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MUDGEE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter - Term 1, Week 6

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- ★ All visitors to the school MUST sign in the visitors book in the front office. Where students arrive late or need to depart early, again this is done through the front office.
- ★ Have you contacted the school with your updated/changed details? It is important that the school is able to contact you in case of an emergency.
- ★ If your child has a change of routine please send a note to the classroom teacher.
Emergency calls to the office before 2.00pm please.

SCHOOL BANKING - Wednesday (Volunteers welcome!)

BREAKFAST CLUB - Monday - Friday 8.45am-9.10am

UNIFORM SHOP - Wednesday 2.30pm-3.30pm (Residence Building via Perry St)

DIARY DATES

Wednesday 4 March

Zone Swimming - Gulgong

Thursday 5 March

PSSA Girls Cricket - Walkers Oval

Tuesday 10 March

Debating Workshop - Dubbo

Wednesday 11 March

PSSA Boys Cricket - Walkers Oval

down at this time, or when they get to school after this time. Some students are going down just before the bell goes at 9.15. There will not be any food served after 9.10.

Parent Liaison Network

Every class now has a parent representative who will send informative emails to you about your child's class. If you do not want to receive these emails and be part of the Parent Liaison Network, please contact the front office.

Zone Soccer

Yesterday a number of our students attended the Zone Soccer trials. These boys who were successful are Jack Dighton, Grady Vitnell, Dean Jarvis, Lachlan Williams, Eli Turner and the girls are Tilly James, Lexie Uryszek, Charlie Wallace, Nicole Pegg and Evie Vitnell. These students will represent Cudgegong Zone at the Western trials in Dubbo on Friday 20th March. Congratulations to

these students.

STEM High Tea

Last Saturday eight of our Stage 3 girls and their teacher Mrs Baddock attended a High Tea at St Matthews. They listened to Macinley Butson an inventor and scientist, 2018 NSW Young Australian of the Year talk about her journey in STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics). Which has led her to some amazing inventions. Please see the recounts of the students that attended, in this newsletter.

Mrs Ros Rogers
Relieving Principal

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Zone Swimming

Unfortunately due to the bad storms, the Zone Swimming was postponed and will be on this Wednesday. Thank you to the parents and friends who went out to support the students representing MPS. I wish them well this week.

Breakfast Club

This program is available every morning in the Primary Hall from 8.45. Please remind your children that if they are going to attend Breakfast Club they need to go

LIBRARY NEWS

Premiers Reading Challenge

This week is the start of the Premiers Reading Challenge (PRC) for all students, and it runs until August 28th, 2020. Students are required to read a certain amount of books over the 6 months; K-2 students must read 30 books,

Like us on our Facebook page '**Mudgee Public School P&C**' and follow us for all the latest updates, events and excursion arrival times.

Yr 3-4 and Yr 5-6 students must read 20 books. K-2 students will be given a yellow sheet to record the books they have read and Primary students will be learning how to enter the books online in their Library time. The Library has specially marked PRC books that students are able to borrow and record. Further information can be found at <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html> Students will need to know their school computer log in details to enter books online.

Book Club

Issue 2 brochures will be sent home this week. All online orders need to be completed by Monday March 23rd. Cash orders may be handed to me in the Library. No late orders can be accepted sorry.

Overdue Books

There are a lot of overdue books across the school at the moment. Please return all books to the Library once you have finished reading them.

Happy Reading!

Mrs Siobhan Vitnell
Teacher Librarian

STEM High Tea Recount

By Tilly James - MPS Captain

On Saturday the girls of 5/6B went to a High Tea at Saint Mathews with the award winning Young Australian of the Year, Macinley Butson. Macinley has a love for science and inventions and told us all about her own inventions and why she made them.

She taught us that girls are as strong as boys and that if we find a problem in the world we can fix it. In my opinion, Macinley Butson is definitely an inspiration to young

girls who love inventing things. It was an honour meeting Macinley Butson and she is definitely a person you should look up to in the future.. PS the cakes were yummy too!

By Angelina Lillis

Macinley Butson taught us that if we find a problem there is no one stopping us from fixing it.

She taught us about herself, how girls can be in STEM and helped us be confident. I had the honour of thanking Macinley and I told her that she was inspiring to young girls. It was a thrill to meet her!

Dento-Ryu Karate

Traditional Karate, non-contact all ages 5 years and over
\$3.50 per lesson - no joining fee
Mudgee Public School Hall
Tuesdays & Thursdays 6 -7pm.

Sensei Harvey
Phone: 6373 8304

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

	Term 1	Week 6
KW	Samantha McQuiggin	
KN	Shanaya King	
KC	Maddisyn Goodall	
KL	Isabella Doyle	
1R	Henry Fowler	
1S	Conner Farmer	
1T	Rhianna Del Rosario	
1C	Santana Barrass	
2C	Luke Westcott	
2H	Jayden Li	
2S	Talon McKay	
2W	Angel Percy	
3B	Zayne Meah-Reynolds	
3L	Blake Edmunds	
3T	Amelia Northey	
3W	Sebastian Turner	
4D	Brayden McBaron	
4E	Oscar Pryor	
4J	Charlotte Boyton	
5/6B	Riley Hargraves	
5/6C	Abby Dowler	
5/6J	Madison Casley	
5/6K	Ruby Murnane	
5/6L	Lauren Norris	
5/6M	Cindy Xu	
GY	Tyler Nixon-Shaw	
SM	Ella Kirkland	
TT	Jaxon Ross	
LA	Ross Edwards	
JC	Brodie Speechley	
MW	Jack Knobbs	



Macinley Butson (centre) Young Australian of the Year, Mrs B & Yr5/6 Students

Mudgee Public School would like to thank the following businesses who kindly support our Breakfast Club. A big thank you also to our wonderful staff & volunteers!



P&C Update

P&C AGM

The **P&C AGM will occur on Monday 9th March at 6pm in the school residence** followed by a short break with a light supper and a general meeting. All are welcome. At the AGM, office bearers and executive members for 2020 will be elected. All positions become vacant including

- president
- 2 vice president roles
- secretary
- treasurer
- 6 general executive roles
- canteen convenor
- uniform shop convenor.



WE ARE ON THE LOOK OUT FOR A NEW TREASURER.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN FINDING OUT MORE?
OR WOULD LIKE A COPY OF THE ROLE DESCRIPTION.

Email
mudgeepublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au

Our fantastic current treasurer, Simone Hurrell, is retiring from the position so we are particularly looking for anyone interested in filling the treasurer role. The P&C uses Xero accounting software which makes the job much simpler! Full training and guidance will be

provided by the supportive executive. If you would like more information about any position, please contact the P&C via Facebook or email at mudgeepublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au and we'll be in touch.

UNIFORM SHOP

****Open Wednesdays 2.30pm-3.30pm****

Order online anytime

The Uniform Shop is restocked with all sizes of sports shirts. We aim to keep prices low and any profit from the shop is reinvested back into the school. Order online at www.mudgeepublicpandc.com.au/uniform-shop or come in to the shop on Wednesdays, 2.30pm to 3.30pm. The shop is located in the school residence on the corner of Perry and Denison Streets. Online orders will be delivered to your child's classroom every Wednesday.

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CANTEEN



The canteen welcomed kindergarten kids on Friday for a special treat at the end of Green Week. Tracey and canteen volunteer, Marni, had great fun with the kids.

New Menu Planning:

Planning is underway for the new menu term 2. Are there some dishes you would love to see on the new menu? Please come along to the next **canteen meeting, on Wednesday, 11th March at 2.15pm** in the canteen to share your ideas. All are welcome.

Volunteers:

This week, we are asking families from 5/6M to make a special effort and consider volunteering in the canteen.

Would you like to volunteer? Please drop by the canteen and have a chat with Tracey or you can send her a text on 0418 452 278.

Term 1 2020 Roster

Week beginning	Class	Week beginning	Class
24 th Feb	5/6J	23 rd March	KC
2 nd March	5/6M	30 th March	KW
9 th March	5/6C	7 th April	KN
16 th March	KL		

Dates for the Diary:

Annual General Meeting: Monday 9th March, 6pm. School residence.

Next General Meeting: Monday 9th March, following AGM. Children are welcome.

Canteen Meeting: Wednesday 11th March, 2.15pm at the canteen. All welcome.

PBL Assembly Garden Produce and Bake sale: Friday 3rd April. Time TBC.

Mothering Our Boys



Mothers of sons are worried about raising their boys in a world where negative images of masculinity are front and centre of our media, almost every day. Also, statistically our boys are still struggling in many ways. Even though we live in a time where we recognise nothing in gender is fixed, it remains a fact that the influence of a mother on her son is massive.

In this seminar, one of Australia's favourite parenting authors Maggie Dent explores the *power of mothering our precious boys in a warm, firm, fair and fun way from birth to adulthood.* A mother of four sons herself, Maggie draws on research and personal experience – and over four decades work as a teacher, counsellor and now author and speaker – to help *build understanding, empathy and compassion for our boys.*

Although aimed primarily at mums of sons and other mother figures, the seminar will be *useful and insightful for dads and other father figures,* to help build a better understanding of the importance of cooperative intimate relationships. In her lighthearted way, Maggie offers *insights and practical tips and suggestions* for ensuring your son will grow up to become a *respectful, responsible and loving good man.*

Date & time: Saturday 4th April, 2020 Doors open at 9.15am for a 10.00am start (noon finish)

Venue: Mudgee Public School Primary Hall, 44 Perry St, Mudgee

Cost: \$35

Tickets: www.trybooking.com/BHNOE

www.maggiedent.com

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