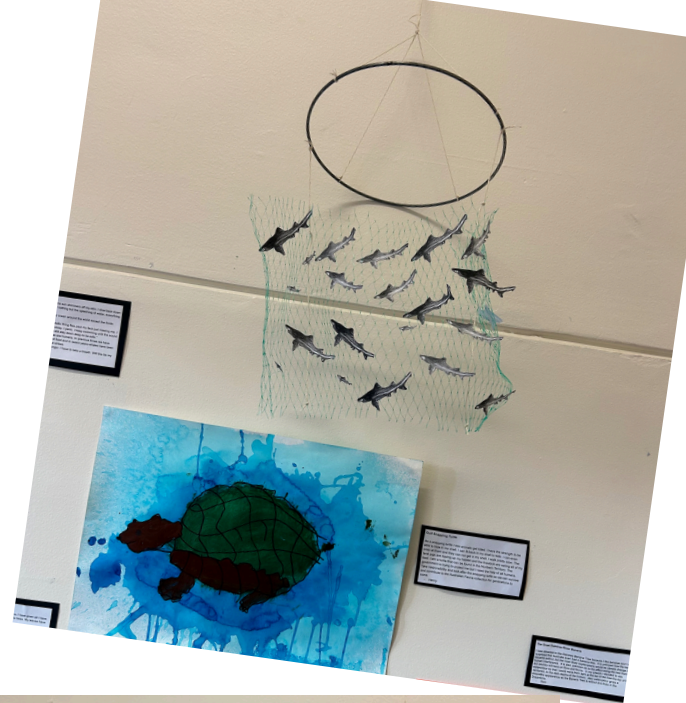




# 2024 BOOK WEEK







3-6

FLORA + FAUNA  
ARTWORKS



F-2

ST. MALACHY'S GREAT BARRIER  
REEF

**FEATURING THE SENSATIONAL SPINY  
SEAHORSE**

