

MULLALEY PUBLIC SCHOOL



A Quality Education in a Caring Environment

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WEEK 9 Term 4, 2018

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10	17 Canteen	18	19 Last Day for Students Students Xmas party 2-3pm	20 Office open	21 Office open
		2019			
1	28 Jan Australia Day Holiday	29 Staff Return	30 Students Return	31 Kinder Start	1

Welcome to Week 9, the second last week of 2018.

Firstly, I would like to say thank you to the students, staff, family and community members who attended our Presentation Night on Tuesday night. It was great to see everyone coming together to acknowledge and celebrate the successes of our students both in and outside the classroom. As a school we continually strive to acknowledge and celebrate the achievements of all our students not only during these formal occasions, but also continually throughout the year.

As part of the presentation night, I have the privilege of announcing the school captains and SRC members for 2019. Congratulations to the following students:

School Captains - Charlotte Craig and James Higgins
 Year 6 SRC – Isobel Haire
 Year 5 SRC – Chas Jaeger
 Year 4 SRC – Archie Martin
 Year 3 SRC – Charlotte Tulloch
 Year 2 SRC – Will Schutz

The last day of term is Wednesday, 19th December. Please note that there is no school on Thursday 20th December and Friday 21st

December of Week 10. No teaching staff will be present at school, as such the school will not be open for operation on these two days.

Enjoy the remainder of the week, with five days remaining of the school year.

Benjamin Carter
Principal

Newsletter

This is the last newsletter for 2018. The staff at Mullaley Public School wish you all a Merry Christmas and an enjoyable, relaxing holiday. If you are travelling over the Christmas break, keep safe.

Intensive Swimming

MARLIN swimming group (Miss Short's group) are to bring a set of old clothes to swim in this Friday. They need them for the survival part of their swimming level qualifications.

Lost Property

Sports shirt Size 14
Please contact the school office if your child has picked it up by mistake.



Reptile Workshop



Presentation Night - SPECIAL AWARDS 2018

Attendance Award: Georgia Rose & Caroline Mackay

Strang Family prize for Encouragement in Science : James Higgins

Rotary Club of Gunnedah award for Encouragement in Technology: Amelia Lush

Vince Family Perpetual trophy for Excellent Achievement in Performance and Creative Arts:
Ella Riley

Gunnedah Conservatorium of music award: Junior: Gordon Higgins; Senior: Isobel Haire

Music Encouragement Award donated by Sandy Clarke: Amelia Lush

Morrumbilla Choir certificates – Charlotte Craig, Amelia Lush, Georgia Rose, Isobel Haire

Kennedy Air-Ag Perpetual trophy for Consistent Application: Thomas Makim

Adrian Martin Perpetual Trophy for Scholastic Application: Isobel Haire

Premier's Sporting Challenge Medal: Eamon Martin

Lush Family Trophy for Sports Person of the Year: Charlotte Craig & Amelia Lush

PSSA Sports Person of the Year Nominee: Amelia Lush

Perpetual Trophy for Consistent Effort Donated by Mullaley Hotel Caroline Mackay

Infants Cup: Donated by The Mullaley Roadhouse - Gordon Higgins

P & C Award for School Citizenship: Amelia Lush

Upper Namoi Cotton Growers Award for Dux of School: Amelia Lush

Share Our Space

Your school is a vital part of our community, and we want you to use it. During these upcoming holidays participating schools across NSW will be opening up their play areas for your enjoyment.

**For more details visit
schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au**

This program is an initiative of the NSW Government.





Welcome to SWAP IT

Our school has partnered with *Good for Kids* to deliver a new program called SWAP IT in Term 1 2019. SWAP IT aims to support parents and carers to swap what is packed in the lunchbox from "sometimes" foods to "everyday" foods. The program is designed to provide tips and ideas, not to police student lunchboxes.

Everyday foods help kids to grow and learn. By swapping a sometimes food for an everyday food, we are setting kids up for the best possible mental and behavioural performance at school and at home. Everyday options can be quick, inexpensive and popular with kids!

SWAP IT will provide a resource booklet to each student for their family, provide newsletter snippets with tips and ideas for healthy lunchboxes, and share lunchbox ideas with students in the classroom.

For more information on SWAP IT, please contact Renee Reynolds:

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*Look out for your **SWAP IT** booklet- coming home soon!*



Good for kids
good for life



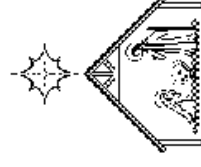
COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS CAROLS

7.30 pm

**SATURDAY 22nd
DECEMBER**

at

**Mullaley School
COLA**



**Featuring the Grant Family Brass Band
Supper and glow sticks provided**

Facilitated by the local Churches