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2022 Term 4 Week 1

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Principal Message

Welcome Back!

We hope our families and friends had a very relaxing holiday! I would like to welcome you all back for Term 4 and hope to see our families engaged in our events over the coming term. I would like to thank Mrs Jacinta Wheeler for relieving in my position for one week while I was on long service leave visiting family.

Firstly, I would like to welcome our new preschool students for our 'Starting Strong' transition program. Students must be enrolled for 2023 Kindergarten to attend the transition program. Miss Hogan is very excited to be starting this program with our small group of students. Enrolments can be completed on-line as well.

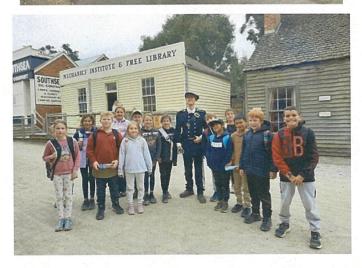
I would like to thank Mrs Mertz and Miss Wilson for agreeing to continue the Year 3/4 excursion to Ballarat. The students had a fabulous learning journey and a report will be published next week about their experience.

A huge thank you to the P&C and school families for catering for the Dog Trials. We have received lots of lovely feedback about the catering and this has been appreciated in the community.













Trivia Night this Friday Night!

We currently only have two tables booked for the night. This will be a major fundraiser for the P&C and we are hoping to have at least 10 tables booked. To book a table, please call the school. All community members are invited. We also need to know the number of people we are catering for, so we have enough food and don't waste money on buying too much.



Australian Themed Trivia & Dress Up



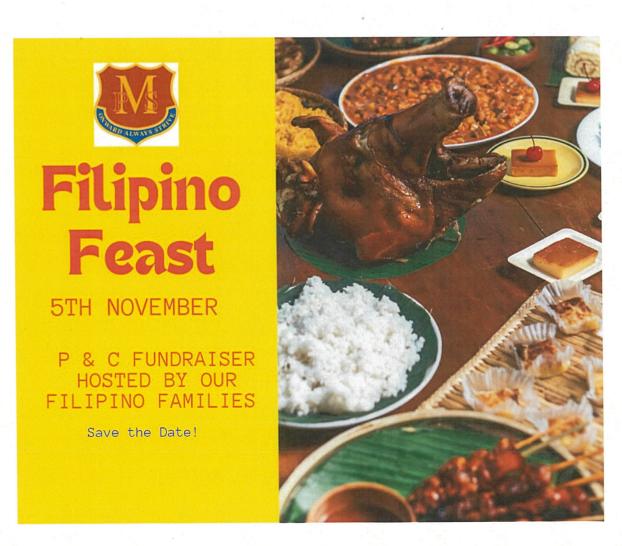


Musica Viva- Tuesday 25th October 9.00am-10.00am

In constant demand all over the world, Taikoz bring their dynamic and heart-stopping traditional Japanese taiko drumming to our school, demonstrating how this incredible art form is made relevant to Australia today. Our students love live performances and all students have been participating in music lessons across the year and learning about rhythm, beat and musical concepts relevant to their age. To finish off the year of learning, we have organised this drumming band from Sydney to attend.

If parents are interested in attending the concert, please call the office. We will have space for about 25 parents. The cost will be \$9.50 to attend if you are interested in seeing this amazing performance. The school will be covering the cost of students and preschool students.



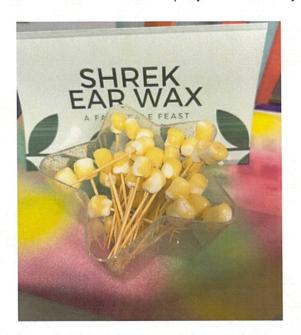


New end date for students in Term 4

Students will now finish school on Friday 16th December 2022. This is due to an additional School Development Day being announced for staff across NSW public schools. School Development Days allow our staff to participate in professional learning that was put on hold due to COVID-19 staffing pressures and plan ahead for 2023 to ensure we meet the needs of our students. With this change, we ask that you arrange alternative care for your child on Monday 19th December.

K-2 Finish Term 3 off in a Magical way!

An amazing effort by our K-2 staff for making the last day for the students an amazing 'Fairy Tale' day. This is another example of our teachers going above the call of duty to enrich our students' experiences at our great school. Many hours went into this event and I would like to thank Miss Schupfer and Miss Pappin for all their effort and dedication. Our teachers made all the creative party food for the day. The kids definitely got spoilt!



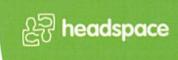






upcoming sessions

headspace is offering free mental health education webinars in Term 4 for Parents and Carers in **Murrumbidgee**. Follow the links to register.





Connecting and communicating with my young person

Date: Monday, 31 October 2022 Time: 6:00 - 7:15pm AEDT Location: Online webinar

Registration: https://bit.ly/3xUReKC



This session aims to:

- Strengthen knowledge and understanding of the mental health challenges facing young people today
- Increase awareness of your young person's emotions, thoughts, feelings, and behaviours
- Identify opportunities for connection with your young person and enhance your conversational approach
- Introduce skills and strategies to encourage and support help-seeking



Navigating uncertainty and change

Date: Wednesday, 23 November 2022 Time: 12:00 - 1:15pm AEDT Location: Online webinar

Registration: https://bit.ly/3SuFoyw



This session aims to:

- Strengthen understanding of how young people can be affected by change and uncertainty
- Build skills and strategies to support young people who are navigating change
- Identify signs that young people may need additional support
- Build awareness of local, state, and national supports available to young people

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