Muswellbrook South Public School Newsletter



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TERM 3 WEEK 8

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers,

We believe strongly in teaching our students the importance of respect. We model respectful behaviour every day in every interaction we have with members of our school community. We expect that our students behave in respectful ways to each other, to teachers and to members of the community. We do this because we believe that respectful behaviours build strong positive relationships, which in turn, create a sense of belonging and connection that is critical for successful learning and pivotal in creating the kind of world we want to live in.

One of the ways that we believe our students can show respect for the school and themselves is through wearing their uniform proudly. Our uniform connects students to our school, helping to create unity and strengthening belonging. It's also comfortable, looks great and is reasonably priced. Much time and effort has been spent refining our uniform to meet the needs of parents and students. Please support us in setting high expectations and creating a cohesive school environment by ensuring your child wears full school uniform to school each day, including their hat. We want as many students up on the oval as possible, running around having fun. To do so, they need their hat. If for any reason you are having trouble with outfitting your children in uniform, please come in and speak to us. We are more than happy to help out.

Glen Kite - Principal

Assembly – Friday 14th September

Friday 14th September is an infant's assembly that will start at 11am in our school hall.

2YELLOW will be presenting a class item.

White, Bronze & Silver PBL Awards will be presented.

All parents & carers are warmly invited to attend. Please note entry is via the front gate only.

PJ says - "Don't forget to bring your bucket hat everyday".



WEEK 7 AWARD WINNERS

Congratulations to the following students who received PBL awards at last week's primary assembly. MSPS are proud of your efforts!

White Award – 25 Pebbles

Aurelia R, Bailey S, Aylah P, Tyson W, Olivia G, Shania P, Jaycee F, Ryan B, Cory S

Bronze Award – 50 Pebbles

Jeremy D, Charlotte B, Tom N, Olivia O

Silver Award – 75 Pebbles

Netise W, Josie G, Marcus P, Aylah P, Dax V, Lilly G, Maverick B

K-2 Attendance Hero

Each week, the K-2 classes like to acknowledge those students who come to school each day, ready to learn, by awarding two students as 'Attendance Heroes'. These lucky students get to wear a super hero cape for the morning and also win a lunch order valued at \$5 the following week. To be an Attendance Hero and get your name in the draw, you must be









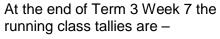


Congratulations to the Term 3 Week 7 Attendance Heroes *James C of K BLUE* and *Braxton S of K YELLOW.*

Please note if your child is sick, please do not send your child to school, as it may cause others to be unwell.

SRC 5 cent Fundraiser

Don't forget to keep sending in 5c coins for the SRC's 5 cent class fundraiser.



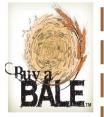


KGREEN	\$39.85	3RED	\$12.65
K/1MAROON	\$45.00	3BLUE	\$13.80
KYELLOW	\$25.65	3YELLOW	\$18.60
KRED	\$49.25	4RED	\$8.40
KBLUE	\$7.15	4BLUE	\$61.35
1YELLOW	\$24.85	4/5YELLOW	\$32.80
1RED	\$16.80	5RED	\$78.50
1BLUE	\$3.65	5BLUE	\$126.10
1GREEN	\$24.80	6RED	\$17.50
2BLUE	\$22.50	6BLUE	\$10.95
2YELLOW	\$54.65	Support	\$58.25
2RED	\$23.85		

Altogether we have raised an amazing \$1040.25. The 5 cent class challenge will continue until Term 4 Week 4, so please keep the change coming in.

Buy a bale

Muswellbrook South and King Street Public School have launched a Muswellbrook and Singleton Schools' Community



Fundraiser, in support of our local farmers who are struggling with the drought.
Our first goal is to raise \$9500 to provide

Our first goal is to raise \$9500 to provide hay for their stock. Please visit

https://www.buyabale.com.au/donate/?s upporter id=95176 to donate.

All donations are tax deductible.

We have farming families that need our help, so please help us to help them.

Regards

Mrs Felan and MSPS SRC

VISITORS TO MSPS

Just a friendly reminder that any visitors to the school must first report to the school front office and sign in. This includes parents and friends who may just be dropping something off.

It is for the safety of students and also in the event of an evacuation all people on school premises are accounted for.



Last Thursday, 11 members of the senior girls Touch Football team travelled to Singleton High School to play in Round 3 of the Hunter PSSA competition.

The starting minutes were met with a strong breakaway by the opposition to score the first point of the day. A few penalties kept the girls from gaining their momentum and unfortunately the half ended 7-0 Singleton Small School's way.

During the second half, the girls were able to gain some ground and got close to the line several times but couldn't quite get over. They all played hard and fought to the final seconds.

The game finished at 12-0 to a well deserving team. We wish Singleton Small School's team the best of luck next week against Scone Public. Well done to the girls for putting in the effort at training each week and we will try again next year. Back Left to Right: Lilly, Charlotte, Emma, Aurelia, Koia, Kiera-Lea.

Front Left to Right: Jorja, Josie, Ebony, Lilly, Summah.

Absent: Joss and Indy.



Today, we have three teams traveling to Scone for a touch football gala day starting at 10am. Good luck to the Junior boys, Senior boys and Senior girls teams who will be competing.

Thanks to Miss Watson who is conducting netball clinics as part of Primary sport in weeks 7 - 10. Additionally, Hayden Ryan-Hill from NSW touch will be coming to MSPS to conduct Touch football clinics along with myself conducting Football clinics.

Quote of the week "If you can't outplay them, outwork them".

Regards

Mr Adams - PE Teacher









Last Thursday, three students represented Muswellbrook South Public School at the Premier's Spelling Bee Regional competition at Greta Public School. Bailey from Year 5 and Brodie and Jayden from Year 3 participated after being successful at MSPS Spell Off at the beginning of August.

The Premier's Spelling Bee was introduced in 2004 as a fun and educational way for primary school students to engage in spelling. The program includes activities to encourage all students to improve their vocabulary and spelling and to promote literacy skills in combination with the English K-6 Syllabus.

Congratulations boys on your great effort.

MSPS Leadership meeting

At Muswellbrook South Public School we value the input of our students in creating a positive learning environment that is exciting and engaging. Our student leaders used their voice when meeting with Mrs Winning to discuss various projects they are wanting to implement for their fellow peers.

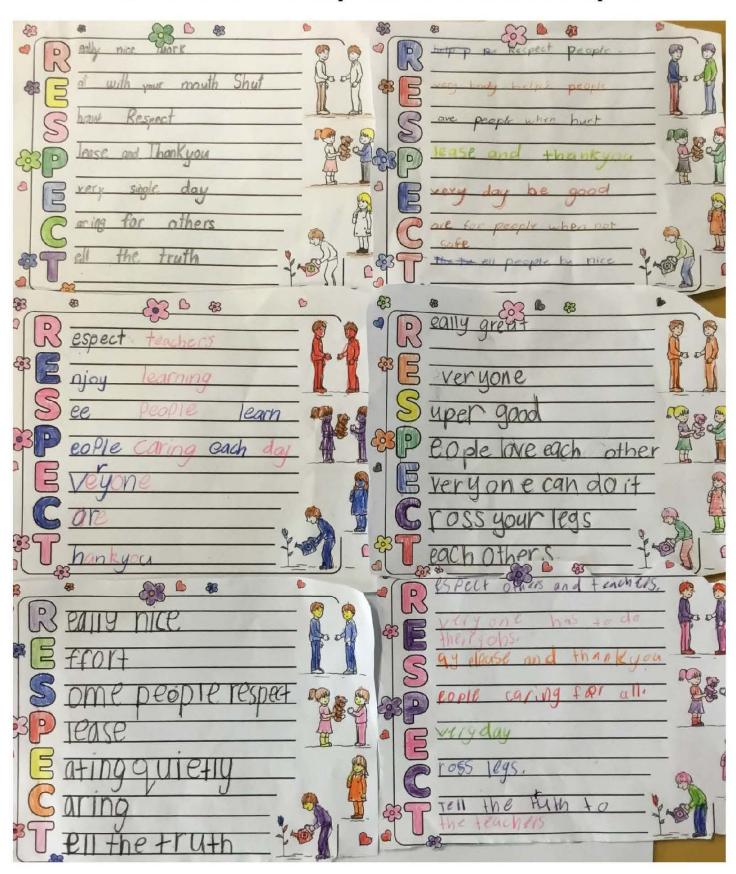






In 2 Yellow, we always try our best to follow the school PBL values of being safe, respectful and responsible.

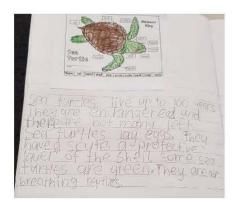
Here are some acrostic poems we wrote about Respect.



The Superstars of Support Yellow

During term 3 Support Yellow have been learning about Living Things. Each week we have learn't about animals 幸 from different habitats and have been writing and creating artworks. Our classroom windows are now a fantastic 🚖 display of the Polar Regions, the rainforest, the African savannah and the coral reef.





🍰 On a Thursday we head out to Riding for the disabled and just last week we started to ride without a leader.





Some other highlights this term have been learning to shop to a budget, with the help of our minis; and we have loved our fortnightly visits to the library to borrow books for our classroom library.



涬 We have been working hard and have all made great progress in reading, writing, addition and subtraction, 🍒 Miss Wilson is super proud of our efforts!









news

Open 5 days a week 9am to 2.15pm.

Lunch orders must be handed to the canteen before 10am with child's name and class clearly marked on the lunch bag.

No hot food lunch orders will be taken after this time for 1st break. Any hot food orders after 10am will be served at 2nd break. Any frozen treats or Slush Puppies ordered will be highlighted and your child must bring the bag back to the canteen for collection. 2nd break orders have to be collected from the canteen by the kids themselves, we do not send the lunches to the classrooms. Eftpos is available for adults only. Minimum spend is \$5 on debit card

and \$10 on credit card. The canteen cannot give cash out on Eftpos.

Congratulations to this week's meal deal winner Cadence C from 2YELLOW. Cadence has won a lunch order to the value of \$5. Please note the meal winner must claim prize within one week.

Thank you to last week's canteen helpers Debbie, Kellie, Heather and Catherine and thank you Shellie for assisting during lunch breaks. Thank you we couldn't do it without you. If you can spare a few hours on any day between 9am & 12.15pm or even just half an hour from 1.45pm for 2nd break please see Gina or Kristy in the canteen.

Please try and limit sending high value notes with children to use at the school canteen. The canteen sometimes does not have enough notes to give change for these values and it is not safe for children to have this money on them at school. Under no circumstances will the canteen do credit or (student) accounts.

SPRING / SUMMER MEAL DEALS

The following meal deals are available during Spring & Summer –



- Spring & Summer –

 Ham sandwich with two fillings \$4.00
- (Includes sandwich, popper, popcorn and Quelchice block)

Note: Toasted is an extra 50c

- Chicken, lettuce & mayo sandwich \$5.00 (includes sandwich, popper, popcorn and Quelch ice block)
- Ham or Chicken salad 1/2 wrap \$5.50

(includes ½ wrap, popper, popcorn and Quelch ice block)

Note: For full wrap add \$1

• Salad bowl - \$5.00

(Includes small salad bowl, popper, popcorn and Quelch ice block)

Note: Ham or chicken is \$1 extra

Ham and cheese sandwich - \$3.00

(Includes sandwich, small juice cup and Quelch ice block)

MSPS P&C Meeting
Tuesday 18th September at 6.30pm in school library.

UNIFORM SHOP

Open 5 days a week 9am – 10am.

We are located in the Canteen. If these times do not suit please see the office for an order form for you to order over the counter at any time. These orders can then be processed and collected at a time that suits you.

Cash, Eftpos and Lay-bys are available. Please note all laybys require a regular fortnightly payment. No items can be taken without full payment.

The P&C is holding a "Drink Bottle" fundraiser.

Personalised stainless-steel drink bottles are available in 6 great colours and **Small (500ml)**

\$18 or Large (740ml) \$20.

Names and images are laser engraved so they cannot rub or scratch off. The office has drink bottle samples to view. These are a great Christmas

These are a great Christmas present idea and the P&C will receive \$5 per bottle ordered. Order forms are available from the front office.

Order forms and money must be returned to the school office by Friday 16th November to enable delivery before Christmas holidays. Thank you in advance for supporting this fundraiser.



DON'T FORGET TO PURCHASE A PIECE OF FRUIT FROM THE SCHOOL CANTEEN TO RECEIVE A FRESH FOR KIDS STICKER. ONCE YOU HAVE COLLECTED TWO STICKERS STUDENTS RECEIVE A FRESH FOR KIDS TRADING CARD.

Also, the Fresh for Kids

Drawing Competition

Closes this Friday 14th September.

Please send all entries into the school canteen by Friday.

One winner from each grade will be selected on Monday 17th September and they will win a lunch order to the value of \$5.



DON'T FORGET YOU CAN MAKE A PAYMENT TO THE SCHOOL USING THE ONLINE POP (Parent Online Payment) System

How to make a payment?

Go to our school website https://muswellbrs-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/ and click on the link MAKE A PAYMENT at the top of the page.

What expenses can be paid online?

Voluntary School Contributions Subject Contributions Excursions / Camps Sport

Creative and Performing Arts (these include dance and choir) Other (any items not listed above)

Unfortunately, payments to the P&C, Canteen, Uniform Shop and Book Club can not be accepted via this system.

Fill in all the Red Asterix (*) items (compulsory).

Payments must be made via MasterCard or Visa. Please note payments made after 6pm will not be received into the school account until two days later.

Making an online payment does not constitute permission. Please return all signed permission notes to school as normal. Please write details of the online payment e.g. receipt number and date on any notes returned to school.

Muswellbrook South Public School 2018 Menu

<u>Wraps</u>	<u>1/2</u>	<u>Full</u>
Ham	\$2.00	\$3.00
Ham & Cheese	\$2.30	\$3.30
Ham & Tomato	\$2.30	\$3.30
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$2.50	\$3.50
Ham & Salad	\$3.50	\$4.50
Chicken	\$2.00	\$3.00
Chicken & Cheese	\$2.30	\$3.30
Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo	\$2.50	\$3.50
Chicken & Salad	\$3.50	\$4.50

<u>Sandwiches</u>		
Vegemite / Jam	\$1.00	
Cheese	\$1.20	
Chicken	\$2.00	
Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo	\$3.00	
Chicken & Salad	\$4.50	
Ham	\$1.50	
Ham & Cheese	\$1.70	
Ham & Tomato	\$1.70	
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$2.00	
Ham & Salad	\$4.50	
Ham & Salad Roll	\$5.00	
Chicken & Salad Roll	\$5.00	
Any Extras .20c each		
Fruit available 80c # Fruit prices are subject to change #		

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\$4.80

Salads		
Salad Bowl	9	\$4.20
Ham Salad		\$5.50
Chicken Salad	9	\$6.00
Fruit Salad (Small)		\$1
Fruit Salad (Medium)		\$2.00
Fruit Salad (Large)		\$3.50
<u>Extras</u>		
Tomato / BBQ Sauce R	educed Salt	50c
Toasted		50c
Bread Roll		50c
Spoons/forks purchased separately to lunch order		10c ea

<u>Snacks</u>		
JJ's Chips	\$1.50	
Red Rock Deli Chips		
Grainwaves Chips	\$1.50	
Popcorn (air popped)	20c	
Mousse Smalll	60c	
Mousse Medium		
Finger Bun		
Sm Fruit Salad		
Frozen Yoghurt cup	.20c	
100% Jujice Cup		

<u>Drinks</u>			
Water 350ml	\$1.00		
Water 600ml	\$2.00		
Milk (Plain)	\$1.40		
Milk (Chocolate / Strawberry / Banana/Vanilla)	\$2.20		
Fruit Juice Popper	\$1.60		
Slush Puppie	\$2.50		
100% Fruit Juice bottle	\$1.70		
Frozen Treats			
Lite Vanilla Ice Cream Fozen	\$1.00		
Yoghurt Sticks	80c		
Bulla Frozen Yoghurt	\$1.50		
Moosie (Chocolate)	\$1.20		
Paddle Pop	\$1.50		
99% Fruit Juice Zooper Dooper	.60		
Paddle Pop Shakey Shake	\$2.00		
Frozen 100% Large Juice cup	.80c		

MSPS Dates for the Diary - Term 3 2018

weeks	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Sept 8	10	11	Touch Football Gala Day	13 House Debating Final	14 Infants Assembly
Sept 9	17	18 Toonschool	19 Yr 5 Camp	20 Yr 5 Camp	21 Yr 5 Camp Primary Assembly Infants fun day
Sept 10	24	25	26	27 Stage 2 World Project Expo	28 Whole school Assembly

INFANTS K-2



Friday 21st September

School oval

9:45am to 3pm

Parents invited

Children must have a hat and are encouraged to come dressed in their sports house colours.

All infants children will be involved in a march past, running and novelty races as well as rotating through a variety of fun sporting activities.

SCONE SHORT FILM FESTIVAL – Do something different for a fun and entertaining evening. 6:30-10:30pm Saturday 22nd September at the Senior Citizen's Centre, Oxford Road, Scone. The evening starts with wine and delicious supper, then a diverse program of 8 short films, followed by coffee and dessert. All the films are Australian, with many award-winners and films that have screened around the world. Films star Boori Monty Prior, Tara Morice, Liv Hewson, John Wood and Dan Wyllie. Meet our film guests and vote for our People's Choice Award. Due to insurance requirements, under 18s must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian. Tickets are \$30 and available at Hunt a Book in Scone or from our website. Sunday 23rd September, 11am - a casual encore screening of the films only. Tickets \$15 from Hunt a Book or from our website. A delicious morning tea will be available from 10.30am. Everyone is welcome. www.sconefilms.org.au www.facebook.com/sconefilms Tel: 0428-508326

TERM 3 WEEK 8



Rediscover your hopes and dreams about learning...It's never too late!



Come along to a **LEARNING UNLEASHED Workshops**

Tertiary Education Centre (TEC)

Tuesday 11th September 2018 | 10am – 12pm

Hunter Park Family Centre

Tuesday 18th September 2018 | 10.30am - 12.30pm

Muswellbrook Public School Hall

Tuesday 25th September 2018 | 9.30am -11.30am

This fun and interactive workshop focuses on unlocking and supporting the possibilities of you or your family's growth and learning potential.

- An opportunity to connect with other parents, grandparents and carers who would like to support their children's learning.
- · Learn about how we see ourselves as learners
- · Find out about different pathways to learning

Light refreshments provided Child-minding available

To register and find out more information, please contact either:

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Email: Nicole.Roser@newcastle.edu.au

Michele Oshan

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Email: michele.oshan@newcastle.edu.au

Uni4You: encouraging, supporting and connecting people who are interested in the possibility of learning.

Muswellbrook **HEALTHY** & WELL

HEALTHY LIFESTYLE CHALLENGE

To celebrate National Nutrition Week (14–20 October) Muswellbrook Healthy & Well is hosting a FREE 6 week Healthy Lifestyle Challenge.

ALL ADULTS LIVING IN THE MUSWELLBROOK SHIRE ARE WELCOME



JOIN THE CHALLENGE

STARTS WEDNESDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2018 Wednesdays 5:30-6:30pm Muswellbrook PCYC - Cnr Carl st and Market st

> REGISTER TODAY eventbrite.com.au/m

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

WEEK 1 Healthy eating and goal setting

WEEK 3 Nutriens in your diet WEEK 4 atting out & applicacing

WEEK 5 Physical activity & stress managemen WEEK 6 Supermarket Sour

Wednesday 17th October Wednesday 24th Octobo Wednesday 31st October

Wednesday /th November

Wednesday 14th November Wednesday 21st Nevember Facebook support group
 Group events (eval ding group meet-ups, cooking session) FACEBOOK SUPPORT GROUP

oin the Healthy Lifestyle Challenge private Facebo tips and practical ideas for maintaining a healthy lifesty e

WHAT'S INCLUDED?

Weekly Information sessions Participant manual and resour

· The and post program health assessmen









TO REGISTER FOLLOW THE LINK OR CONTACT CARLY 40551892



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COME ALONG

Join dietitian Carly Hughes every Thursday afternoon to discuss all things food. Enjoy a variety of activities and learn more about food and family nutrition

THURSDAYS 1-3PM **HUNTER PARK FAMILY CENTRE** 58 Wollombi Road Muswellbrook

MORE INFO CARLY HUGHES 0438 264 610 Local Coordinator Muswellbrook Healthy & Well facebook.com/muswellbrookhealthyandwell













COME ALONG

These school holidays for some food fun with Carly on Tuesday 9 October.

Enjoy a variety of fun activities while learning more about food

TUESDAY 9TH OCT 11-1PM MUSWELLBROOK LIBRARY 126 Bridge St Muswellbrook

MORE INFO CARRY HUGHES 0438 264 610 Coordinator Muswellbrook Healthy & Well

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PROGRAM

YOUTH PATHWAYS



Through collaborative case-management with Specialist Homelessness Service (SHS), the Youth Pathways Program will provide targeted education, training and employment support and opportunities for young people aged 16-25 years that:

TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Are already engaged with a SHS provider or other eligible FACS funded service;
- Have a case plan developed by eligible support services clearly identifying strengthening links to education, training and employment as priorities;
- Reside in the Newcastle, Port Stephens, Lake Macquarie and lower Hunter areas;
- Are eligible for social housing;
- Are leaving Out of Home care or;
- Are leaving Juvenile Justice facilities or;
- Are experiencing domestic or family violence/family breakdown and are at risk of homelessness.

Empowering YOUNG PEOPLE - to make INFORMED CHOICES about their future



- We provide assistance and support to enable young people to:
 Access educational/training and employment opportunities;
- Identify key strengths and areas for development when choosing education/training and employment opportunities;
- Source and apply for education/training and employment opportunities;
- Access short courses assisting clients to move towards their education & employment goals;
- Obtain references and other documentation to support employment applications;
- Access literacy and numeracy workshops;
- Access scholarships;
- Access transport to and from education, employment and training;
- Access existing counselling services linked to education, employment or training providers;
- Link with existing mentors relevant to the area of interest;
- Prepare young people to secure a drivers licence;
- Obtain documentation to enrol for education and training;
- Prepare for interviews.

Through community and cross-sector collaboration we facilitate solutions and access innovative pathways toward education/training and employment goals.

To obtain a referral form please email referral@p2c.org.au

p. (02) 4951 2144 1. (02) 4956 6726



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We acknowledge the Awabakal people, original caretakers of the land where we live and work. We pay respect to all Elders past, present and future.

