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*MacKillop:*  
Isabella Anderson for always striving to do her best work and being a wonderful role model for others.  
Kiah Findley for having wonderful manners, working hard and being a role model for others.

*Colman:*  
Max Welsh for being a terrific role model, both in the classroom and in the yard.  
Tristan Stewart for consistently working hard and always striving to do his best.

*Xavier:*  
Tully Humphreys for the commitment to her school work, her attitude towards others and her keen interest in everything that she does.  
Shani Munn for her excellent attitude, her beautiful manners and for the way she contributes to the overall essence of wellbeing within the school.

**PE Award:**  
Jamielee Henderson for her terrific attitude towards P.E. and her wonderful manners.

**Japanese Award:**  
Tully Humphreys for always trying hard and participating in Japanese.  
Chelsea Janson for always trying hard and participating in Japanese.

**Leadership Award:**  
Jordan Ross for making good choices around the school.

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**HOLY WEEK AND EASTER MASS TIMES:**

**Holy Thursday 28/3**  
Orbost – Reconciliation – 6.30pm  
Lakes E – Mass of the Lord’s Supper 7:00pm  
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**Good Friday 29/3**  
Lakes E: Reconciliation – 9:00am  
Lakes E: Stations of the Cross Walk – 10:00am  
meet at the town rotunda  
Lakes E: The Lord’s Passion – 3:00pm  
Orbost: The Lord’s Passion – 3:00pm  
Reconciliation to follow Good Friday Ceremony

**Easter Sunday 31/3**  
Buchan – Vigil Mass – 6:00pm - Saturday 30/3  
Lakes E – Easter Vigil – 7:00pm Saturday 30/3  
Lakes E – Easter Sunday Mass – 9:00am  
Orbost – Easter Sunday Mass – 9:00am  
Swan Reach – Easter Sunday Mass – 11:00am  
Mallacoota – Easter Sunday Mass – 12 Noon

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**Xavier’s Weekly Snippets**

Hi everyone,  
Welcome to our last edition of the Weekly Snippets this term!! We would like to hear some feedback on our recipes and snippets so we know you read our article! We enjoy writing this but if we don’t have any followers we might just stop.  
This term we have been setting goals for days, terms and weeks. Here we have some children who have successfully reached their goal!  
Jamielee Henderson: My goal was to complete my project poster and I reached it and it looked creative and very pretty, with lots of information!  
Joel Strickland: My goal was to read three books to Nan in one week and I completed it!  
Chelsea Jansen: My goal was to complete my project poster on Monday last week and it was successful.  

**Easter liturgy**  
We had the Easter liturgy today and everyone had a great time and enjoyed themselves. Following that was the Open Morning where the kids got to show their books to their parents and the parents got to join in with some activities that the classes ran.

Our first term back at school and our first time at school:  
Hailey Gardener: First term was fun with lots of homework.  
Peter Ingram: My first term at school was fun and I like to do the homework, hard work and my teacher (Mrs Stewart) is nice and funny.  
Wyatt Strickland: My first term of school was good, I like the stuff we do, my homework and I like Mrs Stewart and my Nan who helped me!  

Holidays and date of when you come back to school. I hope everybody has a nice and safe holiday and we will see you back on Monday 15th of April. We hope you have a good time and enjoy a little break off school, as the teachers and students need a couple of breaks a year.  

Tahlia & Mollie
**Xavier’s Weekly Recipe**

**Marshmallow Jam Slice**

**Ingredients:**
- 3 Weetbix crushed
- ⅓ cup castor sugar
- 1 cup coconut
- 1 cup plain flour
- 150grams melted butter
- ⅔ cup strawberry jam
- 375 grams marshmallows

**Method:**
Combine dry ingredients.
Add melted butter.
Press into tin (slice tin) and bake at 180 °c for 20-25 mins.
While warm spread with jam and place marshmallows on top.
Bake a further 7 mins.
Cool cut into squares.

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**Gospel Snippet**

Luke 24: 1-12

This week we hear about the risen Christ. We are invited to rise with him by placing our faith in him.

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**Weekly Reminders:**

- **Lunch orders:** are available on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
- **Brain Food:** please send along a piece of fruit or raw vegetables cut up for your child to eat at their 10am break.
- **Uniform Shop:** Maintained by Mrs Jan Gallagher – Orders can be placed at the office.
- **Library day:** Tuesday
- **Japanese:** With Mrs Russell  Xavier Tuesday-Colman Wednesday
- **School Banking Day:** Wednesday
- **Sport:** With Mr Hamer on Wednesday (Students to bring their runners to change into)
- **Music:** with Mr May on Thursday
- **St. Joseph’s Playgroup:** Thursday 9am to 11am
- **Out of hours childcare/vacation care:**
  For bookings phone Bev Cameron on 0409 953 175

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**Orbost Neighbourhood House**

Cnr Browning & Lochiel Sts
5154 1570

**Easter School Holiday Activities**
2 – 12 April

**Tues 2nd April**
10.30 – 12 noon  **SEW & SEW** – Learn to use a machine, and help sew a Patchwork wall-hanging. Chance to win a new sewing machine! Theme: “Our Community Spirit”
1.30pm – 3pm  **Movie & Popcorn:** “How to train your dragon”

**Wed 3rd April**  2 – 3.30pm **Movie & Popcorn,** “Ice Age Trilogy” 1, 2 or 3

**Thurs 4th April**
10.30 – 12 noon  **SEW & SEW** – help sew a Patchwork wall-hanging …Continues.
1.30- 3pm  **Movie & Popcorn** – Old Favourites Kids Choice!
2-4pm  **Chess** for All Ages…Beginners to Champions! Learn to play!

**Sat 6th April**  **Trash & Treasure** Market 9-12noon.

**Tues 9th April**
10.30 – 12 noon  **SEW & SEW** – help sew a Patchwork wall-hanging, by machine.

**Wed 10th April**
2 – 3.30pm  **Movie and popcorn** “Toy Story 3”

**Thurs 11th April**
10.30 – 12.30 noon  **Card Craft** – Make smart greeting cards, dots, stickers, stamps, colourful & creative!
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**CHILDREN UNDER 10YRS COME WITH AN ADULT…..ALL ACTIVITIES ARE $2 PER PERSON**

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**Happy Birthday to…………………..**

Miss Pearson 30th March
Lilly Westaway 5th April
Mr. Hession 10th April

**We hope you all have a great day!**
ORBOST SNOWY ROVERS JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB INC

AUSKICK SIGN ON
APRIL 15th & 22nd 5pm - 6pm
$60.00 PER CHILD OR REGISTER
ONLINE AT www.aflauskick.com.au

Thank you
John Welsh
Secretary

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ORBOST LIBRARY

Film Screening - BRAVE

FREE ADMISSION
CORDIAL & POPCORN

Date: Thursday 4th April 2013
Time: 1:00pm – 2:45pm
Phone 51524225
or book in person at the Orbost Library

East Gippsland Shire Council

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ORBOST BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

Modified Basketball Competition
8 years or under
Cost: $45 (insurance and club fees)
Where: Orbost Community Stadium
Starts: Friday 19th April 4pm

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Sensory Gardens Orbost
Celebrating 20 years
Orbost Garden Club along with Landcare East and the East Gippsland Shire Council invites everyone to join in celebrations at the Sensory Gardens, Forest Road, Orbost. There is to be music, poetry and an historic re-enactment along with a free sausage sizzle for all to enjoy. It is a celebration to recognise the community input that has cared for this public space over the past 20 years.

DATE: Wednesday 10th April 2013
TIME: 5pm – 7pm
VENUE: Sensory Gardens, Forest Road, Orbost.
All Welcome

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Net-Set Go Netball Registration

Monday 15th April
At the Orbost Snowy-Rovers Football Netball Club Ground
5:00pm until 6:00pm
Net-Set-Go is aimed at girls aged 5-12 years olds
Commencing Sunday 28th April at 9.30am
$60.00 ($33 Insurance, $20 backpack, $7 Orbost Netball Ass Subs)
Contact – Belinda Borley 51541224 or 0427 541 848

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Junior Netball Registration

Monday 15th April from 5pm – 6pm
Sunday 21st April from 10:30 – 11:00
At the Orbost Snowy-Rovers football Netball Club Ground
Commencing Sunday 21st April at 11:00am
$45 – 11 and under
$55 – 12 and over
Contact – Larissa Murray
0427 611 381