Murrumburrah Public School

25 June 2018

Our vision is to ensure every child has a sense of belonging to our school and they are confident learners who reach their full potential. We are committed to delivering rich differentiated learning in a nurturing environment.

Recognising Student Achievement

The recognition of student achievement fosters strong relationships among students, teachers and families. It helps build student self-esteem and resilience. At Murrumburrah Public School we acknowledge student achievement through multiple ways including our 5 Star Card Award system and PBL awards.

All week, teachers watch for respectful behaviours, application to learning, and social interactions both inside and outside the classroom. Teachers nominate students for the weekly award which is presented during Friday's assembly.

From time-to-time parents ask me for a reminder of how it all works, so I have included a visual of the award system and the value of each award. I hope this helps.

Student reports

Term 2 Week 9

As I mentioned last week, we have made a couple of changes to the report format for students in years 1-6. It is hoped that these changes will make it even easier for parents and carers to understand their child's achievements. The Kinder format remains unchanged. Geography, probability and statics will be reported on in the end of year report.

All going well, reports will be sent home with students this Friday.

From my desk... Clare Crawford



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Public Speaking

Last Friday, Antonia Raptis, Brooke Emms, Heidi O'Connor and Sybella Lenehan travelled to Cootamundra Public School to represent Murrumburrah Public School in the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking finals.

The first session was the Year 3 and 4 section where Antonia and Sybella gave their prepared speeches. They then had to do their impromptu speeches where they were given 5 minutes to prepare a speech on the very tricky topic "short days".

The Year 5 and 6 session was next with Brooke and Heidi presenting their prepared speeches. Their Impromptu topic was "Freckles" which was another tricky topic but very entertaining. All students did their best and came up with great points and ideas. The adjudicator commented on the high quality of the MPS students prepared speeches. Well done to you all for your fantastic effort!

A huge congratulations goes to Sybella Lenehan who received a highly commended award for her amazing prepared speech.

Thankyou to the parents and grandparents who came along and supported the students on the day! Emma Edwards—Public Speaking Co-ordinator.

Strategic Direction 2

Quality Teaching



PBL awards are equivalent to 1 Bronze award

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Strategic Direction 3
Quality Connections

Strategic Direction 1
Quality Learning

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WHAT'S HAPPENING...

EVENT	CLASSES	ACTIVITY DATE	COST	Notes / Money due
Genius Hour @ MHS	Participating students	Tuesday 19 June	Free	
Students reports go home	All classes excluding Year 5	Friday 29 June	Free	
NAIDOC Day	All classes	Tuesday 3 July	Free	
LAST DAY FOR TERM 2	All classes	Friday 6 July	Free	

ATHLETICS ASSEMBLY



Todd Woodbridge Tennis Cup

Last Friday Year 3 went to the Todd Woodbridge Tennis Cup held in Harden. We had a great day and played lots of games against Jugiong, Trinity and Boorowa schools. Everyone had fun and showed great sportsmanship. Congratulations to Katie Brooker, Hannah Guy, Evie Giddings, Pippa McKinley, Sid Weston, Lewis Shea, Ethan Abnett, Landen Vasquez and Will James who were the overall winners on the day.

By Katie Brooker







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A DAY IN THE LIFE OF YEAR 2

This term in Year 2 we have been busy working across all Key Learning Areas. In literacy we have been focusing on creative writing. Students have been busy learning about the structure of a narrative and are enjoying writing stories about all different things. Year 2 also focused on and read the story "Wild Things" to help us learn about how to be more creative in our writing.

In mathematics we have been continuing our work in our PRIME maths books with increased focused on addition and subtraction with and without regrouping. We have also had lots of fun learning about using informal and formal unit to measure things around our classroom and enjoyed using trundle wheels to measure bigger areas around our school. During history we have been learning about Aboriginal culture and Year 2 loved doing the Aboriginal dot paintings of their hands. In PE and sport, Year 2 really enjoyed participating in different athletics activities which paid off on the day with everyone trying their best at our school Athletics carnival. Well done Year 2! Miss Menz



Year 4 Questacon Excursion

It was a cold and frosty Friday morning on June 22, as 15 students and their brave teachers headed off for a day in Canberra. It was an exciting and educational day for all involved. Our first stop was the National Arboretum. We enjoyed the sights, had a spot of morning tea and enjoyed an energising session at the acorn park. After the excitement of the arboretum, we were off to Questacon. Students enjoyed interactive experiences with a variety of scientific concepts. Some were even brave enough to take on the free fall attraction. Students were then treated to a sensational scientific show centred on liquid nitrogen. The day was enjoyed by all that attended. I would like to commend our students on their behaviour and conduct on the day, as well as say a huge thankyou to Mrs Taylor for driving the bus and Miss Potts for supervising students. Thank you. Mr Loiterton ~ Year 4



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Genius Hour





What a wonderful experience our students had at the first Genius Hour session last Tuesday. The program is on again this Tuesday

26 June and again on 3 July. Thank you to Murrumburrah High School for having us.





P&C News From the Presidents Desk

Canteen ~ Thanks to this weeks volunteers

Monday 25 June- Nikki Wed 27 June — Tamara Bell & Nikki Friday 29 June — Carmel Sommer & Corinne Johnson Baking — Alison Guy

Monday Special Lunch—2 July

Bacon & Cheese guiche with salad \$4.50

THANK YOU

Also a big thank you to Peggy Hocking for helping in the canteen last Monday. And thank you to Amanda Seary and Felicty Bosworth for the delicious baked goods for the canteen. It is very much appreciated!





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Well done to our clever bunch of home readers!

