

MEREWETHER PUBLIC SCHOOL



Thursday 28/3	Friday 29/3	Monday 1/4	Tuesday 2/4	Wednesday 3/4
Drone program	No 4/5M Assembly item Postponed until a later date	P & C Meeting	Cross Country	

Cross Country

Reminder to return your permission slip for the Cross Country being held next Tuesday.

Date: Tuesday 2 April

Venue: Myamblah Crescent Oval

Time: Students will depart the school at 9:15am and upon arrival will be spoken to about expectations and responsibilities. They will then walk the course.

Wear: Full Sports Uniform, school Hat and suitable running shoes.

Cost: Nil.



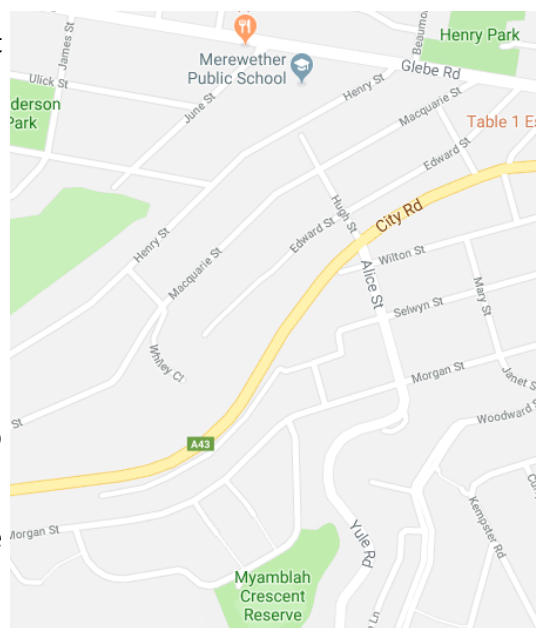
Oder of Events

1. Kinder Girls and Boys
2. Year 1 Girls and Boys (Note: Girls and Boys in Year 2 that do not turn 8 this year will run with Year 1.)
3. 8 Year Girls and Boys
4. 9 Year Girls and Boys
5. 10 Year Girls and Boys
6. 11 Year Girls and Boys
7. 12 Year Girls and Boys

Races will commence at approximately 9:50am. Students will return to school for lunch.

Students who have asthma must carry their puffers on them during the race.

All students to bring a water bottle.



Starstruck Choir

A big congratulations to our Star Struck Choir on their successful audition. You are all in for an amazing time. More information on rehearsals to come.



Dollarmites School Banking

Reminder Dollarmites school banking is every Tuesday.

Students can drop their school banking books to the office on Tuesday morning before school otherwise please remind your child/ren to hand in their banking book as soon as they go into class. Year 6 students will collect them and take to the school office.

School Gates

Reminder that the school gates are locked immediately after our morning assembly, **9.05am** and unlocked at **2.55pm**.

If your child/ren are late for school they must use the Henry St entrance and report to the school office for a late slip.

This also will mean that parents are unable to enter the school grounds before 2.55pm unless picking up your child for an appointment that can't be made out of school hours.

General School Information and Contact Update Note for 2019

Recently we sent home the "General School Information and Contact Update" note (Blue). Please read all the information and complete the last 2 pages making sure you sign and date the last page.

This information is important to the school so we can always have up to date contacts etc for your child/ren.

Please return to the school office as soon as possible.

General School Voluntary Contribution and Resource Fee

The school has in place a general voluntary school contribution and resources fee of \$50 which 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 may be made to the office. Thank you.




In the Classroom.....Harmony Day and Assembly



The MANY STORY TREEHOUSE EXHIBITION

Celebrating **Terry Denton's** illustrations
for the phenomenal Treehouse series of books
by Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton



Newcastle Library

Illustrations by Terry Denton

Celebrating Terry Denton's illustrations for the phenomenal Treehouse series by Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton.

The exhibition includes plenty of fun and interactive elements including a giant mural for kids to colour in, activity stations and a giant character cut-out for photo opportunities.

Monday-Wednesday: 9:30am to 8pm

Thursday-Friday: 9:30am to 5pm

Saturday: 9:30am—2pm

On now until April 27



The simplest way

... To make Japanese veggie pancakes

Makes: 12 | **Prep time:** 15 min | **Cook time:** 10 min

Ingredients

½ small cabbage, very thinly sliced
4 medium carrots, grated
2 cups baby spinach, thinly sliced
4 spring onions, thinly sliced
½ cup wholemeal plain flour
6 large eggs, lightly beaten
Pinch of salt
Olive oil spray



Method

Place the vegies in a bowl and mix together. Toss with the flour, coating all the vegies. Stir in the eggs and pinch of salt.

Lightly spray a large non-stick fry pan with olive oil spray and heat over med-high heat. You may need to re-spray between batches. Add heaped tablespoons of the mixture to the fry pan in rounds. Gently press to flatten. Cook until golden, approx 3 minutes, and then turn to cook the other side.

For a video on how to make this recipe, visit our [website](https://www.healthylunchbox.com.au).

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Ronald McDonald House Fundraiser



Thank you to the following people for their donation to our fundraiser:-

Kate Kiely Chelsea Carl Allison Lewis Gina Mitchell Renae Stephenson

Glynis Bainivalu Suzie Selwood Libby McCann Barbara Hinchey

Gina Thornton David Bailey Shane Knight Alison Kilpatrick Lyn Ebert

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How can I make a donation?

A donation of any value can be direct deposited in to the charity Fund Bank Account:

Newcastle Permanent

BSB:- 650000

Account Number:- 534452108

Alternatively, feel free to enclose your donation in a sealed envelope and drop it off at Merewether Public School Office.

School Assembly

4/5M assembly item has been postponed until further notice.

Our weekly school assembly is held every Friday at 9:15am. All parents are welcome to attend.

Weekly awards are presented at the assembly.

Congratulations to all award recipients

KJ Cooper S Mia N Pykia T Lamyiah C Jack W Denzel T	K/1V Angus M Smith D Savannah N Emmersyn O James W	1/2N Isaac B Ruby-Lee M Alix S Bodhi M Cohen L Thomas R	2/3LD Addie O Odin B Henry C Emily B
3/4P Huntah B Boaz B Matilda B Owen T	4/5M Amber M Bianca C Bronte B Lucas A Zoe S	5/6R Hayden S Angus N Johnny M Rickie-Lee D	

Dates for your Diary	<i>Date</i>
Drones	Thursday 28 March
Assembly Item 4/5M	Friday 29 March
Hot Dog Meal Deal Day	Friday 29 March
P & C Meeting	Monday 1 April
Cross Country	Tuesday 2 April
Drones	Thursday 4 April
Assembly Item KJ	Friday 5 April
Easter Raffle Tickets due	Monday 8 April
Easter Hat Parade	Thursday 11 April
Easter Raffle drawn	Thursday 11 April
Anzac Day Assembly	Friday 12 April
Last Day of Term 1	Friday 12 April
Staff Development Day/Pupil Free Day	Monday 29 April
Students Return for Term 2	Tuesday 30 April
Star Struck Aboriginal Dance rehearsal	Wednesday 1 May
Zone Cross Country	Friday 3 May
Starstruck Dance rehearsal	Monday 6 May
Ronald McDonald Charity Head Shave	Tuesday 7 May
Cake Stall for Ronald McDonald Charity	Tuesday 7 May

Ice Blocks

Ice Blocks will be for sale on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday each week only in the second break. Cost is \$ 1.00 each





P&C News

Dates for your Diary

Monday 1st April	P&C Meeting 7pm
Friday 29th March	Hot Dog Meal Deal Day
Monday 8th April	Easter Raffle Tickets Due
Thursday 11th April	Easter Raffle Draw



Easter Raffle Update



- Thank you to those students have sold and returned tickets.
- Less than half have been returned. If you have lost your ticket sheet please tell the office, you can collect a replacement.
- Teachers now have the colouring in, and will schedule it into class activities soon. The winning picture for each class will receive a prize and be showcased on the class prize bag!

Please Return Tickets: by Monday 8th April to P&C mailbox in the office.

Raffle Drawn: Thursday 11th April @ the Easter Hat Parade.

P & C Meeting

**Monday Night;
1st April @ 7pm;
Staff Room.**

**Would you like to be involved
and updated about what's
happening at School?**

**Come along to the P&C
Meeting!**

New people always welcome.

Are You Busy?

But Sometimes Want to Help, or Meet Other Parents?

Great!

Please get in touch and we can add you to the Volunteer List.

When help is needed with a fundraising event this year, volunteers will be emailed. If you can assist at the time, great! If not, no problem.



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