

Murrayville Community College Newsletter



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From the Principal

Marvellous Mallee –

This term is racing away and it is hard to believe that next Friday will be our Marvellous Mallee extravaganza. Every student is involved in this in some way. Our Pathway to the Mallee totem poles are now erected and a number of tiles have already been adhered in place. These completed totems look amazing and are a wonderful tribute to our special Mallee region. Every student and teacher has completed at least one individual tile, as have a number of members of our wider school community. Every student and teacher has learnt a whole school song that will be performed on Friday night. All students from Prep to 8 will have learnt a dance to perform on Friday night and there will also be songs from the P-2 class, Primary choir and Secondary Choir. We are hoping that every student and a large proportion of our school community will be in attendance for the opening of the Pathway to the Mallee arts project and our Marvellous Mallee performance on Friday night. A BBQ tea will be served at the conclusion of the performances, please bring your own drinks. We will not be having a separate School Council BBQ this year,

so this will be an opportunity to acquaint yourselves with your children's teachers and meet our new staff. This will be an outdoors event, weather permitting, and will commence at 6.30pm Victorian time. Hope to see you all there!



Staffing –

It is with much pleasure that I can announce we have a full contingency of staff at our college once again. Mr Matthew Lumb commenced on Friday the 10th of March and has been very busy putting his own stamp on the Technology shed. He has taken a number of technology classes this week and will be taking the 5/6 class and assisting in the Year 9 Maths classroom from the beginning of Term 2. Welcome Matthew.

Dance Week –

Next week is our annual dance week with Ms Sue Howard-Denton. The timetable will be disrupted next week, to accommodate these lessons and school photos (Tuesday & Wednesday). If any families are finding it difficult to source the costumes that have been requested for the performance Friday night, can they please let either Sue, Mrs Karen Willersdorf or their class teacher know, so that we can help. Ms Howard-Denton has indicated that this will be her last year of dance instruction after coming to MCC for around twenty years, so we want to ensure that it is a memorable week for her and the students.

Newsletters -

I am taking Long Service Leave for the last 2 days of this term. Therefore the next and last newsletter for this term will go home on Wednesday 29th of March. Although there will be a lot going on, there will be no newsletter next week.

*Natasha Mudie
Principal*

PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL PHOTO ENVELOPES ARE RETURNED TO THE FRONT OFFICE NO LATER THAN MONDAY MORNING IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE PHOTOS OR ORDER FAMILY PHOTOS

REVISED PE Timetable for 2017

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
L 1	11 PE			12 PE	11 PE
L 2	11 PE	7/8 PE		9/10 PE	11 PE
L 3		12 PE			
L 4	9/10 PE	12 PE & 3/4 Sport	3/4 PE		P/1/2 PE
L 5	12 PE	7/8 PE	12 PE	5/6 PE	SEC SPORT



As many of you may be aware this will be the last year that Sue Howard-Denton will work at the school teaching Dance.

She has been coming to the school for over 20 years so we would like to set up a display of photos taken of dance performances over the years.

If you have any photos taken of your children participating in dance could you please scan them and send them to Karen Willersdorf

willersdorf.karen.m@edumail.vic.gov.au

or to the school's email address.

If you are unable to scan the photo can you send it to school where we will scan the photo and return it to you.

Can you also please indicate what year the photo was taken in.



CANTEEN

**ALL ORDERS TO BE PLACED
at the Front Office BEFORE SCHOOL**

AVAILABLE MONDAY-FRIDAY

Cold foods are: Wraps / Sandwiches / Rolls

Hot foods are:

Ham & Cheese / Chicken & Cheese Hot Rolls \$3.50

Please - no more than \$5 in your envelope

PRIDE AWARDS

Prep-2:

Alyssa JACKSON

for her RESPECT

for others shown by recognizing when a younger child needed help

Tyson NUSKE

for EXCELLENCE

in developing his Handwriting skills

3-4:

Reece WALKER

for showing EXCELLENCE
with his home Reading

Matilda WYATT

for showing EXCELLENCE

in the application of skills learnt to improve her story writing

5-6:

Shania HEINTZE

for showing INDEPENDENCE
towards her learning and managing all her school and home study with great diligence

Zac KELLY

for showing PERSISTENCE

during mathematics; working through harder problems and using his learnt strategies

Tiana JENZEN

for showing PERSISTENCE

during writing lessons and improving her VCOP and editing skills

Included with this newsletter are details of a fundraiser organised through **TESSELAAR**

to benefit the school's Kitchen Garden / Ag areas
Brighten up your garden with a variety of colourful bulbs and perfumes

All orders to be completed online as per the green sticker attached to the brochure, by Monday 1st May



TERTIARY STUDIES & CAREERS EXPO ADELAIDE



DATE : 9 & 10 April 2017
VENUE : Adelaide Convention Centre
TIMES : Sunday 10-4
Monday 9:30-1:30

Includes the South Australia
Work & Skills Expo

Free Admission

Career seekers of all ages will find:

- Universities (Australian and International, including faculty representatives)
- Employers (National, local and government)
- Private Education and Training Colleges
- Vocational Education and Training (VET)
- Defence Force Recruiting
- TAFE SA programs and courses
- Alternative pathways, scholarships and information for mature and international career seekers

... AND MORE!

- Find out the latest careers, courses and study options available
- Advice on how to enrol
- Opportunity to speak to course admission staff
- Meet with interstate and overseas exhibitors
- Information on bursaries and scholarships
- Attend Seminar sessions



#TSCEA



@CareersEvents



COLLEGE CALENDAR

20-24/3	'Marvellous Mallee' - including Dance Week
21-22/3	School Photos
23/3	Zone Swimming : Prim/Sec
24/3	Arts Function re 'Marvellous Mallee'
31/3	End of Term 1
17/4	Easter Monday
18/4	Start of Term 2
20/4	Interim Reports out
24/4	Flying Doctor visit : P-6
25/4	Anzac Day
26-27/4	Parent/Teacher Interviews : Sec
1/5	Bulb orders due
4/5	Arts Council : 7-12
5/5	House Cross Country
16/5	Mallee Cross Country
9-11/5	NAPLAN
23/5	SAPOL Driver Safety : Year 11
6/6	Zone Cross Country

Community Notices

Friday 24 March



MARVELLOUS MALLEE

Keep the date free!
 Opening of the Community
 Art Project : 6:30pm at the College
 Followed by Dance items from
 students and teachers
 BBQ tea afterwards

STILL NO PHONES!!!

We are still without our
 phone services at school
 and are relying on a small
 mobile phone until we can
 have our system up and
 running again. Please bear
 with us and, if you need to
 make contact,
 email direct to Brenda at
[oster.brenda.j@
edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:oster.brenda.j@edumail.vic.gov.au)



Three Colours SC announces
 that 2017 registrations for
 Under 6 – Under 12 players
 are now open
 Boys and Girls who have played
 the sport before or those who
 wish to play it for the very first
 time are welcome to contact:
 Lukas Pedder 0426 203 693 or
 Lucy Fotia 0439 302 090
threecolourssc@live.com.au
www.threecolours.com.au

COMMUNITY EVENT

26TH APRIL - MILDURA BENETOOK ROOM
 9AM - 3.30PM - LUNCH PROVIDED
 FREE ADMISSION

FAMILY VIOLENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY WHAT CAN I DO?

FAMILY VIOLENCE IS PREVENTABLE - LETS
 TALK ABOUT HOW WE CAN PREVENT FAMILY
 VIOLENCE IN THE MALLEE.

Featuring Nova Peris, Shaan Ross-Smith, Andrew
 Broad, Alan Thorpe, Narelle Kolpin & Marnie Jewell

OPEN TO ALL INDIVIDUALS, ORGANISATIONS,
 CLUBS, GROUPS IN OUR COMMUNITY

[REGISTER NOW ON WWW.EVENTBRITE.COM](http://WWW.EVENTBRITE.COM)

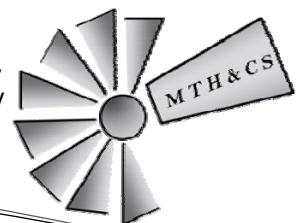
Further Information - <http://www.mfve.net.au/conference>

WELL WOMENS CLINIC : MURRAYVILLE

Glennis Barnes from MTHCS will be visiting
 Murrayville on Tuesday May 8th
 To book your pap smear appointment please phone
 Joy on 5095 2070 or Jacqui on 5095 2205

Mallee Track Health & Community Service MURRAYVILLE DISTRICT NURSING SERVICE

for fortnight of 20th – 31st March 2017
 District Nurse will be available on Wednesday 22nd,
 Monday 27th and Wednesday 29th of March
 Should you require District
 Nursing on any other days
 please contact Lyndal Munro,
 Acting Director of Community
 Services 5092 1111



War does not
 determine who
 is right -
 only who is left