



# MORISSET PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Term 4 Week 6 2013

## REMEMBRANCE DAY

On Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November, 2013 it was Remembrance Day. Ella Murray, Tahnee Coulter and I went to Morisset Country Club to represent Morisset Public School at the Remembrance Day Ceremony. It was interesting to hear all the different poems and to understand that poppies are used to represent the loss of life that happens in war. The RSL kindly donated some books to our school library. It was a special day.

By Siena Turner



## DATES TO REMEMBER

### TERM 4

#### **NOVEMBER**

##### **Week 6**

**FRI 15 ASSEMBLY - Shadow Cabinet  
at 1pm**

Thurs 14 Kindy 2014-Bright Beginnings  
"What's Hot in Kindy 2014"

Fri 15 Dress Up as Your Favourite Sports  
Star (Gold Coin Donation)

Fri 15 Stage 2 Swimming Program

##### **Week 7**

Fri 22 Stage 2 Swimming Program

##### **Week 8**

Wed 27 T20 Milo Blast Cricket West Lakes  
Junior Gala Day

Fri 29 Stage 2 Swimming Program

#### **DECEMBER**

##### **Week 9**

Tues 3 Musical—Matinee

Wed 4 Year 6 Orientation Day at Morisset  
High School

Wed 4 Musical

Thurs 5 Musical

##### **Week 10**

Wed 11 Stage 2 Picnic Day

Wed 11 Year 6 Farewell

Thurs 12 Presentation Day

Fri 13 Kindy 2014—Bright Beginnings  
"Teddy Bears' Picnic"

##### **Week 11**

Wed 18 Mud Day Year 6

Wed 18 Students Last Day

## P & C NEWS

There are lots of **Thank You's** this week!!

\*Fundraiser Calenders/Diaries/Iphone Covers etc

**Thank you** to everyone who ordered these great Christmas present ideas. They should be back in about two weeks. We will let everyone know when they have arrived back. Thank you to Mrs Boyd and staff for helping the children with their beautiful artwork.

\*Family Portraits - Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November.

**Thank you** to everyone who booked a spot for the Family Portraits on Sunday. It all went very smoothly. They will be back for viewing on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> November between 2pm and 4pm in the Library.

\*Christmas Raffle - Will be drawn at assembly on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.

**Thank you** to everyone who brought in a donation for the Christmas Raffle on Friday, it is very much appreciated. You can keep them coming in, the more donations the more opportunity to win a prize! Toys, Christmas decorations, supplies to make up/put in hampers, baskets, wrapping supplies, gift cards/vouchers etc are all gratefully received. If you or someone you know have ideas for bigger prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes, please let me know.

\*Next P&C Meeting - Friday 22nd November - A.G.M.

Change of time for the A.G.M. and General Meeting. It will now be held at **1.30pm** instead of 9.15am. Sorry for any inconvenience, hope to see you there.

**NEW** now in stock, Boys Black School Shorts! Sizes 6 & 8 \$18.00

Have a great week,

Rebecca Harridge

P&C President

## CANTEEN

Please place lunch orders with canteen

**AS SOON AS**

**YOU ARRIVE AT SCHOOL.**

Some students have been forgetting and handing their order in at lunch time.



**TICKETS ARE STILL  
AVAILABLE FOR THE  
TUESDAY MATINEE**





# Assembly Awards

## Term 4 Week 5

### KB Student of the Week:

- ♦ Matilda Scott
- Merit Award**
- ♦ Kurtis Dicandilo
- ♦ Lili Serone

### KG Student of the Week:

- ♦ Tyler Stace
- Merit Award**
- ♦ Name Withheld
- ♦ Lucas Murray

### 1K Student of the Week:

- ♦ Tyree Griffiths
- Merit Award**

- ♦ Angus Clarke
- ♦ Charlotte Harris
- ♦ Nicholas Patterson

### 1/2J Student of the Week:

- ♦ Jackson Scanlon
- Merit Award**
- ♦ Amelia Barnett
- ♦ Nicholas Patterson

### 2B Student of the Week:

- ♦ Nathan Herring
- Merit Award**

- ♦ Brandon King
- ♦ Jessica

### 2/3N Student of the Week:

- ♦ Isabelle Hartge
- Merit Award**

- ♦ Aiden Williams
- ♦ Mackenzie Vider

### 3/4W Student of the Week:

- ♦ Riley McManus
- Merit Award**

- ♦ Sarah Bridge
- ♦ Charlotte Hill

### 4/5L Student of the Week:

- ♦ Kyle Wilkes
- Merit Award**

- ♦ Name Withheld
- ♦ David Coleman

### 5/6G Student of the Week:

- ♦ Dylan Newland
- Merit Award**
- ♦ Matthew Grebert
- ♦ Holly Saunders

## 5/6K Student of the Week:

- ♦ Lindsay Millane
- Merit Award**
- ♦ Aaron Bennett
- ♦ Coby Sharp

## You Can Do It Awards



**Confidence:** Cai Dicandilo,  
Shayla Ridley

**Resilience:** Dylan Newland

**Persistence:** Kyle Wilkes

**Organisation:** Name  
Withheld

**Getting Along:** Angus Clark

## Reading Awards



### Bronze Reading Awards

Katelyn Penman

### Silver Reading Awards

Gabby

### Gold Reading Awards

Shawn Hill, Breanna Swain,  
Isabelle Hallett, Lucas Murray

### Double Bronze Reading Awards

Krystle Lienau

### Double Silver Reading Awards

Tyler Stace

### Royal Amethyst Reading Awards

Ashlyn Hunt

## ATTENTION PARENTS OF YEAR 5 STUDENTS

### Selective High School Applications 2015

Please note that if you wish to apply for a Selective High School in 2015 an *"Intention to Apply—Year 7 entry into selective high schools in 2015"* form should be filled out as soon as possible. These forms are available from the school office.

After these are received by the school, it will be necessary to apply, either:

on-line at - [www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplcement](http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplcement)

OR,

if the internet is not available, fill out a form supplied by the school, which will be available from 22nd October 2013. Both forms of application will need to be completed by 18th November 2013. In the case of the paper application, it will need to be returned to school by 18th November 2013.

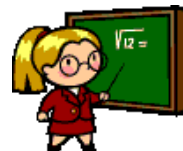
## MORISSET HIGH SCHOOL

### YEAR 6 - 7 TRANSITION ACTIVITIES 2013

#### • ORIENTATION DAY (WEDNESDAY 4/12/13)

Year 6 students spend a day at MHS getting a taste of High School life including peer support activities, orientation around the school, introducing key staff, sport and sport's houses and enjoy a series of taster lessons following a High School style timetable. The opportunity is given to answer student's questions, explain what to do and where to go on the first day (and how to get home).

# Teachers Corner



## School Attendance!

### Did you know?

That if your child misses 8 days in a school term, by the end of primary school they will have missed a year of education.

Once your child is enrolled in school they are required to attend school every day that instruction is provided.

**All absences must be justified** by either sending in a note to the class teacher or ringing the school on the day of absence.

Principals may request a doctor's certificate for prolonged illnesses.

Exemptions from absence may be granted by the principal for ongoing medical or speech appointments and long term infectious illnesses.

Exemptions from absence may be granted by the principal for family vacations.

**Exemption forms are available at the school office** and must be filled in prior to absence. They cannot be back dated.

**Parents may be prosecuted if children of compulsory school age (6years – 17 years) have recurring numbers of unjustified absences.**

### LIBRARY

This is the last week for borrowing in the library. From Week 7 (Monday 18 November) the library will be closed so we can undertake our annual stocktake.



If you have any outstanding books please return them to the library.

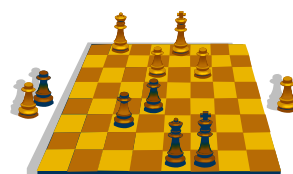
### FUNDAY

*Last Friday Year 6 held their annual Fun Day and raised \$560 for the School Parliament.*

*These funds will help pay for the*

*Year 6 Farewell.*

*Way to go Year 6!*





**MORISSET HIGH  
SCHOOL  
2013  
Annual  
Showcase Night  
20th November  
6.30pm - 8.30pm**



**CANCER COUNCIL**

Last term we held a fund raising day for the Cancer Council. We donated \$325. We have received a letter from the Cancer Council explaining just what the donation can do for cancer patients:

**\$5** - can help give a newly diagnosed cancer patient important support and information resources to help them through their cancer journey.

**\$10** - can help offer free exercise programs to help cancer patients build strength and fitness during and after treatment.

**\$25**- can help transport cancer patients to and from hospital for treatment.

**\$50** - can help Cancer Council Helpline 131120 provide free and confidential information and support on all aspects of cancer.

**\$100** - can help fund ground-breaking research into new and better ways to prevent diagnose and treat cancer.

**Well done MPS!!**

*The 6<sup>th</sup> Annual*  
**Summer Holiday Junior Chess  
Tournament**



**When:** 11am to about 4.30pm  
Monday, January 20, 2014  
(traditionally the third Monday in January)

**Where:** Mingara Recreation Club  
Mingara Drive, Tumbi Umbi  
(Central Coast, east of Wyong)

**Must Pre-enter**, then pay entry fee of \$10 on the day. Pre-enter as soon as possible at [glosh51@dodo.com.au](mailto:glosh51@dodo.com.au) or by phoning 4390 8176. The field will be limited (we have only so much equipment) and entries will be accepted on a

first-come-first-served basis.

When entering please provide player name and DoB plus parent e-mail address (if any) and emergency contact number. Entries close on Friday, January 17. In January 2013 we had 70 players.

**Who may play:**

From Kindy kids to 17-year-olds (no minimum age).

**Minimum ability:**

Beginners are very welcome, but must know the basic rules of the game and how the pieces move. Must be able to complete a game unassisted.

**Prizes:**

About half of all players will win prizes, which are awarded over a number of age groups. This is a non-profit tournament with all entry fees after minimal expenses to be returned as prizes.

**Format:** 7-round Swiss

Time control: 15 mins per player (longer in later rounds if time permits).

All entrants will play seven games.

**Puzzle solving competitions:**

Prizes for solving chess puzzles after each round.



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