

Ma Ma Messages



Dates to Remember

Ball Games, Tent Hill Lower SS	Friday 29th June
Out of the Box	Wednesday 27th June
Last day of Term 2	Friday 29th June
First day of Term 3	Monday 16th July
Digital Technologies	Monday 16th July (Mt Whitestone)
National Tree Planting Day	Friday 20th July
Caffey District Athletics	Tuesday 7th and Thursday 9th of August

Principals Report

Hello Parents and Care Givers

Congratulations to our students who participated in the Sing Out performance. It was fantastic to see our students up on the big stage performing with all of the schools from the area. Thank you to Mrs Martin for her work behind the scenes in getting our students prepared for the big night. Feedback from those that were there was overwhelmingly unanimous in the wonderful performance of all the children. Our students should be very proud of the way they conducted themselves throughout the night. Great Job and well done!

It is with great pleasure I was informed last week that I had been successful in the recruitment process and have been appointed the permanent position of Principal at Ma Ma Creek SS. This is exciting news and I very much look forward to working with the school community in achieving the best possible outcomes for all of our students.

Teaching and Learning News

It is hard to believe we are halfway through the year. At Ma Ma Creek SS student achievement data is consistently monitored throughout the implementation of the teaching and learning program. As teachers we make observations and collect work samples throughout the term.

In addition to this formative student achievement information, classes complete pieces of assessment as a summary of the students' knowledge, understanding and application of their learning. This ongoing and summative collection of students' data provides a complete 'picture' of a students' progress in each area of the curriculum.

At the end of this week each student will receive their Semester One Report- which is an amalgamation of the entire semester. These reports will come home at the end of this week. Parent teacher interviews will be organised next term to give parents an opportunity to discuss their child's progress with their teacher.

Mrs Rosier's Farewell

An afternoon tea will be held this Thursday from 2:45. This is an opportunity for us as a school community to thank Mrs Rosier for her hard work and dedication during her time here at Ma Ma Creek SS. All community members and parents both past and present are welcome.

Behaviour Focus

Safety – Stay Safe these holidays!



Out of the Box

Our end of term excursion is this Wednesday. Thank you to Lockyer Sheds who have kindly donated the 12 seater bus which will transport us there on the day. This is a great day for our students who will get to participate in three interactive workshops. Students will need to be at school by 7:45am. We will be returning to school at approx. 3:00pm.

Ball Games

This Friday we have our annual ball games carnival which will be held at Tent Hill Lower State School. Students are asked to be there from 9:00am ready for a 9:30am start. Students will need to bring sunscreen, water and their food for the day. The day should

conclude around midday. A sign out booklet will be there on the day for parents wishing to take the children home after the event.

This day in History

1858 - Explorer John McDouall Stuart discovers Chambers Creek, later to be renamed Stuart Creek

1861 - A rescue party leaves Melbourne to search for explorers Burke and Wills, who are long overdue from their attempt to cross Australia from south to north.

1945 – Australia joins the United Nations.



Student's of the week

Congratulations to the following students for an awesome effort!



Week 8

Chase – Great effort in Maths!



Week 9

Matthew – Showing great sportsmanship with his classmates !



Week 10

Nicola – Great effort with writing tasks!



Can you spot our Sing Out Participants?

Joke of the week

Knock knock
Who's there?
Cows!
Cows who?
Cows go 'moo' not who!

Knock knock
Who's there?
Tank!
Tank who?
You're welcome!



Woodwork with Chappy Tim



Jakobi making shapes in maths



Cooking in Project Club