



NEWSLETTER

Mendooran Central School

Learn to Live

Term 4 Week 1

Monday 15th October 2018

No hat...



No play!

With the warmer weather upon us now, it is important that all students bring a hat everyday to school. No hat no play at lunch, PE lessons and sport. Have your child keep a hat in their school bag so they are able to play on any day of the week. The school has new MCS hats for sale, caps \$10 and bucket hats \$15. If you are having difficulty in purchasing a hat please don't hesitate to contact the school.

PRINCIPAL'S NOTES

Welcome Back

We look forward to busy and productive Term 4. This term is a 10 week term, with the last day of school for students on Wednesday 19th December.

HSC Exams

Over the next several weeks our Mendooran Central School Year 12 students will be sitting their HSC Exams. HSC Exams begin this week with English on Thursday 18th.

Infants Tabloid Day

This Friday 19th October students in K-2 who have previously returned their permission notes and money will attend the Binnaway Sports Tabloid Day. This activity was postponed from late Term 3. Miss Burns and Mrs Currall will be attending. We hope the weather stays fine for a great day out.

Excursions

This week Primary teachers will be finalising all paper work in preparation for their excursions in Week 2. K-2 students will be attending a day excursion to The Zoo on Friday 26th October. The K-2 bus will leave school at 9am and return by 3pm. The Year 3-6 students are very keen to attend Lake Burrendong Sport and Recreation Camp from Wednesday 24th – Friday 26th October. The Yr 3-6 bus will depart school next Wednesday at 9am and return on Friday approximately 4pm.

Totally Smiles Dental Van

This week our school hosts a visit from Totally Smiles Dental Van. This incredible service is being offered for FREE under the federal government's Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS). On Thursday Primary students will be involved in their dental education session 1, with further sessions and dental checks available later in the term.

Kindergarten Orientation

Our new 2019 Kindergarten Students will commence their Orientation Sessions in the Kindergarten Room with Miss Burns starting Monday 29th October, 10.00 – 10.50am. Further sessions take place in November. For enquiries please contact the school.

Ride Against Cancer Fundraiser by Sue Ellen Lovett

Blind Paralympian Sue-Ellen Lovett is riding to raise money to help those touched by Cancer. She will ride into Mendooran during the afternoon. Our local Pony Club is involved in this fundraiser and we have several students riding alongside Sue-Ellen as she enters our township. Congratulations to Shellby Adams, Airlie Smith, Victoria Monk and Anna Ward who have risen to the occasion to be a part of this amazing fundraiser ride. If they arrive in town before the end of school we look forward to cheering them on as they lap our school oval.

Mrs Vicki Parnaby

Acting Principal



Mendooran Central School Leaders

Principal Mrs Julie Waters	
Assistant Principal Vicki Parnaby	HTSS Troy Newberry
Captains Secondary Peta M ^c Leod Lachlan Howarth	Vice Caps Secondary Kyle Hartley Bret Boneham
Captains Primary Shellby Adams Airlie Smith	Vice Caps Primary Felicity Cook Riley Brady

PRIMARY ASSEMBLY

TERM 3, WEEK 10

STUDENT OF THE WEEK



K: Lachlan Sweeney



1/2: Cooper Thompson



3/4: Laura-Jo Munro



5/6: Rachael Hunt

MERIT AWARDS



K: Hailee Cook



1/2: Jacqueline Rogers



3/4: Talei Witchard-Spencer



5/6: Janet Hellyer



K: Josephine Donley



1/2: Tristan Carey



3/4: Jeremy Dixon



5/6: William Duce



Happy Birthday



Casey McKechnie,
Shaelah Karon &
Jack Buchanan!



Today you are **YOU**,
that is **TRUER** than true.
There is **NO ONE** alive
who is **YOUER** than **YOU!**

The more that you read,
the more things that you'll know.
The more that you learn,
the more places you'll go.
-Dr. Seuss

Kindergarten

Welcome back to Term 4. This Friday we will be heading to Binnaway for the Infants Tabloids day and next Friday we will be heading to Dubbo Zoo for our Excursion.

This week we will be getting back into the swing of things. With Mathematics we will be looking at Chance/Data. In Science we are looking at weather and in PD we will be looking at being active. Have a great week.

C Burns

Year 1/2

Welcome back to our last term! I'm looking forward to getting lots of work done before the end of the year, plus a bit of fun too! We are focusing on the 'sh' and 'ch' sound this week. We head to Binnaway on Friday for our Infants Tabloid Day and next week we have our K-2 Excursion to the Zoo. Please remember hats throughout this term. Students need to wear them to play outside.

N Currall

YEAR 3/4

Welcome back to Term 4! I trust the holidays were a relaxing and enjoyable time! This week we begin spelling and homework again. In Maths we will look at measurement using g, kg, ml, L. On Thursday Primary will be involved in the 'Totally Smiles Dental Van' Education Session. Our class is gearing up for our 3-6 Excursion to Lake Burrendong Sport and Recreation Camp next week. We have attached another copy of the "Things to Pack" list in this week's newsletter. Have a great first week back.

V Parnaby

Year 5/6

Welcome back for another exciting and productive term at Mendooran Central School. I hope everyone enjoyed a safe and happy holiday. This week I have had the pleasure of reading about all the student's holiday adventures in our class recounts. For Spelling this week we are focusing on the "ow" as in cow sound. There are two graphemes that make the "ow" phoneme. These are; 'ow' as in cow and 'ou' as in cloud. In Maths we are beginning a new topic on 2D space. This is where we will be learning about the different kinds of triangles, the definitions of a range of shapes and symmetry.

This week I will be going over the data for our excursion. Just a reminder that if your child is attending we need the full amount paid as soon as possible. I will be making phone calls to double check who is definitely going. Hopefully there will be some warm weather for us during the excursion.

Another reminder to please complete the online registration. If you need another link for the website or need help completing the online registration, please call the front office.

N Ptolemy

DENTAL VAN WEEK 8 - ALL WEEK

Mendooran Central School is collaborating with Smiles Onsite to promote healthier, happier smiles at our school! This incredible service is being offered for FREE under the federal government's Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS), and comes along with the chance to grab some amazing prizes.

All students will be given a consent form to bring home so that they can participate, and also so that they can go in the draw to win a prize!

How does it work?

The Child Dental Benefit Schedule (CBDS) grants all eligible parents with \$1000 worth of Medicare towards dental per child, over a two-year period. Eligible parents should receive a confirmation letter; however if you are still unsure, Smiles Onsite can check for you on completion of their consent form.

Can I make use of this service if I'm not eligible?

Of course! Smiles Onsite can do almost everything that your local dentist can do on board there state-of-the-art mobile Clinic. If you would like them to see your child for a scale and clean, fillings, fissure seals etc., these services can be offered with NO GAP payable.

This service is a great opportunity to get kids into the habit of good oral hygiene, and we hope you're as excited about it as we are!

If you would like your child/children or yourself to participate in our service and have not received a Dental consent form please click on the blue link below and complete the form. This form can be filled out on your computer, smartphone or iPhone.

<https://form.jotform.co/82237436597871>

If you have any questions about this program or your eligibility, please contact Smiles Onsite directly on 1800 276 453.

For any further questions, please contact the Front Office on 6886 1149.



Years 3-6

Excursion Checklist!

All items MUST BE LABELLED prior to the day!

Please bring the following items:

- 1x Sleeping Bag and 1x Pillow
- 2x Towels
- 3x Plastic Bags for wet towels/dirty clothing/wet shoes
- Toiletries: brush/comb, hair ties, soap, shampoo/conditioner, toothbrush/toothpaste
- Hat and Sunscreen
- Swimmers
- 3x sets of comfortable casual clothing: shirts/shorts/trousers/jumpers
- 5x Socks and 5x Underwear (extras are required in case they get wet during outdoor activities)
- 1x Pair of comfortable enclosed walking shoes and 1x pair of old shoes that can get wet or muddy
- Pyjamas
- Raincoat
- 1x Bag to pack everything into

Any medication required must be in a zip locked bag with clear name and instructions written on it. This must be handed directly to your teacher before departure!

Secondary English

Welcome back to Term 4! As the year is rapidly coming to an end school supplies are beginning to dwindle. There are ten weeks in this term. Students may require new notebooks for class as the ones they have are running out. Additionally, students are still required to bring their own pens (blue, black and red), pencils, highlighters and glue-sticks. Please ensure your child is well equipped for their educational experiences.

Years 7/8

This term Years 7/8 are studying 'The Diary of Anne Frank'. This unit presents the true and harrowing experience of a Jewish teen during World War II. The diary was found and published by Anne's father after she perished in a Nazi concentration camp. It chronicles her day-to-day life in hiding over a period of nearly two years as she negotiates adolescence and a life in hiding. Students will be given the opportunity to study textual features alongside the perils of World War Two.

Years 9/10

This term students will be studying 'Antipodes Poetry'. This unit will reintroduce students to poetic devices and language, encourage students to recognise the emotion and beauty that poetry has to offer. Additionally, students will engage in complex language forms, features and structures of texts in meaningful, contextualised and authentic ways. Students will be given the opportunity to explore Aboriginal histories and culture through the poetry.

Year 12 Standard English

In this common module students develop their understanding of how texts represent individual and collective human experiences through their exploration of Kenneth Slessor's poems and related texts. They examine how Slessor's poems represent human qualities, emotions and universal themes such as despair, loss and the march of time associated with these experiences. Students explore how texts may give insight into the anomalies, paradoxes and inconsistencies in human behaviour and motivations, inviting the responder to see the world differently, to challenge assumptions, ignite new ideas or reflect personally.

I hope everyone had an enjoyable holiday and is prepared to work hard as the year comes to a close.

M Galiatsatos

Class of 2018 Graduation Dinner

Please RSVP with payment and acceptance by

Friday, 19th October 2018, to the Front Office.

HSC TIMETABLE MCS 2018

HSC Day 1 Thursday 18 October

English (Standard) and English (Advanced)

Paper 1 10.20am–12.30pm

HSC Day 2 Friday 19 October

English (Standard)

Paper 2 – Modules 9.25am–11.30am

English (Advanced)

Paper 2 – Modules 9.25am–11.30am

HSC Day 4 Tuesday 23 October

Ancient History 9.25am–12.30pm

HSC Day 6 Thursday 25 October

Mathematics General 2 9.25am–12 noon

HSC Day 7 Friday 26 October

Senior Science 9.25am–12.30pm

HSC Day 9 Tuesday 30 October

Personal Development, Health and Physical Education 9.25am–12.30pm

HSC Day 11 Thursday 1 November

Hospitality (VET) 1.55pm–4.00pm

Kitchen Operations and Cookery

Food and Beverage

HSC Day 16 Thursday 8 November

Industrial Technology 1.55pm–3.30pm

Automotive Technologies

Electronics Technologies

Graphics Technologies

Metal and Engineering Technologies

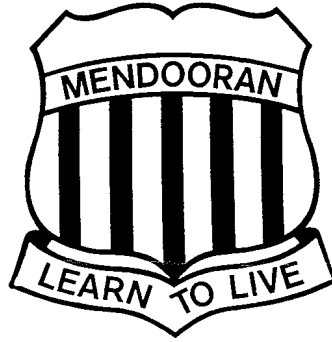
Multimedia Technologies

Timber and Furniture Technologies

HSC Day 17 Friday 9 November

Design and Technology 9.25am–11.00am

*Year 12 Graduation Friday, 9th November.
Mendooran/Merrygoen Memorial Club at 6pm.*



Mendooran Central School

KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION SESSIONS

For children beginning school in 2019 at Mendooran Central School:

In Kindergarten room run by Mrs Parnaby & Miss Burns

Parent Information Session Tuesday 25th September 2:30pm

Orientation Sessions commence (With Preschool)

Monday, 29th October, 2019, 10:00 - 10:50am

Further sessions:

Monday, 5th November, 10:00 - 10:50am

Wednesday, 14th November, 9:00 - 11:10am

Friday, 23rd November, 9:00 - 1:30pm

Friday, 30th November, 9:00 - 3:10pm

To provide an easy transition to school

To learn early Kindergarten skills

To familiarise children with teachers and school routines

All children who commence school in 2019 are welcome to attend

Enquiries to: Mrs Parnaby - Assistant Principal

Miss Burns - Kindergarten Teacher

Phone: 6886 1149

Community News

Junior Touch Football

Junior Touch Football registrations will take place on Thursday, 18th October 2018 at 4:30pm, followed by Week 1 of games at 5pm.

Children from Year 2 to Year 6 are able to register.

Registration will cost \$30 per child.

This year we are focusing on touch football skills and game rules to allow a smooth transition into the Mendooran Senior Touch Football Competition. Each week new teams will be made to accommodate for numbers and socialisation.

Please ensure your child/children wear a hat, sunscreen and bring plenty of water each week.

For further information please contact Cara Carey on 0418 520 518.



Mendooran Senior Touch Football



Mendooran Senior Touch Football will start on Thursday, 18th October 2018 at 6pm.

If you have not paid your registration fee, please arrive by 5:40pm to pay. If this is not paid by Week 2 of competition your place on that team will be forfeited.

All players must be registered and have paid before they can take the field.

Each team is responsible for supplying a referee. A \$50 fine will be applied to each team not adhering to these rules. If you cannot supply a referee please contact the committee.

C Carey

Mendooran/Merrygoen Amateur Swimming Club News

Hi Swimmers, we are almost ready for another swimming season to start.

The 2018-2019 season will start the end of October or early November,

depending when the pool opens. Please contact Bec Sciberras on

email: bibby82@hotmail.com or text information to 0447 861 386 to

join. Make sure you also let Bec know if your email has changed for

registration. Age for swimming is from 4 years and up. The Dolphin

program is running again this season which means free membership to

those swimmers under 8 years. For those swimmers 8 years and over

the cost will be \$85 per swimming member. If there is anyone that has not used their Active Kids Rebate,

it can be used to cover registration for the 2018/19 season. You can apply for a voucher for your child

online at Service NSW. You will receive an email from swimming NSW as you have done in the past. Don't

pay this registration if you would like to use your voucher. Send the voucher to Bec Sciberras

bibby82@hotmail.com or 0447 861 386 so that it can be used to cover your child's registration for the

2018/19 swimming season. **We also require everyone to be a paid member before they can swim due to**

insurances. All new members are always welcome and a \$2 sausage sizzle is held at the pool every Fri-

day which is a great way to finish off a busy week. The Mendooran/Merrygoen Amateur Swimming Club

would like to thank our past sponsors Mendooran Central Motors - Elgas, Victoria Pisaturo and Lonsdale

White Suffolk Stud – The Beer family. We really appreciate their ongoing support for our swimming club

and look forward to seeing everyone back at the pool.



L Monk

DUNEDOO BOWLING CLUB
FRIDAY 26TH OCTOBER
6.00PM

Presented by Dunedoo & Mendooran Health Council



Light supper
provided **FREE**

Presenters

Dr Florian Honeyball

- Head of Oncology Dept Dubbo Hospital

Camilla Kenny

- Rural Mental Health Coordinator RAMHP

Sue-Ellen Lovett

- Blind Equestrian Paralympian

RSVP ESSENTIAL by 19th Oct

Let us know if you would like to be picked up by the bus

DELTA	6375 1209
Mike Ascher (Health Council Member)	6886 1373
Milling Stuart	6375 1009
Text	0429 172 893



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Health
Western NSW
Local Health District



MCS Canteen - Summer Menu

Please note
price changes

<i>Hot Food</i>	<i>Burgers</i>	<i>Ice Blocks</i>
Large Meat Pie \$4.80	Hamburger \$4.70	Shaky Shake \$2.00
Cheese & Bacon Pie \$5.10	Chicken Burger \$4.50	Jelly Stick \$0.20
Large Sausage Roll \$2.90	Cheese Muffin (meat/cheese & Sauce only) \$4.20	Animal Pop \$0.20
Large Cheese & Bacon Sausage Roll \$3.20		Rainbow Paddle Pop \$1.60
Party Pies \$0.70		Peppermint Paddle Pop \$1.60
Small Sausage Rolls \$0.70	<i>Wraps</i>	
Pizza Singles \$2.80	Large Chicken Wrap (chicken, lettuce, tomato, mayo and cheese) \$4.30	
Homemade Quiche \$3.80	Ham & Salad Wrap \$4.50	<i>Drinks</i>
Noodles—Beef or Chicken \$2.50	Chicken & Salad Wrap \$4.50	Water \$1.00
Chicken Nuggets \$0.70	Egg & Salad Wrap \$4.50	Fruit Juice \$1.00
Mac and Cheese \$3.00		Milk—Chocolate or Strawberry \$1.80
		Slushie \$1.00
<i>Sandwiches</i>	<i>Recess only</i>	<i>Desserts</i>
Devon \$1.50	Hash Brown \$0.60	Jelly/Custard/Mousse \$0.50
Cheese \$1.50	Cheesy Bread \$1.00	Fresh Fruit/Trifle \$0.80
Vegemite \$1.50	Garlic Bread \$1.50	
Ham \$1.50		<i>Extras</i>
Ham & Salad \$4.50	<i>Snacks</i>	Bags \$0.20
Ham , Cheese & Tomato \$3.20	Chips \$1.20	Tomato/BBQ Sauce/Mayo \$0.20
Chicken & Salad \$4.50	BBQ Snaps \$1.00	Toasted \$0.20
Chicken \$3.00	Biscuits - Home made \$0.60	
Egg & Lettuce \$3.00		
<i>Salad in a Bowl</i>		
Ham/Chicken/Egg with Salad \$5.50		
Quiche with salad \$6.00		

Seasonal fruit available
- cost will vary -

Menu available from
Oct 15th 2018 to Apr 12th 2019

Please ensure the child's class/year
is written on the bag.



Term 4 2018

1	15.10 STUDENTS START TODAY	16.10  Student Banking Day	17.10	18.10 HSC English Exam 10.20 - 12.30pm 9.30pm - Totally Smiles (Dental Van) Primary Session I	19.10 HSC English Exam 9.25 - 11.30am Infants Tabletop Day in Binnaway
2	22.10 <i>Planned Fire Drill at 1:10pm</i>	23.10  HSC Ancient History Exam 9.25 - 12.30pm	24.10 Years 3-6 Burrendong Excursion	25.10 HSC Mathematics Exam 9.25 - 12.00pm	26.10 HSC Senior Science Exam 9.25 - 12.30pm K-2 Excursion Dubbo Zoo
3	29.10 Kindergarten Orientation #1 10-10:50am	30.10  HSC PDHPE Exam 9.25 - 12.30pm	31.10 STATE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL-SYDNEY	1.11 HSC Hospitality Exam 1.55pm - 4pm	2.11 State Spelling Bee Finals in Sydney 12pm Totally Smiles Primary - Session 2 12.30pm - Secondary Powerpoint BER
4	5.11 Kindergarten Orientation #2 10-10:50am	6.11  Student Banking Day	7.11	8.11 HSC Industrial Tech Exam 1.55 - 3.30pm	9.11 HSC Design & Tech Exam 9.25 - 12.30pm Year 12 Graduation Night



Term 4 2018

5	12.11	13.11	14.11	15.11	16.11
		Student Banking Day "Buy 1, Get 1 Free Book Fair"	Kindergarten Orientation #3 9-11:10am		
6	19.11	20.11	21.11	22.11	23.11
		Student Banking Day "Buy 1, Get 1 Free Book Fair"	Duke of Ed Canoe Trip		Kindergarten Orientation #4 9-1:30pm
7	26.11	27.11	28.11	29.11	30.11
		Student Banking Day			Kindergarten Orientation #5 9-3:10pm
8	3.12	4.12	5.12	6.12	7.12
	Totally Smiles Dental Van ALL WEEK	Student Banking Day			