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MUDGEE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter - Term 4, Week 5

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- ★ All visitors to the school MUST sign the visitors book & complete the External Visitors to School Site form.
- ★ Where students arrive late or need to depart early, again this is done through the front office.
- ★ Have you contacted the school with your changed details? It is necessary that your contact details are correct.
- ★ Emergency messages regarding a change of routine for students must be received before 2.30pm

IMPORTANT: If your child needs to leave school during school hours please send a note to the classroom teacher so they can arrange for the student/s to be at the Office for collection.

DIARY DATES

NAIDOC WEEK



TUE 10 Nov & WED 11 Nov

Jolly Beginners - 9.30am / 11.40am

WEDNESDAY 11 Nov

Remembrance Day

FRIDAY 13 Nov

Primary Athletics Carnival

MON 16 Nov - FRI 20 Nov

Swim School

TUE 17 Nov & WED 18 Nov

Jolly Beginners - 9.30am / 11.40am

WEDNESDAY 18 Nov

Red Hill Excursion 4J

THURSDAY 19 Nov

Red Hill Excursion 4D

FRIDAY 20 Nov

Red Hill Excursion 4E

culture on the planet. We are excited to share our passion and learn from our community. The theme this year is "Always Was, Always Will Be" which recognises that our First Nations people have occupied and cared for this continent for over 65,000 years. It is a strong message for NAIDOC and I hope that it will be a thought-provoking theme. Personally, I feel extremely privileged to work and live on Waradjuri land. I look forward to making sure my children grow up knowing the rich and long history of the land they learn and play on, and I hope to foster that for all students at Mudgee PS. I hope the students and staff enjoy the activities planned by Mrs Liddle and the Aboriginal Education Team as they learn that this land we live on, always was and always will be Aboriginal Land.

lots of great resources and many pieces of insightful information.



More information about NAIDOC Day can be found on the NAIDOC website. <https://www.naidoc.org.au/> There are



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

NAIDOC Week

Welcome to NAIDOC Week at Mudgee PS. NAIDOC week is an opportunity for all Australians to celebrate the rich history diverse cultures & achievements of ATSI people as the oldest continuing

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

Remembrance Day



Tomorrow, Wednesday 11 November, MPS will be holding a Remembrance Day service in classes. The school captains will be leading this service as we remember those who have served and those who have given the ultimate sacrifice. I look forward to sharing with you in next week's newsletter how this service went. Lest We Forget.

Before and After School Survey – Department of Education

A message from the Department: As part of the NSW Government's \$120 million Before and After School Care (BASC) commitment, parents at all NSW schools are asked to complete a quick survey to determine the needs for Before and After School Care in different areas around the state.

The short survey is due by Friday 27 November 2020 and can be accessed via this link: <https://surveys.education.nsw.gov.au/s3/OSHCParentSurvey>. This information will help us to target the rollout of more Before and After School Care services in the right areas. If your child does not require Out of School Hours care, we ask that you please still complete the first section of this survey as it gives us important information about the level of demand at our school.

Even though Mudgee PS does not have a Before and After School Care facility, can you please fill this in.

Selective High School - 2022

If you are considering applying for a selective High School for your child in 2022, applications for this process close on 16 November.

All applications need to be completed online at <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7>

You also need to ensure you submit an "Intention to apply form" to us here at Mudgee PS, which can be obtained from the Front Office. More

information can be obtained from the school if required. Please also see the attached flyer later in the newsletter.

Stage 2 T20 Cricket

IT was great to see Stage 2 head down to Walkers Oval for a few games of cricket on Friday. A big congratulations to all students for their effort and attitude. Extended thanks to Mr Baddock for his organisation, as well as Mrs Endacott and all Stage 2 teachers who attended. Super effort,!



and the likelihood of the event taking place on Friday, we have decided not to do special lunch orders. Therefore, all students will need to pack their recess and lunch on Friday like a normal school day. Fingers crossed for some sunny weather.

STEM Activities - 2S

Speaking of sunshine, last week, class 2S made the most of the beautiful sunshine on Friday to make their own sundials in STEM and to wrap up their revision of time in Maths. They even worked with daylight savings! Great work, 2S.



Maths Fun in KN

Another class working hard (Like all classes at Mudgee PS) was KN. Last week, they were spotted working in teams to create paper chains with 20 links. After a quick glance at each team's chain, the students then had to estimate how many links of each colour there were. Another great learning experience.

Athletics Carnival

What a shame we had to cancel the Athletics Carnival last week, but as it turns out, it was a great call by Mrs Baddock as we were presented with a strong downpour last Thursday morning. We are hoping to go ahead this Friday, but once again, the weather is not looking great. We will wait and see on the morning. Due to the uncertain nature of the weather



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

BREAKFAST CLUB - Monday - Friday 8.45am - 9.10am



Assistant Principal Position

We are currently in the process of recruiting for a substantive (permanent) Assistant Principal position. This position was vacated by Mrs Woolley and has yet to be filled on a permanent basis. The applications close tomorrow, and I hope to be able to share information with you towards the end of the term.

As always, have a great week

Mr John Carters
Principal



Principal Awards

*Mack Llyod,
Felix Smith,
Isabel Murnane,
Hamish Rayner,*

*Will Salter, Braxtan Lucas, Jaelei
Fahey-Leigh, Clayton Masling, Lucy
Stanford, Bram Anderson, Lyra
Barnett, Tom Murray, Toby Pryor,
Jamie Boyton, Montana Hyde, Riley
Hargraves x2, Alice Macdonald*

Deputy Principal Awards

*Montana Hyde, Bella Bulai, Jai Byrne,
Leah Sharpe, Sonny Jones, Grace
Sykes, Sharlee Collingwood, Sophie
Nicholls, Xzander Spicer*



LIBRARY NEWS

Book Club - Issue 8 brochures are being sent home this week. This is the last issue for the year! All orders must be returned by Friday November 27th. That is Friday Week 7. No late orders can be accepted as that will delay the delivery.

Book Fair - All re-orders were given out to students last week. If there was an issue with any student's order please send a note to schoolattention Library. Thank you again for supporting the Book Fair.

Overdues - There are more than 1000 overdue books across the school at the moment. Please return all your books. **Week 8 will be the last week for borrowing.** This will enable us to return all books, and chase up any overdue books.

Happy Reading!

Mrs Siobhan Vitnell
Teacher Librarian

CANTEEN ROSTER

*** THIS Week 5/6K**

NEXT Week 5/6B

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| Wk 7 | 5/6J | Wk 9 | 5/6C |
| Wk 8 | 5/6M | Wk 10 | Any!! |

SCHOOL BUS TRAVEL 2021



Applications now open for student bus passes 2021.

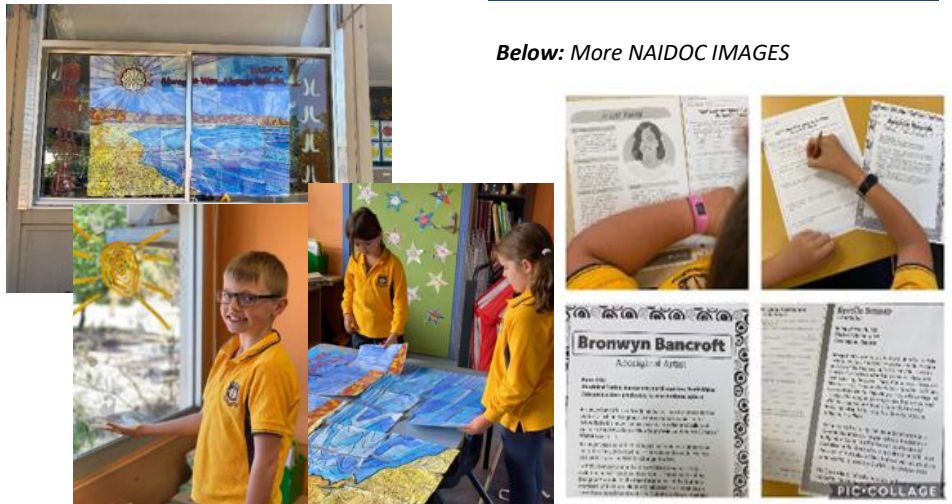
If you are going to be a new student in years K-6 in 2021 at Mudgee Public and would like to catch a bus to and from school **OR** you are a student who already catches the bus but has changed address, you will need to apply online for a pass before 31st December 2020. (Click on the link below)

<https://transportnsw.info/tickets-opal/ticket-eligibility-concessions/child-student-concessions/primary-secondary-school>

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

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| KN | Olivia Murray |
| KC | Thomas Street |
| KL | Aiden Bulai |
| KW | Will Cole |
| 1R | Rocco Berry |
| 1T | Taya Broadley |
| 1S | Addisyn Caligari |
| 1C | Sophie Macdonald |
| 2H | Harriet Boyton |
| 2S | Axel Broadley |
| 2C | Lily Kenny |
| 2W | Toby Pryor |
| MW | Levon Van Reason |
| JC | Cylis Powder-Jacob |
| 3W | Sebastian Turner |
| 3T | Annabelle Gill |
| 3B | Sam Walker |
| 3L | Lathan Scoular Oakenfull |
| 4E | Piper Etherington |
| 4J | Caitlin Holleman |
| 4D | Millie Burns |
| 5/6J | Madison Casley |
| 5/6B | Max Wolfson |
| 5/6M | Chloe Logronio |
| 5/6K | William Mattick |
| 5/6C | William Lumsden |
| 5/6L | Maddalin Roberts |
| SM | William Morris-Belpitt |
| TT | Layla Clough |
| LA | Ross Edwards |

Below: More NAIDOC IMAGES



Mudgee Public School would like to thank the following businesses who kindly support our Breakfast Club.



Placement in selective high schools for Year 7 entry

in 2022

Information for applicants

Thinking of applying for
a government selective
high school for Year 7
in 2022?

You must apply online at:

[https://education.nsw.gov.au/
public-schools/selective-high-
schools-and-opportunity-
classes/year-7](https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7)



Key Dates

Application website opens:
13 October 2020

Application website closes:
16 November 2020
You must apply before this date.

Test centre and test authority advice
released:
25 February 2021

Selective High School placement test:
11 March 2021

Placement outcome information released:
2 July 2021

**Please read this booklet carefully before
applying.**

**From this year, you will be able to log
into your application to send and
receive messages and notices.**

There may be changes to the procedures
in this document. Check the website at
education.nsw.gov.au/shs-oc regularly for
updates throughout the application and
placement process.

Please check the website for information
before you contact the Team.

The Selective High Schools placement process for Year 7 entry is administered by the High Performing Students Team. It is referred to as 'the Team' in this document.

Contact Details:

High Performing Students Team, NSW Department of Education
Email: ssu@det.nsw.edu.au
Telephone: 1300 880 367
Postal Address: GPO BOX 33, SYDNEY NSW 2001

Facebook:

[https://www.facebook.com/groups/
772251106301086/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/772251106301086/)



It's in the Bag

Help those living in crisis this festive season by donating a pre-loved bag and fill it with essential and luxury items that would make someone feel special at this time of year.

Share the Dignity is an Australian charity bringing dignity to women and girls experiencing homelessness, domestic violence and period poverty through the distribution of period products.

It's In The Bag is a simple idea which works like this:

- Donate a handbag in a good, used condition that you no longer use
- Fill it with items that will make a difference to the daily life of a woman in need
- Be sure to include the essentials such as a sealed packet of pads and tampons, roll-on deodorant, toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner and soap
- Add little luxuries like lip balm, new socks, a magazine, anything that would make a woman or teenage girl feel special
- You can also add a thoughtful note into the bag to show the recipient they are thought of
- Donate the bag at your local Bunnings store (subject to government regulations)

Donate at Bunnings between
20th and 29th November 2020



#ITSINTHE Bag

ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR YOUR ADULT BAG

Shampoo & Conditioner | Toothbrush & Toothpaste
Soap | Roll on Deodorant | Sealed Period Products



#ITSINTHE Bag

ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR YOUR TEEN BAG

Period products suitable for younger bodies
Shampoo & Conditioner, Roll on Deodorant
Soap, Toothbrush & Toothpaste



#ITSINTHE Bag

ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR YOUR MUM & BUB BAG

Maternity Pads, Breast Pads, Newborn Nappies
Shampoo & conditioner, toothbrush & toothpaste, roll
on deodorant, baby shampoo, disposable nappy bags,
baby wipes, dummies, baby wash, nappy rash cream.