

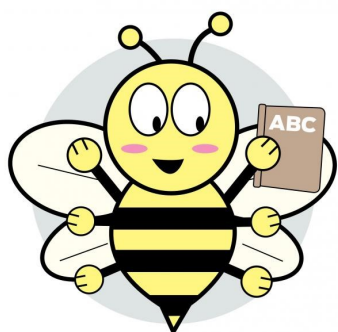
MEREWETHER PUBLIC SCHOOL



Thursday 13/9	Friday 14/9	Monday 17/9	Tuesday 18/9	Wednesday 19/9
Year 3 and 4 Wetlands Excursion	3/4P Assembly item moved to 21 September	R U OK? Day	Student Banking Infants Wetlands Excursion	Whole School Swimming

Shortland Wetlands

Years 3 and 4 have their excursion to Shortland Wetlands tomorrow Thursday 13 September. Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 have their excursion to Shortland Wetlands on Tuesday 18 September. Please return your permission note and \$5 to the office by Friday 14 September.



Premier's Spelling Bee

Students from our school will be participating in the Regional Premier's Spelling Bee at Jesmond Public School today. Lachlan L and Johnny M will compete in the Junior division and Evelina M and Siuti V will compete in the senior division. Good luck to all the participants.



Our school will be participating in the R U OK? Day on **Monday 17 September**. Students can come to school out of uniform wearing yellow for a gold coin donation.

R U OK? Seeks to create a world where we're all connected. We're never too young to look out for one another and meaningfully connect.

1. Ask
2. Listen
3. Encourage action
4. Check in.



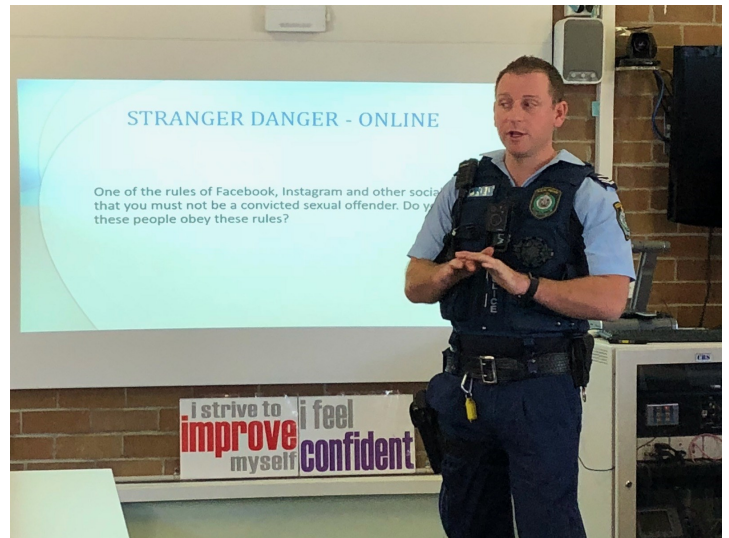
Kindergarten 2019

We are organising our Kindergarten Orientation program for Term 4. Letters have been sent out to parents with children registered for Kindergarten in 2019. If you know of anybody who is starting Kindergarten next year and has not yet registered please encourage them to contact the school office as soon as possible.

We are looking forward to welcoming all our new 'Kinders' to the school.

Cyber Safety

Last Monday Years 5 and 6 were visited by the Police for a talk on Cyber Safety. It was a very informative session and we thank the Police officers for coming and giving the presentation.



Skoolbag

We have had some reports of parents having trouble with the Skoolbag App. It seems that since there has been an new version of Skoolbag in the apple store the old version is not working as well. You may need to delete the Skoolbag app you have and load on the new version. The new version has a school bag as the logo not our school logo.



From the Classroom.....3/4P



In 3/4P this term we have continued our love of reading and writing through Daily 5 activities.

Just don't disturb the children while they are working.



This term 3/4P students have enjoyed Daily 3 Maths activities. Maths by myself focuses on developing confidence in mathematical skills.

Maths with a partner lets students enjoy doing mathematical games with a friend.

While Maths writing helps the students write about maths problems and look at the way they solve problems.



Just a sneak peak of 3/4P rehearsing for their Assembly item in week 9.

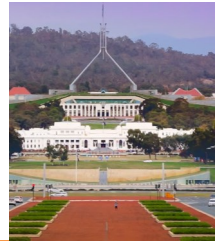
We have been working hard getting the choreography correct.



Year 5 and Year 6 Canberra Excursion

Reminder: Full payment for students attending the Canberra excursion in Term 4 is due by **Friday 28 September**.

Invoices are being sent home for any outstanding fees.



Congratulations to all award recipients

KJ Cooper L Mele N Dakota J Angus M Ruby L Viktor J Phoebe M Elka D	K/1V Alix S Oliver H Ruby-Lee M Bodhi M	1/2N Henry C Felicity V Adam J Louie J Taylah D Emily E Jesse H Matilda B	2/3LD Ivy B Hannah C Owen P Abby G
3/4P Alfie B Boaz B Johnny M Heath W Susan M	4/5R Georgie A Oskar J Ben B Lachlan L Jack S Ewan G Mikaela J	5/6M Hayley D Siuti V Hazel M Nic F	Principal Award

Dates for your Diary	Date
School Banking	Every Tuesday
Whole School Swimming	Wednesday 12 September
Stage 2 Wetlands Excursion	Thursday 13 September
Are you OK? Day	Monday 17 September
Infants Wetlands Excursion	Tuesday 18 September
Movie Night	Thursday 20 September
3/4P Assembly item	Friday 21 September
PBL Barbeque	Wednesday 26 September
Meal Deal	Friday 28 September
Full Payment due for Canberra Excursion	Friday 28 September
Students return for Term 4	Monday 15 October
Year 5 & 6 Canberra Excursion	Wednesday 24 October to Friday 26 October
Kindy Orientation	Thursday 1 November
Grandparents Day Assembly	Friday 2 November



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Dates for your Diary

Thursday 20th September	Movie Night
Wednesday 26th September	Meal Deals Orders Due
Friday 28th September	Meal Deal Day

Term 4

Friday 14th December **Carols by Candlelight**
(Lock the date in now! More information in Term 4)



We use the Skoolbag App regularly for reminders about our events and when payments are due.

Recently, we've become aware that some parents are not getting notifications on the App. Sometimes we've repeated reminders, trying to get the message out to all which has resulted in double the reminders for some.

Apologies if you are not getting these notifications or if you are and you've been getting them twice.

We are looking into this and hope to have it sorted as soon as possible. Thanks for your patience.



CONTACT US

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



MPS P&C

PYJAMA & MOVIE NIGHT!

THURSDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER



Wear your Pyjamas. Bring a pillow and a blanket.

\$5 payable on the night includes movie, popcorn and a drink.

Join us for a sausage sizzle at 5:15 for an additional \$2.50.

Movies start at 6pm (MPS students only)

Kindy to Year 2
Sherlock Gnomes
in the STEAM Hall

Year 3 to Year 6
Captain Underpants
in the School Hall

THE— AFTER SCHOOL KLUB—

MEREWETHER HOLIDAY PROGRAM OCTOBER 1ST- 12TH



MON 1ST	TUES 2ND	WED 3RD +\$15	THURS 4TH +\$15	FRI 5TH
PUBLIC HOLIDAY	SUPER HEROES	NINJA PARK	VISIT THE MUSEUM	TASK INHOUSE CINEMA
No TASK	Create your own super hero identity. Train at the Super Hero Academy	Lunch in Centennial Park Cooks Hill	Voyages of the deep and Science show	Afternoon Soccer match
MON 8TH	TUES 9TH +\$25	WED 10TH +\$5	THURS 11TH +\$10	FRI 12TH +\$12
WHO STOLE THE COOKIES? '	ICE SKATING	"M DAY"	AROUND THE WORLD	TASK PICNIC @ Foreshore Park
Follow the clues and solve the challenges to find the answer.	Crafternoon	Music workshop with Sebastian And other "M" inspired activities	Activities, games and food from around the world	Sausage sizzle Face Painting Parachute Games Soccer + Cricket

BRING: Lunch, snacks, water bottle, raincoat, hat, covered shoes, socks and jumper.

Cost: day rate \$50 + Activity/transport

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Come and try athletics this summer!



Now taking registrations for the 2018/19 season
running from October to March

Monday nights from 5:30pm at the Newcastle
Athletics Track – Smith St National Park

All ages (U6 to U17) and abilities welcome to
come have a run, jump and throw!

See www.nclac.org.au for more information
or register at www.lansw.com.au