



Mount Lewis Infants School Newsletter

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Term 3 Week 4

8 August 2017

CALENDAR - TERM 3 2017

Date	Time & Event
Tue Aug 8	Movie Fundraiser, Bankstown Sports
Tue Aug 22	Book Parade & Book Fair
Fri Aug 25	1:30 P&C Meeting
Wed Aug 30	P&C Father's Day Stall

NOTES AND MONEY DUE

- Kinder Farm Excursion due 18/8
- Stage 1 Bundeena Excursion due 28/8

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Parents and Carers,
Celebrating Public Education last week was a great pleasure for me. Being a Principal of a Public School means you believe in being part of a system that provides quality education and



opportunities to all. Open Day at Mount Lewis Infants

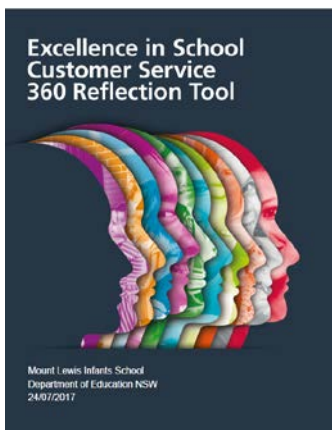


was all about sharing our performances and our classrooms. 'I Learn, We Learn' was the theme this year and I firmly believe that by being part of what your children are learning and enjoying, strengthens the bond between families and the school. Hopefully you took time to visit the classrooms and see first-hand the beautiful displays the students worked on and seeing some of the progress they have made in their books since the beginning of the year. Congratulations also to my staff, who always provide outstanding opportunities for the students not only during Public Events but more



importantly on a daily basis. P&C also provided a delicious lunch and service with a smile.

Always a pleasure to work with the Committee and have the chance to chat to parents on days like this. Thank you for attending, being a respectful audience and helping cement the relationship between school and home.



Community Satisfaction Survey: I'd like to thank the families who took time to complete the survey. I especially want to say how much I appreciated the comments that individuals made within the ratings. The comments showed me very specifically the sorts of things the community are finding useful, are happy with and some things the school can adjust to suit families better.

I will be sharing the document at the next P&C meeting if you'd like to look at the results.

Overall, the survey showed the majority of the community are very happy with Mount Lewis Infants!

Book Week is Coming...Have You Thought About Your Costume? Tue 22 August MLIS



Look out for the Book Parade Flyer coming out later this week. In the meantime here are some details- **Book Parade** from 12pm.

P&C selling light refreshments after Parade for recess

Book Fair will be on **Monday 21/8/17** from 2:15-3pm

Tuesday 22/8/17 from 8:30-9am

And Straight after the Parade

Please Note **CASH SALES** only!

PBL NEWS & THIS WEEK'S SCHOOL VALUE

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) is our school program that aims to help in creating safe, effective teaching and learning environments. For more information on PBL go to <http://www.pbl.schools.nsw.edu.au/about-pbl>



This week's school value is:

CONSIDERATION

At MLIS we show consideration through:

- kind actions
- nice words
- looking out for others

These are our Bronze, Silver and Gold Award Winners for this fortnight. These awards will be given out on Monday 14/8/17. Our congratulations go to:

BRONZE	SILVER	GOLD
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Zara KP ➤ Layla KR Danya KR ➤ Hasinath KR ➤ Rami 1L ➤ Sulayman 2L ➤ Joshua M 2L ➤ Zakariyah KP ➤ Amar KP ➤ Masa KB ➤ Umayr KO ➤ Layana KO Christal KO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Fayez 2Y ➤ Nabeela 2Y 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤

Photos of Award Winners from week 3:



P&C NEWS

The next P&C meeting will be on Friday 25 August at 1:30pm in the library. Come along to the meeting and support P&C.



At the last meeting the Local Member, Mr Jihad Dib attended. As you can see from the photos, the meeting was informative as well as light hearted. A good afternoon was had by all.

Message from P&C: Mini canteen at MLIS will be set up on the back playground this Friday 11/8/17. We will sell the food listed below.

Please discuss the options with your child during the week and give them the correct money in a small purse/wallet or snaplock bag, clearly marked with their name.



~THIS WEEK on SALE at RECESS ~

Popcorn \$1
Corn in a Cup \$1

Flavoured Milk \$1:50
Mini Muffins \$1

CLASS NEWS ~2 Yellow~



2 Yellow have put together a great display of Got Game, Gymnastics. Fitness is such a valuable and important activity to make part of our daily lives. I can see from the photos and the writing 2Y have displayed how much they are learning and how much they are enjoying



Gymnastics this term Thank you 2 Yellow.

Flash Sale on School Uniform Week 7

When: Tuesday 29 & Thursday 31 August 2017

Where: The Office

We will be having a
UNIFORM CLEARANCE SALE ON THE FOLLOWING
ITEMS & SIZES ONLY

- Polo shirts sizes 6, 10 and 12 **\$15**
- Old style hats Small & Large Available **\$5**
- Girls' Summer dresses sizes 6 and 10 **\$30**
- Boys' grey shorts sizes 6 **\$15**

Limited stock available be early to grab a bargain!



Enrolments for 2018-return purple forms by 17/8/17

If your child is in **Year 2**, you need to start thinking about the school you want them to go to for Year 3.

This can be a long process if you are applying to a school that is out of your area or a Non- Government School. Please approach the school you are considering and make your intention known. They will

indicate to you the possibility of acceptance, the process, requirements etc. Schools operate and rely on number of students and anticipated enrolments as this affects staffing and funding to a large degree. If you need advice or further information you are welcome to speak to your child's teacher or to me.

For Kindergarten: If your child or a friend's child is turning 5 years old by the 31 July 2018, they are eligible to start school next year. If you have **not** put in an intention to enrol your child for Kindergarten please come to the office for paperwork. Please be prepared so you don't miss out on being included in our or another school's process.



100 DAYS of SCHOOL

On Tuesday 25th July, Kindergarten celebrated 100 days of school. Everyone had a wonderful time. Students from K Pink, K Orange, K Blue and K Ruby dressed up as 100 year old people. As you can see from the photos below everyone looked fantastic. Throughout the day the student's practised counting to 100, looked at collections of 100 items, built structures using 100 items and wrote about being 100 years old.



Photos from 100 Days of School continued.....





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Students returning to Mount Lewis Infants School in 2018

Please sign and return to the office by 17/8/17

Child's Name:.....

Class:.....

	Yes	No
Returning in 2018		
If NO, which school are you going to in 2018?		

Signed.....



If you have a child **starting Kindergarten** in 2018 and you have not put their name on the waiting list, please come to the office as soon as possible.

If your child is in **Year 2 in 2017** and you are going to a public school for Year 3, please make sure you go to that school and enrol for Year 3 - 2018.

My Year 2 child, in class 1/2A or 2L or

2Y is going to School for Year 3.

OR

I am on the 'Out of Area' waiting list for the following school-

