SCHOOL AT YARRAGON
Tomorrow our buildings will be moved, and children will be required to attend Yarragon Primary School for the day. Permission forms have been sent out and must be returned by the end of today. Children must be dropped at Yarragon Primary School at 9.00am and picked up from Yarragon at 3.10pm. Children will need food, snacks and drink for the day.

SCHOOL ATHLETIC SPORTS
The School Athletic Sports will be held next Tuesday 22nd March at the Geoff Watt Track in Warragul. Parents are to drop children at the Geoff Watt Track at 9.00am and pickup from there at 3.00pm.

Items available from the Canteen are:
- Hot Dogs
- Party Pies
- Sausage Rolls
- Sandwiches
- Slices
- Tea/Coffee
- Cappuccino
- Soft Drinks (can)
- Water
- Prima’s
- Icy Poles
- Packets of Chips
- Chocolate bars
- Mixed bag of lollies

A map and itinerary are attached to the newsletter, which parents must take on the day. All permission forms must be returned by Monday 21st March.

Athletic Sports Parking
It would be appreciated if drivers arriving at the Athletic Sports adhered to the following directions:
- Enter via the entry closest to the bus depot (next to the Regional College pedestrian crossing). If dropping off children turn to the left and after dropping children exit at the other end. If parking follow the instructions of the parking marshalls (in orange vests) and turn right onto the large grass area adjacent to the tennis courts.
- Please note there will be a section through the treed area (marked with bunting) that acts a laneway to the parking area and must be kept clear at all times.

CRAZY HAIR DAY
Thankyou to all students for participating in the Crazy Hair Day last Friday 11th March. The school raised $70 for the Leukaemia Foundation. A great effort!
**STUDENT AWARDS**

**Grade 1 / Prep**  
Riley Kleeven

**Grade 3/2**  
Tahlia Witney

**Grade 4/3**  
Cooper Allsopp

**Grade 6/5**  
Matthew Burdett & Justin Axford

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**NIGHTLY READING AWARDS**

**25 Nights**

Lachlan Axford  
Anthony Scott

Andrew Burdett  
Peta Rhodes

Bailey Kleeven  
Ashton Kimm

Tahj Gallagher  
Bailey Dent

Riley Kleeven  
Meg Devlin

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**CRICKET TEAM TRIALS**

Congratulations to Peta Rhodes and Matthew Burdett, who have been accepted to represent Nilma Primary School in the State Cricket Team Trials at Yarragon Recreation Reserve on Wednesday 23rd March, between 9.30am and 11.00am.

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**THRASS CHARTS**

If you would like to purchase a THRASS chart for $6.60 to help your child’s reading, writing and spelling strategies at home, please fill in the attached form.

Name of student:______________________

Number of THRASS Charts:______________

Please return form by Friday 18th March 2011.

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**URBAN CAMP – GRADE 4,5,6**

**JUNE 1st—3rd 2011**

Camp - Years 4/5/6 - June 1st - June 3rd 2011  
(Wed - Fri)

Planning for the camp is underway: activities for the camp are basically: Scienceworks, Vic Parliament Years 5/6 (older children) and a different activity for Year 4’s, Eureka Skydeck, Vic market, Imax, Melbourne museum, MSAC, Melbourne River Cruise

The cost per child will be $195. A payment plan was attached to the newsletter last week. More details will be provided at a later date.

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**CRE FOR SCHOOLS**

CRE gives students the opportunity to explore Christian beliefs and values which provide strong foundations for life. Attached to the newsletter is information regarding CRE. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding CRE at Nilma Primary, then please contact the school.
1-0 Hams

I brought Sponge Bob and Patrick to school today because it was bring your favourite teddy to school day. We are going to Yarragon tomorrow too and my friends are there. By Lane

We are going to Yarragon tomorrow because the buildings are getting moved. By Carolyn

We had art today and had to put spots on our painting with a match stick. By Daniel

I brought my big teddy to school today. It is called Harrison. By Meg

Student of the week: RILEY KLEEVEN for always trying his best with his work and always keen to help his peers with their learning, especially reading in the mornings.

3-2 Berkelmans

I passed by the pet shop window on my way to school and in the window I saw a white tiger. I brought it to school and it wreck the electricity. I got in trouble. By Andrew

I passed by the pet shop window on my way to school and in the window I saw all the snakes in the world. I brought them to school and they liked Miss B. Whoever went near Miss B got detention. By Tahlia

I passed by the pet shop window on my way to school and in the window I saw a Taratula in a cage. It was cool and the best pet ever in the world. I scared Miss B. My taratula came out of the cage and Miss B had bare feet and it bit her on the foot. By Shelby

I passed by the pet shop window on my way to school and in the window I saw a snake. It had wings. I jumped on it. I flew to school. It turned into a dragon. It had armour on it. I saw another dragon. The dragons had a battle and my dragon won the battle. I went home with my dragon. By Callum

The student of the week is Tahlia. Tahlia got student of the week for always putting in 100 percent into her learning.

4-3 Williams

GRADE ¾ NEWS

Last Friday it was Crazy Hair Day. Every a turned up with crazy hair. We had to donate $1 or two dollars for people who are sick. It was great! Today it is Art and it is going to be super fun. We have finished reading Clever Duck. Everyone is having a great time. Tomorrow we are going to Yarragon Primary School. Next week we are going to have Athletics Day. I hope we win this time. It is going to be a fun day at the sports.

By Bayley and Dom

Student of the Week is Cooper Allsopp for always trying to achieve his best.

6-5 O’Connor

Last week we had a Kanga Cricket clinic with Brayden and Ohdara. They came to teach us more about Kanga Cricket. Tomorrow we are going to Yarragon Primary School for the day because the buildings are being moved. Sports Day is next Tuesday and let's hope we will come first and that it's not going to be hot. Let's bring the shield home, yay!! By Matt and Rory.

Student of the Week is awarded to Matt Burdett and Justin Axford for taking responsibility for their leadership roles to help organise the school sports.
PERSONAL PROPERTY BROUGHT TO SCHOOL

Personal property is sometimes brought to school by students, staff and visitors. Unfortunately, the Department does not hold insurance for personal property brought to schools and it has no capacity to pay for any loss or damage to such property. I strongly suggested that students do not bring any unnecessary or particularly valuable items to school. NB Children are not allowed to bring mobile phones to school.

PARENTS CLUB—RECIPE BOOK

The Parents Club would like some recipe contributions for the Nilma primary School Recipe Book that will be produced later in the year. Recipes can be handed into the office or emailed to belinda.smythe@bigpond.com or to Jinine - jinine74@yahoo.com.au

ROSTER FOR HOT LUNCHES

Friday 18th March: No Hot Lunches

Friday 25th March: Jinine & Leigh

Friday 1st April: Nikki & Belinda

If you are able to help out on any of the above days, then please just turn up.

Please Note: Due to the Building being removed this Thursday 17th March, there will be NO HOT LUNCHES this Friday 18th March.

A reminder that for catering purposes, all Hot Lunches must be handed in on the Thursday before Hot Lunch Day.

PARENTS CLUB—EASTER RAFFLE

Next week the Parents Club will be sending home raffle tickets for our Easter Raffle. The raffle will be drawn on Friday 8th April (last day of term). Could parents please bring a small gift for our Easter Raffle. All contributions can be made at the office.
NOOJEE CAR BOOT SALE
Our annual car boot sale is on again. Please come along and support our local school or if you have anything to sell just book a table at only $10.00. All undercover. Alternately if you’d like to donate any items, contact us below to arrange collection of goods.

- cups of tea, coffee, cold drinks available
- BBQ—rissoles and sausages—locally made
- Trash and treasure stalls
- Second hand books
- Used clothing and toys
- And much much more.

Elsie Blacker Stadium Noojee Primary School.

Date: Sunday 12th June 8.00am onwards.

For more details or to book a table please contact the Noojee Primary School on 56 289558

WARRAGUL BADMINTON CLUB
Badminton is a fun sport offering players many opportunities. From Warragul we have players who have made state teams which have travelled throughout Australia and New Zealand.

At Warragul we offer coaching and children are encouraged to play to the best of their abilities. We have teams catering for all ages from approximately 9 years to under 19’s.

With increased awareness of the need for children to live active lives, badminton offers an alternative type of winter sport to football and netball.

2011 Seniors & Juniors Registration Fun Night & Sausage Sizzle. Thursday 17th March 2011. 6.00pm—8.00pm.

New Players welcome
For more information please contact

Julie Young —56 278512—Juniors
Harold Spargo —56 261507—Seniors

For healthy bodies and teeth children only need to drink water and plain reduced fat milk. Water hydrates the body and provides no calories or sugar. Plain reduced fat milk is a healthy drink to protect teeth and provide calcium for strong bones. Aim to drink water throughout the day—a glass at each meal and between each meal and aim for 2-3 serves of dairy each day which can be plain reduced fat milk, cheese or yoghurt.
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12.50pm  IP RACE -
12:45 PM  LUNCH

1:30 PM  AFTERNOON EVENTS BEGIN

**Big Schools**
Bun Bunn, Darnum
Nilma

**Small Schools**
Athlone/Ripplebrook, Ellinbank,
Bona Vista, Lardner & Dist.

**ORDER OF EVENTS**
1. OBSTACLE  Open, U/58, U/46
2. TUNNELBALL
3. BOBBALL
4. EGG & SPOON
5. POTATO RACE
6. SHUTTLE
1. EGG & SPOON  Gr.4/5/6, Gr.P/1/2/3
2. POTATO RACE
3. SHUTTLE
4. TUNNELBALL
5. BOBBALL
6. OBSTACLE
SMALL SCHOOLS SET-UP

HURDLES 9, 10, 11/12

LARGE SCHOOLS SET-UP

SPRINTS

HURDLES 45, 4, 7, B

(HEAVY BALES)

SHOT PUT / DISCUS THROWN (GIRLS)

FIRST AID

ANNOUNCER

TARGET THROW

FINISH LINE

LONG JUMP

200M START

100M START

DROP-OFF ONLY

TO PARKING

ENTRY

PARKING ON OLD TENNIS COURTS

BURKE ST.

KICK

TARGET THROW

TOILETS B

TURBOJIN / VORTEX

BOYS DISCUS

BOYS TENNIS BALL