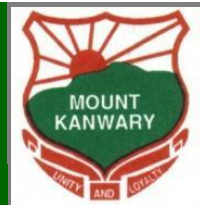


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8 May 2018

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

Mother's day Stall

Our Mother's Day stall will now be happening on Thursday 10 and Friday 11 May. Gifts are all \$5.00.

Any students who forget their money on Thursday will be able to purchase a gift on Friday.



NAPLAN

All students in Years 3 and 5 will sit NAPLAN from Tuesday 15th May through to Friday 18th May. NAPLAN is aimed at helping the school identify individual student strengths and areas for development, as well as whole school need. Any parents wishing to seek clarification about NAPLAN please see Mrs Cameron or Mrs Davis before the end of this week. This year our students are completing the online test format of NAPLAN except for Year 3 writing, which will be completed on paper. Tests include:

- Language Conventions (40 min Years 3 & 5)
- Writing (40 min Years 3 & 5)
- Reading (45 min Years 3 & 50 min Year 5)
- Numeracy (45 min Year 3 & 50 min Year 5)

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data

All schools in Australia are required to participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability. The national data collection is an annual collection that counts the number of school students with disability, and the level of reasonable educational adjustment they are provided with. This national data collection collects information about students with disability in a consistent, reliable and systematic way. The national data collection draws on and reflects the

ongoing work teachers and education staff do to support students with disability. If you would like further information about the NCCD, or do not

wish for your child to be included in the data collection, please contact the school. Additional information about the national data collection is available on the Department of Education's website: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/disability-learning-and-support/personalised-support-for-learning/national-disability-data-collection>

Term 2 Assembly dates:

- Friday 18th May 2018
- Friday 22nd June 2018

Current Payments

Thank you for your prompt payment:

- ✚ Voluntary Contribution - \$47 per student
- ✚ **Oxford Maths text book- \$23 per student (students are currently using these texts could you please pay ASAP)**

Payments can be made either by cash/cheque at the office or online through the school website:

Staff Training

- ✚ Mrs Cameron – 18/5 Literacy/Numeracy training

Have a wonderful week!

Katrina Cameron
Principal

TWEET AWARDS



TWEET

Congratulations to Nicholas and Ezekiel for achieving their 'Yellow feather'.

Congratulations to Rayne, Abigail, Halle, Haylee, Clancy, Milli and Sophie for achieving their 'Blue feather'.

Well done!

LIBRARY NEWS

Book Club order forms went home today. Closing date for all orders is next Wednesday 16 May. Orders can be placed online at www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP or at the school office.

IMPORTANT DATES

Week 2	
9 May	Office unattended
	Zone CrossCountry
10 May	Mothers Day stall
11 May	Mothers Day stall
Week 3	
14 May	Rugby League Gala Day
15 May	NAPLAN Online begins
16 May	Office unattended
18 May	Office unattended

P&C NEWS

Mother's Day Stall

Mother's Day stall will be available this Thursday and Friday after library. Plenty of gifts for Mums and Grandmothers and all gifts are only \$5.00, so fathers dig deep. Thanks to Mrs Padmos for all her hard work getting this organised.

Cracker Night

A reminder the Cracker Night planning committee are meeting this Wednesday at 3.30pm in the school grounds. We have the approvals for the launch site and we will be planning all the stalls. If you know anyone who might be willing to donate towards the cracker night auction please come and see me.

Entertainment Books

On sale in the school office are the **Entertainment Books** for only \$65 each but offer huge savings and great discounts.

Next P&C meeting is next Wednesday 16 May at 3.30pm in the school library. All welcome.

Mark Tobin
P&C President

For ease of payment our bank details are as follows:

BSB 646-000

Acc Number 100024291

Acc name Mount Kanwary P&C Association.

COMMUNITY NEWS



WILLIAMTOWN PRE SCHOOL

**This is a unique opportunity
to apply for enrolment.**

Williamstown Pre School is a Community
Based Service, located at Raymond
Terrace.

Accepting enrolments for Children 4- 5 years.

For enquiries please phone our Director
Michelle Curtin ph: 49877009



**YOU ARE
INVITED
TO OUR
OPEN DAY**

10-2PM
SATURDAY
19 MAY

**RAYMOND
TERRACE
FIRE STATION
3 Leisure Way**

**Fire & Rescue
NEW SOUTH WALES**

Come and meet your local
Fire & Rescue team.
Learn how we are keeping you,
your friends and your family safe.
Explore inside the station,
sit in the truck and watch
exciting safety demonstrations.

Term 2 Events	Date	Details
Mother's Day Stall	10.05.18-11.05.18	▪ Gifts \$5
Rugby GALA Day	14.05.18	▪ Details TBA
NAPLAN	15.05.18-25.05.18	▪ Students in years 3 and 5 ▪ National literacy and numeracy testing
GRIP Leadership Conference	24.05.18	▪ Year 6 students only ▪ Newcastle City Hall
Australia's Biggest Morning Tea	24.05.18	▪ P&C event ▪ Donations to support the Cancer Council ▪ Bring a plate to share ▪ Time to be advised
Opera House 3-6 Recorder Concert	21.05.18	▪ Years 3-6 ▪ Recorder ▪ Opera House- \$36/ student ▪ Transport by bus
Queen's birthday	11.06.18	▪ Public holiday
School Photo Day	05.07.18	▪ Student photos- winter school uniform
Last Day- Term 2	06.07.18	▪ Last day of term for students and staff
Term 3 Events	Date	Details
Staff Development Day	23.07.18	▪ Staff return to school
Zone Athletics Carnival	03.08.18	▪ Details TBA
P&C Cracker Night	25.08.18	▪ P&C major fundraiser ▪ Further details TBA
Year 6 Canberra Camp	19.09.18-21.09.18	▪ Attending with Largs PS ▪ Final details TBA
Last Day Term 3	28.09.18	▪
Term 4 Events	Date	Details
First day Term 4	15.10.18	▪ All students and staff return to school
Yrs3/4/5 Aussie Bush Camp	15.10.18-17.10.18	▪ An EOI has been sent home to all families with students in these grades
Last Day Term 4- Students	19.12.18	▪ Last day of Term 4 for students
Last Day Term 4- Staff	20.12.18	▪ Last day of Term 4 for staff