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Upcoming Events

MAY

- 15 Book Club orders due back at school
- 15 – NAPLAN for Yrs 3 and 5
- 18
- 23 National Simultaneous Story Time

JUNE

- 1 P & C Meeting and Assembly
- 8 World Ocean Day @ Scotts Head PS.
- 11 Queen's B'Day Public Holiday
- 15 John O'Neill Athletics Carnival at Willawarrin

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Week 3 Term 2 2018

CREATIVITY

RESPECT

TEAMWORK

Principal Talk

Mother's Day Morning Tea on Friday was a huge success. A big thank you to Dulcie and Barb for their fabulous cooking. They provided a delicious selection of cakes, slices, sandwiches and fruit.

Deb Desmond had picked beautiful flowers from her garden so we could all wear a little flower.

Carolyn and Terri organised the gift stall and the raffles.

Amanda, Wren and Willow created a little pamper stall where we enjoyed getting our fingernails done.

And Deb Tarrant did one of the most important jobs – the washing up!

It was so lovely to have lots of extended people from our community.

It was remiss of me on the day not to mention the apologies – Brandi Welsh, Mary Hicks, Mary Laverty and Louise Van Hertog.

The students recited 3 tongue twisters – She Sells Seashells, Peter, Piper and Better Botter.

They sang Mary Had a Little Lamb and then performed it on the recorder.

Each student then read their contribution to the class book "I Love my Mummy".

Thank you to Mrs Trudgett and Deb T for organising each child with their craft gift.

So well done team and Amanda was able to present to Lissa Argue from the Ladies Hospital Auxiliary a cheque for \$200.00 plus the door takings which will go towards the purchase of ultra-sound equipment.

School Focus

Planning is one of the most critical stages of writing.

Congratulations to the Raffle

Winners

Medlow P&C raised \$425 in the raffle.

Medlow P&C raised \$155 in the Mother's Day Stall.

1st Prize - Barbs Pamper Pack - Claude

2nd Prize - Kitchens Delight Pack Bernie

3rd Prize - Beaut Beauty Pack - Mick Laverty

4th Prize - Generous Gift Voucher Pack - Raelene Daley

Congratulations to you all and the lucky door prize was won by Sue Le Maistre



NAPLAN

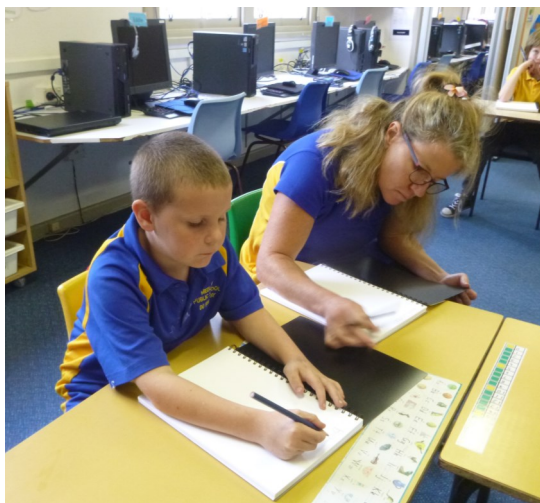
This week Brodie, Wren, Taryn and Willow will sit their NAPLAN assessments. Mr Simpson has been working hard to ensure the online technology is ready. On Tuesday the students will sit Writing and Numeracy and on Friday they will sit Reading and Language Conventions.

All the very best to our students.

Medlow Mural with Nelli

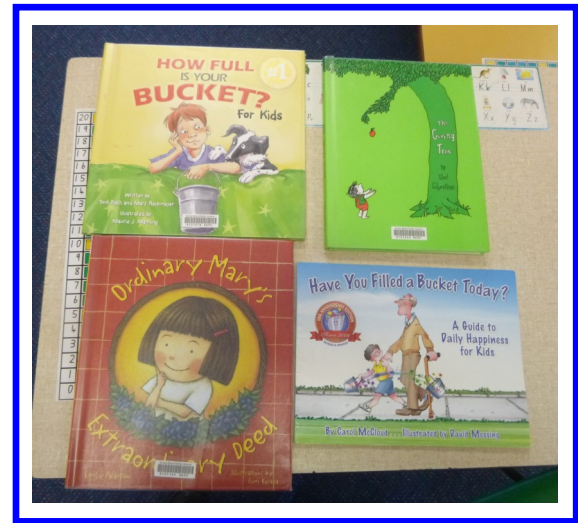
Last Monday we commenced work on our threatened species mural. We started our learning with a class discussion about threatened species and why animals become threatened or endangered. Unfortunately on the Mid North Coast we have quite a few to choose from. The students have begun the “blocking out” process on the mural board.

Today the students were given their very own sketch pad where they will be working on their drawings.



Have You Filled Your Bucket Today?

Julie borrowed these books from Scotts Head for us to have a look at.



P & C Meeting/Assembly

We will be holding a P & C meeting on Friday 1st June at 9.00am. This will be followed by an Assembly.

NO Canteen This Week

Due to lots of visitors and NAPLAN there will be no Canteen this week.

Taylors Arm RSL Meeting

I attended the meeting last Wednesday night and thanked them for their kind donation. They thought the idea of an excursion to Bowraville to the Military and Folk Museum and to Frank Partridge Grave site was great opportunity to learn more about local history. I will arrange this excursion later in the year – possibly towards the end of Term 3 or in Term 4.

Regards,

Sarah Landers
Principal