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A quality school developing the individual in a caring community

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NEWSLETTER

26 July 2017

Term 3 WEEK 2 2017

Dear Parents, Carers, Students and Community

EDUCATION WEEK & KINDNESS ON PURPOSE LAUNCH – Save the date – Friday 11th August

On Friday 11 August, we will be holding our Education Week celebrations and Kindness on Purpose launch. We will be joined by Katrina Cavanough, the founder and creator of Kindness on Purpose for an assembly, followed by open classrooms. All parents, carers and family members are invited to join us. More information will be sent out closer to the day.

P&C – MONDAY 31 July

The P&C will be holding their next meeting on Monday 31st July at 1.30pm in the community room. Please join us if you are available.

SEMESTER 1 REPORTS AND INTERVIEWS

Thank you to the parents and carers who took advantage of the parent teacher interviews offered last term. Parents are reminded that at any time they can request an appointment time with their child's teacher to discuss concerns or your child's progress.

If your child is in Miss Parr's or Mrs Houston's class, interviews will be held this term, due to your child's teacher being on leave at the end of last term. Please keep an eye out for notes being sent home with your child.

CONFIDENTIALITY

Parents sometimes seek information about the outcomes for other children if an incident has occurred between their child and another. Privacy law can restrict the information a parent can be provided about another person's child. These laws limit the circumstances in which your child's information can be disclosed to other parents. They also limit the circumstances in which you can be provided with information about actions the school has taken in relation to other children. This means, for example, you may not be provided with complete details of the action the school has taken in relation to a student who has engaged in unacceptable behaviour that has impacted on your child.

Inappropriate behaviour from students is taken very seriously and our school responds to behaviours consistent with the school's student welfare procedures. If you would like further information about the school's general approach to inappropriate behaviour from students please speak with your child's teacher or myself.

SPORTS RIBBONS

On Monday afternoon, at the assembly, students were presented with their ribbons for achievements at the Athletics Carnival. I sincerely apologise to all the families of students that received ribbons at the assembly on Monday. Unfortunately, this information was neglected to be given to families, allowing them to make arrangements to attend the assembly and see their children receive their ribbon.

'GET BLACK ON YA FEET' – SHIRTS

Aboriginal artist, Daren Dunn has been employed to work with our students during Terms 2 and 3. As part of his program, he has designed a personal school shirt for staff, parents and students. For students, these can only be worn on Fridays. The shirt costs \$25.50, and orders need to be accompanied with payment by next Friday, 4 August. Please see the office to place these orders.



GET Black On ya Feet PROGRAM

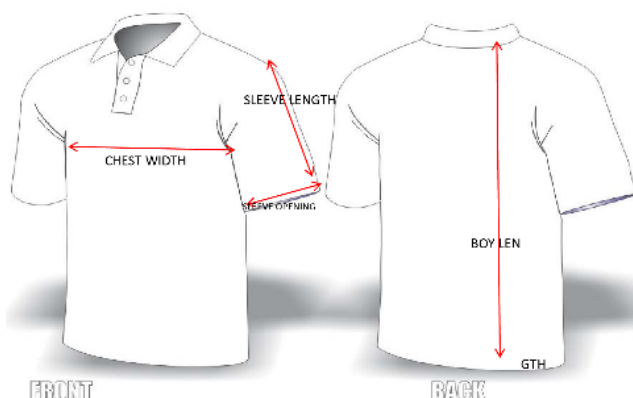


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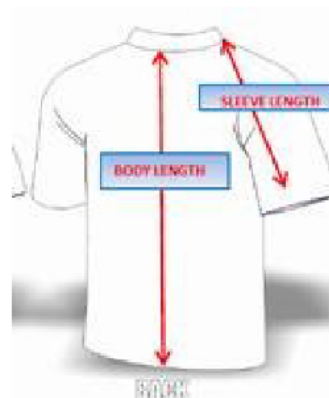


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Kind regards
Jodi Niedermayer

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Crime stoppers 1800 333 000

Dates for Your Calender

28 th July	Mufti Day Gold coin donation to the Albion Park Men's Shed
28 th July	Southern Stars – Rehearsal - 9.30am at Illawarra Sporting Complex, Berkeley
28 th July	Leadership Day at Lake Illawarra High School
31 st July	P & C Meeting at 1.30pm in Community Room
4 th August	Mid South District Athletics Carnival at Myimbarr Fields
7 th August	Whole School Assembly at 1.45pm
9 th August	Father's Day Letter Box Initiative at Shellharbour Bunnings between 4.30 and 6pm
9 th August	Southern Stars Rehearsal at WIN Entertainment Centre Wollongong - BUS
11 th August	Education Week & Kindness on Purpose Launch
15 th August	School photos all day-BRING MONEY ON THE DAY
18 th August	The Rocks Excursion Years 3 and 4
29 th August	Choir – Day Rehearsal leaving school at 8am-returning 2.45pm
29 th August	Choir – Evening Performance at Wollongong Uni- Tickets available
30 & 31 st August	Preschool Photo Day

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

Our recent behaviour focus was to be a safe, respectful learner.

In the classroom

We can be a learner by....

- following adult instructions the first time.
- being on time.

We can be safe by....

- keeping our hands, feet and objects to ourselves
- using equipment carefully.

We can be respectful by....

- speaking nicely to others.
- wearing our school uniform every day.

In the playground

We can be safe in the playground by....

- keeping our hands, feet and objects to ourselves
- being in the right place, at the right time

We can be respectful in the playground by...

- using stop, walk and tell
- connecting to others with empathy

We can be a learner in the playground by...

- following adult instructions the first time
- reporting problems

A whole school focus for Week 2 is to be a safe, respectful learners in assembly.

When we are safe at assembly in the hall,

- we sit quietly in our area
- we cross our legs

When we are respectful at assembly,

- we listen attentively
- we keep our hands by our side

When we are learners at assembly,

- we put our hand up to speak
- we finish our food before assembly



Premiers Debating Challenge

During Semester 1 a group of dedicated students from Stage 3 formed 2 debating teams to take part in the 2017 Premiers Debating Challenge. The two teams were:

'The Mount Warrigal Mighty Warriors'- Shae Mann, Katarina Mrksic, Lexi Williams & Talia Ugur

'The Mount Warrigal Winners'- Drew Hallett, Keeley Bannister, Kiara Smith & Jack Bellef

Summer Czornobej also stepped in at the last minute as Third Speaker for the Mount Warrigal Winners, this took a lot of courage and we thank her for her huge effort!

Both teams debated incredibly well in each of their debates against a variety of other schools and also showed great enthusiasm, dedication and maturity during our many training sessions and practise debates. They are wonderful ambassadors for our school and I cannot congratulate them highly enough!

Well done debaters!!



Exciting reasons to keep saving with School Banking.

Welcome back to school for Term 3. It's great to see School Bankers showing continued saving efforts through the first half of the year.

Don't miss out on the Grand Prize competition ending this term

To be in the running for a family trip to Tokyo Disneyland, children need to make 15 or more School Banking deposits between 23 January 2017 and the end of Term 3.

New reward items available in Term 3

After making 10 School Banking deposits, children can now choose to redeem the Smiley Emoji Keyring or the Volt Handball.

Keep track of savings and tokens with the CommBank Youth app

To help enhance the financial education of children, we've introduced the CommBank Youth app, available on any iOS 9.0+ device from the App Store. This innovative banking app gives kids hands-on experience in learning real-life money skills in a safe and fun digital environment. It also provides a new way for School Bankers to keep track of their Dollarsmites tokens.

PLUS EXCITING GAMES TO PLAY AND PRIZES TO WIN

On Monday 14 August 2017 we will be launching an exciting School Banking competition with prizes to win and an incredible game experience. Your school will receive more details soon, so stay tuned.

More information about CommBank's School Banking program and the CommBank Youth app is available at commbank.com.au/schoolbanking



Things you should know: Full terms and conditions found at commbank.com.au/schoolbanking. Competition is open to Australian residents aged 4-13 years only with parental/guardian permission, who have an active CBA YouthSaver account and participating in CBA's School Banking program. Competition starts 23/1/17 and ends 11:59pm AEST 29/6/17. Max 1 entry/person. Draw takes place at 1111 Harbour St, Sydney NSW 2000 at 12pm AEST 11/10/17. Winner's details published in The Australian 17/10/17. Prize details: 1 x 5-night trip for 2 adults + 3 kids (aged 13 and under) to Tokyo, Japan, valued up to AUS\$2,855. Commonwealth Bank of Australia, ABN 43 123 123 124, of Level 30, 111 Harbour Street, Sydney NSW 2000. Permits: NSW LTPS/16/07099; ACT TP16/01759; SA T16/1590.



\$100 REBATE TO COVER CHILDREN'S SPORTS FEES

As part of the 2017-18 Budget I am pleased to advise that the NSW Government has launched the '**Active Kids Rebate**'.

This program will provide a \$100 rebate towards sporting fees and registration costs for each school-aged child in NSW. The health of our children is a priority for me and every parent. I hope this rebate makes a difference to enable parents to enrol their child in the sport of their choice.

Families will be able to claim the rebate on items such as sports registration and membership costs, as well as swimming lesson fees.

The annual rebate **will not be means tested** because the NSW Government wants every child from every family to get involved and get active. The rebate will be available for every school child wanting to get involved in community sport and fitness. Parents will be able to claim up to \$100 per school child, per calendar year, as a voucher to reduce the cost of sport registration or membership for after-school and weekend sport, and active recreation activities.

A comprehensive list of eligible sports and activities will be finalised following community consultation ahead of the start date early next year, to allow providers to register with the NSW Office for Sport.

More details are available on the NSW Office of Sport website <https://sport.nsw.gov.au/>.

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Member for Kiama
Parliamentary Secretary for Education

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Dates: 7th & 14th August
4th & 11th September

Time: 9.30-12pm

Venue: Community Room



*Seeing Red explores ways for you to deal with feelings of anger in yourself
and your kids.*

- Recognise your feelings and needs and those of others around you
- Communicate and listen to these feelings and needs.
- Be assertive.
- Express anger in more constructive ways.

Where: Mount Warrigal Public School, 2 Hogarth Avenue

When: 3 Thursday mornings 10am-12.30pm

17th, 24th and 31st of August 2017

BOOKINGS and enquiries please phone: 42 966 266

Workshop Fee: \$15 per session

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school-aged students
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Playgroup Program Term 3 2017- Thursday

@ Mt Warrigal PS 9 – 11

Week / date	Activity/ event
1 20 th July	Tree day
2 27 th July	Healthy bones
3 3 rd August	Recycling- craft using different materials
4 10 th August	Wattle Day
5 17 th August	Science week – experiments/ Reading day at Warrawong 10-12
6 24 th August	Book week- bring your favourite book to share
7 31 st August	Father's day craft
8 7 th September	Child Protection week- Family fun day at Warrawong 10-12
9 14 th September	Spring – planting seeds
10 21 st September	Big Day Out!

Any questions? Phone or text 0411659698.

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