Diary Dates

Thursday 28th January
- First day school Years 1 to 6

Friday 29th January
- First day school Kindergarten

Tuesday 2nd February
- Whole school Myuna Bay Picnic Day

Tuesday 9th February
- P&C Meeting

Tuesday 23rd February
- Small Schools Swimming Carnival

Principal’s Message

Welcome to 2016 at Kulnura Public School. I think there will be as many happy parents as there are happy children returning to school. I hope you all had a relaxing holiday and that the children are rearing to go!!

Our new Kindergarten children will be starting tomorrow. How exciting!! I’m sure our big Year 1 students will help them to settle in.

CLASSES AND STAFF
This year we will have 3 classes. They are Year 4/5/6 with Mrs Pengelly, Year 2/3 with Mrs Booth and K/1 with Miss Suazo. Mr Haydon will return to the Library on Tuesday. I will be taking on the Learning Support role, RFF and Year 2/3 on Wednesdays. It will take a couple of weeks to settle into our routines and establish our class rules etc.

SPORT
Sport will be on Wednesday and will be starting Week 3. Many thanks to Lee Fischer for coordinating softball which will be our Term 1 sport.

MYUNA BAY
Our Myuna Bay swimming and picnic day will be held next Tuesday. Notes are going home tomorrow and we would ideally like them back tomorrow to assist us with the organisation.

SCRIPTURE
Scripture will start on Tuesday 9th February (Week 3). Mary Luci and Judy Grenfell will again teach Catholic scripture and Jim Benham will be teaching the combined scripture.

Have a great week.

Kind regards,
Helen Dwyer
PRINCIPAL
Library News

The Library day this year will continue to be Tuesday of each week, except for the first week when it will be Monday 1st February because of the school excursion on Tuesday 2nd.

The library timetable for the day is as follows:

Class K/1 2:00pm – 2:30pm
Class 2/3 11:10am – 1:30pm
Class 4/5/6 9:10am – 11:10am

The Library will also be open during the second half of lunch and recess each Tuesday for those students who wish to use it.

It is important that students have a library bag for borrowing purposes. If your child does not have a bag they can be purchased through the school office for $8.50. I will have a supply of plastic bags for those students who forget to bring their bag but please encourage your child/children to bring their own bag in to school each Monday. Your assistance in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Please encourage your child/children to borrow from the Library regularly. The Library is a great resource which ideally should be utilised by all students. The lending period for students is two weeks and students are encouraged to return books to avoid overdue notices. If a child has not finished reading a particular book in the two-week period, the period can be easily extended once the book is returned. Student borrowing limits are as follows:

Kindergarten – 1 book
Years 1 and 2 – 2 books
Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 – 4 books

Bill Haydon
Teacher Librarian

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**Mountain District Football Club**

Registration Fees for 2016

DATE: January Saturday 30th and February Saturday 6th.
WHERE: Mangrove Mtn Golf Club (downstairs)
TIME: 10am—12pm

OR register online www.myfootballclub.com.au

Age 5-9 .................................................. $130
Age 10-11 .................................................. $140
Age 12-17 .................................................. $150
Student 18 and above .................................. $170
Seniors ...................................................... $265

( Student must produce proof of student ID )

Family Discount

2 Family Members .................. $10 off
3 Family Members .................. $20 off
4 Family Members .................. $30 off

Bank Details
BSB - 062 544 ACC – 00908286 REF - Your Name

On-line cut off 19th February. After email mfcragis-tran@gmail.com

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**EAT MORE FRUIT AND VEGIES**

* Did you know?

* 56% of primary and 80% of secondary school students do not eat the recommended daily amount of vegetables.

* Research shows that watching a lot of TV is associated with children and teenagers drinking more soft drink and not eating enough fruit and vegetables.

* Fruit and vegetables are a great source of vitamins, minerals and dietary fibre.

* Eating fruit and vegetables every day helps children and teenagers grow and develop, boosts their vitality and can reduce the risk of many chronic diseases - such as heart disease, high blood pressure, some forms of cancer and being overweight or obese.