Term 2 Week 3

Tuesday 13th May 2014

Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received merit awards at yesterday’s K-6 assembly.

**Bronze:** Thomas H Isabelle S

**Silver:** Harrington C

Successful Mother’s Day Stall

The P & C would like to say a big thank you to all the children who purchased Mother’s Day gifts this year. We raised $1260.00. This is fantastic! Thank you to all the wonderful helpers on the day and for all their beautiful gift-wrapping preparations. Without them, the day would not have been as successful as it was!

Stewart House Day

Well done to all the students who donated to Stewart House by coming in Mufti on Stewart House Day last Friday. The school raised $507 on the day and this will go towards special programs for children who visit Stewart House. There has also been a great response with $2 donations in the Stewart House envelopes which have so far raised $495. The envelopes will be sent to Stewart House this Thursday and the draw for the $4000 holiday will take place on Friday 23rd May. Please send in any envelopes to the office before Thursday and thank you parents and students for your support of Stewart House.

Food Allergy Awareness Week Anaphylaxis

12th - 19th May 2014.

Anaphylaxis is a serious, potentially life-threatening allergic response that is marked by swelling, hives, lowered blood pressure, and dilated blood vessels. In severe cases, a person will go into shock. If anaphylactic shock isn’t treated immediately, it can be fatal. We request that where possible, please avoid sending any type of nuts to school in children’s lunch boxes. For more information contact Allergy and Anaphylaxis Australia at www.allergyfacts.org.au

*Tonight* P & C Meeting

Tuesday 13th May 2014

7pm in the Staffroom

All Welcome

WHAT’S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

**WEDNESDAY**
- NAPLAN

**THURSDAY**
- NAPLAN

**FRIDAY**
- District Cross Country - Potato Point

**MONDAY**
- K-6 Assembly
- Tennis MPS v Narooma Public School
- ICAS Computer Comp

**TUESDAY**
- Student Banking (Bendigo Bank)
- Years 5 & 6 Multicultural Speaking Competition

COMING EVENTS

**Years 3 & 4 Multicultural Speaking**

Wednesday 21st May

**K - 2 AFL Skills Day**

Wednesday 21st May

**Public Education Day**

Thursday 22nd May

**Year 5 & 6 NRL Gala Day**

Wednesday 28th May

**Eisteddfod - Choirs**

Thursday 29th May

Area Cross Country Carnival - Nowra

Friday 30th May
Bus Safety Talk
Last Tuesday 6th May, the NRMA and Kellam’s Bus Company spoke to Kindergarten about the importance of road safety. Children were told how to safely get on and off a bus. They played a game with the cut out bus and got on the bus that was parked outside the school. The children should be congratulated on their behaviour and excellent listening skills. Thank you to both companies for providing this important talk.

Year 3 & 4 AFL Gala Day
On Friday we caught the bus to Ulladulla Sports Field for our AFL Gala day. Ulladulla Public, St Marys and SAS schools came too. First we learnt how to pass the ball, they also taught us how to kick the ball. This was chaos because there were balls flying everywhere! We then played games. The Party Boys from Milton played an Ulladulla team called The Tigers. The first ball that was kicked ended up in the poor referees face. Bam made a good pass to Sam. Sam kicked a great goal and Cooper saved a goal.

In another game, The Milton Angels played a St Marys team called the Guns. Julia, Coco and Ella worked together well to help Sophie kick an awesome goal. After this, some teams had recess to recharge their batteries. Next, the Milton Roos played The Who from Milton. Ellie had a great run but Phoebe’s defence was too good. Elisha and Anika passed the ball well. At half time, both teams got in a huddle and talked strategy. Paige played a terrific game too.

As I was the reporter for the day, I asked some children what they thought of the day and this is what they said: Lachlan “Awesome”, Dana “Extra Awesome”, Riley “Fantastic”, Kyan “Exciting and fun” and Connor “liked playing matches”.

Girl’s PSSA Football
On Thursday 8th May, the girl’s football team travelled to Lighthouse Oval to compete in the first round of the PSSA knockout against Ulladulla Public School. The weather was beautiful and perfect for a game of soccer. The girls had been training hard throughout term one ready for this game and were excited and keen to play. The girls played amazingly well and made some brilliant runs and never gave up. Unfortunately, UPS was too strong on the day and defeated us 8-1. Although we were defeated, the girls enjoyed their day on the field, playing with enthusiasm and great sportsmanship. Yasmin Davison was Milton’s goal scorer.

District Rugby League Trials
A big thank you to Mr Drury and Mr Hendrie for taking the boys down to the District Rugby League trials. Your assistance was truly appreciated.

South Coast Rugby League Team
Congratulations to Jarred H who has been called up to play in the South Coast Open Rugby League team at the NSW PSSA State Carnival alongside fellow MPS school mates, Kai and Jayden F. Well done and good luck boys!

Rugby Union

Tennis Reps
Last week Anton W and Chilee R represented South Coast as members of the regional tennis team. Our region did very well overall placing 5th out of 13 regions. Anton and Chilee’s enthusiasm and sportsmanship were outstanding throughout the week and they should be commended for their efforts. Anton was extremely successful not losing a single set all week. As a result of his fantastic tennis, Anton was selected in the state team to compete at the Australian championship. WOW!!! What a tremendous honour and opportunity. Congratulations Anton and Chilee.
Kindergarten Year 1 and Year 2

Please keep those glue sticks coming. Could each child remember to bring in two glue sticks to school. Thank you.

KC Assembly

KC will be presenting the assembly this week. They will also be performing. Parents, grandparents and friends are welcome. The assembly begins in the hall at 10:45am and ends at 11:20am this Friday 16th May.

Year 5 Opportunity Class 2015

Parents seeking opportunity class placement for Year 5 entry in 2015 are required to submit an application by 16 May 2014. Generally students are in Year 4 in 2014 when applying for Year 5 entry in 2015. Applications may be found at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/placement.

Parents are strongly encouraged to give careful consideration to the time taken and modes of transport involved when choosing a school with an opportunity class. Our closest is North Nowra Public School. For more information please contact Mr Bass.

NAPLAN

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an annual assessment in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. On Tuesday 13th, Wednesday 14th and Thursday 15th May, students will undertake the 2014 NAPLAN tests.

NAPLAN assess the skills in literacy and numeracy that are developed over time, through school curriculum and shows how individual students are progressing in numeracy and literacy skills against national standards for all Australian children.

All students are required to participate in the tests. An individual NAPLAN report will be issued by the school later this year. More information is available at; http://www.nap.edu.au/verve/_resources/NAPLAN_2014_Parents_Brochure.pdf

Found

A pair of glasses belonging to a child in a blue 3D case with pictures of insects on it. Call the school office on 4455 1504 for more information.

Loom Bands

Please be advised that Loom Bands (coloured rubber bands) are officially banned from Milton PS. Please encourage your child not to bring them, either made as bracelets/necklaces/anklets or in tubs to make on the playground. Thank you for your cooperation.

Multicultural Public Speaking

The Multicultural Public Speaking Competition will be held in the school hall on Tuesday 20th May (week 4) for Years 5 & 6 and Wednesday 21st May for Years 3 & 4 from 9:40am. Congratulations to all the students competing who are currently writing and reciting their speeches at home. Additional “impromptu” speech rehearsal will be held in the Multi-Purpose room 1st half of lunch on Tuesdays and Thursdays from the beginning of Term 2. Well done to all students involved for participating and we look forward to hearing your speeches.

Bookclub

Bookclub order forms are available now at the front office. All orders must be returned by Wednesday 14th May.

No late orders accepted.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Canteen Roster

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This week’s special at the canteen

Pasta Cups - pasta, pasta sauce and cheese $3
Available lunch orders only
Our team of highly professional teaching staff are caring, dynamic and promote excellence in all areas

Enrolment is open to children who turn 5 years of age on or before July 31 in 2015

Completed “Expression of Interest” forms (see below) should be returned to the Milton Public School office or post to Milton Public School PO Box 111 MILTON NSW 2538 by Friday, 27th June 2014.

A Parent Information Session will be held at Milton Public School on Tuesday 16th September 2014. Every is welcome to attend

Enrolment Application packages will be forwarded to parents, via preschools, in early August

Orientation sessions for children and parents will be held in November

For more information please contact the Milton Public School on 44551504

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Expression of Interest to Enrol in Kindergarten 2015 at Milton Public School

Child’s Name: .......................................................... Date of Birth: .................................. Gender: M / F

Correspondence details:
Parent(s): .......................................................... Phone: ..................................................home/mob

Address: ...........................................................................................................................................................

- Does your child currently attend preschool or long day care? Yes / No
  Name of Preschool: ...........................................................................................................................................

- Does your child currently receive additional support (eg vision, hearing, speech, learning, behaviour)?
  Yes / No Please state: ...........................................................................................................................................

- Do you have any other children, residing with you, who currently attend a NSW government school? Yes / No
  Name: .................................................................................. Date of Birth: ...............................
  School: ............................................................................................

Signature: ........................................................................... Date: ...............................................

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Office use only

- Registered
- ERN
- Application Printed

- Data Entry
- Out of Area
- Support Required
“Zero Tolerance” to protect your child

When it comes to the safety of vulnerable road users like school children, drivers found breaking the law will be met with zero tolerance.

If you’ve heard the expression “It’s only a matter of time until someone gets hurt” then you understand why it is important for everyone to obey the road rules.

When an offence is detected – you will be fined!

Illegal parking around schools endangers children’s lives

FACT
When a child is hit at an impact speed of 30km/hr, they have a 99% chance of surviving. At 70km/hr, that child’s chance of survival is less than 7%.* *Source Australian Transport Safety Bureau

FACT
Children are small, harder to see, behave unpredictably and are extremely vulnerable. They need you to take extra care when driving and parking around schools zones.

What does this mean?
You cannot stop in this area for any reason.

Why is it there?
To keep sight distance clear for drivers, children and other pedestrians to avoid crashes.

What does this mean?
You can stop in this area to drop off or pick up passengers for a maximum of 2 minutes. You must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.

Why is it there?
To provide safe places for children to be picked up - usually associated with Kiss and Drop Off zones

40km/hr School Zones are provided to increase the safety of all pedestrians, but especially children, who are walking in the vicinity of schools. Obey the limit and be aware of the time of day.

Enforcement is required around schools to save lives.

A message from Shoalhaven City Council Rangers and Road Safety Officer.
Thank you to these local businesses for supporting our Parent News

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Contact Jan

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Also

Tuesday 10:00am

Thursday 10:am

Ulladulla Scout Hall

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Piano

Would you like to learn?

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Vicki Peachman

Adult students also welcome

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