Whitton Murrami Public School

Newsletter

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WHAT’S ON AT WMPS...

TERM 1, WEEK 5
Friday, 27/2  Whole School Assembly
Small Schools Basketball

TERM 1, WEEK 6
Tuesday, 4/3  Rural Fire Brigade visit

FEATURE PHOTO

3-6 Students utilising the technology.

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LNPSSA Swimming Carnival
Fourteen students from Whitton Murrami were successful in gaining entry into the LNPSSA Zone Swimming Carnival. **Congratulations to Bella Creek for coming first in the 50 metres Girls Backstroke.** Bella will now go to Albury on the 9th of March to compete in the Riverina PSSA Swimming Carnival.

Relay Team to Riverina Carnival
Congratulations to our P5 relay team consisting of Claire Strachan, Fred Herrmann, Emma DeMamiel, and Bella Creek for progressing through to the Riverina Swimming Carnival at Albury. What a great achievement!

Leadership Positions
This Friday at 2.30pm, we will be having a special assembly to announce leadership positions of the school. All Year 6 students will be bestowed the honour of a leadership position for the 2015 educational year and will receive their badges. We extend an invitation to all parents to attend this special occasion.

P&C Pancake Stall
This weekend, the P&C will be holding a pancake stall at Darlington Point for the Riverina Classic Fishing Competition. With over 2000 competitors and many activities planned for children and families it will be a fantastic opportunity for our P&C to raise much needed funds for our school.

The P&C are asking for members of both Murrami and Whitton communities to assist in any way they can. Please find below different methods and times that you may able to assist:

Making pancake batter - Friday 3pm at Whitton Murrami PS kitchen

Cooking and selling pancakes at Darlington Point – from 8am Saturday

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If you could assist for even a short period of time over the weekend the school and the P&C would really appreciate it.
**Director Visit**
I would like to welcome Mr Brad Russell, Director Public Schools N.S.W (Griffith Network), who will be paying our school a visit tomorrow. I look forward to discussing our school and future directions with him.

**VOX POP**
This week’s Vox Pop will feature Kiera Jewel.

**Trivia**

**Last week**

**Q:** Using only addition, how do you add eight 8’s and get the number 1000?
**A:** $888 + 88 + 8 + 8 + 8 = 1000$

**This week**

**Q:** What belongs to you but other people use it more than you

I am looking forward to meeting with you and discussing the educational needs of your children and working together to provide a quality education for all students at Murrami Public School.

“Every successful individual knows that his or her achievements depends on a community of persons working together” – Paul Ryan

Cheers

Duncan Adams

**Fruit Trees**
Thank you to Mark Thomas, Kevin Amery and the senior students for setting up a drip watering system for our fruit trees. Between the watering system and the recent rains, it should not be too long before the students can harvest the ‘fruits’ of their labour!

**Basketball**
This Friday Fred Hermann and Ryan Taylor will represent Small Schools’ in the LNPSSA Basketball trials. I wish the students well on the day.

**Health Care Plans**
Please complete your child’s Health Care Plan and return to the school with any medication your child may need administered including antihistamines, Ventolin and puffers. If you require another copy please contact the office

**Banking**
School banking will be on a Wednesday. Students are asked to drop in their banking to Jodie in the front Office on Wednesday mornings.

**Lunch Orders**
Lunch Orders from ‘Robin’s Nest’ (the general store) will continue to service Whitton Murrami Public School. Lunch bags have also gone out to all students with spares at the school if needed. Parents are asked to write out their child’s lunch order with the required money enclosed (change will be given) and to hand into the school office. Please note: students are still able to order through the shop as normal.

**Whitton Murrami Facebook Page**
Don’t forget to regularly check our Whitton Murrami Facebook Page for school updates.

**Computers Wanted for Scrapping**

**Computer Towers, Monitors, Desktops, Keyboards, Mouse, Laptops, Notebooks, Printers, good Hard Drives and anything to do with computers.**

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or drop off to Tracy Catlin at the Whitton Post Office
Name: Keira Jewel

What is the best thing about Whitton Murrami Public School?

*Playing with the basketballs and my friends.*

If you were Principal for a day what would you do?

*Get the kids to clean up the classrooms,*

*let them read books and have free play.*

What is the best thing about being a child today?

*I like to read books and play on the computer.*

What do you want to be when you grow up?

*A teacher.*