



Matong Public School NEWSLETTER

TERM 2 2019

Week 2

Wed 8th May

Paul Kelly Cup – Wagga

Week 3

Mon 13th May

Owen Murrumbidgee
Landcare Talk at 2:00pm to
3:00pm – Years K to 6

Tues 14th May

NAPLAN Online begins (ends
24th May)

Week 4

Tues 21st May

Mortimer Shield Rugby
League – Wagga Wagga

Week 5

Fri 31st May

Small Schools Athletics
hosted by Matong -
Coolamon



NOTES TO BE RETURNED:

- Japanese Cuisine Lunch
Orders for Wed,
15th May must be handed
in to the School Office by
Mon, 13th May.

The BIG ONE AT MPS.

Thanks to Jack Malone for sharing his very big
pizza with us after he won it in a radio
competition.

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Upcoming Events 2019

Term 2

Wed. 8 th May	Paul Kelly Cup
Mon. 13 th May	Owen Murrumbidgee Landcare Talk
Tues. 14 th May	NAPLAN begins
Tues. 21 st May	Mortimer Shield Rugby League
Fri. 24 th May	NAPLAN ends
Fri. 31 st May	Small Schools Athletics - Coolamon
Thurs. 13 th June	Riverina Cross Country
Thurs. 20 th June	Photo Day
Wed. 3 rd July	District Athletics @ Ardlethan

Term 3

Thurs. 8 th August	Wagga Excursion / REEC Visit
Tues. 13 th August	Life Ed Van
Fri. 30 th August	Riverina Athletics
Tues. 3 rd September	ICAS - begins
Thurs. 19 th September	ICAS - ends
Sat. 12 th October	MPS 100 th Year Celebration

Relieving Principal's News

Thank you to all the students who were able to attend the Anzac services in the school holidays. All students and families also enjoyed the Anzac Day service held at the school last Friday. Both students and our leaders of the school have represented our school with much pride. They are to be congratulated for their responsible manners and presentation in the community.

Today Baxter and Charlie will be participating in the Paul Kelly Cup in Wagga Wagga. This is always a great day for the students to play alongside other talented football players in the area. We hope they have a wonderful day. We are also looking at participating in the Small Schools Knockout. This year the selected Small Schools sport is soccer. We have some very keen students and we will keep you informed to when these matches will be occurring.



Students have been practising for NAPLAN next week. Please make sure your child/ren are well rested so they can put in their best effort. If you have any questions about the assessments please do not hesitate to phone the office. We have also started to implement our MiniLit literacy program into the school day. MiniLit is an intervention program that provides reading instruction for young readers who may need extra assistance. The lessons will occur 3 to 4 times per week in the library. Selected students to participate in this program will receive a letter of information this week.

Miss M. will be taking maternity leave as of next week. We have put out an expression of interest and we are just confirming the position within the Department of Education. The newly appointed teacher will be working at MPS every Thursday and Friday. Once all details are confirmed we will communicate with parents the filled position. We wish Miss M. all the best during her leave. We will all miss her!

It was lovely to receive some decent rainfall over the last couple of weeks. After having water problems over the summer we are happy to see our school gardens thriving again.

Many thanks,

Kerri McPherson

Relieving Principal

NAPLAN Schedule

Tuesday 14th May 10:00am – Writing

Tuesday 14th May 12:00pm – Reading

Wednesday 15th May 10:00am – Language Conventions

Thursday 16th May 10.00am – Mathematics

Friday 17th May – Catch up for any students absent

