



Hawkesdale P12 College Newsletter

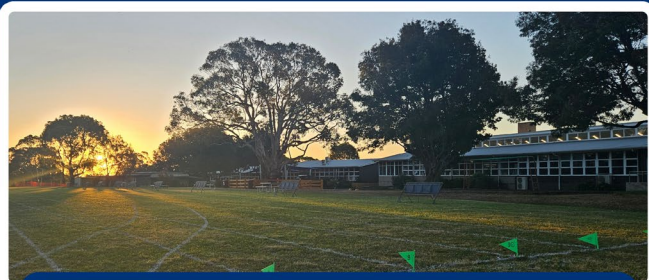
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Upcoming Events

Friday 8 May 2026	Special Persons Breakfast
Tuesday 12 May 2026	Great Ocean Walk- VCE Environmental Studies
Tuesday 12 May 2026	Possible Stopwork action – Warrnambool & District Schools
Tuesday 2 June 2026	Yakult Business Management – Yr. 11 & 12
Monday 8 June 2026	Kings Birthday-Public Holiday
Tuesday 9 to Thursday, 11 June 2026	Advance Winter Camp



2027 FOUNDATION INFORMATION NIGHT

Monday 11th May 2026 @ 6:30pm

in the P/1 building with refreshments from 6:15pm



Personal school tours at a time that suits you can also be arranged by contacting the school office



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Cnr Spring & Mitchell St
Hawkesdale VIC 3287

To register for our information night, please call or email our school: hawkesdale.p12@education.vic.gov.au





School Wide Positive Behaviour Expectations

Next week our behaviour focus is:



BEING INCLUSIVE AND RESPECTFUL OF EVERYONE IN OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY



This includes:

Being polite and kind to all members of our school community

Respecting the rights of all students

Helping everyone to feel safe and happy

Including others both in and outside the classroom

Using respectful actions and words

Congratulations to the following students for receiving nominations over the last couple of weeks:

Rayce, Lilly, Zahn

Respect

Responsibility

Resilience

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A SPECIAL REPORT: Do It For Dolly Day

Bullying can have a profound and lasting impact on a young person's wellbeing, sense of belonging and confidence. It is not always visible and can include social exclusion, verbal abuse and online harassment, often occurring repeatedly over time. Research shows that bullying can increase the risk of anxiety, low self-esteem, social withdrawal and difficulties with learning and peer relationships.

For parents and carers, it can be difficult to know how best to respond. However, recognising the signs, listening without judgement and maintaining open communication can make a significant difference.

Do It For Dolly Day is a national reminder that kindness matters and that everyone has a role to play in creating safe and inclusive communities. This Special Report provides practical guidance to help families understand bullying, support their child and promote empathy, respect and positive relationships, ensuring no child feels alone.

We hope you take time to reflect on the information offered in this Special Report, and as always, we welcome your feedback.

If you do have any concerns about the wellbeing of your child, please contact the school for further information or seek medical or professional help.

Here is the link to your special report:

https://hawkesdalecol.vic.schooltv.me/wellbeing_news/special-report-do-it-dolly-day



Do It For Dolly Day

A SchoolTV topic supporting
modern-day parenting





A SPECIAL REPORT: Celebrating IDAHOBIT

We possess a profound ability to shape our children's attitudes and beliefs, embedding values of acceptance, inclusivity, and respect for all.

The International Day Against Homophobia, Biphobia, Intersexism, and Transphobia (IDAHOBIT), celebrated each year on May 17th, emphasises the critical need to educate children about diversity and inclusivity. Inaugurated in 2004 by the World Health Organization, this day is a global call to promote tolerance and combat discrimination against the LGBTQIA+ community.

Instilling respect and acceptance for people of all sexual orientations and gender identities in children is crucial. Celebrating IDAHOBIT helps families communicate a strong stance against discrimination, highlighting the importance of diversity and the damaging effects of stereotypes and biases. These prejudices often arise from the media, societal interactions, and peer influences, necessitating proactive efforts from parents and caregivers to counteract and discuss these issues.

Creating inclusive environments supports diversity and plays a vital role in raising awareness and demonstrating solidarity with LGBTQIA+ students and community members. It is a commitment to creating a world free from prejudice and discrimination, instilling values of empathy, respect and inclusivity.

This Special Report will help you fostering acceptance, empowering young people to become compassionate and informed advocates for equality.

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MOYNE PRIMARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY & SOCCER

Port Fairy
24th April 2026

Moyne Sports Captain Report

By Blake A McRae

On the 24/4/2026 me and Tess are at school but today me and the grade 4 to grade 6 had the soccer and cross-country, so we were crammed in to the mini bus and drove to Port Fairy. When we got there, we had fruit and got ready for the cross-country. The ten-year-old boys went first then the girls then the 11-year-old and the 12-year-old. Tess, Piper, Bonnie, Hartley, Morgan, Logan and Hunter Gid the cross-country.

After that we had the soccer, the mixed team were good they drew and won. The boy's goalie was Logan for 2 games then Morgan was the goalie for 3 then me for the last one. In all the games we played we scored 0 goals but we had fun, we played well to.

When we finished all our games, we watch the finalist play the teams were Port fairy v Port fairy, they finished we left, when we got back to school, we had free time and then school was finished.

By Atlas Pringle

On The 24th of April, me and some of my classmates went to Port Fairy to compete in the Moyne Cross Country and Soccer. We played against very good teams such as Port Fairy, Grasmere, and Koroit. I forgot some of the other teams but if some of you came you would probably know. I only did the soccer and I was in the boys team and there was six games but I can tell you what I remember. In the boys team the people I was paired with was Kaiden, Morgan, Hartley, Blake, Rydah, Hunter Nagorcka, and Logan. In the first game we did pretty good but we lost 2-0. In the second game we also lost but we did better we lost 1-0, and also, I was the striker for the team. In the third game I think we played Port Fairy they were our hardest team to play against. We lost 3-0 and Logan got hurt. In the fourth game, I'm pretty sure we played against Koroit and it was our best game yet but we did lose 2-0. The reason it was our best game was because someone passed me the ball and I was in front of the goals but there was three defenders but unluckily Hunter Nagorcka was about to score the goal, but missed. It was lots of fun.



Hunter

Congratulations to Hunter who has qualified for Division Cross Country in Warrnambool on Friday 15th May.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

7th May

Public Holiday
May Races

8th May

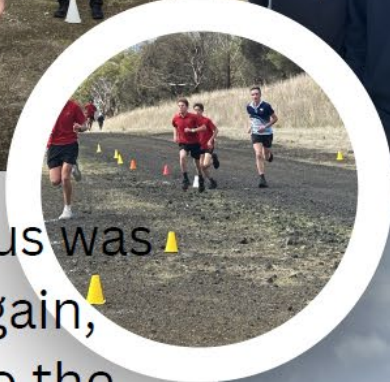
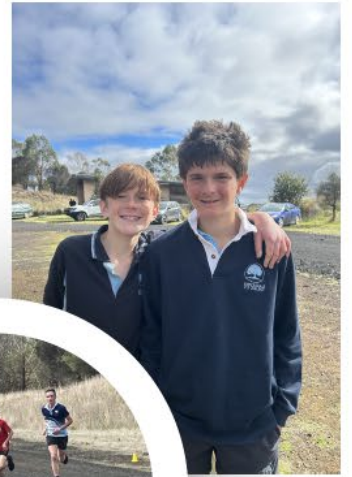
Mother's Day Stall
P-6 Assembly

27th May

National
Simultaneous
Story time

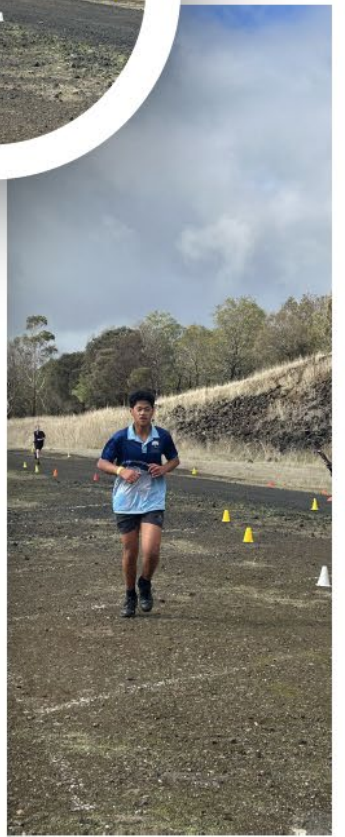
29th May

P-6 Assembly



On Tuesday, our bus was out and about again, taking students to the MWC Cross Country at Derrinalum. We had some great results..... Addi and Tiori came 1st in their age group, Darcy and Ropati earnt themselves 2nd placing and Memphis and Phoenix came 3rd. A great day out, and great participation by everyone!







GLASSES FOR KIDS IS COMING TO THIS SCHOOL

The Glasses for Kids program will be visiting this school to provide eligible students with **FREE** vision screening, then testing and glasses (as required)



Scan this QR code to find out more on the GFK website



STATE GOVERNMENT OF VICTORIA
GLASSES FOR KIDS
VICTORIA'S DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING

A Victorian State Government and State Schools' Relief Initiative
Questions? Please contact the GFK team via info@glassesforkids.com.au

Glasses For Kids coming to hawkesdale College on 10th August 2026.
More information to come.



GOOD CLEAN FUN

PLAY.AFL/AUSKICK

HAWKESDALE AUSKICK

HAWKESDALE P12 COLLEGE

TUESDAY 28TH OF APRIL / 3.40-4.40PM
AGES 5 TO 12




HAWKESDALE & RYAN CORNER Wind Farms

Ryan Corner Community Benefit Fund
Applications open May 4, 2026

Eligibility and further information at

- ryancornerwindfarm.globalpowergeneration.com.au/sustainability/community/#calls_for_applications
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Contact for more information:

0428 867 646

LOCAL PLAYWRIGHTS.
LOCAL ACTORS.
LOCAL IDEAS.

PORT FAIRY SHORT PLAY FESTIVAL

22-24
MAY
2026

FRIDAY 22ND 7:30PM
SATURDAY 23RD 2PM AND 7:30PM
SUNDAY 24TH 2PM

Lecture Hall, Port Fairy

Warning: contains adult language and themes

Adult: \$25
Concession: \$20
Children: \$15
Tickets available :
shorturl.at/QX1fA



Canteen Menu – 2026

Mini Chicken Wrap -	\$2.50
Chicken Mini Muffin Pizza	\$2.00
Ham, Cheese Mini Muffin Pizza	\$2.00
Ham, Cheese, Pineapple Mini Muffin Pizza	\$2.00
Egg and Bacon Muffin	\$3.50
Hash Browns	\$1.00
Sweet Chilli Chicken Tender Toastie	\$2.00
Party Pies / Sausage Rolls	\$2.00
Homemade Slices / Muffins / Banana Bread	\$1.50
Homemade Biscuits	\$0.80
Truffles	\$2.00
Banana bread - (gluten free) must be pre-ordered	\$3.50
Brunch Pies	
Angel Bay Light Beef Burgers with Salad - must be pre ordered	\$6.50
85gm Canteen Approved Chicken Burger with Salad- must be pre ordered	\$6.50
Salad Roll or Sandwich with or without Meat	\$6.50
Salad Tubs with or without Meat	\$6.50
Sandwiches - selected fillings eg: egg & lettuce / ham & pickles (must be pre ordered)	\$3.50
Veggie Burger with lettuce, tomato, beetroot, cheese, mayo on a wholemeal roll	\$6.50
Sweet Chilli Chicken Wrap - with lettuce, tomato, mayo and cheese – must be pre ordered	\$6.50
Dino Nuggets & Wedges	\$4.50
Meat Pie	\$5.00
(gluten free) Party pies	\$3.50
(gluten free) Sausage rolls	\$4.00
(gluten free) Pie	\$8.00

While canteen staff will take all reasonable precautions to prevent the cross-contact of gluten free and gluten containing food products, it is important to be aware that we cannot guarantee that any item prepared and served from our canteen is going to be completely free of allergens.

Drinks

Water – 600 ml	\$2.00
Nippy's Milk – 250 ml – Strawberry, Honeycomb, Chocolate, Coffee	\$2.50
Fresha Juice – 250 ml - Apple or Apple & Blackcurrant or Orange	\$2.50
Nippy's Milk – 375 ml – Strawberry, Honeycomb, Chocolate, Coffee, Banana	\$3.70
Fresha Juice – 500 ml - Apple & Blackcurrant or Orange	\$3.70
Frozen Yoghurt or Icy Poles – break 2 only	
Lemonade Icy Poles (gluten free)	\$1.60
Zooper Dooper – Maximum of 2 – Temp must be over 25°C	\$0.50
Dixie Cups (gluten free)	\$2.50
Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.50
Chips	
Chips (28 g) - Honey Soy or Sea Salt or Salt & Vinegar (gluten free)	\$1.50
Snaps (28 g) (gluten free)	\$1.50