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27 MAY – 3 JUNE

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PARKVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL



## RECONCILIATION



## WALK TO SCHOOL

# TUESDAY 27TH MAY

Meet at the Post Office by 7:50am for the walk to school.  
Followed by a community breakfast at PPS. More  
information to follow.



# PARKVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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19<sup>th</sup> May 2025

## DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

### **MAY**

Mon 19<sup>th</sup>

Tues 27<sup>th</sup>

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup>

- May P&C Meeting 7pm (Library)
- Reconciliation Week Walk and Community Breakfast
- Riverina Rugby Union Trials (Wagga Wagga)

### **JUNE**

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup>-Fri 6<sup>th</sup>

Tues 3<sup>rd</sup>

Thurs 5<sup>th</sup>

Tues 10<sup>th</sup>

Thurs 12<sup>th</sup>

- NSWPSA AFL Championships (Western Sydney)
- Alpha Show
- Riverina Dance Festival (Griffith Regional Theatre)
- Kindergarten 2026 Information Sessions
- Riverina PSSA Cross Country (Gundagai)

***\*For more calendar dates please refer to the Sentral Parent Portal Calendar***





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# PARKVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL

## WEEK 4 TERM 2 Commencing Monday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Welcome to what will be another busy week of learning at Parkview Public School. As we reflect upon the last seven days, we take great pride in the achievements of **Hudson Stevens** and **Alec Lashbrook** who represented our community with distinction whilst playing for Riverina PSSA at the **NSWPSSA Boys Basketball Championships** in Minto. A full wrap of the achievements of the boys can be found in Talking Sport.

Last week was also a busy week in our community with the completion of the **Term 2 PLP Conference** process.

We thank all parents and carers who took the opportunity to engage in these most valuable meetings.

The new week promises to be another extremely busy one with our talented distance runners in Narrandera today at the LNPSSA Cross Country while we have a myriad of extra-curricular activities under way including experiences in dance, choir, chess, information technology and much more for our students to immerse themselves in.

Please consider the following as you plan for a busy week:

### Parkview P&C Association May Meeting

The May meeting of the Parkview P&C Association will be hosted in the School Library from 7pm this evening (Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> May). Interested community members are encouraged to attend.

### Reconciliation Week Walk and Community Breakfast

At Parkview Public School we continue to stand united in our community to advance the Reconciliation process. Part of our commitment is the hosting of our annual Reconciliation Week Walk and Community Breakfast next Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> May.

We strongly encourage all students and community members to join us for this event. We will assemble at the Leeton Post Office at 7:50am and then walk to school at 8am ready for our Community Breakfast from 8:30am. If you cannot join us for the walk, please join us for breakfast and share in the official ceremonies that will be presented as part of our event.

### Parkview Attendance League

The Parkview Attendance League continues this week with some impressive attendance numbers by many classes! Today at the K-6 Assembly we acknowledged the following classes with shields to celebrate their attendance:

- \* **Leading Class: 1G Goldies**
- \* **Least late arrivals: KB Balloons**
- \* **Most improved for Weeks 2-3: 1A Axolotls**

**Every day of learning matters and we want to see every child at school every day!**

### Notes that you can expect to see this week:

- **Alpha Show Visiting Performance**

### Notes in the last week:

- **LNPSSA Cross Country Permission (selected students)**

Week 3				
PARKVIEW ATTENDANCE LADDER				
1	1G Goldies	94.80	↑	
2	1A Axolotls	94.79	↑	
3	5E Elites	94.54	—	
4	1SH Super Heroes	93.98	—	
5	2/3H Hurricanes	92.27	—	
6	KB Balloons	91.88	—	
7	2G Greats	91.33	—	
8	4BA Bull Ants	90.71	↓	
9	4H Heroes	90.66	↓	
	SCHOOL AVERAGE	90.61	↓	
10	6C Sigmas	89.61	↓	
11	KNL Numbats	89.56	↓	
12	2D Diamonds	89.44	↑	
13	3W Wizards	89.08	↓	
14	KW Warriors	86.56	↓	
15	5/6D Divas	83.92	↓	





## **Kindergarten 2026 Transition**


Parkview Public School warmly invites parents and carers of children commencing (or considering commencing) Kindergarten in 2026 to register for our Kindergarten 2026 Transition Program and attend our 2026 Kindergarten Information Sessions.

### ***Details of these exciting opportunities are outlined below:***

 Parent Information Sessions


 Tuesday, 10th June

 2pm and 6.30pm

 Kindergarten Rooms @ Parkview PS (enter at the Infants Gate, adjacent to the pencils)


### ***Kindergarten 2026 Transition Program commences as follows:***


 Wednesday, 15th October

 11.30am-1.45pm

 Kindergarten Rooms @ Parkview PS

### ***Features of the program include:***

 Complimentary bus picks up and drop offs service from homes, childcare and day care facilities (indicate preferences on registration form).

 Play based learning experiences as well as school and routine familiarisation experiences.


 Opportunities to develop connections with peers.

 Extended program throughout Term 4.

### ***To register, click on the link below:***

<https://docs.google.com/.../1FAIpQLSfVWUEmliP.../viewform...>

### ***For more information or to organise a tour of the school's facilities, please contact us via the following methods:***

 02 6953 2600

 parkview-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

 DM via Facebook Messenger

We are looking forward to an exciting Kindergarten 2026 Transition Program 😊

## **Winhangara Playgroup**



**WINHANGARA  
PLAYGROUP**  
Hear - Think - Listen

**Thursday Mornings  
9:15am - 10:30am**  
**Parkview Public School Hall**

All sessions include a healthy morning tea and play based learning opportunities provided by our Early Childhood Educator.

All children between birth & 5 years are welcome to attend.



Contact us at Parkview Public School on 69532600

Winhangara Playgroup continues this **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May**. Come and enjoy this experience in the air-conditioned comfort of the **School Hall** from 9:15am-10:30am.

As always, we will have a huge range of play-based activities and experiences for all children 0-5 years facilitated by our fully qualified Early Childhood Teacher. The program is also a great way for parents and carers to socialise and connect.

Bring the kids and bring a friend. We would love to see you 😊

### **Following us on Facebook**

Are you on Facebook? To get all the latest breaking news and previews of the coming school day ahead, like our school Facebook page and join over 2720 followers who stay up to date with our school happenings via social media.



**PARKVIEW**

**2026  
KINDERGARTEN  
TRANSITION**

**INFORMATION SESSIONS**  
TUESDAY  
10TH JUNE 2025  
2:00PM & 6:30PM  
Kindergarten Rooms @ Parkview PS  
(enter from Park Avenue)

**TRANSITION COMMENCES**  
WEDNESDAY  
15TH OCTOBER 2025  
11:30AM - 1:45PM

For more information and to pick up your prospectus contact the school:  
Phone: 02 6953 2600  
Email: parkview-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au  
Visit: Administration Office 8:30am-3:30pm

**CLICK THE  
QR CODE  
TO  
REGISTER**



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### **Uniform Shop**

Our P&C Uniform Shop will continue its normal opening times of Monday 9am – 10am and Thursday 2:10pm – 3:10pm. If you require access to the Uniform Shop outside of these times, please contact the school to organise a mutually convenient time to access your uniform needs.

### **Bright Beginnings 2025 Registrations**

Bright Beginnings has commenced with a lot of excitement for 2025 as we prepare our youngest community members for the commencement of Kindergarten in 2026.

**If you are yet to register your children for this great program which runs Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at Parkview PS, we encourage you to take the opportunity to do so now.**

Bright Beginnings is our play based Early Childhood Program for 4- and 5-year-old children who will be attending (or considering attending) Kindergarten in 2026.

Please click on the link to register your interest our program.



<https://forms.gle/LM1bU2YiStGvVTUq8>

More details will be shared with families as you register. We are looking forward to continuing the exciting and vibrant year of play based learning in Bright Beginnings in 2025 😊👩🏫📅

### **Parkview Public School Website**

Don't forget to log on to [www.parkview-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.parkview-p.schools.nsw.edu.au) for all of the latest news, pictures and calendar updates for your school and links to educational information that is relevant to your child!

### **Golden Apple Docket Fundraiser**

Please keep your Golden Apple shopping dockets and place them in the container at the front office. This is a great way to raise funds for our students. Parkview Public School receives 5c from every ten dollars collected.

Finally, as always, if you have an issue or concern please contact the classroom teacher, the appropriate Assistant Principal or myself. From time-to-time issues arise at school. This is perfectly normal for any school setting so if you have any questions, issues, enquiries, or you want feedback on any aspect of your child's schooling please ring to make a **mutually convenient appointment time** with your child's teacher, Assistant Principal, or myself.

**Regards,  
Travis Irvin  
Principal**

KW	Jaymie Taylor
KN	Skylar Russell
KB	Azaleah Prakash
1A	Mason Mawer-Kouzan
1G	Violet Sullivan
1SH	Isabella Killen
2D	Sophie Ciavarella
2G	Magnus Damoiseaux
2/3H	Angus Quince
3W	Solomoni Selei
4BA	Tarni Merrett
4H	Nate Russell
5E	Chevie Dunbar
5/6D	Mitchell Sheather
6C	Imogen Boots



Artwork by Matt Ottley

NSW Department of Education

**2025 NSW Premier's Reading Challenge**  
Start reading now!

**Key dates for students in K-10:**  
Challenge opens Monday 24 February  
Challenge closes for student entries Friday 22 August



**Fly away with a good book.**

*There is still time to join the Premier's Reading Challenge for this year.*

*Please see Miss Brettschneider for details.*

*Happy Reading!*







## FORCES

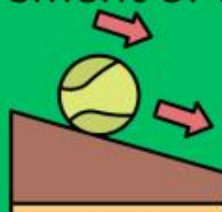
### Pushes

- Rolling the ball.
- Flicking the marble.

### Pulls

- Pulling out the Jenga piece.

3W have been learning about forces in Science. Students used hands-on activities to understand types of forces such as pushes, pulls, gravity and friction and how different sized forces affect the movement of objects.







## WEEK 4 TERM 2



### **NSWPSSA Boys Basketball Champs**

**Hudson Stevens** and **Alec Lashbrook** travelled to Minto in South-Western Sydney last week to represent **Riverina PSSA** at the **NSWPSSA Boys Basketball Championships**. The boys were selected following impressive performances at the Riverina PSSA Trials hosted in Wagga Wagga during Term 1.

It was an exciting week of basketball with both Hudson and Alec producing some excellent basketball with their Riverina teammates winning two of their games and proving very competitive in all other matches against the best players from across NSW.

It was also exciting for the boys' classmates who had the opportunity to watch three of the games via the NSW School Sport Unit Livestream.

The results from the week are included below, with Riverina finishing 10<sup>th</sup> in the 14-team competition. Congratulations to both Alec and Hudson on a wonderful achievement!



#### **FINAL SCORES**

Riverina 20 - 63 CIS  
Riverina 40 - 33 South Coast  
Riverina 62 - 30 North West  
Riverina 26 - 35 MacKillop  
Riverina 32 - 55 Sydney East  
Riverina 27 - 44 Polding  
Riverina 36 - 47 Sydney West

### **LNPSSA Cross Country**

The LNPSSA Cross Country Championships were hosted at the Narrandera Golf Course today and Parkview was represented by 41 athletes.

We'll have full details of the event in next week's newsletter.



### **NSWPSSA Netball Knockout**

Parkview's representative Netball Team will take on Griffith Public School in the Riverina Quarter Finals of the NSWPSSA Netball Knockout tomorrow (Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> May) at the Leeton Indoor Stadium.

The team qualified for this stage of the competition following their thrilling win in the LNPSSA Championships last term.

We wish our team all the best for this opportunity.



## **House Championship 2025**

Accurate at 19/05/2025

<b>WEEK 4 TERM 2</b>	<b>BRADMAN</b>	<b>FREEMAN</b>	<b>THORPE</b>
<b>SWIMMING CARNIVAL</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>300</b>
<b>X COUNTRY CARNIVAL</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>324</b>
<b>ATHLETICS CARNIVAL</b>	<b>TERM 2</b>		
<b>FARRELL CUP</b>	<b>TERM 4</b>		
<b>CLASS POINTS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>TOTAL POINTS SCORE</b>	<b>1035</b>	<b>1166</b>	<b>1127</b>





# PHOTO GALLERY



6C collaborated on a short explanation titled 'What are ANZAC biscuits and how are they made?'.

They rolled up their sleeves to bake their own ANZAC biscuits and enjoyed a lively debate about which are more delicious—crunchy or chewy!



Which is  
more delicious  
**CRUNCHY**  
or  
**CHEWY**  
*ANZAC  
Biscuits?*







# PHOTO GALLERY

NSWPSSA CHAMPIONSHIP

ALEO

HUDSON

# BASKETBALL

*Riverina*

13-15.05.2025

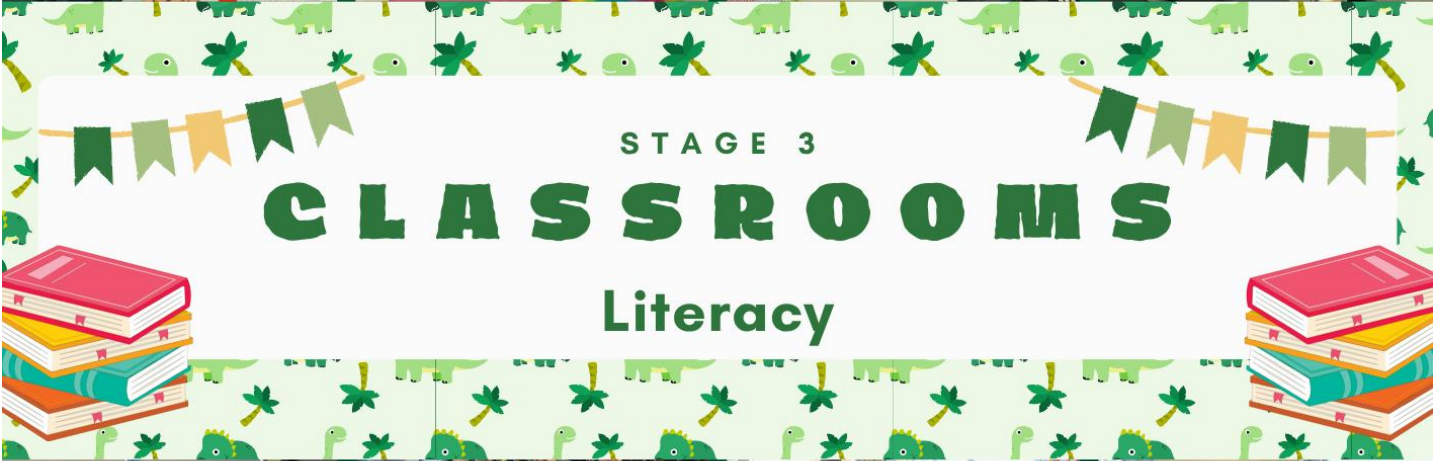
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# PHOTO GALLERY







# PHOTO GALLERY

*THE CREATING KIDS OF 4BA ENJOYED DESIGNING*



# ALIENS



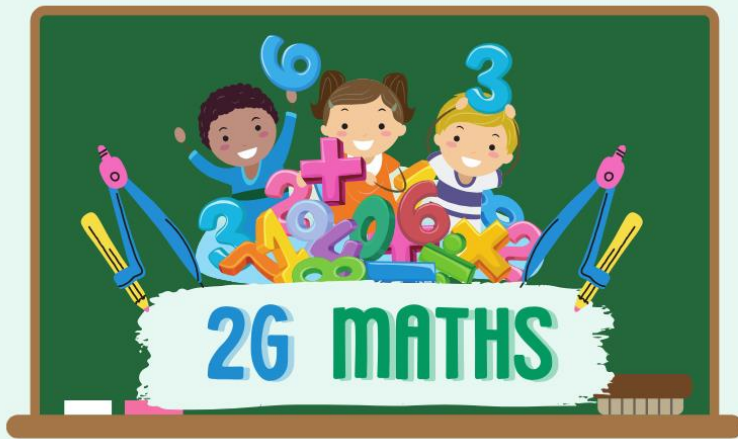
*ARTWORKS IN CLASS. THERE WERE SOME AWESOME DESIGNS.*







# PHOTO GALLERY







## E-scooters: Advice for families

An e-scooter is an electric scooter that is powered by a rechargeable battery.

### Is my child allowed to ride an e-scooter?

In NSW, it is **illegal** to ride a privately owned e-scooter on roads or road-related areas, including footpaths, shared paths, cycle ways and cycle paths.

If you allow your child to ride a privately owned e-scooter, they are **only permitted** to ride it on private property.

### Is my child allowed to ride in a e-scooter trial area?

E-scooter shared schemes are being trialled in designated local government areas in NSW.

Your child must be **16 years or older** to hire and ride a shared e-scooter within a trial area.

Hired shared scheme e-scooters are only able to be used on roads and road-related areas in the designated e-scooter trial areas. It is illegal for privately owned e-scooters to be ridden on NSW roads or road related areas, including in trial areas.





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## Before you can start ordering

- ✔ Login to your secure portal:
- ✔ Add Students
- ✔ Top-up your account

3

## Placing an order

To place an order, follow these steps:

For Online Canteen/Tuckshop

- ✔ Select a student
- ✔ Enter or select the date
- ✔ Click on Start Order button and follow the prompts

# Parkview Public School Canteen Menu – Term 2 2025

Canteen opens daily 10am to 2.00pm – Ph: 6953 2600

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(E) Everyday (O) Occasional Foods from the guidelines

## Weekly Specials

### Monday

- \* Chicken & Gravy Roll (E) \$6.00  
(Chicken fillet, Gravy, Roll)

### Tuesday

- \* Stuffed Potato (E) \$8.00  
(Baked Potato, filled with Taco Mince, topped with Cheese & Tomato)

### Wednesday

- \* Meatball Sub (E) \$7.00  
(Meatballs, Napoli sauce on a Roll)

### Thursday

- \* Burrito (E) \$8.00  
(Mince with Taco seasoning & Corn on a Wrap with Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese)

### Friday

- \* Pizza Pockets (E) \$6.00  
(Ham, Cheese, Tomato sauce, Herbs on a Wrap)

### Gluten Free Options

- Cheese or Ham/Cheese Toasted Sandwich \$4.00
- Chicken or Chicken Special Burgers \$6.50
- Chicken Tenders (Friday Only) \$1.50ea
- Salad Tubs Varieties available \$8.00-\$9.50

## Daily Hot Food

- \* Chicken Fillet Burger (E) \$5.00  
(Chicken fillet)
- \* Special Chicken Burger (E) \$6.00  
(Chicken fillet, Lettuce, Mayo)
- \* Salad Chicken Burger (E) \$7.00  
(Chicken fillet, Lettuce, Tomato, Beetroot)
- \* Cheesy Beef Burger (E) \$6.00  
(Beef patty, Cheese, Tomato sauce)
- \* Salad Beef Burger (E) \$7.00  
(Beef patty, Lettuce, Tomato, Beetroot)
- \* Hot Cheese Roll (E) \$3.00
- \* Toasted Cheese Sandwich (E) \$3.00
- \* Toasted Ham and Cheese Sandwich (E) \$3.50
- \* Sausage Roll with T/S (Thur/Fri only) (O) \$4.00
- \* Nuggets (Friday only) (O) 50c ea

## Daily Salad Tubs and Wraps

- \* Salad Only (E) \$7.00  
(Lettuce, Carrot, Cucumber, Tomato, Beetroot, Cheese)
- \* Salad \$8.00  
*with the choice of one of the following:*
- \* Ham (E) \* Chicken (E) \* Egg (E)
- Add \$1.00 for any extras eg Egg & Chicken

## Sandwiches/Rolls/Wraps

### Extra 50c for Rolls and Wraps

- Vegemite (E) or Honey (E) \$2.50
- Cheese (E) \$3.00
- Chicken (E) \$4.00
- Salad-no meat (E) \$5.50
- Ham Salad (E) \$6.00
- Chicken Salad (E) \$6.00
- Egg (E) \$3.50
- Egg & Lettuce (E) \$4.00
- Ham (E) \$4.00

\*GLUTEN FREE BREAD AVAILABLE

## Drinks

- Bottled Water (E) \$2.00
- Fruit Box (E) \$2.00
- Chocolate Milk (E) \$3.00
- Strawberry Milk (E) \$3.00
- Orange Juice (E) \$3.00
- Chill J (fizzy fruit juice) (E) \$3.00

**Recess – over the counter sales ONLY,**  
no pre orders

- ½ Toasted Cheese Sandwich (E) 50c
- Pizza Sub (E) 50c
- Red Rock Deli Sea Salt Chips (O) \$1.50
- Fresh Fruit (E) from \$1.00
- Yoghurt Pouch (O) \$1.50
- Popcorn (O) \$1.00

## Ice Blocks & Ice Creams

- Quelch Sticks (E) 50c
- Snap Stick (E) \$1.00
- TNT Ice Block (E) \$1.00
- Birthday Zooper Doopers (O) \$15

## Extras

- Tomato Sauce Sachet 50c
- Forks 20c
- Spoons 20c
- Paper Bags 10c