



# MARULAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

*"Play the Game"*



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March 12, 2018

Term 1 Week 7

## GRIP Leadership

Last Tuesday March 6, student leaders in Year 5/6 attended the annual GRIP leadership conference held at Goulburn Workers Club. Students were fantastic ambassadors for our school and should be congratulated for their terrific effort and participation in a range of leadership skill building activities.



## P&C Meeting

The P&C will meet tomorrow night at 5.30pm in the school's community room. The meeting agenda is included in this Newsletter. All families are welcome to attend this meeting.

## Harmony Day

Next Monday March 19, students will be celebrating National Harmony Day. The central message for Harmony Day is that 'everyone belongs', reinforcing the importance of inclusiveness to all Australians. We will be having a mufti day in conjunction with Harmony Day and children are asked to wear an item of clothing that is 'orange'. The cost for participation in Harmony Day is a gold coin which we will be donating to UNICEF Australia's Papua New Guinea Earthquake appeal to support children and their families affected by the devastating earthquakes that took place in February this year. Students will also be participating in a Recipe for Harmony in which each class will make and serve a national dish from a particular country. Students will participate in a range of activities related to these cultures and countries throughout the day.

## Grandparents Day

Our annual Easter Hat Parade and Grandparents Day event will be held this year on Thursday 29 March. As usual, we will ask that grandparents, family and friends come into classrooms in the morning to help children make their hats with resources provided by the school. We don't want Easter hats to be made at home and brought in on the day as part of the fun is making them all together. Please make a note of the date and invite grandparents and friends to join us for the parade, cake stall and a sausage sizzle lunch.

## Cake Stall

The school asks for donations of cakes and slices to be sold at our morning tea on Grandparents' Day, Thursday March 29.

All cakes and slices can be left at the office on the day. We thank you in advance for your assistance.

## Grandparents' Day & Easter Hat Parade Thursday March 29

9.30am Hat making

10.45am Morning tea

11am Assembly and Easter Hat Parade

12.00pm Lunch

12.45pm Easter Egg hunt

1pm conclusion

# Important Dates

for your calendar or diary

## Term 1

### March

**Tues 13** P&C meeting 5.30pm  
**Thurs 15** Gbln Mulwaree Council Big Read Bus  
**Mon 19** Harmony Day Mufti day—Orange  
**Thurs 29** Grandparent's Day & Easter Hat Parade (SRC)  
**Fri 30** GOOD FRIDAY holiday

### April

**Mon 2** EASTER MONDAY holiday  
**Wed 11** Athletics Carnival  
**Fri 13** Last day Term 1

## Term 2

**Mon 30** School Development Day

### May

**Tues 1** Students resume

## Breakfast Club Roster

### TERM 1

#### March

**Tues 13** — Raylene & Jenny

**Wed 14** — Maureen & John

**Thurs 15** — Danielle & Debbie

**Fri 16** — **HELP NEEDED**

**Mon 19** — Col

**Gold coin donation requested.** Thank you for your support of our students and school.

*If you are able to assist with breakfast club, even just one morning a month, please contact the office.*

*Please do not send your child/children to breakfast club prior to **8:00am** as there is **no** supervision.*



The Goulburn Regional Conservatorium's early childhood music classes for family day cares, preschools and child care centres.

Music education is a very important part of early childhood education. Various studies have shown that music helps children learn more effectively. The GRC's aim is to provide high quality Early Childhood Music classes that are engaging, energetic and FUN!

Melodia is an interactive instrument-based program designed around the Early Years Learning Framework of play-based learning. Each week children are taken on a musical journey exploring the core concepts of music through musical games, singing, dancing, fun puppet friends, and a wide range of musical instruments that are cycled through weekly.

Fresh ways of teaching solfege, pitch, rhythm and dynamics techniques all revolve around live music and play which creates a fun and developmentally appropriate music program for the 0-7 year age group.



For more information about the Melodia early childhood music program, please ask your child care provider or contact the Goulburn Regional Conservatorium.

160 Bourke St, Goulburn | 4821 8833 | thegrc.com.au | enquiries@thegrc.com.au

## Melodia Music at Marulan PS

Every Tuesday morning during term,  
 9.30am—  
 10:15am in the Community room  
 \$5 per child.

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## CANTEEN



Friday 16 March

### MENU

#### Choose from:

Macaroni Cheese

PIE

3 Items for \$5

Toastie - HAM/CHEESE/TOMATO  
 OR Fresh Sandwich as above & Vegemite

JELLY FRUIT CUP



or CUSTARD

MILK  
 Strawberry or Chocolate

or

JUICE  
 Orange or Apple

or

WATER

Proudly operated by the Ladies of the Marulan Branch of



Country Women's Association  
 of New South Wales

## Goulburn Mulwaree Council Big Read Bus

This Thursday March 15, will be the last time the bus visits the school for students to borrow. All books borrowed from the Big Read Bus will need to be returned directly to the Goulburn Mulwaree Council Library after March 15.

SAFE

RESPECTFUL

RESPONSIBLE

## Premier's Reading Challenge

Tips for parents and carers for participating in the Challenge

- ☐ Find out the name(s) of your school's Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) coordinator(s) and how they plan to administer the Challenge.
- ☐ Familiarise yourself with the [PRC website](#). Logon is not required to view the [Booklists](#) or read the [Rules](#).
- ☐ Visit the new [Premier's Reading Challenge Support website](#). It allows you to search for information about the PRC and also [contact the PRC team](#).
- ☐ Set reminders for Challenge [opening and closing dates](#) in your and your child's calendar.
- ☐ Find out your [child's logon details](#). For public schools, students' logon will be the same one they use to access computers and the internet at school.
- ☐ Assist your child to borrow books from the school or local library. Listen to your child read and talk about the story/ characters/ information. Read to or with your child if she/he is participating in the K-2 Challenge.
- ☐ Help your child to add books to her/his Student Reading Record **regularly**. Log on and go to: Student Reading Records > enter books by ID or Title or Author. To [enter a Personal Choice book](#), select the 'Add a Choice Book' tab > enter part of the title or author > select 'Search'. If your book appears as an option, select 'Add'. If it does not appear, scroll down to the 'Still can't find a book?' section > enter the full title and author > select 'Add'.
- ☐ Check your child's [Challenge history](#) – log on to the website, go to Student Reading Records and select tab 'My Information'. If Challenge participation at a previous school is not listed, contact your child's PRC coordinator.
- ☐ Contact your child's **PRC coordinator** if:
  - Your child has any difficulty using her/his logon details to access the PRC website.
  - You are concerned that your child's name is spelt incorrectly in the PRC website.
- ☐ Your child's online Student Reading Record (SRR) must have the required number of books recorded to complete the Challenge by the [student closing date](#). School PRC coordinators have an extra week to validate the SRR. **Only students with a validated SRR are eligible for a certificate.**
- ☐ **In the final weeks of the Challenge, log on regularly to the website to check the status of your child's SRR.** Contact your child's PRC coordinator if you are concerned your child's SRR has not been validated.





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1<sup>ST</sup> March 2018

## Marulan Public School

### The School Photographer Re-Order Photos

Please find below, a list of all the sports/special photographs. These can be viewed both online at [www.theschoolphotographer.com.au](http://www.theschoolphotographer.com.au) and at the school.

Online Order Code: **18S013PRE38M**

If you wish to order please either;

- collect an order envelope, fill out/enclose payment and return to school.
- visit our website and order/pay online.

The photo prices are:

\$16.00 each, 2 for \$30.00, 3 for \$42.00, 4 for \$52.00 or 5 for \$60.00.

Any additional photographs are \$10.00 each. This discount is only available per family order.

Payment options – Cash or Money Order payments enclosed in the order envelope.  
ONLINE Payment by credit card – Envelope NOT required  
The photos will be available to view and purchase online

All Orders to be made by 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2018

*\*Please note if payments are not received before photos are sent to the school,  
a late fee of \$5 will be incurred\**

Name of Group	Name of Group
Whole School	School Leaders
SRC	House Captains



If you wish to purchase any of these photos, please contact the office for an envelope.

All orders and payment must be returned to school by Tuesday April 3.



9<sup>th</sup> March 2018  
Mayor: Councillor Bob Kirk  
General Manager: Warwick Bennett

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



## MEDIA RELEASE

### Drive safe around our schools

Goulburn Mulwaree Council is combining with local Police to again encourage the community to take care around school crossing zones.

The push from both parties comes on the back of recent changes to school zone offences which will see larger fines and demerit point losses for traffic infringements in these areas.

Council's Road Safety Officer Tracey Norberg is looking to make drivers aware of the stronger enforcement that will be undertaken.

"The changes to school zone offences have been brought in due to the importance of safety within our school zones. We want to make sure that no tragedies occur in Goulburn Mulwaree's school zones; take the time to slow down and obey the rules around our schools."

The Hume Police District have recently acquired a new motorcycle to aid specifically with patrols and enforcement around school zones.

Hume Traffic Sergeant Chris Upton also wants to see drivers following all rules around school zones. Police will be undertaking a blitz on school zones from Monday 12<sup>th</sup> March for the remainder of the school term.

"We will be increasing our monitoring of school zones in both the morning and afternoon's during the coming month to make sure people are obeying the law. The safety of our kids is far more important than being late to work or an appointment and I hope people continue to keep this in mind."

Changes to school zone offences were brought in at the start of 2018. Examples of increased penalties include \$439 plus 2 demerit points for failing to stop in intersection and \$330 and 2 demerit points for parallel parking close to a dividing line.

One team delivering with **Passion Respect Innovation Dedication Excellence**

**MEDIA INTERVIEWS:** Please contact Goulburn Mulwaree Council's Communications Manager  
Jackson Reardon on 4823 4515



## Marulan Public School Parents & Citizens Association

### Meeting Agenda

For

13 March 2018

**Welcome**

**Apologies**

**Business Arising from the previous minutes**

**Adoption of previous minutes (Including  
December minutes)**

**Correspondence In/Out**

**President's report**

**Treasurer's report**

8. **Principal's report**
9. **Uniform shop report**
10. **Election of secretary**
11. **Task Register**
12. **Additional By Laws**
13. **Code of Conduct Adoption**
14. **Grievances, Complaints, & Dispute Procedures**
15. **Social Media Policy**
16. **General business**

Grandparents day (29 March)

Athletics Carnival (11 April)

Mothers Day Stall (TBA)

Trivia night (12 April)

Bullying

17. **Next Meeting – 10 April 2018**

18. **Meeting closed**