

MULLALEY PUBLIC SCHOOL



A Quality Education in a Caring Environment

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WEEK 2 Term 4, 2018

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	22 Canteen	23	24	25 Mr Carter at PPA Meeting Tamworth	26 Intensive Swimming
3	29 Canteen	30 Grandparents Day/Bookfair/Mullaley Gift	31 Mr Carter in	1 State Athletics in Sydney Sydney	2 Intensive Swimming
4	5 Canteen	6 Scripture	6	6	9 Mr Carter at meeting in Tam. Intensive Swimming
5	12 Canteen	13 Scripture	14 Obstacool Boggabri Mr Carter at Meeting in Tamworth	15	16 Intensive Swimming

Welcome to Week 2 of Term 4. There are a number of things coming up this week and next to keep everyone busy. Last Thursday we were honoured to have a former student call into the school to visit and have a look around. Mrs Heather Hogbin (McDonald) was a student here at Mullaley in 1934. Mrs Hogbin and her family were back in the area, visiting from Sydney exploring the area in which she grew up.

The students, staff and myself included were interested to hear about her schooling experience and the value of education in a small school. Many of the students were envious of Mrs Hogbin when she informed them that she was allowed to ride a horse to school. Mrs Hogbin stated that she was amazed to see the school going so strong after all these years and was delighted in revisiting her old classroom (the current K/1 room). It was an absolute pleasure having Mrs Hogbin and her family visit us.

Today we had a number of students and teachers visit our school from Gunnedah High

School. Students in 4/5/6 were informed about what the high school has to offer them in terms of secondary education and were able to participate in a mini science lesson.

This Thursday we welcome Ms Arna Douglas to our school whilst she completes her practicum experience at our school. Ms Douglas will be working predominantly with the Years 4/5/6 class but will have the opportunity to visit and engage with the other classrooms during her stay.

On Friday we start our swimming program, this is a valuable program and provides students with the opportunity to learn a lifesaving skill. Additionally on Friday, we have the School Liaison Police Officer from Tamworth visiting our school from 10am to speak with years 3 – 6 in regards to online safety and being safe within the community. Parents are welcome to come in and join us for this session.

Enjoy your week.

Benjamin Carter
Principal

Teacher's Day

This Friday is Teacher's Day. A special day to thank your child's teacher!

OBSTACOOOL

Wednesday 14th November

Obstacool is for boys and girls aged 4 to 12 years, who want to get active, have fun and meet friends. Obstacool includes a range of obstacles that are both challenging and fun. Suitable for kids of all fitness levels, the course has been designed to run at their own pace.

The course is made up of a giant mix of inflatables held together with timber walls, tunnels, rock walls, commando nets and stepping stones. The 'hero' of the course is our main inflatable Big Bopper, 40 metre long giant inflatable with many jumps, hoops, spiders web and 3.5 slide at the end.



When: Wednesday 14th November

Where: Boggabri Public School

Cost: \$15 - Paid by Mullaley P&C

The school's canteen will have a special meal deal available for pre-order. Boggabri Public will be joined by

Curlewis, Mullaley and Fairfax public schools.

It's going to be a fantastic day with lots of laughs and enjoyment by all involved!

Intensive Swimming

Swimming commences this Friday. Permission notes are due tomorrow.

Pool entry is \$2 per student per day.

Buses will be departing the pool at 2:20pm and all students will be returning by bus unless a note **in writing** is received.

91-Story Treehouse

Permission note and money **due back tomorrow**. Sorry no late notes accepted.

Bookclub

Orders due back by Thursday 2nd November.