



Merimbula Public School



Staffing Changes

Wednesday, May 4, 2016.

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

As you would be aware Mr Jamieson's last day at Merimbula Public School, prior to his retirement, is next Monday, May 9. His position was advertised last term however a suitable replacement was not found. His position will be advertised later in the year, ready to appoint a new Assistant Principal to the school from the beginning of 2017.

To fill the position in the meantime, an Expression Of Interest Selection Process has taken place. Staff from within the school were invited to submit applications against specific criteria for the role. These applications were processed through the week. The successful applicant was Mrs Manda Brewer.

Mrs Brewer has kindly ended her part-time Maternity Leave to take on the position of Assistant Principal, Stage 2 Leader, 3J Teacher and Curriculum Committee Coordinator. She will begin these roles and teaching 3J from next Tuesday until the end of 2016.

As a result of Mrs Brewer leaving 5/6B, for consistency Mrs Fowler will also be leaving the class to take on other Release from Face-To-Face teaching duties including additional Japanese lesson time. This is so a fulltime teacher can be appointed to 5/6B for the remainder of 2016.

Mrs Catherine Kennedy, one of our regular casual teachers who knows the school and students, will be teaching 5/6B from next Tuesday.

Mrs Gillian Ross will also be taking leave from 3S. Mrs Candy McVeity will be teaching 3S each Wednesday. Other part-time teachers already within the school will be taking on some of Mrs McVeity's art lessons so that she is able to take 3S.

Thank you to the above staff for supporting our school and enabling great teaching and programs to continue for our students.

As a result of the changes, new Library, Music, Art, Japanese and Physical Education timetables are being worked on and any changes in days/times will be shared in the Week 3 Newsletter.

If you have any questions about the above changes, please contact the school Administration Office on (02) 64951266 to arrange a time to meet with me.

Regards,

Michelle Hulme
Principal

