

19th March 2026



Issue 4

Acting Assistant Principals Report

Valerie Lobry



Staffing update

Ben's acting role has been extended at the Primary School which means I (Valerie) will remain in the Acting Assistant Principal role until the end of this term. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

Harmony Week

This week we are celebrating Harmony Week with special activities promoting cultural diversity and inclusion. We invite our school community to wear a splash of orange on Thursday 21st March, Harmony Day. Orange symbolises social communication, meaningful conversations and mutual respect, all embodied through our own school values.



Learning in classrooms and assemblies

It has been a joy to see how engaged students are in their learning, whether it is with painting outdoors, learning different styles of dancing in Performing Arts or creating videos for our assemblies (VL). I commend our Student Leaders for their organisation of assemblies every week. I would also like to remind all parents and guardians that you are very welcome to join us for our Friday afternoon assemblies, at any time. We love having you as part of the audience!



MARCH

- 19th School Council 5pm
- 19th Harmony Day
- 20th Curriculum Day—
Student Free

APRIL

- 2nd End of Term 1—
Dismissal at 2:00pm
- 20th Term 2 starts

MAY

- 14th School Council
- 22nd School Photos

Willow the Wellbeing Dog

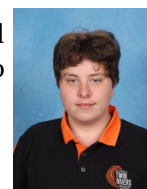


Moama Grammar students

This week, nine Year 8 Moama Grammar students started their volunteering program at our school. This program will continue into Term 2, with students getting to know our own students and helping around the classroom.

Beacon Breakfast

Well done to Levi who joined the Beacon Breakfast today alongside Paul as part of his involvement in this Leadership program. Thank you to Levi who represented our school well this morning.



Curriculum Day reminder

Curriculum Day – Student Free Day Friday 20th March will be a student-free Curriculum Day. On this day, our staff will be engaged in professional learning focused on strengthening our understanding of Koorie perspectives and embedding these respectfully and meaningfully into our teaching practice. This important work supports our commitment to inclusion, cultural understanding and ensuring all students see their histories and cultures valued in our curriculum.

Last day of term reminder

A reminder that the final day of term will be Thursday 2nd April, as the following day is Good Friday. School will finish early at 2:00pm on this day.



Our school photos for 2026 will be held on Friday 22nd May. MSP Photography will be utilising our Compass Parent Portal sending links to families via the portal to order and pay for photo. We are encouraging all families to make sure they can access their portal. If you are having trouble please contact the office and we can help you.

Our Vision

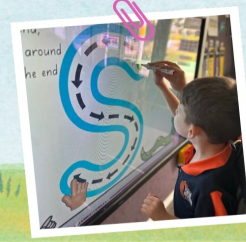
To provide inclusive and engaging learning that empowers all students for life

Our Values

Be Respectful
Be Inclusive
Be Responsible



Room 3



On the 5th March selected student compete in the Loddon Mallee Lawn Bowls Tournament at the Golden Square Bowls Club. Our student compete against main stream high school in the Loddon Mallee region. Our students played very well winning many ends and 1 match. Congratulation to our student for representing our school.



2025 BUS STAFF

Rushworth:
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Neil & Nicole

Cohuna:
0418 847 627
Alan & Lorraine &
Kylie

Elmore:
0427 685 124
Bill, Kevin, Jan,
Judy & Zoe

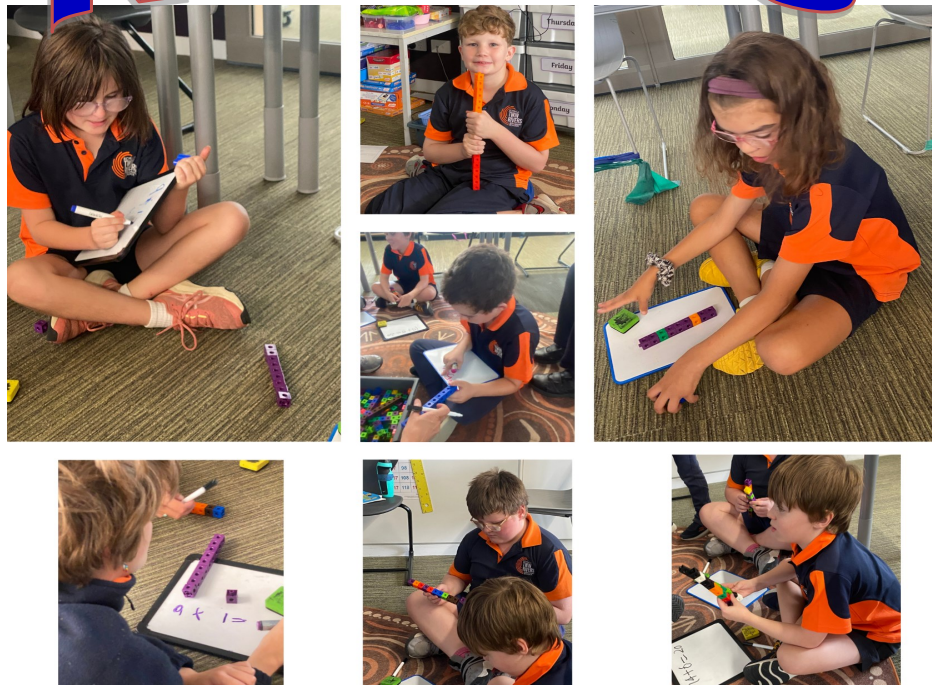
Kyabram:
0448 981 278
Russell & Barb



Volleyball Clinic



Room 9





Exciting things happening in the playground



SWPBS Teaching Schedule 2026

| Week | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 | Term 4 |
|------|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1 | Classroom Systems Classroom expectations | We take turns | We look after our belongings | We follow directions from staff |
| 2 | We follow directions from all staff | We use all equipment for its purpose | We share equipment | We ask for help when we need it |
| 3 | We ask for help when we need it | We keep our school clean and tidy | We use our manners and speak kindly | We support each other to learn |
| 4 | We support each other to learn | We help others when they need it | We communicate how we are feeling | We keep our hands and feet to ourselves |
| 5 | We keep our hands and feet to ourselves | We appreciate the diversity of others | We ask to join in | We look after our belongings |
| 6 | We look after our belongings | We do our work | We use all equipment for its purpose | We share equipment |
| 7 | We share equipment | We follow directions from all staff | We keep our school clean and | We use manners and speak |
| 8 | We use our manners and speak kindly | We ask for help when we need it | We help others when they need it | We communicate how we are feeling |
| 9 | We communicate how we are feeling | We support each other to learn | We appreciate the diversity of others | We ask to join in |
| 10 | We ask to join in | We keep our hands and feet to ourselves | We communicate how we are feeling | We follow directions from staff |
| 11 | | | | We follow directions from staff |



| Be Responsible | Be Respectful | Be Inclusive |
|---|---|---|
|  We keep our school clean and tidy |  We use our manners and speak kindly |  We ask to join in |
|  We ask for help when we need it |  We appreciate the diversity of others |  We support each other to learn |
|  We look after our belongings |  We keep our hands and feet to ourselves |  We take turns |
|  We communicate how we are feeling |  We use all equipment for its purpose |  We share equipment |
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PBS Targeted Behaviour



We use our manners and speak kindly



The grass stains you get playing as a kid stay with you your whole life. So for fun, friendship, and getting your hands dirty, it's gotta be NAB AFL Auskick.

Echuca Moama Rockets

Wednesday's
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm
Echuca South Recreation Reserve

Commencing April 22nd, 2026!

USE CODE A571756A for 50% off registration

Scan the QR Code for more information



As part of your program will receive an exclusive AFL goodie pack



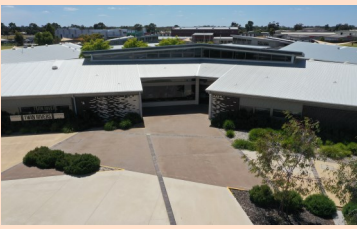
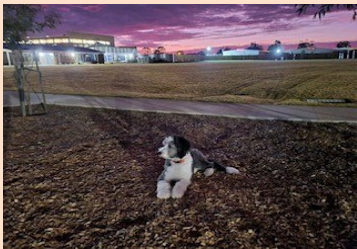
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COMMUNITY NEWS

OUR SCHOOL

Echuca Twin Rivers Specialist School provides education for children ages 5-18 years with intellectual and associated disabilities. It services the Campaspe and Murray Shire area.

The school prides itself on having an open and welcoming environment that encourages parent and community participation.



ALL GIRLS GROUPS AVAILABLE

AFL PLAY

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS SORTED

PLAY.AFL/HOLIDAYPROGRAMS

ECHUCA MOAMA AFL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY 15TH APRIL | 9AM-3PM
MOAMA RECREATION RESERVE
BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 4-12
\$55 PER PERSON

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AFL PLAY

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS SORTED

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KYABRAM AFL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

THURSDAY 9TH APRIL | 9AM-3PM
NORTHERN OVAL, KYABRAM
\$55 PER PERSON
BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 4-12

Schnitz Echuca is doing a low Sensory hour

What to expect!
The store will turn down the music volume, the lighting will be reduced.

When is this happening?
It will happen every weekday between the hours of **3pm to 4:30pm** (hours can be adjusted, please contact the store if you would like to arrange this).

If we can make any adjustment of if there are any questions, please come into the store or call 03 4410 8901 or email echuca@schnitz.com.au

SCHOOL'S OUT! Quality Before and After School Care

BEFORE SCHOOL VACATION CARE AFTER SCHOOL

Why choose School's OUT!
Our Outside of School Hours Program is popular with both parents and children, the before and after school programs are not only educational but they are fun!
We pride ourselves on working with the local community, supporting businesses and sharing your child's positive experiences they will remember for a lifetime.
Children are given the chance to learn through play, nurture their artistic skills, explore the world of sports or even sit quietly and watch a movie.
Every day we provide delicious and nutritious food for everyone to snack on and even give the children the chance to help prepare the food.
Our cooking lessons are wildly popular and will often yield yummy treats to be taken home. Perfect for the following days lunch!

TAKING BOOKINGS NOW!
for more info
www.schoolsout.net.au

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