

# Robertstown Primary School

Newsletter No.10 October 31<sup>st</sup> 2025

## Coming Events

### WEEK 4

#### **4<sup>th</sup> November**

Melbourne Cup

Year 6 Transition Day EAS

### WEEK 5

#### **9<sup>th</sup> November**

Eudunda Show

#### **10<sup>th</sup> November**

Pupil Free Day

#### **11<sup>th</sup> November**

Remembrance Day

### WEEK 6

#### **19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> November**

Camp

Dear Families,

I would like to begin by expressing my sincere gratitude to all the volunteers who joined us to help lift the pavers for our new playground. With 35 helpers, this was a wonderful example of our community working together. Thank you again to everyone who gave their time and effort.

I am excited to announce that the playground installation began in week 2 and is expected to finish by the end of week 3. Once we have completed the KidSafe inspection, our students will be able to enjoy the new play space!

In week 10 of term, 3, we installed new interactive boards in every classroom. These screens provide both staff and students with clearer, interactive displays and better access to learning resources. Most importantly, the new boards are easy to read for everyone. Staff are also continuing their professional learning to make the best use of inclusive technology in all learning areas. We are preparing for the upcoming small schools camp with Keyneton and Cambrai Primary Schools. All families and staff should have received an email with an online registration link. Please complete this as soon as possible so we can organise dietary needs and dormitory arrangement. I will send another note next week about what to pack for camp, as outlined in the original consent form. If you haven't yet returned your consent form, please do so by the end of next week.

I am very pleased to share some fantastic news about our students' learning progress. Our recent Progress Achievement Data results (PAT-R and PAT-M) in English and Maths shows significant improvement with most students now working at, above, or just below their year level. Congratulations to all students on this wonderful achievement! This is directly related to the hard work by staff and students in our Literacy Block.

Finally, a big warm welcome to our three new students Luca, Caleb, Cody and their families. We're thrilled you have joined us at Robertstown Primary.

Thank you for your ongoing support and involvement in our school community.

Warm regards,

**Bronwyn Whitelaw**  
**Principal**

# News from Mrs Lewis

The students and I have been busy in the garden this year. Our mandarin tree is starting to fruit and we have just harvested 9kg of broad beans to eat and giveaway. Last term we planted four tomato plants and last week we got to plant pumpkin and sunflower seeds. We are loving learning new skills in the garden and getting out in the dirt and sunshine. We have also been busy completing some stobie pole art for our community. Our indigenous stobie pole panel is finished and it has been installed on the road across from the school. We are currently working on another panel which has a sunflower theme. We have one more panel to complete and that will have a "school" theme and will be placed on the corner next to our school yard.



# Burra Creek Gorge

Our recent excursion to Burra Creek Gorge and Robertstown surrounds gave us a special chance to enjoy the beauty of Ngadjuri Land. Before the trip, students worked together to create our own Acknowledgement to Country, which we will use at school and on our new website. During the excursion, we learned about Aboriginal symbols, explored traditional communication with bull roarers made in class, and captured the experience with photos and videos.



# Robbie Seniors Visit

On Tuesday the 21st of October the school joined Robbie Seniors at the Peace Hall to share some projects and learning. We shared the activities we had done for electives including bull-roarers, neurographic art and rock painting. The students shared a joke and juice with the seniors - thanks for having us!



ROBERTSTOWN BOWLING CLUB  
Melbourne Cup Luncheon  
Tuesday 4th November

start time 11.30 for 12 O'clock  
\$30.00 person  
2 course meal

Complimentary Drink on arrival  
Sweeps and Raffles through out the day

FASHIONS SALOUJA  
By Marie Murphy  
Contact to book call Jo 0427022898



**GOYDER YAC PRESENTS:**

**HALLOWEEN PARTY**

**FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025**

GPM AT THE EUDUNDA CENTENARY GARDENS

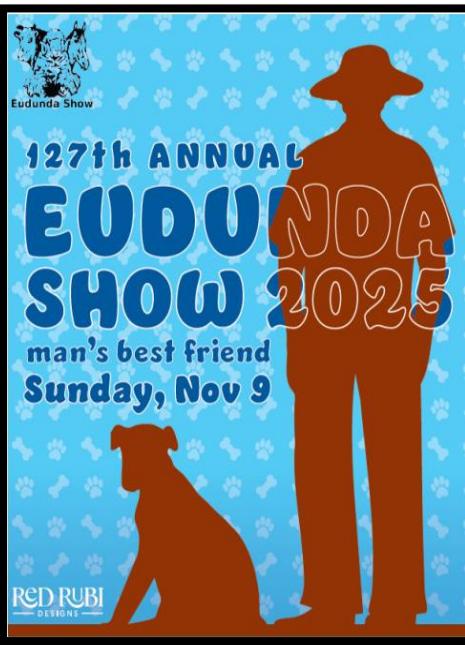
FREE BBQ  
FACE PAINTING  
TRICK OR TREAT TRAIL  
PRIZES FOR BEST COSTUMES

**FREE MOVIE 'SCOOB!' AT 7.30PM**



Eudunda Show

127<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
**EUDUNDA SHOW 2025**  
man's best friend  
**Sunday, Nov 9**



RED RUBI DESIGNS

**EUDUNDA SHOW AMBASSADOR QUEST**

Sponsored by SCHUTZ BUILDING & CONCRETING  
Convenor: Alison Schutz Entry: Free

Open to all district girls and boys who have not previously won in the age group. Entrants to be dressed in clothing suitable for a country show.

To be judged on dress, grooming and public speaking (brief interview).

Entries: To be submitted to Secretary's Office by **10AM Show Day** or in week prior. Forms available from secretary, or download from Show website.

Please meet at the Secretary's Office at **10AM Show Day**.

**NEW Judging time: 10.15AM in the Marquee.**

First Prize: Sash & Trophy for each Class.

Senior Girl/Boy - 13 to 16 years  
Junior Girl - 9 to 12 years  
Junior Boy - 9 to 12 years  
Sub Junior Girl - 6 to 8 years  
Sub Junior Boy - 6 to 8 years  
Mini Girl - 4 to 5 years  
Mini Boy - 4 to 5 years



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**Broad beans to giveaway**

The students at RPS have planted and harvested some delicious broad beans. If you would like some they will be down at our local Post Office to take!

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