



MORPETH PUBLIC SCHOOL

Week 3, Term 3

6th August, 2018

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday 6th ~ Friday 10th August

Education Week

Thursday 9th August

The Ned Show ~ 2pm

Kinder to Year 6 ~ no cost to students

Friday 10th August

Talent Quest & Sausage Sizzle

NO DRUMMING (Make up lesson - 13.8.18)

NO GUITAR (no charge for this week)

Tuesday 21st August

Book Parade

Book Fair starts and will continue on Wednesday and Thursday of this week

Monday 3rd September

P & C Meeting ~ 9:10 in the Library

Wednesday 12th September

P & C AGM ~ 6.30pm in the Library

All welcome

Friday 14th September

NO GUITAR (no charge for this week)

Friday 28th September

Yr 6 Mini Fete

Last day term 3

Monday 15th October

Students return to school - Term 4 begins



Before & After School Care

Camp Australia - Before and After School Care at Morpeth Public School.

Please call Melissa Curtis (Co-Ordinator) 0417 768 636 and leave a message.

PAYMENT OPTIONS FOR SCHOOL ITEMS:

Cash - to Office

Credit/Debit Card- at Office or via

Parent Online Payments (POP)

- Credit/Debit Card via Website

EFT / Bank transfers no longer available - as directed by DEC.

Look What's Trending on Monday!

Education Week : Welcome to Education Week 2018! We kicked the celebration off in style this morning at our whole school assembly. All students who have represented the school in sport at Zone, Regional or at a selection level were acknowledged with a certificate. At the conclusion of the assembly all students and their families returned to rooms where every student was presented with a certificate.



MLC Education Week Awards—On Wednesday a group of students, a community member and a school program will be acknowledged at Maitland Learning Community's Education Week Presentation evening. The presentation brings together all partner schools of Maitland High School and acknowledges the achievement of students in a range of academic and citizenship areas. A number of our students will also be performing as members of the MLC choir that will perform on the night. Congratulations in advance to all recipients of the awards.



Spelling Bee : Our school will be presenting our annual Spelling Bee competition tomorrow. Students in Years 3-6, who were selected from class heats, will be in action in the MPC from 9:30am. Once again, students will be assessed on word lists provided by the Department of Education's Arts Unit. From tomorrow's assembly, two students from Stage 2 and another two from Stage 3 will be selected to represent at the Regional Final, which will be contested later in the term.

NED Show—We will be hosting the NED Show at 2pm on Thursday afternoon in the MPC for all students. NED, Never give up / Encourage others / Do your best) is a fun filled and interactive presentation that promotes positive attitudes and encourages students and staff to do their best every day. Our school will also be selling yoyos after the show and in the week following. NED will be free for all students.

Got It! : During Term 4 our school will be holding a series of Got it (Getting on Track in Time) workshops for selected students in K-2 and their parents. The highly regarded early intervention program provides specific support and strategies to assist students and their parents to better understand emotional resilience, problem solving and general social skill development. Last week a questionnaire was sent home and, once the documents have been returned and the information collated, eight students will be selected to take part in the program. All K-6 teachers will be trained in the program. We believe that early intervention is essential in providing necessary support for students. For further information about the program, please contact the school.



Talent Quest : On Friday a number of our students will be showcasing their talent in our Education Week Talent Quest. Students will be singing, dancing, playing instruments and delivering comedy routines in front of what promises to be a capacity crowd. Students are able to come to school out of uniform on the day and a sausage sizzle is also available for lunch. Students are asked to bring a gold coin donation to support our performing arts program. The talent quest will begin at 12 midday in the MPC. Parents and families are invited to come along and enjoy the entertainment. *Peter Edmonds*

Talent Quest Meal Deals :last orders taken on WEDNESDAY 8th August. Parents welcome to order.



DON'T FORGET WHEN ORDERING YOUR LUNCH ORDERS TO USE
'www.QuickCliq.com.au'



P & C NEWS



**P & C Meeting : Monday 3rd September, 2018
Week 7 ~ Term 3**

9.10am in the Library - ALL WELCOME !

UNIFORM SHOP

The P&C Uniform Co-ordinator will be available for fitting and uniform purchases at the following times:

Mondays ONLY - from 8.45am

Other times by appointment - Please contact school office for details

or email the uniform shop: morpethpsuniforms@gmail.com

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR ONLINE PAYMENTS - BSB No - 032 639 Account No - 287 512

Canteen News

Week 3 - Term 3, 2018

Tues 07.08.18	Fiona Leary
Wed 08.08.18	Jasmine Lancaster, Louise Griffith
Thurs 09.08.18	Melissa Cowled
Fri 10.08.18	Angela Smith

Week 4 - Term 3, 2018

Tues 14.8.18	HELP NEEDED
Wed 15.8.18	HELP NEEDED
Thurs 16.8.18	Mel Grayson, HELP NEEDED
Fri 17.8.18	Carol Nelson HELP NEEDED



Skoolbag 

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Things you may have missed - check Skoolbag app for all details

- ◆ **URGENT ~ Please pay outstanding Class Requirements Pack fees**
- ◆ The Ned Show ~ this Thursday 9th August
- ◆ Talent Quest and Sausage Sizzle ~ this Friday 10th August
- ◆ Book Parade ~ Week 5 (Theme : Find your treasure)
- ◆ St 3 Sydney Camp - notes sent home last Friday
- ◆ Guitar payments (\$70 T3)
- ◆ Parent Teacher Interview notes - various classes





Economy News Week 2

Jane Fincher - Economy Coordinator

How to earn “peths”: In the Economy, there are two main ways to earn Economy dollars. The first, is to bring in recyclables from the list. All recycling must be labelled with the student’s name and class and preferably clean, dry and counted.

The second, is to work in the Economy. I am particularly grateful for the many helpers who collect recycling from classrooms and strive to keep our playground clean and tidy.

Interest: The Economy bank has issued interest cheques at the rate of 50% to all students operating an Economy bank account. Students in years K-2 have already had their cheques deposited into their bank accounts. Students from years 3-6 MUST deposit their cheques by completing a deposit slip at the Economy Office.

Auctions: Our first Economy auction for this term will be held **at assembly in Week 4.**

If you have any questions regarding Economy operations, or would like to assist, please do not hesitate to contact me.

COMMUNITY FIRST DISASTER RELIEF FUND

All monetary donations over \$2 are tax deductible

- see the school Office for details -

Morpeth PS is acting as a drop-off point for donations to aid drought ravaged areas across the state. Walgett is where our donations are going to be headed in the next couple of weeks with another delivery being planned for before Christmas.

Walgett is a regional hub for the wool, wheat and cotton industries. It is the gateway to the NSW opal fields at Lightning Ridge to the north and the Grawin to the west. The main crop farmed in this district is wheat.

Here are some suggestions for items still needed for our collection :

Sanitary products

Shampoo and Conditioner

Sorbolene cream

Sunscreen

Dove Soap

Body wash

Roll on deodorant

Foot nail brush

Hair brush

Facial wipes

Lip Balm

Razors

Shaving foam



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THE NED SHOW®

Education Week
Thurs 9th August
2pm MPC

Hey families,

The NED Show assembly is visiting our school. The performance uses storytelling, humor, illusions and yo-yo tricks to inspire and motivate your child to:

Never give up ★ Encourage others ★ Do your best.®

SHOW DATE: Thursday 9th August

SALE DATES/TIME: 13th - 17th August

SALE LOCATION: MPC Break (3) 2:20pm
3pm after school







Did you know?

Our school gets the assembly at no cost because we're hosting a Pay-It-Forward Sale. With each purchase, you help:



- Send The NED Show to visit another school at no cost
- Give your child a reminder of NED's message
- Share a timeless toy and the fun of learning yo-yo tricks
- ♥ A small portion of each yo-yo sold will be allocated to your nearest Children's Hospital affiliate as part of our corporate sponsorship.

Yo-yos & accessories are available for 5-10 school days after the show. Check the items you wish to purchase (indicate quantity in the item boxes). Send form and payment to school with your child.

Yo-Yos:	<input type="checkbox"/> NED® YO Glow-in-the-dark	<input type="checkbox"/> BOOMERANG® Auto-return feature	<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELERATOR® Professional, ball bearing
			
Prices include tax (where applicable).	AUD \$8	AUD \$15	AUD \$20

Accessories:	<input type="checkbox"/> Replacement String Pack AUD \$5	<input type="checkbox"/> Yo-Yo Holster AUD \$5
		

Name: _____ Amount Due: _____
Teacher: _____
Make cheques payable to our school.

LEARN MORE ABOUT...

- 50+ free printable Parent Resources to use NED at home
- How your Children's Hospital will benefit from each yo-yo sale
- How kids benefit from learning to yo-yo
- Different features of each yo-yo
- 25+ Instructional, How-to-Yo videos

Visit:
theNEDshow.com/yoyos

Prices effective for 2017-18 School Year.