

Merimbula Public School Newsletter

Term 1 Weeks 1 to 5–2018

Principal's Messages:

Welcome to 2018 and another year at Merimbula Public School. We have had many new student enrolments and look forward to meeting their extended families over the coming months. Yesterday we also welcomed our 2018 Kindergarten students and as always, it was a pleasure to see their excited faces as they embark on their new school journey.

Welcome to new staff:

We also extend a warm welcome to our new staff this year: Mr Ben Kirk joining the Stage 3 team in 6K; Miss Talia Clough joining our Early Stage 1 team in KBC; Miss Chloe Hearn and Mrs Corinna Mace both joining the Stage 1 team in 1H and 1/2M; Mr Shane Doherty joining the Stage 2 team in 4D and Mr Phil Jackson on Fridays in 3S.

We welcome back Ms Vanessa Bain to MPS as our K-2 Assistant Principal. We also have many of our regular staff and casuals taking on new roles within our school. Ms Anna Charlton will be taking on the role as our Learning Assistance and Support Teacher (LAST); Ms Tracey Varley Mitchell joining our support class team in FV in a full time capacity, Mrs Lee Robson will be teaching 1/2M on Thursday and Friday. Miss Arati George will be working full time as our Music and Visual Arts teacher.

Joining our Learning Support staff team on a regular basis this year, will be Mrs Cheryl Frans in an SLSO/administration role and Mrs Kristi-Lee Papalia, Mrs Angela Skitt, Ms Mel Sharpe and Mr Matthew Lawson, supporting our teaching staff in classrooms.

Staff Leave / Staffing Changes for Term 1:

Mrs Mary Pearce will be replacing Mrs Lisa Kellaway on 2K until at least Week 8 of Term 1. We thank her for her ongoing support at our school. She brings a wealth of experience.

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Executive Staff 2018

Principal: Mrs Michelle Hulme

Relieving Principal: Mrs Janelle Hodsdon (Week 3)

K-2 Assistant Principal: Ms Vanessa Bain

Stage 2: Ms Tahlia Stafford Stage 3: Ms Manda Brewer

Support Classes: Mr Brenton Mace

School Admin Manager: Ms Penny Crowley **Closure of School Gates During School Time:**

As advised via a letter to all parents at the end of last year, the front school gates will continue to be the main entry point. The back gates located at Henwood Street will be opened from 8.30am-8.50am and 3.00-3.10pm for the first 4 weeks. After that time entry will be via the main gates adjacent the office only.

Student Safety:

A reminder to adhere to the 40km speed limit in school zones and **PLEASE** stop at our crossings rather than travelling through. **ALL** children are to use crossings to enter the school and will be escorted by our staff across crossings in the afternoon as part of our pick up line. This includes those on bikes and scooters.

We continue to have issues with parents stopping in no stopping zones, dropping children in bus bays and performing U-turns in school zones. Please be advised parking in adjacent unit car parking spaces is also not permitted. Please work with us to keep our students and families safe.

2018 Bell Times

8.55am Morning bell/line up **9.00am** Classes commence

11-11.40am: Lunch

11.40am Classes resume

1.25-1.55pm Recess

1.55-2.55pm: Afternoon classes

I hope that you enjoy another great year of learning at Merimbula Public School in 2018.

Regards,

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Mrs Janelle Hodsdon - Relieving Principal

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School News:

Vacation Care and After School Care:

MPS will continue to offer after school and vacation care provided by Holiday Care Australia. Before school care may be arranged via a booking service. If you require more information about the service please pick up an information pack from our school office. Further information can be gained by calling 0410 342 123 or by visiting their Facebook Page or website:

www.holidaycareaustralia.com

Anzac Day School Service: On Friday, April 13 from 12pm to 1.00pm in the Jackson Hall, our school will be holding its Annual Anzac Day Assembly. Representatives from each stage will be laying a wreath and our School Leaders will be presenting speeches that they will also present at the local town services on Anzac Day.

Parents, caregivers and guests are welcome to attend the Assembly, which will feature special guests from the Merimbula RSL. A special morning tea in the school staffroom will follow the Anzac Day assembly. Information about town services will be provided in our next newsletter.

Learning Support and Counsellor Referrals:

MPS are in the process of appointing a new counsellor. If you believe that your child requires additional learning support, behaviour support, anxiety support or counselling support/assessments, please contact your child's classroom teacher to arrange a meeting time to complete a Learning and Support Team (LST) Referral Form. This is a new form, which replaces all forms previously used.

If your child's class teacher believes that your child may require additional assistance, they may get in contact with you to discuss possible support options. We appreciate the support our parents/caregivers give staff through consultation to allow us to address student learning needs. The Learning and Support Team (LST) meet each Thursday.

Catch Up Cuppa: We welcome parents and guests to attend a regular 'Catch up Cuppa' with our principal or executive staff during 2018 in our staffroom. The first one will be held on Friday March 2, Week 5 from 11.40am-12.20pm. This is an informal chat or a time where you can meet or greet staff at a time that we will regularly be available.

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Welcome Assembly, BBQ & Expo

Our first assembly back for 2018 will be held on Friday, February 23 at 10.00am in the Jackson Hall. The swimming carnival presentation will take place as well as our SRC induction. Our welcome BBQ and Expo follow the assembly from 11.00am-12.40pm. Classroom open times will be posted to our Facebook page.

There will be a BBQ lunch provided for all students and guests run by the Rotary Club. Expo tables will be set up around the oval and basketball courts and all tables will offer information about services and clubs. There will be a variety of sporting clubs, fitness clubs, the arts, support services, churches and language group. Some clubs will offer registration sign up and information.

We understand all carers are busy people but welcome the chance to meet you to discuss your child's needs at school. MPS staff will be available at the same time, this way if you have not had a chance to meet your child's teacher, you can come in and have a chat. We look forward to welcoming you into our school for 2018 and beyond.



Congratulations to the following students who will be inducted as class representatives at this assembly for semester 1, 2018.

FL: Cooper S and Charlie M

FM: Kyuss T **FV:** Channing R

15: Cooper L and Banjo B
1H: Benjamin K and Amelie H
1/2M: Ty H and Shaylah B
2K: Lucy L and Cooper P
2B: Jack D and Lara T

35: Olivia H and Emmerson M **3T:** Alex M and Madeline K **4F:** Archie S and Claire W

4D: Kai H and Eli H

5B: Luke F, Kellie P and Hunter H

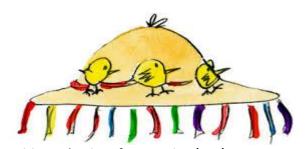
5P: Lex H

6K: Emelia R-S and Hugh C **6H:** Clayton B and Emily J **6P:** Olivia H and Koby A-M

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Ryka Ali Harmony Day Performance: We would like to invite all Aboriginal Community Members, families, parents and caregivers to attend our Harmony Day performance with Ryka Ali on Monday, April 9 at 2pm. Please RSVP to the office on (02)64951266 if you wish to attend on the day.

Easter Hat and Hair Parade: The Easter Hat and Hair parade for all grades will be held in the Jackson Hall on Thursday, March 29 between 12 and 1.25pm. Parents, caregivers and guests are welcome to attend. Students can wear mufti clothing and/or Easter costumes, Easter hats or bonnets, or an Easter themed hair-style. No hair spray is to be used at school or brought onto school grounds.



Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) News: In 2017 thanks to our P&C Fundraising Committee, two Buddy Benches were purchased for our school. One of these benches is located in the Canteen Covered Outdoor Learning Area (COLA) and one in the K-2 COLA. Please remind your children that they can use the benches should they need someone to play with or if they need some cheering up. Our school has delivered lessons to educate students about them and how they can support other children who may feel lonely during play times.

Our School Rules: At Merimbula Public School we have a positive behaviour matrix, supporting children with ideas of how they can behave correctly in all areas of the school, as well as on the bus and in 'cyber-land' when on computers and the Internet. Students are educated of these positive behaviours in class and during assemblies.

Coinciding with these positive behaviours, our school has 5 'universal' school rules for all students to follow in all areas of the school and when representing the school out of school grounds, including when off site and/or travelling to school and wearing school uniform.

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They include:

We as students of Merimbula Public School promise to:

1. Follow instructions the first time.

- 2. Be in the right place at the right time.
- 3. Care for all property, things and people.
 - 4. Show respect at all times.
 - 5. Move and play safely.

We can do this by:

Taking responsibility for all our actions;
Respecting ourselves, others and the
environment;
Being resilient by bouncing back.

Please remind your children of these rules at home. Canteen News:

Our school canteen will once again be serving lunch and recess this year. Students are to place lunch orders in a lunch bag into the beach shack on the front counter of our canteen prior to 9am each day. The updated 2018 menu and volunteer sheet will go home today along with this newsletter.

International Food Day: Our first international food day for 2018 will be a Korean food day on Wednesday, February 28. Order forms will be sent home in the coming weeks and orders will need to be in no later than Friday February 23 so we can cater accordingly. These days will continue once per term again during 2018. We thank Mrs Bunce and volunters in advance for their hard work on these days!

Hot Cross Bun Day: Will be held on **Thursday, March 29**. Orders need to be placed no later than **Monday, March 26**.

Are We A Nut Free School? Whilst our canteen does not serve or use nut products, our school is not a nut free school. Parents/caregivers of students with nut or any other food allergies should notify the school office and provide a Health Care Plan from their doctor that will be shared with the school canteen. We welcome the opportunity to speak with parents and carers should their child have a food allergy.

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Sports News:

Years 3 and 4 AusKick Gala Day: Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4) have been invited to attend the AFL AusKick Gala Day at Pambula Sports Ground on Thursday March 15. A permission note will go home shortly and will be available on School Stream.

Swimming Carnival: Our annual swimming carnival will be held at Pambula Aquatic Centre on Wednesday, February 7, 2018 for competitive/confident swimmers only in Years 3-6 (competitive/confident swimmers are students who can swim 50m). There will be no novelty events held on the day, as in previous years.

Students in Years 3-6 not attending the carnival will attend school as usual and are to meet in the Jackson Hall when the morning bell rings for a roll call. All students attending the carnival are to line up in the lower COLA area. We will be departing school at approximately 9:00am. Students whose parents intend to drive them to the pool will need to arrive for marshalling at 9.30am if they wish to compete in the 100m Freestyle event. These students will also need to be signed in at the recording table on arrival at the Aquatic Centre.

Zone Swimming Carnival: The Annual Zone Swimming Carnival will be held at Candelo Pool on Tuesday, February 27. Please keep an eye on our Facebook page for weather updates closer to the day.

Cross Country Carnival: Stage 2 and 3 students (and Year 2 children turning 8 this year that wish to compete) will be involved in the annual school Cross Country run to be held at Berrambool Sporting Complex on Wednesday, April 4 2018 (week 10) or Wednesday, April 11 2018 (backup date). K-2 students will have their carnival on the same day on the school oval from 11.40-1.25pm. Please ensure your child has a hat, plenty of water and applies their own sunscreen for the day. The run is part of our Physical Education program. Students will be participating in activities to prepare them for this event. Parents are welcome to attend.

Fish Finders: Fish Finders Australia is run by accredited fishing instructors with the Professional Fishing Instructors & Guides Association of Australia. All instructors have current Working With Children Checks. Thev also boast qualifications most Fishing Instructors don't have. Their director has worked teaching children about fishing and all things environmental, all over Australia. Fish Finders NSW South Coast branch was recently awarded 11th Most Popular Kids Activity 2017 by the Active Kids National Database. If you have a child that loves fishing or one that would love to give it a go, check out the details below.



JUNIOR FISHING CLUB - Term 1 2018

Weekly Sessions - \$15 pw - All equipment Provided - Ages 5 +

Call/text or email fishfindersaustralia@gmail.com

for an Information Pack & Enrolment Form
***We also do Kids Fishing Birthday Parties!!

Tathra Club

Start Date - Mon - 5 Feb 2018

Weekly Session Time - Mon 4pm - 5.30pm

Eden Club

Start Date - Thur - 8 Feb 2018

Weekly Session Time - Thur 4pm - 5.30pm

Pambula Club

Start Date - Wed - 7 Feb 2018

Weekly Session Time - Wed 4pm - 5.30pm

Merimbula Club

Start Date - Fri - 9 Feb 2018

Weekly Session Time - Fri 4pm - 5.30pm



Don't Forget Your House Coloured Shirts on Sport Days & carnivals (Friday K-2 and Thursday Years 3-6)

Bellbirds = Red

Pelicans = Blue

Kookaburras = Green

Swans = Yellow

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Book Club LOOP

LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform.

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using your credit card. If your school is not yet in the LOOP, speak with your school's Book Club Organiser.

Head to scholastic.com.au/LOOP





Follow these **easy** steps!

Simply grab your child's Book Club catalogue and either SIGN-IN or REGISTER your account.

Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for), then select your SCHOOL and your CHILD'S CLASS. Note: You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school.

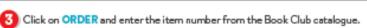
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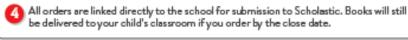
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That's it! There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school.



Book club. During Terms 1,

Book Club: Welcome to

another year of

2 and 4 we will send home a catalogue to order quality books for your family. Kindy orders will start in Term 2. 20% of the total purchase amount is

donated back to the school so we may purchase brand new resources

for our library and classrooms. If you are interested in

ordering from Book club, please take time to browse

the catalogue and read the LOOP information for

payment. Final date to order will be 28th of

February, 2018. If you have any questions,

please do not

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Performing Arts News:

Musical Tutorial Groups: These groups will be offered at lunchtime by Ms Arati George. Monday glockenspiel, Ukulele and Tuesday Wednesday African drums (Djembes). Thursday singing group, Friday School Band. All instruments will be provided or you are welcome to bring your own. An expression of interest note will be sent home shortly.

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P&C News:

P&C Meeting: The next P&C Meeting will take place Monday, February 12 at 6.30pm at Club Sapphire. The Annual General Meeting will take place on Tuesday, March 5 at 6.30pm. New faces are welcome. All positions will be declared open and interested volunteers can nominate to be part of the leadership committee. supporting school improvement.

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K-2 News:

Kindergarten

Welcome to all of our 2018 Kindergarten children and parents. This is a very important time in each child's and family's life. The children will be learning many new things over the coming weeks as well as, settling in to new routines. They may come home from school very tired and/or emotional at first. You can help them by making sure that they have plenty of nutritious food and snacks to eat as well as plenty of water to drink. They will also need lots of sleep and some down time.

Some things you can do to support your child include teaching them to tie shoe laces, showing them how to blow their nose properly, showing them how to open their food containers and cutting up food such as fruit and vegetables so that it is easier to eat.

Please label all of your child's belongings so that they can be returned to them if they are misplaced. We would appreciate you checking that your child has their lunch box, water bottle and hat in their bag each morning.

Enjoy this special time and embrace the changes and new learning your child will be sure to share with you. We would be happy to discuss any concerns you have but it is really difficult to do this while we are teaching, please contact your child's teacher through the front office to arrange a mutually convenient time.

Stage 1

Welcome back to all of our returning students and families and a special welcome to our new students and their families. We trust you had a relaxing break. This Term, in **English** we will be exploring Friendship by studying 'The Rainbow Fish', 'Rose Meets Mr Wintergarten', Pearl Barley and Charlie Parsley and Wilfred Gordon McDonald Partridge. In History we will be learning about present and past family life. In our Science unit we will be experimenting with the forces of push and pull. We are implementing a new phonics based spelling program called Soundwaves. Ask your child to tell you about it.

K-2 Sport: will be on a Friday afternoon during 2018. It would be great if you could send your child to school in their sports uniform on a Friday. Could you also check that they are wearing well-fitting joggers.

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1S Read 'Rainbow Fish' and made their own fish.



1/2M Got to know all about each other



2B Made some portraits of themselves



1H Made some new friends



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Assembles: There will be two K-2 assemblies this term. They will be held on **Friday, March 2 and Friday, March 23 at 12.25pm** in the Jackson Hall. All families are welcome to attend.

Thank you to all of the families and carers who have already sent in their school supplies, it has been really helpful. Just a reminder to label all of your child's possessions so that they can be returned to them if they are misplaced.

As always, we are happy to discuss any concerns you may have. We would appreciate it if you could arrange a time when we are off class. You could send us a note or contact us through the school office.

Stage 2 News:

Welcome back to all of our students and a special welcome to our new students and families. We have an exciting first term planned in Stage 2 and are looking forward to an engaging and educational term ahead.

English:

In English this term, students are learning about the concept of Representation and Sustainability. They will be exploring a number of texts that support their understanding of the importance of looking after our environment. Students will engage with informative texts linked to our Science unit to help them gain knowledge and communicate their ideas. They will also look at persuasive texts and will begin to develop their knowledge of how texts are structured to represent a point of view or opinion. Stage 2 students will also be using the Sound Waves program for Spelling. This program uses a phonemic approach towards spelling and will be used across the school. They will also be using the English Stars program which explores the language, literature and literacy components of the Australian Curriculum.

Stage 2 will be beginning Writing Workshops to allow students continued exposure to the process of writing and to help students to build fluency. Students will explore 'seeds' which will act as a stimulus for writing. A note will be send home with more information about items to bring in. Students are encouraged to bring in a book of their own choice to use during our Literacy time. Please assist your child in choosing a book that is suitable. Your child's class teacher will be able to support you in this should you have any questions.

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Maths:

In Mathematics this term we will be focusing on a number of problem solving strategies. These will be integrated into our teaching and learning programs and students will have opportunities to apply these through Maths Investigations. We will be using the iMaths program which will also be accessible online at home.

Year 3 Maths topics include:

Week	Topics					
1	Readiness Assessment					
2	Odd and Even Numbers, Area					
3	Place Value, Area					
4	Expanded Notation, Litres and Millilitres					
5	Rounding and Estimation					
6	Measurement with metres and centimetres					
7	Addition and Subtraction					
8	Addition and Subtraction					
9	Probability, Data					
10	Probability, Data					
11	Assessment					

Year 4 Maths topics include:

Week	Topics					
1	Readiness Assessment					
2	Place Value, Area					
3	Rounding to 10 and 100, Area					
4	Expanded Notation, Litres and Millilitres					
5	Addition and Subtraction, Litres and Millilitres					
6	Addition and Subtraction					
7	Multiplication and Division					
8	Multiplication and Division					
9	Probability, Data					
10	Probability, Data					
11	Assessment					

Science and Geography Conceptual Inquiry Unit

In Stage 2, students will be learning about the Concept of Interrelationships and Sustainability. By the end of this unit students will have an understanding about their responsibility to the Australian environment and how they can interact sustainably to preserve the environment into the future. Students will explore the functions of living things and how they interact with each other and their environment. They will develop an understanding of how we as individuals impact on the environment. Towards the end of the unit, students will be working on a problem based real life project — more details to follow throughout the term.

Waste Free Wednesday: Every Wednesday, students and parents/carers should aim for no plastic wrap and packaging in lunches (or as close as possible), instead using brown paper bags (as they are biodegradable) or place food in plastic containers that can be washed out at home and reused again. This will support our unit of work on sustainability.

Sport:

For Sport this term, students will be focusing on a number of athletic and running skills in preparation for the Cross Country Carnival later in the term. All students in Stage 2 have Sport every Thursday.

Child Protection:

The aim of Child Protection Education is to assist students to develop skills in recognising and responding to unsafe situations, seeking assistance effectively, establishing and maintaining positive relationships and strengthening attitudes and values related to equality, respect and responsibility. The teaching of Child Protection is a mandatory requirement of the Department of Education and will be taught throughout the term.

Classroom Supplies

We thank you for supplying your children with all the school supplies that they need within the classroom each day. Please ensure your child has the necessary equipment for their day at school. Students will be bringing home their exercise books to cover at home. It would be wonderful if you could support and assist them in covering these books to help protect them throughout the year. We look forward to another exciting term educating your children!



Year 4 Enjoying their collaborative classrooms

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Stage 3 News:

A big welcome back to all students, we hope you had a relaxing and restful summer.

KLA'S

In English, Year 5 students will be studying 'Explanation' and Persuasive' text types. At the culmination of this unit, students will research and write an explanation. Year 6 students will focus on 'Procedure' text types. At the culmination of this unit, students will write a procedure. Students in both years 5 and 6 will be following the Sound Waves spelling program. We will be reading 'Nanberry' and 'The Rabbits'. They will be using drama and making connections to texts strategies to improve reading comprehension.

Year 5 Math topics include:

Weeks	Topics				
1	Readiness Assessment				
2	Rounding and estimation strategies				
3	Factors				
4	Place value and multiplication				
5	Multiplication				
6	24-hour time and timetables				
7 and 8	Australian time zones and division				
9 and 10	Latitude, longitude and using scale				
11	Revision				
EACH WEEK	Problem solving strategies				

Year 6 Math topics include:

Weeks	Topics					
1	Readiness Assessment					
2	Prime and composite numbers					
3	Square and triangular numbers					
4	Divisibility tests					
5	Multiplication					
6	Division					
7	Metric system of measurement					
	and perimeter					
8	Probability and judgments					
9 and 10	The four operations and					
	backtracking					
11	Revision					
EACH WEEK	Problem solving strategies					

Science

In Science, students will be studying Biological Sciences: I am a survivor. It is a unit focused on exploring how the growth and survival of living things are affected by physical conditions of their environment. This unit concludes with a Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) project 'Claymation'.

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History

In History, students will be studying The Australian Colonies. For Personal Development and Health (PDH), we will be completing the Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) values of Respect, Responsibility and Resilience lessons.

PDHPE

From Weeks 4 or 5 we will be learning about Child Protection (Recognising Abuse). For Physical Education (PE) and Sport, we will learn running skills in the lead up to the Cross Country Carnival (Week 10) and skills in playing games.

Homework

Stage 3 students will be set a homework task in the next week. The task will be related to Mathematics and will focus on students learning their times tables. We are encouraging all students to set time aside each day (at home) to complete their homework task. If you or your child has any questions or concerns it is important that you see their class teacher.

Special Education

Welcome back

The support classes would like to welcome everyone back for 2018. The kids have settled in well to their classes and have enjoyed catching up after the school holidays. Students have also been for tours to their home room classes and met their teacher for the year. These visits will be timetabled into students Individual Education Plans (IEP's) to support them in their success at school.

IEP's and Behaviour Plans

Over the next few weeks you will need to make a meeting time with your child's teacher to review the plans that have been established and discuss any changes that may need to be made. These plans will also be reviewed at the start of Term 3 and towards the end of Term 4.

Stage Units

The support classes will be following each student's relevant unit from their home class. Our classes will be tailoring programs to meet the individual needs of students and look at key themes of the unit. We also continue running our familiar programs from last year including 'Brewda' Coffee, collaborative cooking and our garden program. The sensory garden will begin to take shape throughout the course of the year as we begin to develop the area and work on its construction.

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Cooking

This week the support classes worked together to cook pancakes. The three classes developed their awareness of procedural texts and safety within the kitchens. There were also a lot of happy smiles when they were able to eat their final product!



This week FL made impressive artwork using pasta where they created pictures of themselves



School Calendar – Term 1, 2018 Merimbula Public School

Changes and updates may be seen on School Stream, our web site calendar & on Facebook

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Month	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/ Sun
Jan/Feb	1	29STAFF RETURN TO SCHOOL	30 SCHOOL RETURNS YEARS 1-6 KV, KS & KBC BEST START TESTING	31 KV, KS & KBC BEST START TESTING	KV, KS & KBC BEST START TESTING	2	3/4
February	2	5 Kindy Students Commence	Newsletter Sent Home	7 School Swimming Carnival	8	9	10/11
February	3	P&C Meeting 6.30PM Club Sapphire	13	14	15	16	17/18
February	4	19 SRC Induction/3-6 Assembly 2- 2.55pm/P&C Meeting 6.30pm	20	21	22	In'ni Food Day Orders Due 10 am Assembly (Swimming Pres & SRC.) 11.00-12.40 Welcome BBQ Expo & Open Classrooms	24/25
February	5	26 3 Way Interviews Week 1	Zone Swimming Carnival Candelo Pool	Korean International Food Day	1	X-2 (2K) Assembly 12.25pm Week 5-8 Catch Up Cuppa 11.40am Stafroom	3/4
Feb/March	6	5 3 Way Interviews Week 2	6 Newsletter Home P&C Annual General Meeting 6.30PM Club Sapphire	7	8	Special Religious Education Commences	10/11
March	7	12	13	14	Selective High School 2019 Exam Yr 3 & 4 Auskick Gala Day Pambula	Stage 3 Ice Cream Fundraiser Gymnastics Workshop	17/18
March	8	19	20	21 Harmony Day	22	23 K-2 (2B) Assembly 12.25pm	24/25
March	9	26	27	28	East Hat Parade Hot Cross Bun Day	30 Good Friday	31/1
March/April	10	2 Easter Monday	3	4 Cross Country Carnival (K-2 11.40- 1.25pm/3-6 at 10- 2.30pm)	5	6 Stage 3 Mini Fete	7/8
April	11	9 Ryka Ali Aboriginal Education Performance Free	10 K-2 \$2 Disco @ lunch Jackson Hall St 3 Fundraiser	11 Cross Country Back Up	12 3-6 \$2 Disco @ lunch Jackson Hall St 3 Fundraiser	13 ANZAC ASSEMBLY 12-1pm Hall	14/15 School Holidays

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