



Murrumburrah Public School

NEWSLETTER: 9 September 2019 ~ Term 3 Week 8

Creative & Performing Arts are alive & well at MPS



Murrumburrah Public School has a long and proud sporting tradition and recently our Creative and Performing Arts Programs have been gaining some credence too.

Last week the MPS drum troupe travelled along with drum teacher Mr Keith Doldisen, Mrs Taylor and Mr Wade to the prestigious Orange Eisteddfod to compete in the instrumental section. On their debut, the drummers brought home a trophy for second place, being out classed on the day by a more dynamic piece by Kinross Wolaroi. This success is a result of many hours of practice and performing, and I congratulate every drummer and Mr Doldisen for their perseverance and passion.

As part of a slow burn approach, our school band is practicing and performing at local venues such as Bunyip and the Nursing Home. It is wonderful to see them share the joy of music with young and old alike. Each time they perform, even to my untrained ear, I can hear the improvement.

Mrs Taylor believes it will not be long and they too, will compete at an eisteddfod.

How wonderful was the MPS stand at the local show? The display of artwork using a range of mediums and the handwriting certainly brightened a very grey and cold day.

This week our drum troupe, school band and a duet will perform at the CAPA night (Creative and Performing Arts) at Murrumburrah High School. This is a great opportunity to hear them play as well as support MHS. I hope you are able to come along.

While all this has been happening, students have been practicing their singing, their lines and movements on and off the stage for our whole school production of Cinderella and Rockefeller next week.

From my desk...

Clare Crawford



WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

EVENT	CLASSES	ACTIVITY DATE	COST	Notes / Money due
Year 3 Excursion to National Museum	Year 3	Tuesday 10 September	\$30	Overdue
P&C Meeting	All welcome	Tuesday 10 September 6pm in Meeting Room	Free	
Trent Barret Shield	Years 3&4	Wednesday 11 September 9.30am—2.30pm	Free	
ICAS Assessment Spelling	Participating students	Wednesday 11 September	Closed	Overdue
MHS CAPA Night	Drummers Band / Duet	Wednesday 11 September @ 6pm MHS Hall	Adults \$5 Students \$2 Family \$10	On the night at MHS

PANTO TIMELINE...

WHEN	WHO	WHERE	WHAT
Monday 9 September 2.30—4.30pm	Speaking roles only	MPS School hall	Rehearsal
Sunday 15 September 10am—2pm	All cast & crew	Murrumburrah High School—hall	Full dress rehearsal
Monday 16 September 9.10am—11.20am	All MPS Students	Students to arrive at MHS / bus students to get off at MHS	Rehearsal
Tuesday 17 September 9.10am—11.20am	All MPS Students	Students to arrive at MHS / bus students to get off at MHS	Rehearsal
Thursday 19 September 9.10am—2.30pm	Cast & crew only	Murrumburrah High School	Matinée performance
Thursday 19 September 11.00am—2.30pm	Remaining MPS students	Murrumburrah High School	Matinée performance
Thursday 19 September 5.30pm—8.30pm	All students	Murrumburrah High School	Evening performance
Friday 20 September 5.30pm—8.30pm	All students	Murrumburrah High School	Evening performance

...YEAR 1 ASSEMBLY...



Thank you to our Year 1 students and staff for another fabulous performance at last Friday's assembly. Well done!



Possum Magic with Year 1



On Thursday 5 September, Year 1 caught the bus to the Canberra Theatre to see Possum Magic. The trip there seemed to take forever due to the extreme excitement bubbling out of each student on the bus. We stopped briefly at Murrumbateman to eat our fruit and use the bathroom, walking across the bridge was a real treat!

We stopped at the Arboretum for lunch and played on the VERY HIGH playground. We arrived at the theatre right on 1pm just as the show was starting. Our seats were fantastic and every child could clearly see the stage. The show was amazing with loads of movement, audience interaction, funny jokes, singing and dancing. Some of the characters even came off the stage and into the audience. Every student was entranced by the performance!

We left Canberra at approximately 2:30pm and arrived back at school just after 4pm. It was an amazing day with all of the students and staff thoroughly enjoying themselves.

Warm regards,

Miss Aimee Skinner - Year 1



Around the School...



RIVERINA RUGBY UNION

Congratulations to Charlie Lenehan who was selected in the Riverina PSSA Rugby Union squad.

Charlie played at the State Carnival in Sydney at the end of August.

Well done on your selection!

BUDDY READING What better way to enjoy a good book than to sit with your buddy in the sun! Our Buddy Reading program gives senior students an opportunity to mentor younger students as they develop the complex skills needed to bring meaning to print.



NEWS FROM YEAR 1

Year 1 have been fortunate to have Mrs Mergard teaching and learning with them this term. Mrs Mergard is completing her Teaching Degree through Charles Sturt University and is being ably mentored by Ms Skinner. Staff and students alike are thrilled to have her with us!



Canteen News

MONDAY LUNCH SPECIAL

16 September

Spaghetti
Bolognaise &
Popper \$5



THANK YOU

to our canteen volunteers

Friday 13 September

Felicity Howe & Jules Wyatt

Monday 16 September

Nicki & Courtney Jones



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Congratulations to our reading award recipients!

