

Newsletter

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Term 3 Week 3

Friday, 17 August 2012

Principal's Report

I was very proud of our students last Wednesday as they rehearsed throughout the day and then performed on Wednesday evening at the Goulburn Community of Schools Choral Concert. The students from our school were complimented by Marianne Powles (conductor) during the practice for their focus and good behaviour.

I am sure all parents who attended thoroughly enjoyed the performances. Thank you for your support of all the practices the students were involved in.



S. Matthews
Principal

Upcoming Events Term 3 Week 4

Thursday 9th August

Art Club \$2 with Mrs
Botticchio 3:15pm - 4:30pm

Friday 10th August

Tennis Lesson \$3

Week 5

Monday 13 th August	Courage To Care exhibition at the Goulburn Regional Art Gallery (3-6 Class) Explorer's Club \$2 3:15pm - 4:45pm
Tuesday 14 th August	ICAS Maths Test Active After-school Communities (AASC) 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Wednesday 15 th August	Playgroup 9:15am - 11:00am Rehearsal at Tirranna PS for Opera House Recorder Group 9:15am Active After-school Communities (AASC) 3:15 - 4:30pm
Thursday 16 th August	Bake Sale – Porter 50c Art Club \$2 with Mrs Botticchio 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Friday 17 th August	Education Week Open Day 11:30am Open Classrooms 12:00pm Assembly 1:00pm BBQ and cuppa Tennis Lesson \$3

Week 6

Monday 20 th August	Explorer's Club \$2 3:15pm - 4:45pm
Tuesday 21 st August	MVHS Portfolio Workshop Active After-school Communities (AASC) 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Wednesday 22 nd August	Playgroup 9:15am - 11:00am Active After-school Communities (AASC) 3:15 - 4:30pm
Thursday 23 rd August	Bokk Week Parade Art Club \$2 with Mrs Botticchio 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Friday 24 th August	Tennis Lesson \$3

District Athletics

Last Friday, 9 students from our school competed in the District Athletics Carnival at Eridge Park, Bowral.

Parents who attended spoke of the excellent behaviour of our students and of the 100% effort given by all to their events. A big congratulations must go to the senior boys (Jarrod, Tyson, Kody and Finlay) who won the PP5 relay and will compete at the Regional carnival on the 3rd September. Another mention should go to Finlay Maguire who achieved 3rd place in the senior high jump event. Well done!! Thank you to all parents who helped out with transport and stayed on the day to encourage our students in their events.



After School Activities Pick Up Arrangements

Our duty of care is of utmost importance. We have been noticing the car park is an area of concern at 4:30pm and some changes have been made to try to reduce

risk. Other changes have been made to ensure a smooth transition from our duty of care to placing our students in the care of their parent.

Routines at 4:30pm will now include:

1. Students stay within the demountable until they have been signed out by a parent.
- 2 Parents allow the lesson/game to conclude before taking students from the demountable/oval.

- 3 Parents park on the street and walk their child/ren out through the front gate at the conclusion of clubs.

- 4 High school students wait under the COLA for siblings/parents.

I trust you will assist us in these changes to ensure a smooth, safe pick up practice.

Bake Sale

The SRC raised \$16.50 from the Pead's Bake sale. Thank you!!

Book Week Parade

Our annual Book Week Parade will be held on **Thursday 23rd August**.

This is always a marvellously well-supported event with teachers and students all coming dressed as a loved/favourite book character. We welcome toddlers and parents who would also like to participate. Mrs Perger always puts on a great event and I am sure this year will be no different.

Term 3 Sport

Don't forget tennis on Fridays at a cost of \$3 per student per week or \$30 for the Term. Students can bring their own tennis racquets to school if they wish or the school has racquets for any child requiring one.



Olympic Fever

The 3-6 class are busy making London landmarks out of recyclable materials under the supervision of Mr Randall. St Paul's Cathedral, Big Ben and even a London bus are featured!





Musica Viva

Our students enjoyed a great performance “*Outa Africa*” performed by Teranga. Lots of audience participation made for an enjoyable show.



P & C News

***Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser**

Saturday 8th September, at
Mittagong

We are again looking for volunteers to help out for an hour or two on the day, with cooking the BBQ and serving.

Not only are we raising money for our school, but it's a great day of fun and socialising!

Please see Jeremy Porter of Liz McDonald if you are able to assist on the day.

P&C Election Day Fundraiser

The P&C will be holding a cake stall on Saturday 8th September at the Memorial Hall on election day.

Maybe, if you can't offer your time at Bunnings, you can bake a cake, slice or biscuits for the P&C cake stall.

Please deliver your cakes etc directly to Nina O'Leary at the Hall on Saturday or drop them into the school office on Friday 7th September.

All donations are greatly appreciated.