

MANDURAMA
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MANDURAMA PUBLIC SCHOOL



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IMPORTANT DATES

WEEK 8

TUESDAY 20TH MARCH

K-2 Excursion to Bathurst.
\$20.00.

WEEK 9

Friday 30th March—Monday
2nd April EASTER LONG
WEEKEND

(not school holidays yet!)

WEEK 10

Monday 2nd April East-
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April—Life Education van
@ Lyndhurst P.S.

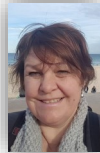
Week 11

MONDAY—Parent Meeting
5.30-7.00

FRIDAY—Small Schools
Colour Fun Run at Neville
P.S.

Last day of Term 1

**Term 1 School Holidays begin on
14th April. Students return on
Tuesday 1st May.**



Week 7 Term 1

Principal's Message

Dear all.

Our numbers are growing! We welcome Charli, our newest student in Year 6. She has already amazed us with her mature approach to learning and her excellent writing and artistic skills. We sincerely hope that you enjoy being part of our terrific school, Charli.

This Thursday we are inducting our 2018 School Leaders at 9.00. All families of our students are most welcome to attend, as are community members interested in our school. We hope that you can all make it this Thursday for this special occasion, and to stay for light refreshments afterwards.

On Monday we had Mr Perfect come to the school to teach us some golf skills. All children made improvements in their swings in just an hour. We are organizing for Mr Perfect to come back next term for some further golf clinic sessions and maybe even a game on a real golf course. Here we can see Carly swinging at the ball to practice her chip shot. Well done to all of the children for their efforts at improving themselves. More photos can be found inside.

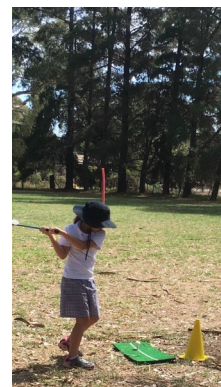
Finally, the children are putting their plans to improve the school into practice this week, so enjoy our Renovation Rescue Efforts! They have worked hard and learned how to break a big project into little parts, and how to work as a team.

Well done students!

Have a lovely day.

Mrs Karen Brill

Relieving Principal



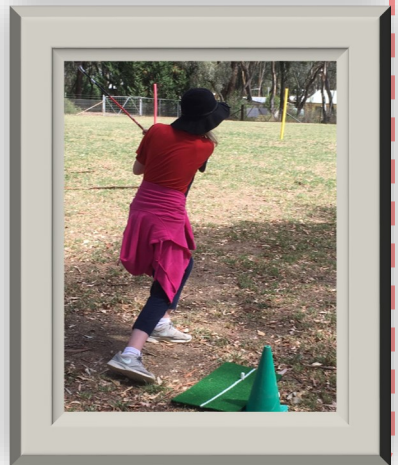
Jokes of the Day (from Hunter and Tessa)

- Q. Why was one clock mad at the other clock? A. Because the other clock was ticking him off. (Tessa)
- Q. Why did the toilet paper cross the road? Because it was on a roll. (Hunter)



GOLF CLINIC

Monday 12th March 2018



HERITAGE SCHOOLS EXCURSIONS 2018



Who	Where and When	Subsidised Cost (-33%) (start making payments now if you wish)
Early Stage One-Stage One (K-2)	20th March – Bathurst (linking with Geography and History syllabus) Term 4 excursion to be advised. Similar price.	\$20 per student
Stage Two (3-4)	25th-27th July (Week 1 Term 3) Sydney (The Rocks area, relating to Geography and History syllabus)	\$200 per student
Stage Three (5-6)	13th-17th August (Week 4 Term 3) Gosford (relating to Physical Education, Health and Personal Development curriculum, including resilience and leadership skills)	\$300 per student

As we are such a small school, we encourage every student to attend these excursions to learn how to be part of larger groups and have opportunities to socialise with their peers. Mrs Brill will be attending the K-2 and 3-4 excursions. Life long memories are made at these excursions, as well as skills in independence and team work. We hope that every child attends these excursions.

Journey of the Hopeful Fish by Charli



It was a morning alike all others. People were walking in, looking at the other fish and stealing them from the water. My tank was emptying faster and even faster, every minute. Although this one particular lady caught my bubbly eye. She explained to the pet shop owner that she was looking for a fish. A fish that could travel a long way, to go to a children's school.

She silently walked around leaning in to look at other fish that I've never even met. Then the lady came up to my tank. I swam around trying to avoid her gaze. The woman gazed into my bubbly fish eyes, and she questioned if she could buy me. Me! Me? Me of all the other fish she choose me.!

I gave a slight nod. Not enough for her to notice, of course! The lady beckoned the customer service man and he came over with a cup and bag. He slammed the cup into the water and picked up any fish but me! I began to lose hope of being bought, when suddenly, I was in the cup. The man shoved me into the bag and tied it up. I swam around wondering where I would go.

The lady took me towards a big machine. She handed me to a man sitting the machine, which from listening to them converse I learned was called a car. The ride to my new home was incredibly bumpy but, eventually, we arrived a building with Mandurama Public School out the front.

Healthy Harold is coming to Lyndhurst Public School on Tuesday 3rd April. We are going too!

Healthy Harold has professionally trained staff who expertly teach the children how to be healthy and safe. The lessons designed are based around the challenges of each age level.

Cost will be \$5.00 per student (cost subsidised by the school 50%). Notes will come home soon for this. The children will also receive workbooks and stickers.



Did you know?

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Parents: Are you registered for LOOP?
LOOP is the easiest way for you to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order, if you wish to pay by credit card.

Parents who are registered for **LOOP** receive exclusive sneak peeks, downloads and offers throughout the school year—don't miss out!



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Blayney Hospital

Open Day



Presented to you by the Blayney Health Council

Saturday 17th March 2018

Starting 12 noon and finishing up at 3pm

- BBQ lunch cooked by Rotary, gold coin donation
 - Facility Tours
 - Meet the staff
- Mock critical care camera
- Health Assessments
- Health Education



PRIMARY APRIL WORKSHOPS



16 to 20 April 2018

Ages: 7 - 12 years
Price: \$520
*We offer a \$50 per child discount if you have more than one child attending.
Where: Orange Civic Theatre
Time: **Monday to Thursday**, 10am to 3pm
Friday, 10am to 2:30pm
(6:30 pm showcase for families and friends)
*Students do not go home between 5pm and the showcase - they will stay and rehearse with the team.
What to bring: morning tea, lunch (dinner for the Friday) and a water bottle.
What to wear: comfortable clothes you can move in easily. Please wear theatre blacks to perform on the final day (Friday). We will provide any elements that may be needed in the showcase.

Add a bit of drama into your year with **shake & stir's** 2018 Orange Theatre in Residence.

Over the course of 5 days students will delve into the wonderful world of Roald Dahl, exploring his stories, poems, and revoltingly hilarious characters.

Led by the nationally experienced cast of **George's Marvellous Medicine**, this residency will encourage co-operation, creative storytelling and vocal character choices to improve self-confidence as they ignite their imaginations in ridiculous ways.

At the culmination of the week, students will show off the creative fruits of their labour in a theatrical mega-mix of marvellous moments for friends and family at the Orange Civic Theatre.

Don't miss this opportunity to rehearse and work with some of Australia's finest performers.

