## MUDGEE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter - Term 1, Week 7

Website: mudgee-p.schools.nsw.gov.au

All visitors to the school <u>MUST</u> 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. <u>Emergency calls to the office before 2.00pm please</u>.

Email: mudgee-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

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 11 March PSSA Boys Cricket - Walkers Oval Monday 16 March PSSA Girls Cricket - Walkers Oval Wednesday 18 March Western Rugby Union Trials Thursday 19 March Peachey Rugby League - Dunedoo Friday 20 March Zone Boys Soccer - Dubbo

#### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

#### **Mudgee Show Results**

Well done to all students who entered artwork into this year's Mudgee Show. Congratulations to 5/6 K for receiving first place for their artwork, inspired by the story 'Fire' and recent bushfire photos. They used pastels and charcoal, focusing on shading and line. Second place to 5/6C who did a watercolour showcasing "Drought, Fire and Flood". In the Junior Art section, 3W received a first place with their 'Flaming Dinosaurs" and 3T a second place with their Pasta Dinosaurs. 2W received a Highly Commended for their artwork entitled 'The Bushfire.'

#### **Voluntary contributions**

A reminder to please pay your voluntary contributions by April 3<sup>rd</sup>. The contribution gives your child a subsidised for rate visiting performances, such as Musica Viva which will be visiting the school early Term 2. Children will also participate in the Footsteps Dance Program which is daily lessons for a week, taught by a gualified dance instructor. It also includes the School magazine and Reading Eggs subscription, which students can access at home. The cost of transport to the Gulgong Eisteddfod which is on in May, is also paid by the Voluntary Contribution. On Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> April, at the Easter Hat Parade, 5 vouchers will be drawn out for those who have paid.

#### Tell Them From Me Survey

Students from Year 4 to Year 6 will be participating in the Tell Them From Me Survey this term. This is an opportunity for the students to have a voice about their engagement and wellbeing at school. The survey is confidential and will take about 20 minutes to complete. Please let your child's teacher know if you do not want your child to participate.

#### Zone Swimming

Some outstanding results were recorded last week at the Zone Swimming Carnival in Gulgong. As a result, 20 Mudgee Public students have qualified for the Western Swimming Championships in Dubbo on March 13<sup>th</sup>. Well done to all students who competed last week in Gulgong.

#### **Debating Workshop**

Today, twelve of our senior students will travel to Dubbo with Mrs Baddock to attend a Debating Workshop. This gives the students an opportunity to learn more the processes involved in Debating which will assist them in future debates planned for later in the year.

> Mrs Ros Rogers Relieving Principal

#### LIBRARY NEWS

#### **Premiers Reading Challenge**

Last week was the start of the Premiers Reading Challenge (PRC) for all students, and it runs until August

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

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read a certain amount of books over the school for this visit. the 6 months; K-2 students must read Happy Reading! 30 books, 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 record. borrow a n d Further information can be found https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/ at home.html Students will need to know their school computer log in details to enter books online.

#### **Book Club**

Issue 2 brochures were sent home last 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.



#### Stig Wemyss

Next week Stage 2 will be meeting Wemyss, an author Stig actor, and narrator of many audio books. He Award, 2 Principal Awards, 2 AP/ will be visiting our school as part of his DP Library tour, organised by the Mid Western Regional Council Library. It should be a fun and entertaining visit

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!

28th, 2020. Students are required to for those students. There is no cost to so, this can be traded for a

**Teacher Librarian** 



#### Mudgee High School Year 7 INFORMATION **EVENING**

Mudgee High School will be holding an information evening for the parents/carers of Year 6 students interested in enrolling at Mudgee High in 2021. The evening will be held Wednesday 18 March, starting with a presentation in the Performance Centre at 6pm and a tour of the school at 6.30pm.

The presentation will include information about what Mudgee High School does well, the composition of Year 7 classes and what enrichment opportunities are on offer. Another information evening will be held in November.

We would also like to extend the invitation to any parents/carers of year 5 students who are thinking of their child's High School placement for 2022. This would be a great opportunity to see what Mudgee High School has to offer.

#### PBL ASSEMBLY

Our Term 1 PBL Assembly is fast approaching. It will be held on Friday, 3rd April in the school hall. All awards need to be given to your child's class teacher by Wednesday, 25th March.

Students who have 4 Merit Awards (from any year, any colour) can trade them in for a Bronze Award. 2 Bronze Awards = 1 Silver Award, 2 Silver Awards = 1 Gold Award.

Does your child have a Gold attended Awards and 2 community events (e.g. ANZAC Day March, represented MPS)? If

Pennant. Does you child have 6 Principal Awards? Then they are Mrs Siobhan Vitnell able to receive a Principal's Book Award.

#### **Suzanne Donnelly PBL Assembly Co-ordinator**

#### SPORTS NEWS Hockey Gala Day

On Wednesday, 1st April students from Years 3-6 will be able to participate in the Hockey Gala Day. Miss Donnelly is collecting names of interested students at Recess and Lunch times this week. A note will go home next week with all the details.

#### Suzanne Donnelly **Hockey Co-ordinator**

STUDENT OF THE WEEK				
	Term 1 Week 7			
KW	Lukas Schrover			
KN	Jayden Godfrey			
KC	Ben Liney			
KL	Holly Freestone			
1R	Nathaniel Starr			
1S	Skyla Kirk			
1T	Oliver Scales			
1C	Georgia Chase			
2C	Jake Colley			
2H	Holly Foster			
2S	Henry Parker			
2W	Tom Murray			
3B	Scarlett Bennett			
3L	Nusrat Tuli			
3T	George Anderson			
3W	Tyler Rostron			
<b>4D</b>	Jasmine Brown			
<b>4E</b>	Emmanuel John			
4J	Spencer Brown			
5/6B	Jessica Halbisch			
5/6C	Abbey Broom			
5/6J	Tyler O'Brien			
5/6K	Abbey Wright			
5/6L	Isla Scott-Stewart			
5/6M	Lydia Brown			
SM	Hayley Taylor			
LA	Jonathon McCann			
JC	Jimmy-James Leaver			
MW	Jack Knobbs			







#### STAGE 2 DRAMA EXCURSION

The Bathurst Amateur Theatre Company, Carillon, are performing the much-loved production "The Sound Of Music" at the Bathurst Memorial Entertainment Centre (BMEC). We have secured 50 tickets to the 'Schools Only' show on Thursday 7th May. The cost of this excursion, which includes entry to the performance and bus hire is \$31 per student. The excursion will leave Mudgee at 7:30am and return to school by 3:15pm.

At this stage the tickets are available to **Stage 2 students only.** All interested students need to see Mrs Endacott for a note.

Tickets are limited to 50, so allocation is first in.



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



## CLEANERS REQUIRED IN MUDGEE AREA

Training and uniform provided Award Wages Please email your résumé to:

#### careers@jossgroup.com.au

Or for more information contact Cherie

Ph: 0418 773 071 between 8:00am – 4:30pm Monday to Friday

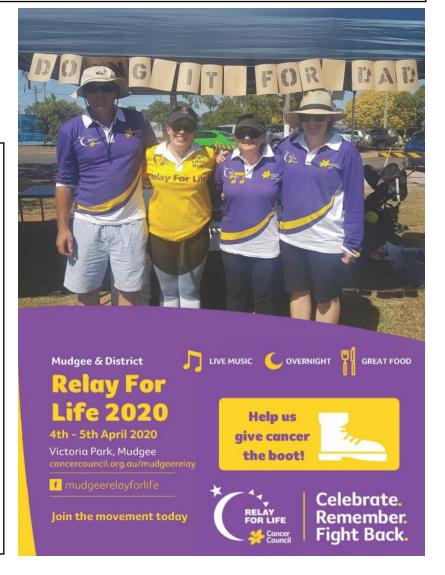
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## MUDGEE DISTRICT HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

FREE Junior Come and Try Days Thursday March 26 and April 2 Time: 4-6pm @ Victoria Park, Ages 4-18

Registrations at https://www.hockeynsw.com.au/surveys/768/ For more information contact <u>mudgeejuniorhockey@gmail.com</u>



## **P&C Update**

#### <u>P&C AGM</u>

The P&C held its AGM on Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> March where the executive committee for 2020 was elected. The executive committee for 2020 is:

President – Robyn Chase

Vice President (1) – Anna MacDonald Vice President (2) – Vacant

Secretary – Jemma Williams

Treasurer – Vacant

General executive member – Lucy Pye

General executive member – Marni Gordon

#### **UNIFORM SHOP**

\*\*\*\*Open Wednesdays 2.30pm-3.30pm\*\*\*\* Order online anytime



The weather has started to get a little cooler so it is time to start dusting off those jumpers. Has your child outgrown their jumper over summer? Has their jumper disappeared at school and can't be found? The Uniform can help! Order online Shop 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.

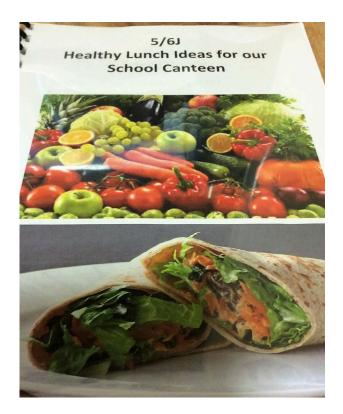
#### **CANTEEN**

#### Volunteers:

This week, we are asking families from 5/6C 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 <sup>th</sup> Feb	5/6J	23 <sup>rd</sup> March	КС	
2 <sup>nd</sup> March	5/6M	30 <sup>th</sup> March	KW	
9 <sup>th</sup> March	5/6C	7 <sup>th</sup> April	KN	
16 <sup>th</sup> March	KL			

#### New Menu Planning:



Planning is underway for the new term 2 menu. Students have made some great suggestions for dishes they would like to see on the new menu. 5/6J even produced a fantastic book of recipe suggestions (pictured above) for the canteen. Thanks 5/6J and Mrs O'Brien - Tracey can't wait to try cooking the recipes. Are there some dishes you would love to see on the new menu? Please come along to the next **canteen meeting**, **on Wednesday**, **11**<sup>th</sup> **March at 2.15pm** in the canteen to share your ideas. All are welcome.

#### Dates for the Diary:

**Next General Meeting:** Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April. Children are welcome.

**Canteen Meeting:** Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2.15pm at the canteen. All welcome.

**PBL Assembly Garden Produce and Bake sale:** Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> 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	



