

Term 3 Week 6

18 August 2014

Respect, Responsibility and Empathy



At Murrumburrah Public School all classes have been participating in our Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) lessons. These are short lessons designed to explicitly teach correct social behaviours to ensure we are creating students who are respectful, responsible and empathetic community members. Each week we develop lessons around our core values at MPS, and link them to specific positive behaviours, for example; how to join in a game successfully, using friendly talk and being fair, to name a few.

Last week the focus of the lessons was on 'resilience'. Teaching resilience to children and

young people as a valuable life skill is very important. It allows them to draw on a number of positive coping strategies to help them through the complexities of challenging life situations. The focus of the lesson has not been about ignoring feelings in challenging times, but instead building their coping strategies to *bounce back* so they can navigate a positive pathway. Some of these strategies include; forming strong and safe relationships, optimism and acceptance, having a positive self-view, confidence and making home a safe haven. Students have been responding well to these lessons and we have seen continually improving social outcomes.



This Friday we will support the Fight Cancer Foundation Footy Colours Day. Support this day by wearing your favourite footy colours to school for a gold coin donation.

The Fight Cancer Foundation uses funds raised to fund vital care, treatment, education, residential support programs and research into improved treatment methods and cures for leukaemia and other cancers.

Don't forget Friday is sports day, please wear sensible shoes.

Year 6 Take the Challenge



Year 6 students are taking part in the 2014 Club Kidpreneur \$50 challenge. The challenge aims to inspire the next generation to develop financial literacy and invaluable life and personal skills through an experience of business and entrepreneurship.

The founder, Creel Price, believes early exposure to both success and failure developed his confidence, resilience, initiative, creativity and passion to pursue entrepreneurship as an adult.

Our budding entrepreneurs have come up with some great small business ideas and are very busy preparing their products and marketing. One group plan to publish a recipe book, and would love you to send in your favourite recipe to school. Please send recipes in by this Friday 22 August.

A market day will be held at the end of the term to give students the opportunity to sell their wares to fellow students, staff and community.

Well done Year 6, we look forward to seeing your products.

Celebrating Literacy and Numeracy Week

Literacy and Numeracy Week will be celebrated during Week 7, August 25 to 29. MPS will be celebrating with a Maths show-off, Literacy activities and a public speaking program.

The aim of the public speaking program is to develop the speaking skills of our students and enable them to be confident speakers with increasingly complex topics.

All students have today received a package with details of the program.

Students will commence preparing speeches this week in class. Speech work will be completed in class time as well as at home.

Next week students will present their speeches to their class with one speaker from each class selected to present their speech at our Friday assembly.

Details of the literacy and numeracy activities will be included next week.



Event	Classes	Activity date	Cost	Notes / Money due
Q&A Session Reading Eggs with Mr Lindsell		Tuesday 19 August 6.30pm	Free	To be held in Mr Lindsell's classroom
P&C Meeting		Tuesday 19 August 7.00pm	Free	
Footy Colours Day		Friday 22 August	Gold coin	Come in your favourite footy colours
3/4L Assembly	3/4L	Friday 22 August 12.15pm	Free	
Year 6 Camp		Sunday 12 October	\$160	Final payment of \$110 due 12 September

Swiss Drums Performance

Please be advised the MPS Swiss Drums Group will be playing on Saturday 6 September at 11.15am at the Young Regional School of Music, **not** 10.00am as previously advised. Permission notes are due 25 August to Mr Noonan during drums

5 Star Gold Award



Student Leadership Awards



Harry Bunt was presented with a 5 Star Gold Award at Fridays assembly.



Mathletics Awards



5 Star Bronze Awards



Class Award Recipients


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 Community News

Harden Murrumburrah Show Society Talent Quest



Can you sing, dance, perform?? We want you at the HM Show!!

The HM Show Society are holding a talent quest at the show. There are categories for Preschool, Infants, Primary, Secondary and Opens. For further information please contact Kayla Daley on 0437 721 451 or Judy Shea on 0432 533 584.



FUNDRAISING EVENT
WALLEDBEEN PSC
A NIGHT OF FOOD AND MUSIC
FEATURING:
 Luke Dickens (Musician)
 Grant Richardson (Musician)
 Katie Gould (Musician)
 Greg Broderick (Bush Poet)
 Production: Luke Burch (Spectrum Creative Studio)

Where: Wallendbeen Hall
When: 13th September 2014 (Sat)
Time: 6.30pm Doors open/7pm Start
Cost: \$45.00 (incl. PRAWN/CHICKEN)
 BYO
Contact: Diana Bassingthwaighte for
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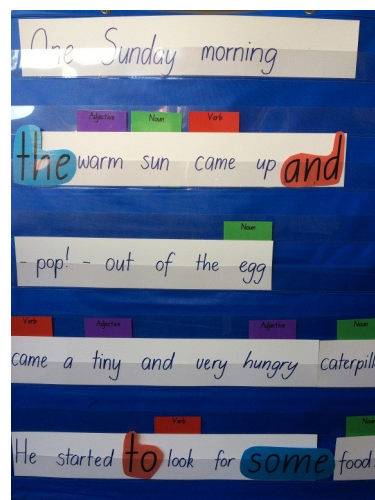
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