

Medlow Public School

CREATIVITY RESPECT TEAMWORK



Week 1 Term 4 2017

Great teaching is explicit, engaging and enables students to experience success.

Dear Parents and Students,

A very happy welcome back to Medlow for Term 4. I hope everyone had a great holiday. Congratulations to Marshall for mastering the art of riding a bike during the holidays! What a great effort.

We certainly finished Term 3 in a wonderful way with a really successful camp out. In all my years of camping with kids the Medlow kids were the best kids – EVER. Not to mention the epic spotlight games and Anna's delicious birthday cake! Thank you to the Desmond sisters for their beautiful singing and guitar playing around the campfire – wow those girls are so talented. To all the mums and dads who helped with supervision, catering and just being there – THANK YOU. To all the staff – Miss Emma, Boo Brooke and her son Joe and Miss Jane your help and support for our students and families is greatly appreciated

This is Anna's last term in Primary School so we wish her all the best for a great end to her time at Medlow. As we transition Anna to High School we also transition our new Kinders for 2018. Orientation sessions have been planned for the rest of this Term. Our first session will be an information and planning session with parents from 10 to 11am. We will then have orientation sessions on 31st Oct, 14th and 28th Nov and 12th Dec.

We welcome Brodie and his mum Nicky to Medlow. Brodie started Kindergarten with us about 3 years ago and will be re-joining us in Year 2.

We welcome Mr John Hill on to the staff at Medlow. John will be working at Medlow every Thursday.

Just a reminder of our weekly timetable.

Upcoming Events

October

- 17th Playgroup
- 25th Book club orders due
- 20th Fresh Dental Visit
- 26th School photos

School Focus

Practice makes progress—every student can progress from where they're at.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Miss Landers Julie Gooch	Miss Landers Mrs Trudgett Miss Deb	Miss Landers Miss Jane Miss Emma (Every even week)	Miss Landers Mr Simpson Miss Jane John (General Assistant)	Miss Landers Miss Jane
Homework goes home. Newsletter goes home.	Play group (every even week)	Sport	Music Robotics	Homework due Readers returned Library
				Canteen

Remembrance Day

At the end of last term I attended the Taylors Arm sub-branch meeting. Medlow was presented with a cheque for \$200.00. Many thanks to the President Mr Stuart Johnson and the committee for the kind donation. The money will go towards making crosses for the fallen soldiers from our Taylors Arm area. The students will work on this project in preparation for Remembrance Day which this year is on Saturday 11th November. Medlow students will participate in the ceremony which will commence at 10.30am.

Medlow Public School is a proud member of the Valley 10 Community of Public Schools.



Live Life Well

LIVE LIFE WELL

- ✓ **Drink bottle**
- ✓ **Hat**
- ✓ **Milkshake Monday**
- ✓ **Waste Free Wednesday**

Families please make sure students have a water bottle and hat with their name clearly marked on it. The students will have access to cold water whilst at school but please make sure they come to school with their own water bottle that is full. This term we will be eating morning tea and lunch on the verandah – café style! Milkshake Monday is back for term 4 – Anna will be making delicious milkshakes and serving them up! Our war on waste continues with Waste Free Wednesday – please support our efforts for healthy eating and environmental sustainability.

LMBR

LMBR stands for Learning Management Business Reform. Julie, Jane and I are almost at the end of our training with the new financial system. With all new things the “training” is one thing and it is the “doing” that is the hard part.

School Photos

Attached to the Newsletter is an order form for School photos. Photos will be taken on Thursday 26th October. All students need to be in school uniform for the photos. Please make sure that your orders are back at school before this date and that correct money is included.

Uniform Pool

If anyone has any school uniforms they are finished with please send them to school. As we are starting a new uniform next year it would be great if we could get a few things in the clothing pool to see everyone through until next year.

Regards

Sarah Landers

Principal



Georgie and Marshall did a wonderful job of making Brodie feel welcome at Medlow today.



These beautiful art works were done by the students last term with Mrs Trudgett.

