THIS WEEK IS BOOK WEEK!

SOME EXCITING THINGS HAPPENING AT OUR SCHOOL ARE ...

* BOOK / DVD LITERACY SWAP *

If you wish to contribute to this activity, you need to do the following simple steps -
1. Bring a book(s) or DVDs from home which are in good repair.
2. Give the items to your class teacher on Monday or Tuesday (week 6).
3. Bring a gold coin donation either Wednesday Night, Thursday or Friday (week 6).
4. Choose one book or DVD in exchange for your gold coin.
5. More items can be selected with each further gold coin donated.

All proceeds will be donated to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.

* DRESS UP PARADE ... WEDNESDAY 27TH AUGUST AT 12 NOON IN THE GYM. COME DRESSED AS YOUR FAVOURITE CHARACTER, BOOK TITLE, AUTHOR, THEME, A TYPE OF READING (LETTER/MAGAZINE/NOVEL) ...

* PYJAMA STORY NIGHT IN THE SCHOOL LIBRARY ... WEDNESDAY NIGHT FROM 7PM TO 8PM ...

LOT’S MORE ACTIVITIES ARE HAPPENING! PLEASE REFER TO THE FLYER SENT HOME LAST WEEK. SPARE COPIES AVAILABLE FROM THE FRONT OFFICE ...

BOOK WEEK CANTEEN SPECIALS!

TUESDAY - Cup cakes with raspberry lolly on top $1.00
WEDNESDAY - Fruit Salad Kebabs $1.20
THURSDAY - Butterfly Grapes & Sultanas $1.00
FRIDAY - Watermelon Wedges 80c
Sausage Sizzle in Bread $2.00

AVAILABLE ALL WEEK AT LUNCHTIMES!

Hungry Caterpillar Cream Cheese or Ham & Cheese Sandwiches $3.50
(in the shape of a Hungry Caterpillar)

Apple & Cheese Caterpillar $3.00
(Apple slices & cheese ball in the shape of a Caterpillar)

COME AND VISIT TRACY IN THE CANTEEN THIS WEEK!

MAKE SURE THE HUNGRY CATERPILLAR HASN’T HAD A TASTE OF YOUR LUNCH ORDER!

GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING TONIGHT AT 5.30PM / FINANCE MEETING AT 5.00PM
Canteen News

Our Canteen is celebrating Book Week!

PLEASE LOOK ON THE FRONT PAGE OF OUR NEWSLETTER THIS WEEK FOR OUR EXCITING BOOK WEEK SPECIALS! DON’T FORGET TO COME AND VISIT AND CHECK YOUR LUNCH ORDER FOR ANY SIGN OF THE HUNGRY CATERPILLAR!

Tracy Bald / Canteen Manager

Community Notices

DEMONS SOFTBALL CLUB - AGM will be held on Monday, 25th August, 2014 at 6.30pm at the Port MacDonnell Netball Clubrooms. If you cannot attend the AGM, please text Brenda or myself if you intend to play this season. All new players are welcome. Thank you. Deb Breen - 0419034975 / Brenda Scott - 0439826214.

ALLENDALE MARTIAL ARTS ACADEMY - Learn Karate! For ages 8-80 years, every Friday night during the school term 6.30 to 8.30pm. 5-7 years old. Junior class to begin in Term 4. In the school gym. Instructor - Ian McGregor, 3rd Dan Black Belt, 27 years experience. Phone - 0419 833 031. A small flyer has been sent home with students.

BLUE INDIGO YOGA NEW CLASS TIMES - Mondays 10am / Wednesdays 7pm at the Port MacDonnell Anglican Hall. Mondays 7.15pm at the Kongorong Hall. Enquiries to Megan 0438187129 or blueindigoyoga on Facebook.

TIGERS BASEBALL CLUB - Come and try / Fun Day to be held on Sunday, 7th September, 2014 from 1.00pm to 3.00pm at the blue Lake Sports Park - Under 15’s Diamond. For all boys and girls aged 8+ years. Grab your friends, come down to the Ball Park and try the game of Baseball! A range of exciting games based around the skills of the game will be run by our experienced coaches and senior players, giving everyone an opportunity to give it a go. For further enquiries, please contact Peter Harkness, President, Tigers Baseball Club on 0417 844 882.

REIDY PARK TENNIS CLUB - Season 2014/15 - We welcome new Junior and Senior players to Registration Day on Sunday, September 7th from 11.30am to 2.30pm at Shepherdson Road, Mount Gambier. Phone Stephen Young, Club President on 0400 786 811 for further information.

MOVING HOUSE CLEAN OUT! SUNDAY, 31ST AUGUST AT 9 SEA PARADE, PORT MACDONNELL. GOOD QUALITY! $1 - $2 CLOTHING. MENS TIES / CHILDREN’S TOYS AND BOOKS / PLUSH TOYS / COSTUME JEWELLERY AND BOXES / FISHING FLOATS / PHOTO FRAMES AND BOXES / FUNKY KNICK KNACKS! LOTS OF LITTLE TREASURES! COME AND GRAB A BARGAIN!

PORT MACDONNELL FOOTBALL / NETBALL CLUB NEWS...

JUNIOR FOOTBALL/NETBALL WINDUP - Will be held on Friday, 19th September, starting at 6.30pm. Supper provided. Phone Julie Chant for enquiries. Hope to see you there!

SENIOR FOOTBALL/NETBALL WINDUP - Will be held on Saturday, 20th September, starting at 5.30pm. Presentations at 7pm. Tickets are $30 for a 2 course meal. Contact Cathie Williams on 87382363 for tickets or further information.

IMPORTANT - As our Club is hosting two finals this year on 6th September (Preliminarily Final) and 13th September (Grand Final), we are looking for parents / caregivers to help out with selling raffle tickets, BBQ, Canteen and various other jobs on these two very busy days. Donations of cakes and slices is also much needed and appreciated. Please contact Cathie Williams asap if you can help out. 87382363. Thank you.

Modern Masters
GRAND OPENING NIGHT
AEAS Art Exhibition at
Port MacDonnell RTC
Monday 1st September
5.30pm to 6.30pm

TERM DATES FOR 2014
Term 3 21st July - 26th September
Term 4 13th October - 12th December
School Performance ‘Music Is Fun’
Wednesday 27th August / Week 6 at 1.15pm

Consent notes were sent home last week for Reception to Year 7 classes. Please return to the Front Office before THIS Wednesday. Spare forms available on request.

A JULY VACATION CARE PROGRAM REPORT FROM OSHC HAS BEEN INCLUDED WITH TODAY’S NEWSLETTER...

An important Naplan Information flyer was sent home last week with all Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 students. Spare copies available from the School Front Office if required.

BREAKFAST CLUB IS ON! TUESDAY / WEDNESDAY / THURSDAY!

Congratulations to ex-student Amy McBain on the launch of her first Art Exhibition in conjunction with 6 other local artists at the Millicent Community Gallery.

Amy had produced some fantastic pencil and watercolour portraits which you can see as part of SA living Artists week (SALA) during August.

Metal Fabrication Course

Year 10 students who elected to do Metal Fabrication are currently working on making craypots. They have made a ‘jig’ to bend the steel rods to the correct curve easily by hand, as seen in the photos. While doing the practical work, they are also completing a TAFE booklet to gain competencies towards a Certificate 2 in Metal Fabrication which will also count for their SACE or reduce time in an Apprenticeship.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION FROM THE AUSTRALIAN VETERANS’ CHILDREN ASSISTANCE TRUST FOR YEAR 12 LEAVERS

The Australian Veterans’ Children Assistance Trust (AVCAT) is a National Independent Charity administering Tertiary Scholarships for children and grandchildren of ex-service men and women and is based on need and merit. Applicants can be high-school leavers starting university or current university students and eligible for Youth Allowance, hence studying full time.

Scholarships are generally paid for three years and are between $3,000 and $4,00 per year.

Applications for 2015 open in August 2014 and close on 31st October 2014. Please see the School Front Office for further information.

ANNIE Jnr The Musical

Allendale East Area School will be performing our School Musical ‘ANNIE Jnr’ at the Sir Robert Helpmann Theatre on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 (Week 8) at 12noon (for students only) and 7pm (for Parents, Family, Community Members). Tickets are available for purchase at the Sir Robert Helpmann Theatre Box Office for $15 (Adults) ; $12 (Concession) ; $10 Children for the evening performance – From last Wednesday. Please book early to avoid disappointment. Call in or phone - 87238741.

The Year 8-12 Performing Arts Class will be acting, singing and dancing, whilst the R-7 Primary classes will present their class dance. Notes in regards to costumes have been sent home at the start of this term. Please see Kath Miller at the school front office if you have any questions about costumes.

Students will watch the Matinee performance. You may wish to purchase tickets for them for the Evening performance but they will only be able to take or leave their seat during interval. Students will be supervised in the Varcoe’s Building throughout the Evening Performance.

Kath Miller, April Hague, Lucy Ridley - Performing Arts Team
Reception - Miss Breanna - KOBY MILLARD - For trying really hard and producing some very neat writing.
Reception / Year 1 - Miss Tanielle / Mrs Telford - KATIE KERR - For fantastic problem solving in Maths.
Year 2 - Mrs Neu - KURTIS LASLETT - For working hard to learn his rainbow facts.
Year 3/4 - Mrs Sporton - RILEY SPEHR - For displaying fantastic listening skills and being considerate of others.
Year 3/4 - Mrs O’Connor / Ms Punton - TARA FOSDIKE - For a consistently focused effort when doing quick writing. Tara starts working quickly and puts down on paper as much as she can think of within the time given.
Year 5/6 - Mrs Newby / Mrs Biggins - OSIAN WEBER - For the excellent effort you put into all Literacy activities.
Year 6/7 - Mrs Murdoch - JORDAN MOIR - For trying to develop a positive attitude in Maths and trying to support another student in the yard.

Parental monitoring is vital - walk past and see what your child is doing, who they are talking to and what sites they are on … Be aware if their mood changes. This is NOT invading their privacy at all … It is parenting in the digital space …