

# MAYRUNG PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 1  
Week 4



A note from the Principal...  
It must be time for a swimming carnival, the weather is cooler! Always seems to happen, at least there are no storms forecasted for this Friday's carnival. The students have all completed a training session at the pool and are quite eager to put their swimming talents to the test. Understanding that a number of parents won't be able to attend, due to work commitments, etc, we do hope to see as many supporters as possible and will require assistance with time keeping.

We welcome our new student, Jet Austin to Year Six and wish him an enjoyable time at Mayrung School, along with his family.

Thank you to those who attended our Information Night and AGM, last week. We hope that we have a similar turn up to the rest of the P&C meetings throughout the year. Congratulations to Carolyn Flannigan for taking on the role of secretary and a big thank you to our outgoing secretary, Stacey Salusalu for her time and effort whilst in the role.

During the meeting there was lengthy discussion relating to the canteen, especially regarding the menu and pricing. Please take note of the new menu and letter from Tarrisa Moore, out laying the canteen routine. I'd like to thank Tarrisa for her extensive research regarding the menu and organisation.

Looking forward to seeing as many as possible at the Swimming Carnival! Go Mayrung!!!

*Julie Eason*



Another smiley face around the school.  
We hope Jet will settle into our school routine very quickly.

## NEWS FROM MS WILLIAMS

Dear Parents,  
Students in 3-6 have been busy in literacy learning about narratives and anecdotes. They are in the process of publishing them and we will have some to share with you in the next newsletter. In maths we have been furthering our knowledge of place value. We are also enjoying our new science unit on 'Water' so please ask your child about the water cycle. Students are exploring beat in music and we look forward to beginning ukulele lessons.

## SWIMMING CARNIVAL:

Swimming Carnival will be held in Deniliquin at the town pool in Poitiers Street this Friday, 21st February starting at 10 am. Please have your child/ren there at **9.50 am**. This is a whole school activity and it is parents' responsibility to take their students to the pool and pick them up again. If you have any problems in regards of this please ring the school. Thank you.

## DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

Thursday	20 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Canteen Tennis Pre-Selection
Friday	21 <sup>st</sup> Feb	Swimming Carnival
Friday	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb	District Swimming Carnival
Monday	3 <sup>rd</sup> March	Swimming @ Deni pm
Tuesday	4 <sup>th</sup> March	Basketball Pre-Selection

"Familiarity breeds contempt but a certain amount of familiarity is necessary to breed anything

## NEWS FROM MRS ADAMSON

Dear parents/carers,

We have had another busy fortnight.

It was great to see you all at the Parent Information Night. If you have any queries about the assessment form I gave you please call me.

I have completed the Best Start Assessment which enables me to plot the kinders on the continuum which helps with planning for where they need to go next. As soon as they are entered I will send you information on where they are and some simple ideas of what you can do at home to help them move on.

This week the Kinders will be looking at the letters 'Ll' and 'Ff', a lot of the class activities will be based around these letters. Year 1's spelling words are 'ump, amp & imp' and Year 2 is 'ee' as in cheese.

Thankyou for your support with the children's homework and their home reading. Most of them have been bringing in their home reader bags and putting their completed homework on my desk every day. Well done!! Don't forget to fill in their home reader diaries, as this gives the children the opportunity to reach the reading goals and feel a sense of achievement. Maths homework will be in their homework folders this week.

Thankyou all for your support, look forward to seeing you at the swimming carnival on Friday.

Regards

Jenny Adamson

## FAMILY RECORD UPDATE:

Thank you to the parents who have already filled and handed the family update sheet back. Could the rest of you please fill it and send it back to school.

## CANTEEN:

Please refer for more information to the attached document from Tarria.

The canteen roster for the rest of the term is:

Date	Parents rostered on	
20 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Tarria Moore	Robin Laverty
7 <sup>th</sup> March	Rebecca Strong	Kristy Hetherington
21 <sup>st</sup> March	Kaylene Loader	Nicole Jansen
4 <sup>th</sup> April	Lynda Barclay	Caroline Flannigan

Please note the crossed out items on the menu list are not available in the moment but will be on offer soon.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Deniliquin Palygroup Open Day

**Where:** guide Hall, Whitelock Street, Deniliquin

**When:** Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>

**Time:** 10 am until 12 noon

Come and inspect our new facilities. Wee what Playgroup has to offer. Play, create, snack a sausage, get more information!

Whether you are looking for somewhere your mothers' group can continue to meet or you are an individual looking to meet new people, Playgroup has something to offer you!

*Co-ordinator: Lauren Kelly 0417 978 444*

*Secretary: Jacinta Hawley 0406 878 191*

*Trassurer: Leah Robinson 0414 249 795*

## IGLOO BASE



Thanks to Mr Eason we have now the igloo base and can start getting serious with our igloo construction. If you have any spare time we would appreciate if you could come down and lend us a hand, even after school hours would be possible.

## AASC SWIMMING:

As part of our Active After School Community Program this term we are running one of the sessions at the Deniliquin Pool. The students will attend the morning session as per usual at school and we will board the bus a bit after 12 noon. The session at the pool are from 1 – 3 pm.

Town students can be picked up from there at 3 pm. Out of town students can catch the high school buses. Please indicate on the permission note if your child/ren is/are using the bus so we can make arrangements with Purfills.

Pool Entry will be covered by the program, so there is no need to pay the \$2 for pool entry.

We still ask you to send sunscreen.

## ATTACHMENTS:

- Calendar
- Canteen Update
- Menu & Fresh Food Ideas
- Swimming Carnival Permission Note
- AASC Swimming Permission Note