

MORPETH PUBLIC SCHOOL

Week 6, Term 1

1st March, 2021

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday 2nd March

PSSA Regional Swim Carnival

Monday 8th March

P&C Zoom Meeting

Thursday 4th / Friday 5th March

Start Smart workshops

Thursday 25th March

Young Leaders Day - Student Leaders

Friday 26th March

The NED Show

Thursday 1st April

Last day for students

TBC

Easter Hat Parade

Tuesday 20th April

Students return for Term 2



Before & After School Care

Camp Australia
Before and After School Care
Please call Mellissa

PAYMENT OPTIONS FOR SCHOOL ITEMS:

Cash - to Office

Credit/Debit Card - at Office or via

Parent Online Payments (POP)

Credit/Debit Card via Morpeth Public
School Website

Look What's Trending this week!

Swimming Carnival Results

Our swimming carnival placegetters were presented with ribbons at today's assembly. The carnival produced outstanding performances from our students, across the full field of events, and included record breaking performances by Alby and Evie in the 8 Years freestyle events. We were also able to announce our age champions and the house that amassed the most points on the day to be crowned 2021 champions. Congratulations to Sage (junior girl), Sarah (11 years girl) and Charlotte (12 years girl) along with Alby (junior boy), Patrick (11 years boy) and Koby (12 years boy) who were named as age champions. In a commanding performance that featured high participation and performance in the pool throughout the day, Hume house was announced as carnival champion for 2021. Our age champions will be presented with medallions at our end of year Presentation Day ceremony.

PSSA Netball

Last Wednesday two of our talented Year 5 netballers, Ruby and Charlotte, attended the PSSA netball trials at Maitland Park. Both girls performed with great skill and commitment during the trials, that featured students from across the wider Maitland area. In great news, Charlotte has been selected in the Maitland zone representative squad. Congratulations Charlotte!

School Photography

I mentioned recently that we were in the process of reviewing our school photo service provider. In recent times we have used Master School Portraits (MSP). As is the case with many areas of our school operation, we believe that seeking the input and feedback of our families is essential in order to improve our practice. In the coming weeks, we will provide a product overview from a number of service providers that will include examples and pricing information. We will engage our service provider based on survey results.

Promotional Video

Don't forget to visit our school's webpage for a sneak peek of our promotional video. A Google search for 'Morpeth Public School' will take you directly to our page. Let me know what you think.

Tell Them From Me

Each year our school conducts Tell Them From Me surveys. The external surveys seek feedback from students in Years 4, 5 and 6 about their thoughts on school life, their engagement with activities and their social interaction with others. It is envisaged that we will begin the surveys in Week 8 of this term. Further information will be distributed to families over the coming days; parents are able to 'opt their child out' of the survey if they wish.

P&C Meeting

Our P&C Zoom meeting will be held next Monday (8th March 2021) at 7pm. P&C meetings provide a perfect opportunity to discuss ideas and initiatives to improve school operation. Our hard working team is keen to expand their membership numbers so, if you're keen to be involved, please contact Kasey (0487102 030) for details.

Student Invoices

Please forward payments to school for 2021 Book Packs and Backflips against Bullying. Invoices are emailed to families, via SchoolBytes, each Monday. Payments can be made via the link within the email or directly at the school office.

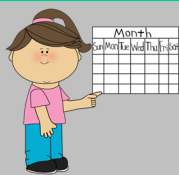
Peter Edmonds



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P & C NEWS



P&C Meeting Monday 8th March 2021

ZOOM MEETING

ALL WELCOME

If you would like to participate in the meeting please contact Kasey on : 0487 102 030 or email morpethspandc@gmail.com

UNIFORM SHOP IS NOW ONLINE ONLY

Uniform orders - PLEASE ORDER ON QUICKCLIQ

For any enquiries please contact: [Bec on 0413 771 181](tel:0413771181) or email morpethspandc@gmail.com
BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR ONLINE PAYMENTS - BSB No - 032 639 Account No - 287 512

Canteen News

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Tues:	02.03.2021	Sally Richards
Wed:	03.03.2021	Carley Fidock
Thurs:	04.03.2021	Kirstin Machan
Fri:	05.03.2021	Carol Nelson, HELP NEEDED

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Tues:	09.3.2021	Fiona Van Leeuwarden
Wed:	10.03.2021	Kasey Flanagan, Elizabeth Gregor
Thurs:	11.03.2021	Kristin Jack
Fri:	12.03.2021	Karen Fitzherbert, HELP NEEDED



PBL

This weeks focus lesson ...

Back Field & Oval

We will be talking with students about ..

Establish rules

Allocate teams fairly

Allocate ref/decision maker

Share play space according to roster with non-contact game

Respond to bell

Accept rulings/decisions of ref

Use positive language

Show sportsmanship

Play fairly

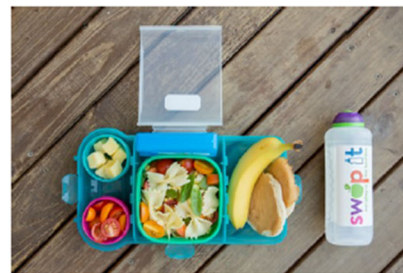


Add a splash of rainbow

Wow your kids by making everyday lunchboxes fun, colourful, and appealing. Lots of colour means lots of different vitamins and minerals.

Swap out cupcakes or lollies and swap in:

- Cherry tomatoes – sweet, shiny and juicy!
- Rainbow vegie sticks – try carrot, beans and capsicum
- Our rainbow recipes – try the rainbow noodles or pasta for a colourful vegie hit!



Find the recipes on the SWAP IT website:

goodforkids.nsw.gov.au/primary-schools/swap-it/recipes



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**Morpeth Public School P & C are publishing our very own
COOKBOOK!**

With funds raised going towards the purchase of a **new playground structure.**

**It is SO simple to submit your
recipes!**

Submit your recipes using this really quick and easy online template.

1. Go to the www.PublishedAuthors.com.au website
2. At the top, click on the Submit Recipe tab
3. Click on 'Select your school' and scroll to find Morpeth Public
4. Click on 'Submit a recipe for this cookbook' and you are ready to type in your favourite family recipes

Don't delay, as submissions will close 10th March, 2021.

- We encourage you to submit more than one recipe, as we may delete duplicate recipes.
- Why not advertise your business in our cookbook?

Email Kasey, at klflanagan@hotmail.co.uk for advertising rates and enquiries.

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**Preorder your copy of our
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NOW!**

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GIRLS COME AND TRY CLINIC

Ages 5 - 17 years

Somerset Park Sporting Fields

Sunday the 7th March

10.00am - 12.00pm

For more details and to register go to:

<https://www.playrugbyleague.com/play/>

type in postcode 2322 to locate the clinic.

