Welcome to 2015
Millthorpe Public School
Newsletter

Issue 17

Dates To Remember

➡️ Infants assembly 12th June, 2-3pm, in the hall
➡️ Week 7 - ICAS Science competition
➡️ Thursday 4th June, confirmation lessons, lunchtime with Father Tim, in D1
➡️ Jump Rope for Heart Day 19th June.
➡️ Whole School Assembly Friday 26th June, 9am - 11am.
➡️ School Footsteps Disco Thursday 25th June, 5.30 - 7.00pm. In the hall.
➡️ Dance week 24th, 25th, 26th June.

Principal’s Report

Vacation Care Opportunity - please respond to Nancy

School holidays program in Millthorpe - Expression of interest

Hello Millthorpe Parents, Would you be interested in a school holidays program at the School of Arts?

Before I go further in the process, I would like to make sure that it is needed. It would run Monday to Friday from 8:30 to 3:30 during both weeks of this coming school holidays. The group would be of only 8 children per day. Unfortunately, I could not offer any rebates as it's a private business, nonetheless I would have the appropriate insurance and apply the staff/children ratio as per Outside School Hours Care. The fee would be $50 per day per child, this would include supplies for everyday activities (craft, baking, sports etc). The children would need to bring morning tea and lunch.

If you need care during the school holidays or just feel like you would like your children to go and play for the day, please let me know either by e-mail: mcdion@dodo.com.au or by phone: 0403 639 085.

In advance, thank you!

Nancy

Millthorpe Public School NEW partial Athletics Carnival Date
Wednesday 3rd June
We will be holding the 800m and 200m events on Wednesday 3rd.
Principal’s Report Continued

**Staff Changes**

Mrs Stanford has accepted an appointment as Principal at Manildra Public School, and will not be returning to Millthorpe. Congratulations and best wishes to Mrs Stanford.

Mr Tom Aggett will start on 3/4S on Monday 9th June, until a permanent appointment is made by staffing services.

Mr Ross will continue as Assistant Principal (relieving) until this appointment is made.

Next week, I will be on leave, until the end of term, and Mrs Gardiner will replace me as Principal. Mrs Maskill will be looking after 2G, and Mr Truloff will be relieving as Assistant Principal.

Miss Toohey has done a wonderful job looking after 3/4S for the last 2 weeks, our thanks for the great work Abbey!

**Assembly**

Our next assembly is an Infants assembly - Friday 12th June, in the hall, 2pm - 3pm.

**Jump Rope for Heart day**

Our jump-off day is scheduled for Friday 19th June, in the hall 2-3pm.

**Paying for School Fees, Incursions, Book packs, Stationary packs, Text Books, subscriptions etc etc**

The new LMBR system which we are piloting is continuing to develop new functions, and next year will launch the Parent Portal, where your fees, text books, stationary costs and excursion costs will be available to you, and payment can be made online from home.

A word of warning, that some of you may get a nasty shock when any unpaid fees from 2014, 2015 and 2016 will all be accumulated onto one BIG BILL!!

For this reason, families will receive a reminder notice of unpaid fees for this year, during the last weeks of Term 2. We are relying on our new accounting system to provide us with accurate information about outstanding fees, so please be polite, and if you believe there is an error, let us know nicely!

According to our records, there are quite a few children who have not paid their incursion fee of $40 for this year,( 60 families ) and we have several incursion activities coming up - including the dance week and disco, in Week 10 this term, Musica Viva and Life Ed Van early next term.

Payment can be made for all school costs in small installments during the year, please consider making a part payment for some of the fees owing - $45 per term, for school costs.

**P&C Meeting**

Tonight! 6pm in the library - see you there!

*Kind Regards*

Jo Jackett

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**P&C Meeting Tonight, 6pm in the school library.**

It would be great to see some more new faces - we had a great roll up last meeting! As always, feel free to give me a call on 0411 579 288 or email me at will.c.armstrong@icloud.com any time. Thanks Will.

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**Millthorpe PS Boys’ Soccer team!**
**CANTEEN NEWS Term 2 Week 7**

**Helper needed for Friday 26th June**

Please contact Jo on 0417 284 383 or jcparke@bigpond.com

**TERM 2 ROSTER**

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Parents, Friends & Relatives!

The school canteen needs YOUR help! Jo is really finding it hard to fill spots on the roster. If you have any spare time on a Thursday or Friday we would really appreciate your help. Your children love it when they see you there. It’s not a hard job, and if you aren’t confident with money that’s ok too! We will put you on a fun job. Free lunch and coffee is provided in a friendly atmosphere. Thanks Canteen Committee!

**Primary Assembly 29-5-15**

**3R** Mathew McKenna, Codie Collins, Oscar Moore, Lily McDonell, Freya Baker, Sara Coffield, Max Richards, Ilka Gordon, Jasmine Anthony

**3/4S** Monique Woods, Cambell Williams, Grace Francis, Noah Ellem, Patrick McKiernan, Hadden Bennett, Finn McDonell

**4R** Matthew Brown, Rylie Heller, Noah Yates, Mitchell Foran, Aaliyah Buchtmann, Kaitlyn Davis, Grace Hill, Makeedi Taylor

**5/6T** Izac Cowan, Bradley Denzel, Hayden Goodsell, Jack Gordon, Scott McGoldrick, Gabbie Watterson, Ayla Bird, Danny Collins, Mia Davis, Zac Milgate

**5/6M** Eleanor Edwards, Melissa Cowan, Tom Cooper, Fergus Connick, Abigayle Clout, Paige Jones, Bailee Williams, Max Truloff, Loretta Francis

**Award of Merit**

Eleanor Matheson-Clark, Jai Hudson, Lily McDonell, Eleanor Edwards, Tayla Hildenbeutel, Ethan Bird, Oliver Yates, Oscar Moore, Mitchell Foran, Rylie Heller, Paddy McKiernan, Emily Spargo, Bradley Denzel, Pip Parkinson, Ashley Sawdy, Harrison Coleman, Tate Juffermans, Sara Coffield, Mia Davis, Abbey Roweth, Amy Copelin, Lili Read, Noah Yates

**Green Banner** Kate Comally

**Red Banner** Georgina Kingham, Eleanor Matheson-Clark, Mitchell Foran

**Blue Banner** Eleanor Edwards
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**Millthorpe Junior Soccer**

This weekend: general BYE due to long weekend.  
Updates on draw will be posted on our Facebook page, and [www.orangefootball.org.au](http://www.orangefootball.org.au) when available.

A couple of pairs of boots and a pair of shin pads available to buy/swap – see our Facebook site.

Below is a photo of our U7 Roar v. Stripes who had a great game on Sat.

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**Are you expecting Twins or Triplets (or more)?**  
Are you a parent of Twins or Triplets (or more)?  
Then this is for you!

We run a monthly playgroup as well as a catch up over dessert once a month. Both are a great chance to connect with other multiple birth families in the area and to support each other as we share our unique pregnancy and parenting experiences. We have equipment for hire for members (including Breast Feeding & Bottle Feeding Pillows) as well as other member benefits. To join or for further information, please contact:  
Phone: Angela – 0407600272  
Email: orangemultiplebirths@yahoo.com.au

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/orangemultiplebirthassociation](http://www.facebook.com/orangemultiplebirthassociation)

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**Tonic**

**Longest Lunch**  
**Shortest Day**  
21st June 2015

When: Sunday 21st June  
Start: 12 noon

Ph: Bookings 63663811  
Full Bar facilities, to accompany a feast of hibernation proportions

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**PnR Seafoods** Fresh n Frozen

From the Coast 2 the Country, delivers to Millthorpe Fridays 9-11am Call: 0408448049

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**Holiday Art Workshops**

Through a series of fun exercises, children will look at and discuss some famous artworks in the art room as a stimulus for the activities which will include drawing, painting, printmaking or sculpture. Children will develop their skills in colour, composition and painting through fun activities that are a mix of theory and practical exercises! These are fun class’ that supports individuality and the enquiring mind of our young artists. 4 workshops available over 2 days, Monday 29.6.15 & Thursday 2.7.15

MIXED MEDIA, still life, PRINT MAKING, animals SCULPTURE, mobiles, DRAWING, portraits For further information about the workshops costs & location please go to [www.pennymayscreativespace.com.au](http://www.pennymayscreativespace.com.au)

No prior art experience required.