

Newsletter

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Our P & C Association meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7.00pm
All parents and community members are welcome to attend
Our School Council meets the 3rd Tuesday at 6.00pm

Skills for Life

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Tuesday, 16 October 2018

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Welcome to Term 4.

Following the fabulous finish to Term 3 with our musical and colour run, it is lovely to see our students and staff looking relaxed and refreshed after their much needed holidays. However, we are once again hitting the ground running as we navigate the final ten weeks at school for 2018!

Please ensure you keep up to date with our calendar of events as we have lots coming up! This term our Year 6 students transition to high school, our 2019 Kinder students participate in the orientation program, Stage 2 students head to the Great Aussie Bush Camp and students in Stage 1 and 2 have the opportunity to complete an intensive swimming program. Activities and events such as Life Education, Cyber Safety, Recognition Assemblies, Principal's Picnic, Presentation Day, Year 6 Farewell and our annual Carols evening and party days will roll out over the coming weeks and finalise our exciting year.

I am certain that the next holidays will be here before we know it and will once again be well earned and deserved.

The staff at MPS thank you for your ongoing support of our programs and initiatives which provide our students with wonderful opportunities every day.

Have a super week everyone and remember - *"Passionate hearts committed to a shared vision can accomplish the impossible."* Paul Chucks

Mrs Van Egmond ☺

Calendar

Term 4 – Week 1

Tuesday, 16 October 2018	6pm P&C Meeting
Wednesday, 17 October 2018	Cyber Safety Education Program 4.30pm Parent Information Session Cyber Safety Education Program
Friday, 19 October 2018	Payment due for Year 5 & Year 6 Forensic Science Show 2pm Kinder to Year 2 Assembly

Term 4 – Week 2

Monday, 22 October 2018	9am - 11am 2019 OC Students Orientation Program 6pm – 7pm 2019 OC Parent Information Session
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Tuesday, 23 October 2018 9.15am – 10.45am Kinder 2019 Orientation Program
2018 Bandfest

Friday, 26 October 2018 2pm Year 3 to Year 6 Assembly
Music and Band Fees due

Important Dates for Your Diary

Monday, 29 October 2018	Year 3 & Year 4 Great Aussie Bush Camp
Tuesday, 30 October 2018	Year 3 & Year 4 Great Aussie Bush Camp Year 5 & Year 6 Interactive Forensic Science Show
Wednesday, 31 October 2018	Year 3 & Year 4 Great Aussie Bush Camp
Friday, 2 November 2018	2pm Kinder to Year 2 Assembly
Wednesday, 7 November 2018	9.15am – 10.45am Kinder 2019 Orientation Program
Friday, 9 November 2018	2pm Remembrance Day Assembly
Monday, 12 November 2018	School Swimming & Water Safety Program for 60 students in Year 1, Year 2 & Year 3 commences
Friday, 16 November 2018	2pm Whole School Assembly
Tuesday, 20 November 2018	6pm P&C Meeting
Thursday, 22 November 2018	9.15am – 10.45am Kinder 2019 Orientation Program
Friday, 23 November 2018	School Swimming & Water Safety Program finishes 2pm Year 3 to Year 6 Assembly
Friday, 30 November 2018	2pm Kinder to Year 2 Assembly
Friday, 7 December 2018	2pm Whole School Assembly
Tuesday, 11 December 2018	Year 6 Farewell
Thursday, 13 December 2018	Principal's Picnic
Friday, 14 December 2018	Presentation Day
Monday, 17 December 2018	Carols Evening
Tuesday, 18 December 2018	Party Day
Wednesday, 19 December 2018	Last Day of Term 4 for students



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OFFICE NEWS

Intensive Swimming Program

There are currently 25 positions remaining in the Intensive Swimming Program. We have now opened the program to Year 1 students who **cannot** swim 25m

confidently. The permission note is being sent home today to Year 1 students. The positions will be filled on a first in first served basis. Send permission note and full payment of \$65.00 to the school office as soon as possible.

EARLY STAGE 1 NEWS

Welcome back to all our students and we hope you had a wonderful holiday.

Students will have the opportunity to visit Stage 1 this term as part of a transition program. I am sure they will find this experience exciting as they join in the variety of activities planned.

A quick overview of the content ES1 will be studying this term includes:

English - daily 'warm ups' will continue incorporating letter, sound knowledge, blending, sight words and tracking activities. Students will also continue with modeled, guided and independent reading and writing activities. Geography and History work will focus on 'The importance of places to people' and we will be looking at farms and growing cycles as part of this. The Science topic for this term is 'What's it made of'. Mr David Newham, our Aboriginal Education Worker will be sharing his knowledge and expertise with ES1 this term, supporting the units of work that we will be studying. We are very much looking forward to his input. The focus for health and personal development is on safe and healthy living including road safety education. We will be visiting the Life Education Centre later this term and this will allow students the opportunity to consolidate skills and knowledge on staying safe and healthy.

Maths - students continue to work on early arithmetical strategies as part of the TEN program as well as addition, subtraction, multiplication and division skills.

We will continue to work on reading and writing the numbers to 20 correctly (those teen numbers are tricky!) and counting to 30 from any given number. Volume and capacity will be covered along with mass and area. Focus this term for sport will be on skill development using a variety of equipment, incorporating these skills into modified games such as T Ball and learning about the importance of an active lifestyle. With the warmer months now upon us please ensure your child brings their hat daily along with a water bottle. Students will continue to create, make and explore in creative art activities and enjoy music and drama. Don't forget all students have a weekly visit to the library, so lots of opportunity to exchange books. What an action packed term with so many things to look forward to!

Keep those home readers coming in and encourage your child to write at every opportunity, making lists, notes, cards etc for friends and family.

We are looking forward to a very productive and rewarding Term 4.

Mrs Williams (ES1 Leader)

Year 6 Fundraiser 2018 - Lombok Earthquake Appeal

While our attention has been recently diverted by additional tragic events on the Indonesian archipelago,

our Year 6 Lombok Earthquake fundraiser last term was a huge success.

Students raised \$800 for the Lombok Earthquake Appeal via the Lolly Jar guessing competition, food tasting and gold coin donations.

Congratulations to Jasper H, Riley W and Riley R-C who shared the 1294 strawberries and cream lollies, all with the same guess of 1300 lollies. Thank you to Mrs Franzsen, for counting out the lollies for us. Thank you also to Riley C who shared the lollies out into three equal groups - a task that consumed an entire lunch hour!!

During cultural events, students learnt about Indonesia and learnt some Indonesian language. They also learnt how to eat with their right hand, and sampled traditional Indonesian food thanks to the hard work of our Year 6 students. Food was made and delivered generously by the Arzal and Pasaribu families, and Yuliana Fisher. *Terima kasih banyak* – many thanks. Thanks also to Coles Fletcher – which contributed towards the cost of the chicken, and the Jesmond Fruit Barn - which provided the vegetables.

Congratulations to all involved, as our thoughts and prayers remain with the people of Indonesia.

Terima kasih banyak

Year 6 Teachers

Colour Run

On the last day of Term 3 students participated in the P&C colour run and activities. Congratulations to all students involved for your enthusiastic contribution to the event. A big thank you to all of the parent volunteers who willingly added colour to the mix.

Quote of the day: "I just sneezed out a rainbow." - Taj L in 5/6DW.

SPORT NEWS

Stage 3 Touch Football

The Stage 3 Touch Football Gala will be played this term. The date is to be advised.

Mrs Wingrove (Sports Coordinator)

P&C NEWS

Welcome back to MPS and the final term of 2018. Although the weather may not have been the best throughout the holidays I am sure everyone enjoyed the down time and rest after a very busy and action packed Term 3. Once again, a big THANK YOU to all that volunteered their time and energy to support fundraising activities, whether it be assisting with the Maryland Musical Mayhem costuming, donating to the raffle, purchasing a raffle ticket(s), serving at the canteen or barbecue, the organisation and coordination of the Colour Run or in any other manner. Your efforts and consideration is greatly appreciated.

The P&C meeting is scheduled for tonight Tuesday, 16 October at 6pm in the school library and a warm invitation is extended to everyone. We hope to see you there.

FUNDRAISING NEWS

Colour Run

What a great way to end Term 3! The weather cooperated with us and the children enjoyed themselves, were active and had fun. Sponsorship cards and money are trickling in and need to be returned to school before the end of next Friday. Incentive prizes will be offered and awarded as soon as possible, full details are on the sponsorship card.

Fundraising Committee

CANTEEN NEWS

Welcome back to what is set to be another busy term.

A huge thank you to our amazing volunteers!

The new menu is attached to the newsletter (please note there have been a few price increases).

Volunteers for this term are **URGENTLY** needed for **THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS**.

If you can help on either day even if only for an hour please contact us.

Canteen Roster Term 4

Day	Date	Name
Week 1		
Wednesday	17 October	Miyako, Lesley, Robyn
Thursday	18 October	Janelle, Lesley, Cher
Friday	19 October	Jamie, Sheree, Esme, Sharna
Week 2		
Monday	22 October	Carmen, Lynne
Tuesday	23 October	Carmen, Sheree,
Wednesday	24 October	Miyako, Lesley, Robyn
Thursday	25 October	Cath VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Friday	26 October	Jamie, Amanda VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Week 3		
Monday	29 October	Carmen, Lynne
Tuesday	30 October	Carmen, Lynne,
Wednesday	31 October	Miyako, Lesley, Robyn
Thursday	1 November	VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Friday	2 November	Jamie, Sheree, Esme, Sharna

NEW UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

Attached to this newsletter is a sheet with the extended trading hours for November, December 2018 and January 2019.

Also please note our Uniform Shop will not be opened on Tuesday, 4 December due to the Callaghan Collage Wallsend Campus Year 7 Orientation Day.

Normal Trading Hours

- Tuesday 8.30am - 9.30am
- Thursday 2.30pm - 3.30pm

Visit the website by clicking on the link below to order uniforms online.

<http://www.countryfeelinguniforms.com.au/>

PRELOVED UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

Opening Hours

- Tuesday Mornings 8.30am until 9.00am
- Thursday Afternoons 2.45pm until 3.15pm

Carmen & Alisa ☺☺

COLOUR RUN







MARYLAND'S MUSICAL MAYHEM

Now that our musical production is complete, we would really appreciate your feedback. Please take a few minutes to complete this survey. Your comments are valued and will assist with future planning. Responses are anonymous.

Please go to:

<https://goo.gl/forms/AhWjEWqW6O9DxGsU2>

Partners in Learning – Parent Survey



Parents and carers are invited to complete the *Partners in Learning* parent survey. The survey asks parents and carers questions about different factors that are known to impact on student wellbeing and engagement.

The results of this survey help us to understand parents' and carers' perspectives on their child's experience at school. These include: communication between parents/carers and staff, activities and practices at home and parent/carer views on the school's support of learning and behaviour. This valuable feedback will help our school make practical improvements.

The survey is conducted entirely online on smartphones, ipads, tablets, laptops or computers. The survey will typically take 15 minutes or less to complete and is completely confidential. The parent survey will be open until Friday 26th October.

To access the survey for our school go to: <http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/maryland2018>

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TERM 4 Volunteer Advertisement Casual Work Available – Employment Guaranteed

Where: School Canteen

When: Weekly Fortnightly Monthly

Hours: Anytime between 9am-2pm

Experience: Not necessary. Everything you need to know will be learnt within a short space of time.

Salary: "A La Carte" lunch (healthy sandwich), plenty of tea or coffee ;)

Bonus: Your child/children will be happy to see you in their favourite place - school! You get to spoil them by spending a little extra money (all for a good cause) and you get to meet new people and make good friends within the school community.

Applications close: NEVER!

Please complete the form below and send it back to the canteen as soon as possible.

**** IDENTIFICATION CHECKS MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE YOUR FIRST ROSTERED DAY AT THE FRONT OFFICE**

We Look forward to hearing from you! 😊😊😊😊

Amanda Bailey
Canteen Supervisor
Maryland Public School

CANTEEN VOLUNTEER FOR 2018

Name: _____ **Telephone:** _____

Child's name: _____ **Class:** _____

Please select availability and return completed form to the canteen.

Monday

Weekly

Tuesday

Fortnightly

Wednesday

Monthly

Thursday

FULL DAY

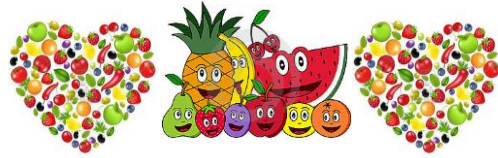
Friday

HALF DAY (9AM-12) OR (11AM-2PM)

If possible I would like to work with: _____

CANTEEN ROSTER
TERM 4 2018

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	15/10/2018	16-Oct	17-Oct	18-Oct	19-Oct
W E E K 1	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Lynne Danielle	Miyako Lesley Robyn	Janelle Lesley Cher	Jamie Sheree Esme Sharna
	22-Oct	23-Oct	24-Oct	25-Oct	26-Oct
W E E K 2	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Sheree	Miyako Lesley Robyn	Cath VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!	Jamie Amanda.S VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!
	29-Oct	30-Oct	31-Oct	1-Nov	2-Nov
W E E K 3	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Lynne	Miyako Lesley Robyn	VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!	Jamie Sheree Esme Sharna
	5-Nov	6-Nov	7-Nov	8-Nov	9-Nov
W E E K 4	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Sheree	Miyako Lesley Robyn	VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!	Jamie Lesley VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!
	12-Nov	13-Nov	14-Nov	15-Nov	16-Nov
W E E K 5	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Lynne Danielle	Miyako Lesley Robyn	Janelle Lesley Cher	Jamie Sheree Esme Sharna
	19-Nov	20-Nov	21-Nov	22-Nov	23-Nov
W E E K 6	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Sheree	Miyako Lesley Robyn	Cath VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!	Jamie Amanda.S VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!
	26-Nov	27-Nov	28-Nov	29-Nov	30-Nov
W E E K 7	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Lynne	Miyako Lesley Robyn	Susan VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!	Jamie Sheree Esme Sharna
	3-Dec	4-Dec	5-Dec	6-Dec	7-Dec
W E E K 8	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Sheree	Miyako Lesley Robyn	VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!	Jamie Lesley VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!
	10-Dec	11-Dec	12-Dec	13-Dec	14-Dec
W E E K 9	Carmen Lynne	Carmen Lynne Danielle	Miyako Lesley Robyn	Janelle Lesley Cher	Jamie Sheree Esme Sharna
	17-Dec	18-Dec	19-Dec	20-Dec	21-Dec
W E E K 10	CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED	CANTEEN CLOSED



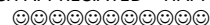
MARYLAND CANTEEN MENU 2018

SANDWICHES		EVERY DAY		HOT FOOD		AVAILABLE WEDNESDAY ONLY	
Buttered	\$1.50	Garden Salad - Small	\$3.50	Mac & Cheese	\$3.80	RECESS	
Vegemite/Jam	\$1.60	Garden Salad - Large	\$4.00	Lasagne	\$3.80	Toasted Triangles	\$0.60
Cheese	\$2.50	Ham Salad – Small	\$4.00	Fish Burger	\$3.80	Mini Sushi	\$0.80
Cheese & Tomato	\$3.00	Ham Salad – Large	\$5.00	Hot Cheese Roll	\$2.50	Rice Paper Rolls	\$1.50
Egg	\$3.00	Chicken Salad – Small	\$4.00	Hot Chicken Roll	\$3.80	*AVAILABLE RECESS OR LUNCH	
Egg & Lettuce	\$3.50	Chicken Salad – Large	\$5.00	AVAILABLE MONDAY ONLY		LUNCH	
Egg Salad	\$4.50	Egg Salad – Small	\$4.00	RECESS		Fried Rice	\$3.80
Salad	\$4.00	Egg Salad – Large	\$5.00	Mini Chicken Enchiladas	\$0.80	Stir Fry Noodle Box	\$4.50
Chicken or Ham	\$3.50	Warm Chicken Salad	\$5.00	Hash Browns	\$0.60	Sausage Roll	\$2.50
Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo	\$4.00	Fruit Salad – Small	\$4.00	LUNCH		AVAILABLE THURSDAY ONLY	
Chicken Salad	\$4.80	Fruit Salad – Large	\$4.50	Nachos	\$3.80	RECESS	
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$4.00	*Add Yoghurt*	\$0.50	Mexican Wrap (Mince, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato)	\$4.50	Fruit Kebabs	\$0.80
Ham Salad	\$4.80	Fruit & Yoghurt Cup	\$3.00	Chicken Wedges	\$0.80	Scrolls – Homemade	\$1.20
EXTRAS		SNACKS		AVAILABLE TUESDAY ONLY		LUNCH	
Roll/Wrap	\$0.80	Fresh Fruit Cups	\$1.50	Vegie Snack Boxes	\$2.00	Ham & Pineapple Pizza	\$2.50
Sauce – Tomato/BBQ	\$0.30	Carrot Sticks	\$0.40	Mini Nachos (Recess Only)	\$0.80	Cheese & Bacon Pizza	\$2.50
Mayonnaise/Aioli	\$0.50	Cheese & Crackers	\$1.00	Zucchini Slice	\$0.60	Garlic Bread	Full \$2.50 Half \$1.50
Sweet Chilli/Salsa	\$0.50	Cereal Snacks	\$0.30	*AVAILABLE RECESS & LUNCH		Chicken Kebab (Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese, Onion & BBQ Sauce)	\$4.50
Salad	\$2.50	Red Rock Deli Chips	\$1.50	Chicken Burger	\$4.00	AVAILABLE FRIDAY ONLY	
Lettuce	\$0.80	MPS Snack Box	\$2.50	MPS Hamburger (Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese, BBQ)	\$4.50	RECESS	
Tomato	\$0.80	Vegie Sticks, Dip, Cheese & Crackers		Hot Potato	\$4.50	Pizza Subs	\$0.80
Cucumber	\$0.80	Pikelets (3 Pack)	\$0.50	Mexican, Hawaiian or Vegetarian		Cheesy Garlic Bread	\$0.70
Carrot	\$0.80	Fresh Fruit – Seasonal	\$0.80	DRINKS & ICEBLOCKS		LUNCH	
Beetroot	\$0.80	Plain Milk - 300ml	\$1.50	Bevco Frozen Fruit Cup	\$0.80	B.L.T Wrap	\$4.50
Onion	\$0.80	Flavoured Milk (Chocolate, Strawberry or Banana)	\$2.00	Quelch Sticks	\$0.60	Chicken Tender Wrap SML (Lettuce & Mayo)	\$2.50
Egg, Ham Or Chicken	\$2.00	Up & Go – Assorted Flavours	\$2.00	Twisted Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.00	Chicken Tender Wrap LRG (Lettuce & Mayo)	\$4.00
Cheese	\$0.80	Juice – Assorted Flavours	\$2.00	Juicies	\$1.20		
WATER				Ice Mony (Choc or Strawb)	\$0.80		
Mini Water Bottle	\$1.00						
Water – 600ml	\$1.80						

ALL ITEMS SUBJECT TO AVAILIBLY – ITEMS MAY NEED TO BE SUBSTITUTED IF THIS OCCURS YOUR CHILD NOTIFIED AND GIVEN THE OPTION TO CHANGE TO ANOTHER ITEM AVAILABLE ON THE DAY

ORDERS MUST BE PLACED NO LATER THAN 9AM

YOUR SUPPORT IS MUCH APPRECIATED – HAPPY ORDERING MPS STAFF





<u>NORMAL TRADING HOURS</u>	
TUESDAYS	8.30-9.30
THURSDAYS	2.30-3.30



NOV/DEC 2018 EXTENDED HOURS

Wed 7 th Nov 2018	9.30am – 11.00am
Thu 22 nd Nov 2018	9.30am – 11.00am 2.30pm – 3.30pm
Tue 4 th Dec 2018	<i>CLOSED TODAY</i>
Thu 6 th Dec 2018	2.30pm – 3.30pm
Tue 11 th Dec 2018	8.30am – 10.30am
Thu 13 th Dec 2018	2.30pm – 4.30pm
Tue 18 th Dec 2018	8.30am – 10.30am
Thu 20 th Dec 2018	2.30pm – 3.30pm

JANUARY 2019 EXTENDED HOURS

Tue 15 th Jan 2019	8.30am – 10.30am
Tue 22 nd Jan 2019	4.00pm – 6.00pm
Thu 24 th Jan 2019	2.30pm – 4.30pm

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