



Tell Them From Me

HELP US TO ACHIEVE POSITIVE AND PRACTICAL CHANGE AT SCHOOL

I am delighted that this term, like many other public schools in the state, our school will again participate in a Department of Education initiative: the *Tell Them From Me* student feedback survey. The survey measures factors that are known to affect academic achievement and other student outcomes. The focus of the NSW-wide survey is on student wellbeing, engagement and effective teaching practices.

The survey is a great opportunity for our students to provide us with valuable feedback on what they think about school life, how engaged they are with school and the different ways teachers interact with them. More than 6,300 schools in Australia and around the world have used *Tell Them From Me* to survey 5.4 million students. Capturing the voices of our students will help improve how we do things at our school.

More information about the survey is available at: <http://surveys.cese.nsw.gov.au>

Vale—Barry Coulton

The Murrumburrah Public School community offer our deepest sympathy to Rachel, Annie, the Coulton family and extended family and friends on the passing of Barry.

Barry has long been a dedicated member of our school community, volunteering and supporting many school events.

We extend our gratitude for the time we have had with Barry and the outstanding contribution he made to our school.

He will be sadly missed.

I want to assure you that the survey is confidential. The survey is conducted online and will typically take less than 30 minutes to complete. It will be administered during school hours before 25 October. Participating in the survey is entirely voluntary.

An opt-out form will accompany this newsletter for students who will not participate in the survey.

Congratulations to all members of the Murrumburrah Learning community on a very successful CAPA evening and thank you to the community members who supported the event.



From my desk...

Clare Crawford



WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

EVENT	CLASSES	ACTIVITY DATE	COST	Notes / Money due
ICAS Assessment—Maths	Participating students	Wednesday 18 September	Closed	Overdue
Year 2 Excursion to Canberra Zoo & Aquarium	Year 2	Monday 23 September Departing MPS 8.30am	\$30	Overdue
Woolworths Cricket Blast	Participating students	Wednesday 25 September @Young	\$10	Overdue
Footy Colours Day	All students	Friday 27 September	Gold coin donation	

PANTO TIMELINE...

WHEN	WHO	WHERE	WHAT
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

IMPORTANT INFORMATION regarding the Cinderella & Rockerfella Pantomime

The pantomime performances are:

Thursday 19 September— 11.30am

Thursday 19 September—6.30pm

Friday 20 September— 6.30pm

Tickets are available from the front office.

On Thursday and Friday evening ALL students are expected to be at the Murrumburrah High School hall by 5.30pm.

On Thursday before the matinee performance students will be provided with a black shirt with a Cinderella & Rockerfella logo printed on it.

It is expected that they will wear this shirt throughout all 3 performances.

They are to wear dark pants or jeans and either their school shoes or something dark and comfortable on their feet. Girls are required to wear hair in a high pony tail.

The show runs for approximately 2 hours, concluding at around 8.30pm.

All students must wait in the hall to be collected by a parent or carer.

KINDER ASSEMBLY



To assist in our organisation of teams for the cricket blast, students need to return their notes by **Wednesday 18 September**. Numbers for the teams have been capped, first in will be placed in the team otherwise, students will miss out on a position.

After the teams are filled, no further notes will be accepted.

Thank you
Mr Jarrod Loiterton—Cricket Blast Co-ordinator

Canteen News

TERM 4 CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS WANTED

The canteen is desperately seeking volunteers for Wednesdays next term.

If you are able to help please contact Courtney or the P&C. If we are unable to fill the positions we will continue to run canteen Monday and Friday only.

Pantomime Refreshments

The P&C will be serving refreshments at intermission.

Tray of slice, tea & coffee available for purchase.

THANK YOU to our canteen volunteers

Friday 20 September

Beth Allen

Monday 23 September

Nicki



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Murrumburrah Public School Community News



Puppet Making Workshop

Sunday 22 September

1pm – 4pm at Harden Murrumburrah Arts Council

Tickets \$15

This 3 hour workshop is designed for school aged children from age 8 and up and will be lead by Debra Clewer of Clewer Puppets. Students will create a 40cm hand puppet using a human puppet base design which will be provided already constructed.

Booking are essential and can be made by contacting Nicole Scott on (0427) 864320.

2019 Harden Kite Festival Kites - Canola - Country

Saturday 12th October, 10am – 5pm

Harden Picnic Racecourse

Burley Griffin Way, Harden NSW

BIG KITES

By kite flying enthusiasts from around Australia

Entry by donation \$2 per person

Alcohol Free Event

FREE Activities & Entertainment

Live music & performances

Kids activities

International food

Market stalls

Kite decorating workshops

Kite flying

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