

Monday, October 25, 2021

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We are so excited to be planning to hold a **Farewell Evening for the leaving class of Year 6 2021.** The evening will be for the students. Staff who work with Year 6 will be attending only. Due to Department of Education and NSW Health restrictions, parents/carers are unable to attend. Further to this, parents are unable to gather or take photographs of groups of children. Many photos will be taken on the evening and shared. A photo booth will be in use throughout the evening, with students taking home photographs for no additional cost. Even if parents/carers are permitted to attend formals/farewell evenings in December, venue capacity will not permit parent/carer guests due to the size of our cohort

The **Year 6 Farewell Evening** will be held at *Merimbula Public School*. During the night, students will be having a pizza party. We ask for students to bring in a picnic rug/blanket during the school day (Wednesday, December 15) to allow staff to set up a special area before students arrive.

What: Year 6 Farewell Evening and Dinner
When: Wednesday, December 15, 2021
Time: 5:00pm – 7:30pm
Cost: \$30
<u>The cost covers the following:</u> Disco and Photo Booth (with DJ Matt Brown); Pizza or Pasta for dinner from our local Duci's Italian Restaurant (*please see order form attached*); Can of drink/popper or bottle of water and cake.

What to Bring: *Students must bring a labelled bottle of water, that can be refilled throughout the evening.*

Dress Code: Smart casual/semi-formal (No heels, midriff tops/tank tops or singlets)

Drop off/pick up Areas: Girls – Randolph Street Hall Gate (bus bay) - 4.50-5pm Boys – Henwood Street Gate (back gate) – 4.50-5pm – See below for more details

<u>To support the Department's COVID-19 physical distancing requirements, the following arrangement for</u> <u>drop-off/pick up applies:</u>

- Parents/caregivers are to remain in their car.
- A teacher/staff member will be supervising at the back gate, in the bus bay and at the hall gate.
- **Boys** Are to be dropped off at the Henwood Street gate (back oval) between 4.50-5pm. Please pull up near the gate, parallel parking until your child is safely at the gate. In the event of inclement weather, boys are to instead be dropped off at the Randolph Street (office gate) between 4.50-5pm.
- **Girls** Are to be dropped off at the front of the school on Randolph Street, at the gate closest to the Jackson Hall, between 4.50-5pm (regardless of the weather).
- Students will be collected from the same gate they were dropped off at. Parents/caregivers are to remain in their cars and safely pull in, wind down their window down and share their child's name with the teacher in that area. The teacher will call the group and ask that child to come to the car.

Please return the attached permission note and accompanying dinner order by Friday, December 3 2021.

Regards, Chloe Kirk, Stage 3 Assistant Principal



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Please return this permission note, accompanying dinner/drink order and confirmation of online payment to the front office by Friday, December 3rd.

Dear Mrs Kirk,

I give permission for my child to attend the Year 6 Farewell Evening on Wednesday, December 15th 2021 (4.50pm - 7.30pm). I understand and will adhere to drop off and pick up arrangements. I understand that should the farewell event be cancelled at short notice, all deposits to suppliers may be forfeited.

Student Name:		Class:
Medical/Dietary Information:		
My child will be picked up by:		
Contact Details of Parent/Carer on Night:	(MOB):	

Payment to be made via school website: https://merimbula-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/

Payment **of \$30** via the school website (*click on Make a Payment at the top, fill in all green asterisks and select 'Other' under Payment Option. Use the payment description 'Year 6 Farewell' and return this order form to the office).* My receipt number is______.

Parent/Carer Name: ______ Date: ______ Signature: ______ Date: ______

Year 6 Farewell Evening Food and Drink Order Form:

Duci's Italian Restaurant will be providing dinner on the evening of the Year 6 Farewell. Food will be in single serve portions and will not be shared. Students ordering pizza will receive their own small pizza. Adult servings of pasta will be served. Please have your child tick one dinner item and one drink item. Students will also receive cake as their desert.

Food options (Please tick one):	Drink options (Please tick one):	
PIZZA		
Margherita Pizza – Tomato, cheese, oregano.	Fruit Juice Popper	
 Hawaiian Pizza – Tomato, cheese, ham, pineapple. BBQ Meat Lovers Pizza – Tomato, cheese, ham, salami, bacon, chicken & BBQ sauce. 	Can of Soft Drink Bottle of Water	
Vegetarian – Tomato, cheese, mushrooms, olives, onions, capsicum. PASTA		
Bolognese – Minced beef cooked in a tomato sauce.		
Napolitana – Tomato sauce, herbs and fresh basil.		
Carbonara – Bacon, egg, cream, parmesan.		



