Recognising Our Great Students

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

Bronze: Zoe G, Ella M
Gold: Nazar E
Gold Bar 1: Sarah W
Gold Bar 2: Paige W and Ashton M
Gold Bar 3 for Jonathon H

Jonathon H is an outstanding role model for Milton Public School. He displays a committed approach to his learning and gets involved in all learning opportunities. He is a polite student and always willing to help others. Jonathon is excellent at sport and has represented Milton Public School in cross country. He always trains hard and leads by example. He is an outstanding sportsman. Jonathon excels in the personal development areas at school. He is reliable and shows a positive attitude towards everything he does. He has many friends and is liked and respected by all. Jonathon thoroughly deserves his gold bar 3.

Education Day and Grandparents Day

Education Week

Education week concluded with Grandparents/Open Day on Friday 31st July and what a day! The school looked amazing, the staff and students had nothing but brilliant reports from all. Milton Public School truly is an amazing school.

WHAT’S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY

- K-2 Pet Safety Session
- Southern Stars Pie Drive orders due

THURSDAY

- Instalments for Berry & Canberra Excursions Due

FRIDAY

- K-6 Assembly

MONDAY

- Student Banking (Bendigo Bank)
- ICAS– Maths

TUESDAY

- Year 1 Transport Excursion
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- Year 6 UHS Science Workshop
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National Tree Day
Our school planted a tree as part of National Tree Day during our Open Day last Friday. Captains and Prefects were helped by students from Mrs Taffs class and everyone enjoyed the opportunity to plant the tree which will provide shade and enjoyment for many years to come. Thank you to Mr Patrick Faulkner who donated the tree, and to Bunnings Ulladulla who donated the material to make a tree guard and the potting mix.

Canteen News
A HUGE thank you to our wonderful volunteers that helped out on Grandparents’ Day in the canteen— Dale Pryde, Jannine Fleming, Jo Gittany, Michelle Pinfield, Chay Benjamin, Leigh Dorrell, Mel Elsworth Anette Walton, Gillian Shepherd, Nicole Neil, Kylee Pinches, Caroline Metzler and Sherry Symonds.

Literacy and Numeracy Class
This term our school has established an intensive Literacy and Numeracy Class for selected students in Years 1 & 2 which is located in the ‘Little House’ near the school hall. This class is being taught by Mrs Goodchild with Mrs Wills working along side her in the role of School Learning Support Officer. Students have been busily engaged in challenging and fun learning experiences to promote a deeper understanding of reading, writing and numeracy.

Jungle Book
The rehearsals each Wednesday are going well for all the students in The Jungle Book. This Wednesday’s rehearsal will go ahead as usual till 5pm. The lunchtime practices are also going really well with the show taking shape. Students are reminded to listen carefully after each rehearsal so they know when they are needed next. A huge thank you to Sophia for all her work and time put into this amazing show and to the helpers Ash Howes, Stuart Tidbury and Lloyd McDonald.

Spring Fling Recounts:

The Best Spring Fling
On Wednesday 29th July the K-2 Spring Fling was on. It was at Ulladulla High School. I was really excited for the songs to start and I felt really proud of myself for dancing. The songs were called The Japanese dance, Blame it on the Boogie, Rock Around the Clock and Rockin Robin. I was very tired after the Spring Fling. It was a great night!
Nakiah S 1L

The Spring Fling
On Wednesday night it was the Spring Fling. Chase and I went, our class is 1R. The Spring Fling was AMAZING! I loved the costumes. The year 1 secret dance was Rock Around the Clock. The parents went to do the Macarena with us. Mum loved it, so did Dad and Nan. Chase and I had fun.
Sophie M 1R

The Spring Fling
On Wednesday night I went to the Spring Fling. It was awesome! I saw Josh, he had spikey hair it was spectacular. I had a white shirt, black jeans and DCs on. We danced to Blame it on the Boogie.
Jai C 1B

Premier’s Debating Challenge
Last Wednesday the Milton Munchkins debating team had a ‘debate-off’ against Vincentia Public School in the school hall. Both teams had 4 wins from 4 debates as part of Zone 12 in the Illawarra and South East draw. Vincentia won the toss and were the affirmative and Milton the negative. The topic was ‘That kids in Year 5 and above should get to vote in elections’. It was a close debate with Milton winning and now moving on to the next level. Congratulations to our team of Maisie S, Joel C, Isabella V and Neve L. Well done Erin T for announcing the debate and all the students who supported our team.

This week's special at the canteen
NACHOS
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AVAILABLE LUNCH TIME—PRE-ORDER

Canteen Roster

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Parents and Visitors
It is a Workplace Health and Safety (WHS) requirement that all parents and community members on the school site must sign in through the front office and collect a visitor pass. If you are on our school site at all please sign in at the office in the visitors book and collect a yellow visitor pass first. You should be familiar with the school evacuation procedures in case of an emergency.
Also, as a result of the Royal Commission into child abuse, it is now mandatory for all adults who are on the school premises to have a Working with Children Check. This includes all volunteers working in classrooms, canteen helpers, VTR program, scripture teachers etc. It will also include all community members who drive students on sporting excursions. The check will also be compulsory for all community users of the school facilities outside of school hours.

Check LABELS on clothing
Please check all labels on your child’s clothing. If your child brings home clothing not belonging to them please make sure they are returned to school.

LOST PROPERTY
The amount of lost school clothing has increased greatly over the last few weeks. Please ask your children to check for any items which might belong to them.

Dear Parent/Guardian
We wish to advise you that there is a child in the school community whom is currently receiving medical treatment for a blood disorder. As a consequence of the treatment this student’s ongoing health is at risk if he/she comes into contact with infectious illnesses, in particular chicken pox, measles, mumps or whooping cough. If your son or daughter is suspected to have any of these illnesses it is very important that they do not attend school. It is also important that whilst your child is unwell he/she remains home until he/she no longer is contagious. Information on infectious conditions can be found on national health websites e.g. www.health.gov.au or alternatively contact your local GP.
If your child has chicken pox, shingles, measles, mumps or whooping cough or is suspected of having illnesses please contact the school immediately. This will allow the school to assess the probable contact and therefore minimise the exposure of our student to the disease. Notification can then be given to the parents and medical specialists. As a school community we value your support in relation to the well being of all our students. Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions.

2BE Assembly
Class 2BE will be running the assembly this Friday. It will start at 10:45 with a short performance. Parents are welcome to attend.

COMMUNITY NEWS
The following articles have been submitted for inclusion in our parent newsletter and are not part of Milton Public School curriculum.

GIRLS AUSKICK IN ULLADULLA
Great turnout for the “Girls Only” AFL Auskick, so we have extended an extra week. There are still some spots available for girls 4 to 12 years in this fun, skills and fitness program. Ulladulla Sports Park Thursday arvo at 4.15 to 5.15pm. Cost is $45.00 including Girls Football Pack. Call JD for further information 0411 226 086

“Real humanity is shown when we care for others” - Professor Fred Hollows
The Fred Hollows Foundation is keeping Fred’s vision alive through The Fred Hollows Humanity Award which recognises Year 6 students who follow in his footsteps by showing care and compassion for others. After three successful years in the ACT the Award is expanding into NSW with the support of NSW Premier Mike Baird. Teachers, principals, parents and members of the community are encouraged to nominate a compassionate Year 6 student through the online nomination form by August 21. It’s a great opportunity for students to be recognised outside the sporting and academic realm.
All nominees and their parents will be invited to a presentation ceremony in Sydney to announce the NSW winner.
To nominate a student and learn more about the award go to www.hollows.org.au/humanityaward

E-News
We have had a good response to our e-News. If you requested to have the newsletter emailed but did not receive an email, please check with the office as a few of the email addresses given bounced back as undeliverable. It is not too late to add your name to the emailing list. Just drop us a line at milton-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
Grandparents’ Day/Open Day

Year 2 Milo Cricket

Visiting Classrooms

Book Fair in the Library
Thank you to these local businesses for supporting our Parent News

**Martial Arts**

- **Junior Aikido** - Wednesdays 4pm
  Milton Basket Stadium 5 yrs & up

- **Jodo stick fighting** - All ages - Wednesdays
  5pm Milton Basketball Stadium

- **Female Self Defence** - Tuesdays Dunn
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  www.martialartsulladulla.com.au
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**WEIRD ‘N’ WONDERFUL CHILDREN’S ART and CRAFT SESSIONS**

Have commenced for Term 3.
Learn about famous artists, paintings, sculpture and crafts.
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
3:30PM - 4:30PM at
Milton Public School
Contact Jan Kierzkowski 0477552931

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