



MILLFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWS



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Week 4, Term 3

Spring Fair One Week Away

Our Spring Fair is only one week away. It is coming together nicely with the amusements, markets and entertainment all booked in and ready to go.



Ride all day Amusements
\$20 Prepay (\$25 on day)
Food and Drinks
Karate/Dance Demonstrations
Market Stalls
Live Music by Finnian Johnson
Fun events
Post Ripping Demonstration
Community Services Displays
Classic Car Display
Face Painting
Live Auction (12pm) and raffles
with great prizes
FERRET RACING IS BACK!!!!



*Dates for your
Calendar*

Term 3

**Friday 19th
August**

MVHS Mini Lessons
(Yr 6)
11.30-1.30

**Saturday 20th
August**
Spring Fair

Mon 22nd-Tue 23rd
Stage 2 Excursion
\$165

5th-9th Sept
Intensive Swimming

Attachments

**Unexplained
absences**

**Overdue library
books**

Accounts

Receipts

As mentioned in last week's newsletter each family has been given a time to help out in the canteen. Please find the roster below for your families allotted time (just one family member is needed). If the time given is not suitable, please give an alternative time and we might be able to find a swap with another family. Please remember to sign on arrival at the canteen.

Rostered help time at Spring Fair

| 8-10am | 10am-12pm | 11am-1pm | 12pm-2pm | 1pm-3pm |
|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|----------|
| James | Kennedy | Probst | Connell | Brown |
| Walker | Crowley | Morton | Eddy | Russell |
| Lucock | Hefren | Sparkes | Connell | Duncombe |
| Wing | Haddin | Junge | Hollingshed | Cagney |
| Dooley | Wright | Carpenter | Josephson | Lombardi |
| Hindmarsh | Szkopkowski | McCarry | Hague | Villa |
| Hindmarsh | Thompson | Shepherd | Tiedeman | Winship |
| Snedden | Holbert | Barnes | Davis | |
| | King | Hurley | Dodgson | |

Helping throughout day

Dederer

Bedford

Clark

Brell

From the Kitchen Garden Corner



In the Kitchen

The *Carrots* kitchen group were buzzing in the kitchen whipping up some tasty treats made with award winning produce grown in our gardens! We were very impressed to see the skills and responsible kitchen behaviours that students learnt last year continue into this year's lessons. Students made tantalising tabouli with our very own Italian parsley and mint, delicious naan bread to accompany it and petite pumpkin scones with our huge pumpkins!



In the Garden

The *Broccoli and Radishes* were busy in the garden this week learning about our new fruit trees, thinning out and taste testing our carrots, planting some beetroot and chives and monitoring our broad beans. Students are enjoying grabbing some tasty Asian greens, parsley, spinach and broccoli to try on their way around the gardens!



Kitchen Garden Recipe of the Week – “ Naan Bread”

Ingredients

1¾ cups all-purpose flour
2 tsp sugar
1 tsp salt
¾ tsp baking powder
2 tsp oil (I used olive, you could use anything relatively mild)
½ cup* milk
butter + herbs for seasoning

Instructions

- 1) Combine all dry ingredients, and whisk together.
- 2) Create a well in the middle of the dry ingredients, and add the oil and milk. Mix everything together until it forms a ball. Turn out on the counter and knead until very smooth and elastic — at least 5 minutes — adding more flour as necessary.
- 3) Let the dough rest for 10 minutes. Divide into 8-10 equal pieces.
- 4) Heat a skillet over medium-high heat. Roll one piece of dough until very thin (less than ⅛"). If the skillet isn't non-stick, melt some butter before each piece. One at a time, cook the naan for about 90 seconds, or until parts are Seared.



Reminder – Stage 2 Camp money due

Our Stage 2 camp to Morriset Outdoor Education Centre is just around the corner. Don't forget that full payment is due next Thursday 18th August.



New date for Bike Day – Friday 23rd September

A new date for our washed out bike day has been set and we will now hold **Bike Day** on the last day of Term 3. This fits in well with 'National Bike Week' and is a great way to finish off the term. Further details will be sent out closer to the time.



Zone Public Speaking

Good luck to our 8 Public Speaking Champions who will head to the Zone Public Speaking on Monday and Tuesday next week. This is a great experience to not only show off their skills, but learn from other great speakers across our area.

| Monday | Name | Tuesday | Name |
|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Stage 3 Session 1 (9.20) | Blake | Stage 2 Session 1 (9.20) | Chloe F |
| Stage 3 Session 2 (11.30) | Nelson | Stage 2 Session 2 (11.00) | Molly B |
| Kindergarten (1.50) | Harmony/Nicholas | Stage 1 (1.20) | Porsha/Sari |

Thank you Flemings Nursery

Thank you to Flemings Nursery for kindly donating 5 bare root fruit trees to our school through the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Foundation. Students enjoyed planting our Ballerina Polk Apple, Ballerina Bolero Apple, Trixie Nectazee Nectarine, Trixie Pixzee Peach and Trixie Pyvert Pear. We can't wait to see them grow!



Principal's Award

Congratulations to Joshua who receives this week's Principal's Award. Josh is always respectful to other students and is working hard in the classroom. Well done Josh!



Recognising our safe, respectful and responsible learners

Class Awards K

Cooper Wing using outstanding strategies when reading
Makayla Crowley improvements and working hard in speech

Class Awards S1

Hayley Butler for always working hard and trying her best
Stuart McCarry for great contributions to our Olympic unit

Class Awards S2



Paryss Morton displaying an outstanding work ethic at all times
Alex Lombardi being kind and helping his peers

Class Awards S3

Drew Dodgson excellent descriptive sentence writing
Jessica Butler improvement in subtraction with trading



PBL Special Awards

| Award | K | 1/2/3 | 4/5/6 |
|--|---|---|--|
| BRONZE  Have earned 20 Millfield Dollars for Positive Behaviours | Makayla Crowley 6/5 Harmony Connell 6/5 Kirtida Udas 6/5 Jesse Hefren 6/5 | Hunter Copeland 6/5 Kayley Thompson 6/5 Kaleb Henry 13/5 Cooper Hollingshed 13/5 Chloe Josephson 13/5 Jade Probst 20/5 Bethany Shepherd 20/5 Katelyn Shepherd 20/5 Ella Szkopkowski 3/6 Chloe Hague 17/6 Phoenix Denning 29/7 | Lily Brell 18/5 Makayla Cagney 18/5 Nelson King 18/5 Jessica Butler 3/6 Bayley Morton 3/6 Tane Carpenter 3/6 Angus Shepherd 10/6 Dylan Dederer 10/6 Drew Dodgson 10/6 Jacob Dederer 10/6 Rose Brell 10/6 Molly Russell 10/6 Kane Villa 10/6 Alex Lombardi 29/7 Samantha Snedden |
| SILVER  For earning \$40 Millfield Dollars through Safe, Respectful and Responsible Behaviours | Cooper Wing 17/6 Grace Eddy 17/6 Nicholas Sparkes 24/6 Masani Clark 24/6 Harrison Brown 24/6 Sophie Kennedy 24/6 Mercedes Morton 22/7 Moana James 22/7 Lilly-Rose Walker 22/7 Leah Probst 22/7 | Stuart McCarry 22/7 Abigail Bedford 22/7 Hayley Butler 22/7 Molly Bedford 22/7 Riley Dederer 22/7 Jack Davis 22/7 Sari Carpenter 29/7 Mason Duncombe-King 29/7 Joshua Lucock 29/7 Paige Holbert 29/7 Kellara Dooley 12/8 Christopher Wright 12/8 William Russell 12/8 Samara Tiedeman 12/8 Jye King 12/8 | Blake Bodycote 29/7 Cloe Hindmarsh 5/8 |

SRC Student of the Month Awards

Congratulations to our SRC Students of the Month for August.

Junior– Sari Carpenter

Senior– Jack Davis

P&C News

Spring Fair Meeting

Our last Spring Fair meeting will be held on Monday afternoon at 3pm to check we are all organised for the fair on Saturday. All welcome.

Donations still needed for Spring Fair

The Spring Fair is only 1 week away. As part of this event we hold a MonsterRaffle and Auction. We are now asking for any unwanted gifts or new items, that you may not be using at home and could donate to a good cause. Please bring these to the office if able.

| <u>Canteen Roster Term 3</u> | | |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------|
| Week/Date | Helpers | |
| Week 5- August 15th | Felicity Lucock | Joy Thompson |
| Week 6 – August 22nd | No Canteen due to Spring Fair on 20 th August –Clean up needed | |
| Week 7 – August 29th | Felicity Lucock | Angeline Crossara |
| Week 8 – September 5th | No Canteen Due to Intensive Swimming | |
| Week 9 – September 12th | Jodie Dederer | Tina King |
| Week 10 – September 19th | Felicity Lucock | Angeline Crossara |


Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to DIY dumplings.

Easy to make, fun to eat!
Kids will love this do-it-yourself cooking task.



Serves 4.

- Prepare your favourite combination of vegetables for the filling: grated carrot, corn kernels, and finely chopped spinach works well; finely chopped mushrooms, cabbage and capsicum is tasty too.
- Place 16 wonton wrappers (available in packs in supermarkets) on a dry work surface.
- Place a few teaspoons of vegetable filling inside.
- Drizzle with salt-reduced soy sauce.
- Brush the edge of each wonton with water.
- Pull edges together and pinch to secure.
- Steam for about 10 minutes or until cooked.

For more information visit
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Junior Creative Writing

MONTHLY: Mondays at Cessnock Library 4-5 pm
Tuesdays at Kurri Library 4-5 pm



DATES FOR TERMS 3 & 4 2016 AS FOLLOWS:

August 29,30:
Sleuthing (Community Newspaper)

September 19,20:
Punch & Passion! (Poetry, from paper to performance)

October 24,25:
Twisted Stories - The Hook! (hooking the reader and other "fishing" skills)

December 5,6:
Doco's and Deco's (fact & faction)



For further details, or to book into a session, come in and see us at the desk, or ring Sandy Ryan on 49934384 for the Cessnock sessions or Karen Bruce on 49371638 for the Kurri Kurri sessions.