



# Mulgoa Matters

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## Principal's Message.

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome to Term 2!! It is lovely to see all of our students back after a well earned Easter break looking healthy and happy. All of our classrooms are running on high energy, with everyone's battery back on a full charge!!!

We have a busy term here at Mulgoa (as always!) with Life education, Responsible pet program for K-2, Reconciliation week, visitor's assemblies, basketball program, dance audition, NAIDOC celebrations and more!!

It is exciting to see lots happening with our COLA...finally. It will definitely be worth the wait! The final components of the job are being completed and we should see the fences down in the next couple of days. I would like to thank our families for your patience and also your understanding as the job stretched longer than anyone had hoped.

During the next 2 weeks our year 3 and 5 students will complete their NAPLAN tests. On Tuesday, 14th May - writing, Wednesday 15th May - reading, Tuesday 21st May - language conventions and Thursday, 23rd May - Mathematics. NAPLAN is a snap shot of your child's learning at that point in time. We encourage all students to try their hardest on the day, which is what they do each and every day!!

We believe Mulgoa matters!!

Justine Blackley

Principal

## Dates for the calendar ...

**15th May**

Responsible pet program K-2

**22nd May**

Civic receptions - school captains

**27th May**

Reconciliation Week

**31st May**

Visitor's assembly 2pm

**5th June**

P&C meeting 7:30pm

**10th June**

Queen's birthday long weekend

**21st June**

P&C disco

## What's On!

**Monday** - Library

**Tuesday** - Scripture

**Wednesday** - Sport

**Thursday** - Speech Therapy

**Friday** - Narelle & Music Bus

## Important Messages

\*A reminder that if your child arrives after the morning bell at 9am or has to leave prior to the 3pm bell they will need to report to the office to receive a late/early slip. This procedure is a legal requirement that is necessary for all schools.

\*We will be holding our next visitor's assembly on Friday, 31st May at 2pm. Our K-2 students will be performing an item and our 3/4 class will be sharing work. Certificates for Bronze, Silver and Gold awards are due to the office by Tuesday 28th May.

\*Don't forget that sports in weeks 1,2,3,4 & 5 will be held on a Friday this term. We will switch back to Wednesday sport from week 6.

\*A big thank you to our families for making our Easter hat parade such a big success. A particular thanks to all families that donated prizes to our Easter raffle and to the families and friends that purchased tickets. Our 5/6 students raised \$580!!!! Wow!

\*All students will have received a Bookclub brochure. Orders are due, online, by Tuesday 14th May.

\*A reminder that dogs are not permitted on school grounds. The Companion Animals Act 1998 (the Act) provides that dogs are prohibited from school grounds whether they are leashed or unleashed. It is an offence which carries a penalty ranging from \$1,100 to \$11,000 depending on whether the dog is designated a dangerous breed or not. Please do not bring dogs to school without the permission of the principal. We thank you for your understanding.

\*We already have a number of enrolments for Kindergarten 2020. If you have a school aged child for 2020, or have a neighbour or friend with a school aged child for 2020, please come to the office for enrolment forms or make an appointment for a tour of our wonderful school!

## Award Recipients



K/1



1/2



3/4



5/6

**P&C News** - We hope you can join us at the next P&C meeting on Wednesday, 5th June at 7:30pm. President: Sammy Simmons. Vice President: Luke Murphy. Treasurer: Gillian Podsiadly. Secretary: Kathryn Mitchell. Canteen Supervisors: Louise Treanor and Brittany Frazer.





# Principal Award recipients Week 2