

MEREWETHER PUBLIC SCHOOL



Wellbeing Morning

Last year we held an event on Cyber Safety and responsible use of Social Media for parents and children, which was a great success.

This year's event is Understanding and Creating Places of Connection + Belonging With Your Child. Come along for an informative morning and enjoy a lovely morning tea.

We would like to thank our sponsors of our lucky door prize for this wellbeing morning on **Thursday 15 March**:-

- Officeworks Kotara—surprise technology item
- Kmart Waratah—\$50 voucher
- Pekama Café Artisan Bakery Adamstown—Gift voucher
- Good Guys—Appliance
- Domayne Kotara—surprise items

It's going to be great. It's all about connection.

Don't miss your opportunity to win just by attending this great day.

UNDERSTANDING AND CREATING PLACES OF CONNECTION + BELONGING WITH YOUR CHILD

Foundations that will set your kids up for LIFE 😊

DATE: 15th MARCH 2018

WHERE: LIBRARY at MPS

TIME: 9.30am - 11am

COST: FREE +

Beautiful REAL coffee and YUMMY Morning Tea

Can't wait to see you there

RSVP name and number to front office by 10th March 49 631318

LUCKY DOOR PRIZE of technology and other awesome packages will be drawn for attending this program 😊





From the Classroom

1V

1V have been busy learning and having lots of fun!



Zac and Themba let their imaginations run wild in Friday Fun rotations.



News time is so interesting.



We can do our rabbit ear doubles so quickly!



We love doing our Maths work in small groups.



Writing can be hard sometimes but not when you get to do partner planning.



PE helps to keep us fit and healthy.



Clean Up Australia Day

What a great day we had last Friday for the Clean Up Australia Day. We are happy to report there wasn't much rubbish in and around our school at all and we plan to keep it that way



Remember....

When the rubbish is gone, nature can carry on.



Parent/Carer Information Update 2018

Recently each family received a Parent/Carer Information update form for 2018.

Thank you to those families that have already returned their form. If you have not returned yours please complete all sections (both pages), read the medical and general information, then sign and date form.

If you have misplaced your form please call into the school office and we can supply you with another form.

Please return completed form to the school office by Friday 16 March 2018.

Zooper Dooper Days

Today Wednesday 7 March and tomorrow Thursday 8 March we will be having Zooper Doopers for sale at lunch time. Cost 30 cents each.

Come along with your money to the undercover area near the Library entrance for your nice cool Zooper Dooper.



General School Voluntary Contribution and Resource Fee

The school has in place a general voluntary school contribution and resources fee which can be paid to the school from this week. The fee is:

\$50 and is made up of a \$30 General Fee and \$20 that goes towards the cost of teaching & learning resources and library books. Maximum of \$100 per family.

Payments to be made to the office. Thank you.



Information Evening & School Tour Open Night

Parents/Carers and Students of Years 5 & 6
are invited to attend an
Information evening

Tuesday 13 March 2018
6:00pm–7:30pm
Staff House

(entry via Main Foyer off Parkway Ave)

This evening is to provide information
for parents/carers and students about
Newcastle High School enrolment processes,
transition activities, Gifted and Talented (GATS)
opportunities, Young Achievers class and
Art Masters (New 2019).
Including a brief tour of facilities.



Enquiries can be directed to
Mrs Sager or Mrs Myers during school hours
Ph: 02 49693177



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Infants Water Fun Day


This Friday 9 March is a Water Fun day for the infants students—
Kindergarten , Year 1 and Year 2.



- Lots of fun activities based on a **Water** theme.
- Out of uniform sensible summer clothes, hat, sunscreen and enclosed shoes (**NO thongs**).
- A movie at the end of the day.

Each child to bring a beach towel to sit on for our picnic lunch. A normal packed lunch is suitable.

Congratulations to all award recipients

KJ Ruby L Angus M Jack H Thomas R	1V Jesse H Rachael B Zac M Amelya F Ruby-Lee M Sol V	1/2N Emily B Harry W Taylah D Matilda B Henry C Olivia M Adam J Leo T Ryu B	2/3S Talia J Isla M Zoe S Amber M Kyia J Desean C
3/4P Anderson D Heath W Oliver L Angus W Bella I	4/5R Isac J Jack S Oskar J Mata V Lachlan W Ewan G Bronte B	5/6M Evelina M Siuti V Emmie S Jasper T	

Dates for your Diary	Date
School Banking	Every Tuesday
Zooper Dooper Day	Thursday 8 March
Assembly item 2/3S	Friday 9 March
Water Fun day—Kindergarten to Year 2	Friday 9 March
Information Night—Newcastle High School Years 5 & 6	Tuesday 13 March
Waster Free Wednesday	Wednesday 14 March
Wellbeing Morning	Thursday 15 March
Assembly Item 3/4P	Friday 16 March
Harmony Day	Wednesday 21 March
Assembly Item 4/5R	Friday 23 March
Good Friday	Friday 30 March
Easter Monday	Monday 2 April
Assembly Item KJ	Friday 6 April
Assembly Item 5/6M	Friday 13 April
Anzac Day Service	Friday 13 April



P&C News

P&C

**Parents
&
Citizens?
OR
Pastries
&
Coffee?**



**Come and find
out at our next
P&C Meeting
19th March
MPS
Staffroom,
7pm**

Have you got your Easter Raffle Tickets?



Raffle drawn
on Thursday
29th March.
Please return
tickets by
Monday 26th
March.

Tickets are
available
from the
office. Each
class has
different
coloured
tickets.

KJ Blue
1V Green
1/2N Orange
2/3S Red
3/4P White
4/5R Yellow
5/6M Pink

2018-2019 Entertainment Book Is Now Available



Discover thousands of up to 50%
off and 2-for-1 offers for many of
the best restaurants, cafés, arts,
attractions, hotels, travel, shopping
and much more



Order the Traditional Entertainment book with the gold
card and vouchers or the digital book for your smartphone at
www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/347a81

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Also find us on the MPS
Skoolbag App, where you
can set up notifications
and volunteer.

Canteen Update



The canteen will not be starting Wednesday this week as previously planned but we are working hard to get it open in the next couple of weeks. We are still looking for more volunteers too, so if you or a family member are able to assist at the counter we would greatly appreciate your support.

Volunteer Forms are at the Office and can be completed and returned into the P&C dropbox.

Zooper Doopers will be sold on Wednesday and Thursday this week for just 30c.