Flower Power is a Winner
A few students had the opportunity to attend a workshop with talented local artist Jan Kierzkowski. They made a scarecrow, Flower Power. The scarecrow was judged and received first place. Well done Jan and the Milton Public School students.

Morning Tea to Celebrate Achievements
We will hold the very special morning tea for our Gold awardees on Wednesday 24th June to recognise and congratulate the students who have achieved a Gold Award or higher during Term 2. Mr Thomson and Mr Bass look forward to celebrating with these students.

Parent/Teacher Interviews
Parent/teacher interviews are an integral part of our mid-year reporting process at MPS. These will take place during Week 9 and Week 10, from 15th June – 26th June. See back page for details. Students have taken home a note last week regarding their class interview day. We ask parents/carers to complete the notice with your preferred times and return to the class teacher as soon as possible. This is a wonderful opportunity to talk with the teachers about your child’s academic, social and behavioural progress in the first half of the year. We look forward to meeting with you.

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2016
Milton Public School is now taking enrolments for 2016 Kindergarten students. If you have a child that will be enrolling in Kindergarten in 2016, or you know of someone who does, please complete the Expression of Interest form available from Pre-schools, attached to the week 3 newsletter or go to milton-p.schools@det.nsw.edu.au _select Kindergarten Enrolment and follow the links.

New Bus Timetable for Term 3
From the commencement of Term 3 Ulladulla Bus Lines will be working to a new timetable. Over the next few weeks drivers will be handing information sheets to students, as they travel on the buses, to explain to parents about changes to routes and times. If your child does not regularly travel on an Ulladulla Bus Line bus but you would like to know about the changes, notes will also be available from the school office.

WHAT’S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY
- Tennis Knockout

THURSDAY
- 3-6 Athletics Carnival

FRIDAY
- K-6 Assembly

TUESDAY
- Student Banking (Bendigo Bank)
- Multicultural Public Speaking
- Year 1 Ambulance Visit

COMING EVENTS

Parent Teacher Interviews
Monday 15th - Friday 26th June

Debating Public Speaking
Wednesday 17th June

Year 2 Lake Tabourie Excursion
Wednesday 17th June

Gold Awardee Morning Tea
Wednesday 24th June

Year 3 Walking Excursion
Thursday 25th June

P&C Meeting
The next P & C Meeting will be held
Tonight 9th June
7:00pm in the Staffroom
All Welcome
Multicultural Public Speaking

The Milton Public School Multicultural Public Speaking Competition was held in the school hall last week for Years 3 and 4 (Tuesday) and Years 5 and 6 (Wednesday). The students who competed were: Emily H, Ashley M (Yr3), Zac S, Nazar E (Yr4) and Samantha M, Emily S (Yr5), Jacob K, Isabella V, Amelie G and Emma O (Yr6). Well done to all students for presenting excellent prepared speeches in front of a large audience. The impromptu speeches were: ‘When I grow up’ for Stage 2 and ‘If I could travel in time’ for Stage 3. This was difficult to present with only 5 minutes to prepare, but everyone had a great go. The two students from each Stage chosen to represent the school at the Local Final on Tuesday 16th June at Sanctuary Point Public School are Zac S and Nazar E from Stage 2 and Jacob K and Amelie G from Stage 3.

Debating

Today our debating team (The Milton Munchkins) will be travelling to Sussex Inlet Public School to compete in The Premier’s Debating Challenge. They will debate against Vincentia Public School and Callala Bay Public School (Team 1). Milton will then host Sussex Inlet Public School and Callala Bay Public School (Team 2) on Wednesday 17th June. The members of the team are: Maisie S, Joel C, Isabella V and Neve L. This is Milton’s first time in this competition so good luck team and enjoy the experience.

Financial Assistance for Students

With several large excursions currently planned for Term 3 and 4 it is timely to remind parents that financial assistance is available to any family having difficulty paying. Request forms are available from the office. All requests made to the Principal and details confidential.

MPS Annual Athletics Carnival

Our school Athletics Carnival for Years 3 to 6 is to be held this Thursday 11th June, 2015. Parents, relatives and friends are welcome to come and support our students. The canteen will be operating from 11.00am for students and parents and will be offering sausage sandwiches, lollies, soft drinks, tea and coffee as well as the regular recess menu. Parents and students in Years 3 - 6 will be able to purchase from the canteen during the day – it will not be necessary to pre order food. Students in K – 2 will be able to place lunch orders as usual, selecting from the regular canteen menu and will be able to purchase from the canteen at recess and lunch.

Red Food Day – each year the canteen can run 2 red food days allowing students to purchase foods that should only be eaten occasionally as they are high in sugar, fats or salt. Thursday 11th June will be a red food day so in addition to our regular across the counter menu we will be selling chips, lollies and soft drinks.

Helpers Needed – to ensure the smooth running of the canteen it would be great if we could have some extra helpers for the day especially for the BBQ. If you are able to give even an hour of your time please complete the slip at the end of the newsletter and return to Monique in the canteen or the school office.

Returned Notes for Parent News eVersion

Many families have returned notes with most indicating that they would prefer an email copy of the newsletter rather than a hard copy. As such, we will begin to explore this option further. This will be discussed at tonight’s P&C meeting. You can still have your say. Please see below.

Parent News eVersion

Currently our school prints and distributes around 500 newsletters each week. This print run costs the school considerable resources in terms of print cost and time, not to mention the environmental impact. As such we would much prefer to send the newsletter direct to your nominated email address/es. The newsletter is also published on our school’s website. Please indicate your preference on the slip at the back of the bulletin. Please ensure to write your email address clearly.
PSSA Basketball Report

Milton Public School played Batemans Bay Public School in the first game of the Girl's PSSA Basketball competition on Thursday 4th June. This was the first girls' basketball team entered in the knockout for many years. All the girls put in a fantastic effort and displayed great team spirit. Unfortunately they were beaten by a stronger team on the day. The girls demonstrated some outstanding skills in the 4th quarter and matched it with their opponents. Batemans Bay won the game 47-21. A special thanks to Cath Hewitt for coaching the girls and providing wonderful encouragement and knowledge of the game. Thank you to the parents for supplying transport on the day and Mr Pakes for scoring.

Girl's Basketball Team 2015

The Jungle Book

Mowgli is coming to Milton Public School “The Jungle Book” is a jumpin’, swingin’ Disney classic. The musical is for all students K-6 who wish to take part. There are 8 major roles, several minor roles, and heaps of room on the stage for jungle animals. We will be acting, singing and dancing and most of all having fun! Children will be required to rehearse two lunch times per week, plus Wednesday afternoon from 3:25pm until 5:00pm in school library. Please be aware that closer to show dates, more rehearsals will be scheduled.
Performances are in the first half of term 4.
Cost per student $30.
Auditions will be Wednesday 10th and 17th June, from 3:25pm until 5:30pm in school library.
Please return this note ASAP to the office.

3-6 Athletics Carnival - Canteen Helper

Name: .......................................................... Phone: ..........................................................

I will be able to help in the canteen from ..................to ..........................................................

Signature: ..........................................................

Parent eVersion

Youngest child in the family : .......................................................... Class : ..........................

☐ I would prefer my newsletter to be sent to the following email address/es: ..........................................................

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☐ I would prefer a printed copy

Parent signature ..........................................................

Beginner Guitar Lessons for MPS

Lunchtime guitar lessons will be available in Term 3 for beginners who are in years 3-6.
Doug Smith, a qualified guitar teacher with over 20 years' experience will be offering 1/2 hour lunch classes for up to 4 children. Term cost is $150.00 for a 10 week Term starting on Thursdays & Fridays in Week 1 of Term 3 (July 16/17). Fees must be paid by week 3 (30th July). It is preferable for students to bring their own guitar, however guitar hire is available for $20.00 per term. If your child is interested in this fantastic opportunity please complete the form below and return to the school office. Places are limited. For all enquiries please call Doug Smith 0418 406 043.

My child __________________ of class ____________ is interested in enrolling in the beginner lunchtime guitar class. I understand this is a private venture and will cost $150.00 for the term’s tuition.

Parent: ____________________ Contact Number ____________________

Jungle Book

I give permission for my child/ren ………………………………………………………….from class/es…………………

To participate in the Milton Public School musical “The Jungle Book”. I am aware that auditions will be held after school on Wednesday 10th June and my child/ren will need to attend rehearsals two lunch times per week and also on Wednesday afternoons until 5:00pm. I am also aware that more rehearsals will be scheduled closer to show dates and that performances will be in the first half of term 4. I have enclosed $30.00 to contribute to costumes, licences and sets. I understand the commitment and will be able to arrange for my child to attend and be collected after each session both here during the performances.

Signed: .......................................................... Date: ..........................

Parents Name: .......................................................... Mobile No: .......................................................... Alternative No: ..........................................................
Venue: Milton Public School Oval

Starting Time: 10.00am SHARP

** PLEASE NOTE ** Event times are APPROXIMATE ONLY

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** BACK UP DATES ** - Thursday 18th June

** CANTEEN ROSTER **

Canteen will be available from 11.00am

- The 6 fastest times will progress to the finals
- Relay teams will comprise of the 4 fastest finalists

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