



# NEWSLETTER

## Mendooran Central School

*Learn to Live*

Term 4 Week 6

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2018

# *Welcome back to Mr George Morrison - MCS's first School Captain*



# PRINCIPAL'S NOTES

## Special Visit

Today we were very pleased to welcome Mr George Morrison and his son John to the school for a visit today. George was the original Mendooran Central School, School Captain in 1949. They are looking forward to joining us for the 150 Year Celebration next year.

## Book Fair

The Book Fair continues this week with the "Buy 2, Get 1 Free, Donate 1 to the Library" deal with the last day of purchasing being Thursday.

## ASPIRE Trip

The Year 8 ASPIRE trip will be take place from tomorrow, Tuesday until Friday of this week. This is a wonderful opportunity for Emma Adams, Joseph Frohmuller and Bailey Tincknell. We thank the University of NSW for this experience given to our students, which they fully fund.

## Kindergarten Orientation

This Friday the Kindergarten Orientation will be held from 9am until 1.30. We all really enjoy our pre-schoolers visits.

## Smiles OnSite Dental Van

The Smiles OnSite Dental Van will be visiting from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Please ensure all consent forms are returned prior to that wek.

## Intensive Swimming

The Intensive Swimming Program will be running in Weeks 9 and 10 from the 3<sup>rd</sup> to the 14<sup>th</sup> December. Please ensure all notes are returned as soon as possible.

## 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee

Our school turns 150 next year. We are looking for volunteers to join our organising committee. We are planning a weekend of celebrations in November 2019. To express your interest as a volunteer, please call the school and speak with me.

*Mrs Julie Waters*



## Mendooran Central School Leaders

**Principal**  
Mrs Julie Waters

**Assistant Principal**  
Vicki Parnaby

**HTSS**  
Troy Newberry

**Captains Secondary**  
Peta M<sup>c</sup>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

## WEEK 5

### STUDENT OF THE WEEK



K: Alexis Dixon



1/2: Jack Buchanan



3/4: Nicholas Duce



5/6: William Duce

### MERIT AWARDS



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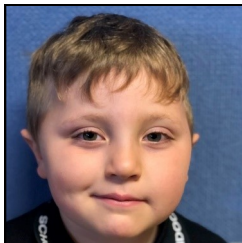
1/2: Tom Hill



3/4: Talei Witchard-Spencer



5/6: Harrison Tobin



K: Kaeden Williams



1/2: Solomon Witchard-Spencer

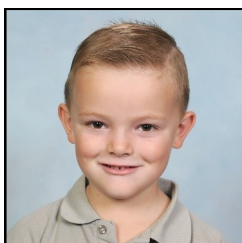


3/4: Hannah Sando



5/6: Grace Sando

### UNIFORM DRAW



K: Lachlan Sweeney



1/2: Coopa Crothers



3/4: Sharna Gray



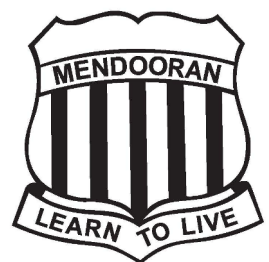
5/6: Janet Hellyer



Happy Birthday



**Carter Swan**





## Kindergarten

Well done Kindergarten on another fantastic Assembly, your bucket drumming is improving every week and we keep getting a little more challenged each time. Last week we participated in Basketball and Golf sport sessions where Kindergarten had a great time learning these skills. This week we will be looking at Place Value and practising our item for Presentation Day. I hope you all have a wonderful week and don't forget to return your swimming notes and money.

C Burns



## Year 1/2

Week 6 is a big week for us as we are doing a lot of testing to measure our progress for this year. I am very excited to see our results!

We are focusing on the 'c', 'k', 'ck' sound this week and investigating shapes in more detail.

Have a great week and remember your sports uniform on Thursday for Golf.

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## Year 3/4

Week 6 is here! This is the last week of the 'Buy 1 Get 1 Free & Donate 1 to the Library' Book Fair on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The Library is open before & after school for parents wanting to come in to make a purchase. Our class has thoroughly enjoyed participating in the Sporting Challenge – Basketball Skills Session the last two weeks. We now move on to the Go-Go Golf sessions. Our first one proved to be quite a hit! Remember permission notes and money for our School Intensive Swimming Program is due within the next week. There will be NO extension given for payments. We will also begin some class assessments this week.

Last Thursday evening I took a trip to Dunedoo where I was lucky enough to be in the audience at the Step Up Dance Academy's annual end of year concert. May I say the concert's 'Around the World' themed dance performances were spectacular! Several of our own budding young dancers from Mendooran Central School were involved and absolutely danced up a storm! Congratulations; Anna Ward, Victoria Monk, Rebecca Redding, Ellie Tobin, Chloe Sciberras, Deegan Little, Alexis Norwood and Georgia Sweeney – who even performed her own solo tap dance! Well done everyone, you were amazing!

V Parnaby

## Year 5/6

For spelling this week we are focusing on the "air" as in chair sound. There are numerous different graphemes we are concentrating on that make the "air" phoneme which include;

"air" - chair, "are" - square, "ere" - there "eir" - their, "ey're" - they're, "e're" - we're.

Students have been encouraged to put forth their greatest effort over the coming weeks, especially those in Year 6. For Maths this week we are completing our Patterns and Algebra Unit. I will be running lunch tutorial sessions for any students that would like extra help in Maths.

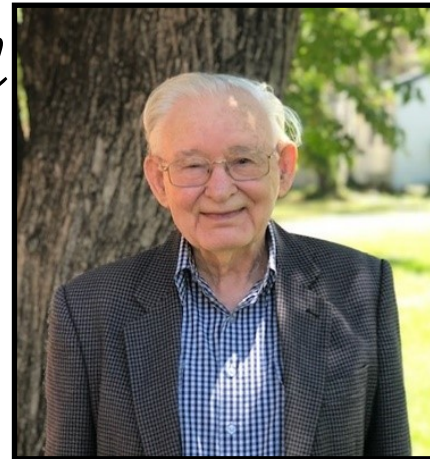
Just a reminder that our Intensive Swimming Program and our Stage 3 Personal Development Session are coming up fast and **notes must be returned for students to participate.**

I hope everyone has a happy and productive week!

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# Mr George Morrison

## -School Captain 1949-



It is always wonderful to hear about the history of Mendooran Central School but it was a step back in time today when our very first School Captain of 1949 stopped in to say hello.

Mr Morrison and his son John are on a 'memory lane road trip' bringing them to Mendooran so that he could share his past, see the changes of our township and visit the school that has given him some most wonderful memories.

Mr Morrison was made MCS's first School Captain after the government brought the initiative in that schools needed school captain's to model from. He proudly told us that during his time here, when the cane was used as a form of punishment, he was only sent to the Principal's office once!

The school was, of course, much smaller then with around 50 students from Kindergarten to Year 10 and only two buildings on the school grounds. Even though Mr Morrison lived the closest to the school of all the students, he still managed to be last one to walk into the school grounds before the second bell.

Once Mr Morrison had finished his schooling at MCS, he embarked on many adventures, including an air force apprenticeship, working as a minister and also working for the ABC television before retiring on the Northern Beaches of Sydney.

Mr Morrison said that he recalls a time when the main street was thriving with many stores as it were more practical to shop locally instead of travelling the gravel road to Dubbo and back, which would take the best part of a day due to the cars being slower than they are today. He remembers many farms, with family ties to some, including Bevala (Jones'), Grandchester (Crothers'), Ilfracombe (Adams' and now renamed St Louis), Lochinvar (Smith's) and Springfield (Peter's).

The name Morrison may also sound familiar to you as Mr Morrison is the father of famous multi-instrumentalist, James Morrison.

We sincerely thank both Mr Morrison and his son John for stopping in today and we are hoping to see them again next year for the sesquicentennial celebrations of Mendooran Central School.



S. Cook



# BUY 2, GET 1 FREE AND DONATE 1 TO THE LIBRARY!

Once again we will be holding our "Buy 2, Get 1 Free & Donate 1 to the Library" Book Fair.

Our library will be hosting this celebration on **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of Week 6.**

We would like to invite all families to come along and join in the fun.

When you buy 2 books, you will receive 1 book to the same value or less for free. Students will then choose another book to the same value or less and will donate it back into the library.

Only the stock we have on hand is for sale - we are unable to place orders for this event.

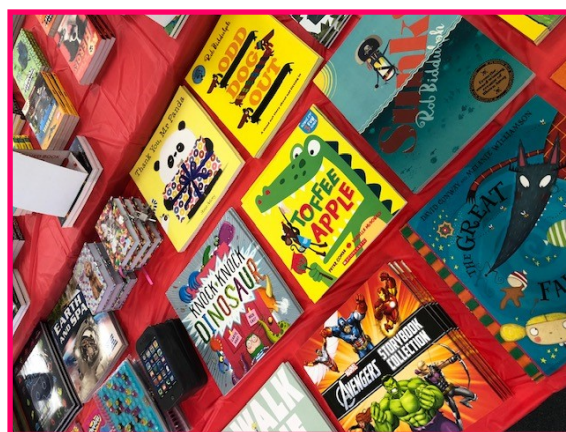
We are very excited to give our students this chance to choose a book that they would love to become a part of our library collection.

Prices range from \$5 to \$30 per book.

For any further information, please call and ask to speak with Sharne or Gayl in the Library.

G. Davis and S. Cook

## 3 DAYS LEFT OF BOOK FAIR & THERE ARE STILL PLENTY OF BOOKS AVAILABLE!





## 2018 Homework Centre

The Homework Centre will run every **Thursday from 3:30pm – 5:00pm**. A variety of teachers will be in attendance to help with the individual educational needs of the students. Students are required to bring in a signed permission note (these can be obtained from the office) before they are allowed to attend.

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# Primary Intensive Swimming

In Weeks 8 and 9 all Primary will be involved in a 10 day Intensive Swimming Program. Notes have already gone home and need to be returned by Monday 26th November. This is a fantastic program where your child will participate in swimming lessons at only the cost to enter the pool (\$30 or have a season ticket). **Please ensure your notes are handed to the office by next Monday, if your child needs another, please see the front office.**

K Norwood

## DENTAL VAN WEEK 8 - ALL WEEK

Consent Forms are now available

Please ensure forms are handed in by Friday, 30th November.





## CHILD INFORMATION

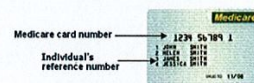
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 Last Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gender \_\_\_\_\_  
 Year/Class \_\_\_\_\_  
 Medicare Card Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 IRN Number/  
 Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_

## PARENT INFORMATION

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mobile Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Suburb/State \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

### PLEASE TICK

- ☐ I give consent to a free dental examination by Smiles Onsite (if x-rays are required it will be bulked-billed through Medicare)
- ☐ I give consent to a dental assessment, scale and clean, polish & fluoride treatment carried out by Smiles Onsite (Bulked-Billed; NO GAP payable; to the value of \$176.90 if eligible through Medicare Child Dental Benefits Scheme (CDBS) and if required fissure seals (\$46.05each) and X-rays (30.45 each)
- ☐ If Not eligible please provide a scale and clean, polish and fluoride treatment for \$99. X-rays (\$15 each) and Fissure Seals (\$28 each) (Payment will be taken over the phone once your child has been examined).
- ☐ I would like to be present at all the appointments if possible
- ☐ I do not want to participate in the program



## MEDICAL AND DENTAL HISTORY OF PATIENT / CHILD

Medical Condition	e.g.	Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Give Details _____
Medications	e.g.	Ventolin	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Give Details _____
Allergies	e.g.	Penicillin	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Give Details _____

When was your child's last dental visit? \_\_\_\_\_

When was your child's last X-rays taken? \_\_\_\_\_

## CHILD DENTAL BENEFITS SCHEDULE BULK BILLING PATIENT CONSENT FORM

I, the patient / legal guardian, certify that I have been informed:

- › of the treatment that has been or will be provided from this date under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule;
- › of the likely cost of this treatment; and
- › that I will be bulk billed for services under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule and I will not pay out-of-pocket costs for these services, subject to sufficient funds being available under the benefit cap.

I understand that I / the patient will only have access to dental benefits of up to the benefit cap. I understand that benefits for some services may have restrictions and that Child Dental Benefits Schedule covers a limited range of services. I understand I will need to personally meet the costs of any services not covered by the Child Dental Benefits Schedule. I understand that the cost of services will reduce the available benefit cap and that I will need to personally meet the costs of any additional services once benefits are exhausted.

I agree that the above is true and accurate information given. I understand that all information including all photos will be kept private and confidential which Smiles Onsite collect during all stages.

Patient/Legal guardian : \_\_\_\_\_

Patient/Legal guardian signature : \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_



# Community News

## Mendooran/Merrygoen Amateur Swimming Club news:

We are well into our 2018/19 season and it is great to see everyone swimming so well and swimming butterfly last week. We have had a few swimmers move up to the next group, great job. Each week you swim it is to improve your own time.

A \$2 sausage sizzle is held at the pool every Friday which is a great way to finish off a busy week. Thanks Mr Tobin and Mr Norwood for cooking and thanks Matty for having the pool looking fantastic. Just remember we need everyone to stay under the shade area to be marshaled each week. See you Friday.



L Monk

## Tennis News:

This term is a Social Tennis Comp for our Senior players. This is a great opportunity to come and have a hit without the commitment of being on a team and turning up for each game. So, if you're interested in giving it a go, games start from 7:30pm every Monday night. Cost is only \$5 per night. Any age from 12 years and up are most welcome. We'd love to see some new faces give it a try - this comp isn't competitive and all our members are always very keen to meet new players.



N Tobin

**Mendooran PA&H Assoc Inc 's 100<sup>th</sup> Show**

**Mendooran Showgirl Ball**

**24<sup>th</sup> November 2018 6.30pm**

**Mechanics Institute Hall**

**BYO Picnic Supper & Drinks**

**LIVE MUSIC featuring-**

**Macquarie River**

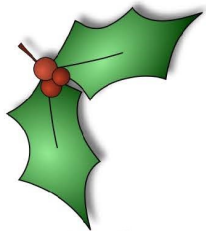
**Mudflappers**

**Tickets: \$35.00 pre-purchased at the Mendooran Post Office**  
**or \$40.00 at the door. Formal Dress please.**

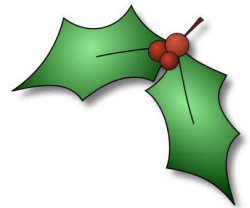
**ANNUAL MENDOORAN SHOW**  
**30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> March 2019**



# THE MENDOORAN AND DISTRICT VOLUNTEER RESCUE ASSOCIATION



INVITES YOU TO  
"Our Shout" by NALAG



# Christmas



# In The Park

Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> December 2018 at 4pm  
Mendooran Park, Bandulla Street.

- **Raffles**
- **Novelty events**
- **Massive slip and slide**
- **Free BBQ**
- **Music**
- **Stalls**
- **Health Checks**
- **Visit from Santa**



Come and join us in the spirit of Christmas  
for a free family fun afternoon!



## STATEMENT OF ATTAINMENT IN PROVIDE EMERGENCY FIRST AID IN EDUCATION AND CARE SETTINGS

## COURSE OVERVIEW

This course is for educators and support staff working or planning to work in education and care settings and who are required to respond to first aid emergencies, including asthmatic and anaphylactic emergencies. The course will enable you to be approved as meeting the regulatory requirements of the Education and Care Services National Regulations 2011 for an approved first aid qualification, approved anaphylaxis management training and approved emergency asthma management training. You will learn how to respond in an emergency situation, apply appropriate first aid procedures, communicate details of the incident and reflect on incident and own performance. When you finish this course you can undertake further First Aid training in other first aid related occupational courses. Advanced standing may be granted in courses where providing first aid in education and/or care settings is a part of the course. Refresher training in CPR should be undertaken annually and first aid qualifications should be renewed every three (3) years. ENROLLING IN FIRST AID UNITS OF COMPETENCY

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

You will be able to work in a first aid role dealing with life-threatening emergencies in a range of education and care settings.

## UNITS

## HLTAID004

Provide an emergency first aid response in an education and care setting

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

There are no entry requirements for this course.



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## COURSE OVERVIEW

This course is for workers who may be required to provide a first aid response in a range of situations, including community and workplace settings. You will learn how to respond in an emergency situation, apply appropriate first aid procedures, communicate details of the incident and evaluate your own performance. When you finish this course you can undertake further First Aid training in other first aid related occupational courses. Advanced standing may be granted in courses where providing first aid in a workplace is a part of the course. Refresher training in CPR should be undertaken annually and full first aid qualifications should be renewed every three (3) years.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

You will be able to work in a first aid role in a range of community organisations and industry workplaces

## UNITS

## HLTAID003

Provide first aid

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

There are no entry requirements for this course.

## OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Participants completing the FACE TO FACE DELIVERY are required to pick up a resource pack from their nearest TAFE campus. This pack will include Textbook, First Aid Workbook, Bandage and Sling. These will be used as part of the training. Please complete the following pre-course tasks PRIOR to attending the course:

- Section 1 of the First Aid Workbook
- Self-assessment Activities in the Green Manual pages 21, 41, 72 and 89. Participants completing the BLENDED DELIVERY course will receive the course textbook, manual, bandages and instructions to access the online training program (once payment has been finalised). You are required to:
- Complete the Online Training Program prior to attending the assessment.
- Book an assessment time online and attend a TAFE college nearby for the practical assessment (once you have finished working through all of the information in the online course).
- Print and bring your completed online workbook and manual (required for the practical assessment).
- Complete all practical skills assessments successfully. This includes demonstration and essential knowledge in CPR using adult and infant manikin, first aid response in a scenario situation and management of Anaphylaxis and Asthma using standard first aid equipment.



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## STATEMENT OF ATTAINMENT IN PROVIDE FIRST AID

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ABN No: 77 256 095 969

RTO No: 90001

## COURSE CODE

163-16229V01

## COST

- \$170 (GST free)
- Non-subsidised fee

## PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Pay course fee in full

## ENROL NOW

- Online at [www.tne.edu.au](http://www.tne.edu.au)
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- Email [commercial@tne.edu.au](mailto:commercial@tne.edu.au)
- Visit your local campus
- Complete the Application Form and return it to your nearest campus



# Term 4 2018

6	19.11 <b>Secondary Captains' Speeches</b> Year 10 Transition Meeting - 4pm	20.11 <b>"Buy 1, Get 1 Free Book Fair"</b>  <b>Year 8 ASPIRE Trip</b>	21.11	22.11 <b>Sporting Schools K-10 Golf</b>	23.11 <b>Kindergarten Orientation #4</b> 9-1:30pm
7	26.11	27.11	28.11	29.11	30.11 <b>Kindergarten Orientation #5</b> 9-3:10pm  <b>Cricket Skills Workshop</b>
8	3.12 <b>Smiles OnSite Dental Van ALL WEEK</b> <b>3/4 &amp; 5/6 Intensive Swimming - ALL WEEK</b>	4.12	5.12	6.12 <b>"Rock It" School Music Performances K-6</b>	7.12  <b>Cricket Skills Workshop</b>
9	10.12 <b>3/4 &amp; 5/6 Intensive Swimming - ALL WEEK</b>	11.12	12.12	13.12	14.12 <b>Secondary Sports Day in Binnaway</b>
10	17.12	18.12 <b>Presentation Day - 10am</b>	19.12 <b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>		