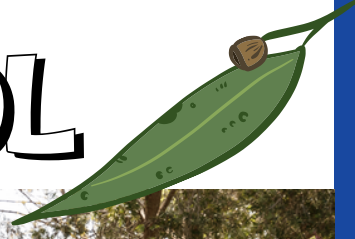




MURRABIT GROUP SCHOOL

20 November 2023



Our Values

RESPECT • HONESTY • TEAMWORK • LEARNING • PERSISTENCE

Dates to **REMEMBER**

- 21 NOV – School Council @ 3.30pm**
- 23 NOV – T-Ball practice commences
- 27 NOV – Maths Parent PD Session & Communications @ 5.30pm**
- 28 NOV – Maths PD, Pupil Free Day
- 29 NOV – Dance Day with Dagodo
- 29 NOV – Bookclub order deadline
- 2 DEC – Murrabit Market
- 4 DEC – Swimming Program begins (2 weeks)
- 5 DEC – State T-Ball in Melbourne
- 12 DEC – State Transition Day
- 13 DEC – Bus Safety Session
- 14 DEC- School Concert/ Graduation @ 6.30pm**
- 15 DEC – Reports go home
- 19 Dec – Pupil Free – Staff First Aid
- 20 DEC – Last Day

Reminders

- 21st Nov – School Council Meeting @ 3.30pm
- Market Morning Teas
- 2nd Dec. Keath, Long, Holland-Hogan, Lavey, West, N&E Hein
- Grounds/Mowing
- November – 2nd Half – Ellison

Principal's Updates: Ms Hogg ☀

What an exciting, challenging and tiring week for many of our students, with interstate trips and sleep overs. Thank you to all the staff for making this possible, especially the organising teams. I was fortunate to experience many activities with our Grade 5 in Canberra; their resilience, kindness, general knowledge and inquisitiveness a pleasure to be a part of. We have all returned with many memories and were ready for a restful weekend. Lakes Coaches; Darren and Dean transported us with much care, thank you.

MARKET MORNING TEA DUTY

At the September School Council meeting it was decided that a reimbursement of \$30 per market, per family be made for those families that do market duty. These credits have now been applied to family accounts for all markets during 2023. These credits can be used towards camps, uniforms etc.

WE CONGRATULATE

Ms Natalie Goudie –Troy on her nomination and award for outstanding teacher. We are very proud of her achievement, and fortunate that she is also two days a week at MGS, continuing in the Mental Health in Schools role in 2024.



Gaby Hogg

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STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep / 1

2 / 3 / 4

5 / 6



Skyra Lokeni

For being a reflective writer when completing her recount writing about her week.



Huey Hein

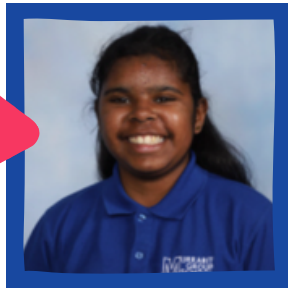
For his self-reflection and continuous improvement in his learning.



Casey Heffer

For embracing new friendships and demonstrating our school values on Canberra Camp.

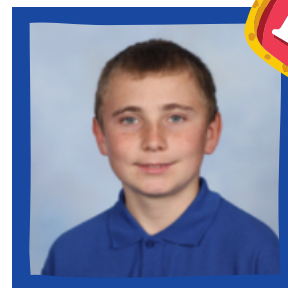
STEAM



Clariah Lea

For reflecting back on other chemical reaction experiments we have done and evaluating the differences between each of them.

ITALIAN



Austin Gurnett

For running the online game for Italian and showing good leadership skills.



MUSIC



Lilliarna Holland-Hogan

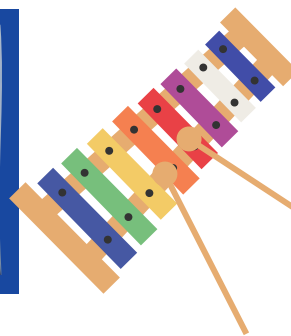
For playing sick tunes on the glockenspiel!

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PREP/1 CLASSROOM NEWS

What a big week we have had in our classroom! We have spent time last week further looking at recounts as a text type, we have been measuring things around our school and classroom (through distance, weight & height). We have enjoyed having Narky & Huddy in our class this week, and thank them for helping us in our learning (we really enjoyed reading with you everyday). We had a blast at our school sleepover and we had an even better free time day on Friday. It was great to have all the P/1/2 students at school for the sleepover on Thursday night. We played some games, watched a movie and enjoyed our time together as a small group. On Friday we spent our day playing with friends and watching another movie. We would like to give a massive thank you to Mrs GT for staying the night with us on Thursday and to Mrs Coulter for getting up super early on Friday to come in and help us get our breakfast and pack up our things for the day.

Miss Bath



2/3/4 CLASSROOM NEWS



Week 8, WOW! Another week older, smarter and taller! Last week, we watched 'The Lorax' as part of our poetry unit. We explored how Dr Seuss uses rhyme and humour, which will be incorporated into our writing. There were lots of giggles.

This week, we are starting our new maths unit on mass and capacity. We were lucky enough to have had Eden and Austin join us in our classroom, they have been amazing helpers and created some incredible poetry! Our grade 2's were lucky enough to attend our P-2 sleepover and it was a hit. Thank you to Miss Bath for all of your organisation. Looking forward to another fantastic week of learning. Stay tuned.

Miss Taylor

STEAM

Last week in STEAM we have had a great week, doing another experiment that Miss Bath has been eager to try with the students – I won't give to much away as the year 5/6 group will do it after they return from camp this week. What I will let you know is there is a chemical reaction that happens...

Miss Bath



PARENTS & FRIENDS



Family photographs Fundraiser

Book here or QR code – <https://book.usesession.com/s/jtxLf2-xO>

The mini photo sessions with Precious Memories Photography are on Sunday 26th November. The exact location around Murrabit is yet to be confirmed, but please make sure to book your time slot.

Package 1 is the standard Mini Session that will include 10 edited images (You are able to upgrade to the full gallery if you like once you have your images back)

Package 2 is the full gallery which will be approx. 30 images.



5/6 CLASSROOM NEWS

Grade 5-6 experienced an exciting week during their school camp in Canberra. We were lucky enough to visit the National Dinosaur Museum, the Royal Mint factory, the Museum of Australian Democracy (Old Parliament House), the Gardens of Old Parliament House, the Australian War Memorial, Mount Ainslie Lookout, The National Gallery, Zone 3, Australian Institute of Sport, the National Museum of Australia, Parliament House, Questacon- National Science and Technology Museum, The Australian Electoral Commission, National Botanical Gardens and lastly the National Exhibition Centre.

Below are some reflections of students' favourite moments.



Hunter More

I found Parliament House the most interesting because I got to learn about our Government.



Cooper West

My favourite part of camp was shooting Mrs Hogg in Laser Tag and the rainforest at the National Botanical Gardens.



Eve Murray

I found the flame at the War Memorial interesting, I also liked Laser Tag because I got to shoot people.

Casey Heffer

I found the Mint Factory very interesting, I bought a minted coin with Swan Hill and the Big Cod on it. I liked learning about how they mint a different coin each year.



Shanae West

I liked Laser Tag because it was really fun! I found the war memorial really interesting because I found my Grandma's Dad on the memorial wall.



Jaz McClean

It was my first-time playing Laser Tag and I loved it, I liked learning about the 'Jelly Tree' at the National Botanical Gardens.

Jorja Danson

I enjoyed laser tag because I got to shoot Miss Devereux, I also liked watching Penny Wong during question time at Parliament House



Charlotte Keath

I loved the free fall slide at Questacon because it was really fun, I also really enjoyed staying at Camp Cottermouth with my friends.

Evan McNeil

I loved everything on camp, especially Zone 3 and Laser Tag.

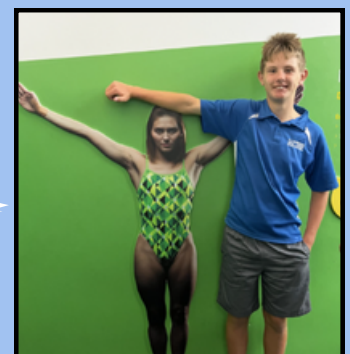


Clancy Pappin

I enjoyed spending time with all my friends, playing the arcades games at Zone 3 and watching the science experiences at Questacon.

Oliver More

I really enjoyed Parliament house because it was a once in a lifetime opportunity to see the house of representatives.



Jobe Hein

I liked watching the debates at parliament house because they were entertaining.

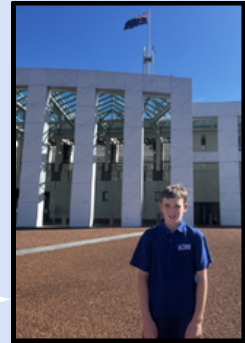


Kobe Teasdale

My favourite part of camp was shooting Miss Devereux in Laser Tag, I also liked how we got to see Anthony Albanese in the House of Representatives.

Darcy Ellison

My highlight was seeing the big flag on top of Parliament House and Zone 3.



MGS School Raffle

GET YOUR TICKETS TO GO IN THE DRAW TO WIN THIS 6 SEATER OUTDOOR TABLE.

THE MONEY RAISED WILL GO TOWARDS SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS AND A 'GAGA BALL' PIT.

Tickets can be purchased from school families or from the school.



Tickets \$1 each - Raffle drawn 14/12/2023



BUS SAFETY SESSION

13/12/23 @ 9am
PRESENTED BY SWAN HILL BUS LINES



Parent Information Night

This information night will cover three key things:

1. Our new maths program
2. Our Annual report to community
3. Sentral for Parents update & use

DATE: 27/11/23 @ MURRABIT GROUP SCHOOL @ 5:30PM



We acknowledge and show respect to all Traditional Owners/Custodians of the land on which we learn, the Barapa Barapa people and pay our respects to their Elders, past and present and emerging'.

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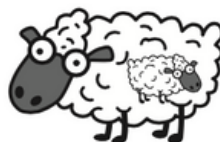
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