We would like to thank the staff and students who participated in the recent ANZAC Day March.

Our school was well represented with students attending and showing their respect for ANZAC Day. A wreath was laid at the Albury Monument after the March by our School Captains Teah R and Jake W.

Thankyou to the families who took their children along and had them dressed appropriately for the occasion. We were very proud.

Welcome Back!
We would like to welcome everyone back to school. Students have settled back into routine quickly and are refreshed for a busy term ahead. Below we have listed our diary of important events for Term Two and please note that it can be subject to some change as more activities may be added throughout the term.

Friday May 9
P & C Mother’s Day Stall & Raffle Draw

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday May 13, 14 & 15
NAPLAN testing for Years 3 & 5

Monday May 19
Albury Zone Athletics Carnival

Thursday May 22
P & C Pie Drive - order forms to families
Year 1-2 Assembly

Thursday May 29
Zone Cross Country Carnival

Friday June 6
Pie drive orders due back

Week 8
Student Reports home

Week 9 (last week of term)
Student Led Conferences

The Canteen is open
Thursday and Friday
Only for Term Two

A new menu has been sent home this week so please check it carefully for changes before ordering. We have also included some Gluten Free items.

Check out the back of the menu for the great ‘special meal’ offer for Thursday’s!
FROM THE CLASSROOM

Class Kinder
Kinder Smurfs have settled back into the term well. Whilst Mrs Carroll is having some extra days off, Ms Boughton has filled her spot. On Wednesdays we have started a ‘Cloud Watching’ unit and we will soon become cloud experts. We all had lots of fun at the school Cross Country last week and everyone ran with enthusiasm and tried their best. Great work!
Felicity Boughton

Class K-1
Welcome to Term Two. This term we are preparing for our assembly which is on Thursday June 6. We continue our Home Reading Program as this is a fundamental tool to ensure successful readers. We are learning all about multiplication and division and we are also learning about famous landmarks around the world. As it is the weather that children are arriving in jumpers and then taking them off as the day warms up, I would like to remind parents to check that all jumpers have names on them. Trish Rawlings

Class 1-2
Year 1-2 have settled into working hard after a refreshing break. Our HSIE unit this term is called ‘The Way We Were’ so there will be lots of olden day learning. In Measurement we are using equal arm balances to find out different masses. Our Assembly item will be on Thursday May 22 and a note about costumes will go home next week. Verna McGrath & Karen Pontt

Class Yr 2
Welcome to a busy Term Two. We have rehearsed all week for our assembly item and improved our acting skills for our item which we performed today at the Assembly. We hope everyone enjoyed it. We enjoyed practising for the Cross Country and we ran well on the course last Friday. Well done! In Computers we are using Targeting Maths and in Literacy we love using Sunshine Online and Reading Eggs Programs. Louise Purss-Semple

Class Yr 3
It has already been a busy start to Term Two. Year 3 are persuading me with their written speeches. We are having a great time persuading each other to agree on many different topics. In Maths we have been looking at Time. We know quarter past and quarter to... very impressive!! It is a short term with lots to squash in but we will manage as we are wonderful Year 3 students. Joanna McAlister

Class 3-4
Welcome back from holidays and into a busy term ahead. My name is Mrs Carin Braines and I will be on class whilst Mr Giese is away for the first five weeks of term. Well done to all those who represented the school in the Rugby Gala Day last week. Everyone also put in a fantastic effort in the school Cross Country and had a lot of fun on the day. In class we are working hard on NAPLAN preparation. Carin Braines

Class 4-5
Welcome to a jammed pack nine week term. Congratulations to all students who participated in the School Cross Country last Friday. The student’s going on to the next level will be announced closer to the date. Year 5 have been practising NAPLAN questions for Reading, Writing, Mathematics and Language Conventions and will be prepared for the testing next week. Our class have completed some beautiful Aboriginal art so feel free to come in and see your child’s art. I am looking for volunteers to make Mary Poppins skirts for our school production in Term 3. Please let me know if you can help in any way. Emma Wilson

Class 5-6
Welcome back from holidays. Please make sure your child’s clothing has their name on it as children are taking jumpers off during the day as it warms up. Our unit this term is ‘Global Connections’ where we will explore how Australia is connected to the rest of the world in sport, trade, travel etc…. Our Science unit will be ‘It's Electrifying’ - a unit about electricity. We have our Term Two speech due on Monday May 19. This speech is a 3-4 minute speech on a topic of your choice. Full homework starts again this week. Janelle Doust

Library
All students have started borrowing for Term Two and there are some very exciting new books in the Library that we know the children are going to love borrowing. Please remind your children to return books on their next library day so as all books are available again to other students each week. Happy reading! Jan Kay
What a great day for the School Cross Country! The weather was very kind and comfortable for a lot of running.

Students ran, walked and talked their way around the course and we are very pleased with the outstanding effort from everyone.

All participants who will be going on to the Zone Cross Country Carnival to be held on Thursday May 29 will receive more information when it comes to hand.

Thankyou to the families and friends who came along and gave their support on the day, it was great to see you all here.

Community News

Hume Ladies Luncheon
Hume Building Society invites you to a very special luncheon with popular Guest Speaker, Melissa Doyle. Friday May 16 at 11.45 am for 12pm start. Gypsy Gardens Reception Centre, Wright Road, Lincoln Causeway Island, Wodonga. 2 course lunch (drinks at bar prices) RSVP by May 9 including payment of $100 per person. All profits will go to Betty’s Place, Albury, an organisation that supports woman and children who experience violence in their lives.

Bunnings Mother’s Day Family Night
This Thursday May 8, at Bunnings Albury. 6-8pm with entertainment for the children and adults. There will be pamper stations for mums to attend—these include manicures, pedicures, massage etc... by qualified beauticians and masseuse.

School Jacket for Sale
A size 12 school jacket in good condition is for sale. Please phone Sue on 0401 022 227.
My MUM is SPECIAL because:

She makes the best food and she bought fish for us. I like the blue fish. By Bailey -Lee H

When it’s my birthday she makes my favourite food Spaghetti Bolognese. By Joshua S

She makes her newest creamy pasta for me and she gave me her teddies from when she was little. By Keana B-W

At Christmas time she got me the present I really wanted. My Mum is the best. By Rylan M

She lets me eat breakfast foods at dinner time. My Mum always helps me. By Parker T

She lets me make my dinner that I like. By Logan C

She gives me money for doing my chores and she helps my class do art on Thursdays. By Ryan C

She makes my favourite potatoes for dinner, she makes the best brown gravy and the best cheese cake. By Daria B

She always loves me even when I am a bit cheeky and she buys me a mango. By Hahona W

My Mum gives me my favourite food and that is Wraps. By Hudsynn J

She gives me kisses and cuddles when I am sick. My Mum makes the best chicken nuggets. By Annabel H

We Love You Mum!
When we go on holidays she makes the best lunches and she sometimes lets me stay up and watch movies and eat lollies on the couch. 
By Mazzy H

She reads me a bedtime story at night and she makes me her special beef soup when I am sick. My Mum gives me ice-cream after dinner every night.
By Shianne K

She lets me do jumps on my bike and she gives me a cuddle before school.
By Kane W

She gave me her delicate dolls that she had when she was little. She bakes me her special cake and she takes me to the park to play.
By Savannah H-Z

My Mum is special because when I visit her she lets me have lunch and birthday cake.
By Reece W

Debbie is special because she takes care of us and keeps us safe. She makes the best Spring rolls they are my favourite. I can't stop eating them.
By Reece W

She gives me kisses and cuddles all the time and she watches movies with me.
By Jack S

She makes me breakfast in the morning and she checks my temperature when I am sick.
By Darcy B

She loves me and she gets me mini pancakes every morning.
By Damon H

She looks after the kids when Dad is at work. Mum tucks me in bed at night.
By Noah R

Thankyou Mums !!!
All deposits have been received and a payment plan has been sent home. Please note the next payment of $30 is due tomorrow Friday May 9.

**Year 3**
- **Language Conventions**: 40 minutes
- **Writing**: 40 minutes
- **Reading**: 45 minutes
- **Numeracy**: 45 minutes

**Year 5**
- **Language Conventions**: 40 minutes
- **Writing**: 40 minutes
- **Reading**: 50 minutes
- **Numeracy**: 50 minutes

**Sparkes Family Fundraiser**
SUNDAY May 18 at the Lavington Rural Fire Brigade Station, 629 Krautz Street in Lavington. Come along and enjoy the Face Painting, Sausage Sizzle, Rides, Raffles etc... All proceeds to go toward Elia Sparkes ongoing medical costs.

**Labouring Clothing**
With the start of this colder weather we are finding lots of jumpers, track pants and jackets being removed as the day warms up. **PLEASE REMEMBER to label everything!!** This will not guarantee it won’t get misplaced but it will help it be returned to the correct owner when it is found.

**Student Banking Each Wednesday**
Student banking has started again for this term. Please remind your child to hand their bank book in as soon as they get to the classroom so as not to be late for the bank collection on Wednesday mornings.

**Book Club Issue 3**
Issue 3 of the Scholastic Book Club was sent home last week. All orders are due back to Mrs Webb at the office by next Friday May 16.

**SRC—Stewart House Donation Drive**
The SRC are currently encouraging families to donate toward the Stewart House Donation Drive. Envelopes were sent home last week.

Please read the details carefully for the chance to go in the draw for a fabulous holiday valued at $4000. We hope you can help this worthy cause as they have helped students from our school in the past.

**Canberra Excursion $300 - Term 4 2014 (3 Days)**
All deposits have been received and a payment plan has been sent home. Please note the next payment of $30 is due tomorrow **Friday May 9**.
Congratulations to the following students on their Library Monitor Awards.

Year 1-2  Freya S  
Year 2  Mazzy H  
Year 3  Tharushi A  
Year 3-4  Mat D  
Year 4-5  Malik W  
Year 5-6  Jayden W

Please assist your child to look for overdue books from Term 1.
Happy reading
Mrs Kay

PBL BRONZE AWARDS

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Last Thursday we had students from Year 3-4 compete in Rugby League and Tag League at Sarvass Park. Both the boys and girls teams performed great with both teams finishing 3rd on the day. An outstanding achievement from our smaller school.

Congratulations to Bailey P and Rachael C, who received awards for good sportsmanship and skills from Country Rugby League.

Thank you to the parents for coming along and cheering us on and we hope we get another game soon to improve our tackling and passing skills.

Mrs Purss-Semple
Lisa Halliday Memorial Service
Saturday May 17

A Memorial Service for the late Lisa Halliday will be held on Saturday May 17 in the school hall here at Springdale Heights Public School at 1pm. This is at the request of Lisa who taught at Springdale Heights Public School approximately seven years ago. Lisa passed away from complications associated with Multiple Sclerosis and her funeral was held in Sydney.

Lisa’s request was to hold a Memorial Service here in Albury and all who knew her are invited to attend. Lisa requested people wear her favourite colours: green, purple and/or blue. A donation of a book in Lisa’s name would be appreciated in lieu of flowers. This will help support Lisa’s Literacy passion and also support MS Read-a-thon.