MERIT AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who have gained their MERIT AWARDS this week:

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Principals Message

Dear Parents and Carers

Learning Support team interviews
Every year we do an evaluation of part of our school. This year we are evaluating our Learning support team.
Part of this process will be to interview a sample of parents, staff and children. The results and findings will be published in this year’s Annual School Report.

Learning Club
Mr Richard Zamora, from the Smith Family, has made our school a wonderful offer. He would like to set up a homework/learning centre at our school on Wednesday afternoons, from 3.00p.m. to 4.00p.m.
One person has taken up the offer. We need at least 3 children for this to work. Eventually, the Centre would be available for students from outside our school, including high school students. If you are interested, please collect an information flyer from the front office.

National Tree Planting day (Friday 25th July)
Thank you Mr McManus, Mr Lunkka, and Mr Rater for helping build and fill our new vegetable gardens for national tree planting day. There is a new garden bed for each class.
I would also like to thank Richard from Yallah Nursery for the 25% discount he gave us and for the free plants he donated.
Finally, a huge thank you to Mrs Ellem, who planned and organised the whole thing. She collected horse manure on the way to school, went to Bunnings to get the garden beds and organised helpers to ready the gardens for children to plant this Friday.

Change of Date
Our school photos have been moved forward (to avoid a clash with public speaking)
Photos will now be taken on Tuesday 2nd September.
Public Speaking finals will be on Thursday 4th August.

District Athletics (Thursday)
By the time you are reading this our clever sporting children will be participating (have participated) in the District athletics carnival. I wish them all the very best.
Thank you Ms McKay and Ms Parr, for organising and supporting our children.

Kindergarten Enrolments for 2015
Mount Warrigal Public School is now taking Kindergarten enrolments for next year. Please contact the school office for enrolment forms.
**WHATS HAPPENING**

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**LIBRARY NEWS**

**Lego exhibition**

The theme of Book Week in week 6: 19th August to the 22nd of August is Connect to Reading

One of the activities during that week that I am proposing to have is a Lego exhibition. The children are invited to make a model of something seen in a nonfiction or Fiction book. Start to come up with ideas from books you have read this year!!

*Happy Reading*

Susan. A. Marold

Librarian/Classroom Teacher

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**SCHOOL PHOTO’S**

Our students will have their School photos taken on Tuesday the 2nd September.

More information will be available SOON!!

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**SCHOOL VISITORS**

**Don’t forget to sign in at our office and collect a badge if you are helping at our school.**

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**Parking** is not available for parents in the school grounds other than for emergencies.

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**Volunteer NOTICE**

It is an offence for a person to apply or volunteer for any activity involving contact with children or youth if such a person has been convicted under the NSW Child Protection Act 1998.

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**SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS**

The Voluntary School Contributions for Mount Warrigal Public School are set at the following amounts for single children or families. A family is defined as two or more children.

- Single children: $20
- Families: $30

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On Friday the 25th July is ‘National Tree Day’ for schools.

Our school will be planting vegetables in our 6 new colourful garden beds.

On the day all classes will be participating in planting activities.

Thank you

Mrs Ellem

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**ONTARIO**
DON'T FORGET TO REGISTER BEFORE THE 24TH JULY FOR OUR AFL 'HAVE A GO FOOTY PROGRAM' YOU CAN COLLECT AN INFORMATION FLYER FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE AT ANY TIME!!

SHELLHARBOR
LAKE ENTRANCE & WATTLE ST
28 AUGUST - 14 SEPTEMBER

Watch in Amazement as World Class Artists astound you. See Americas our adorable 12 year old Hula Hoop sensation as she performs on stage. The Royal Koyono Acrobat perform breathtaking feats. Compelling entertainment for the whole family in a fenced marquee with no caged or exotic animals.

THUR 28
7:00 pm
7:00 pm
THUR 29
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SAT 31
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FRIDAY

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Contact Lindi Jamieson-Brown, your local Saver Plus Worker: (02) 4254 4505 / 0427 439 234 or lindi.jamieson-brown@thesmithfamily.com.au

Saver Plus was developed by ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is delivered in Wollongong by The Smith Family. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government.
Shante Paplauskas from K1LM has written about a SCARY creature called The Gruffalo.

The Gruffalo

The gruffalo is bigger than the mouse. The gruffalo has orange eyes, a black tongue and purple prickles all over his back. He has turned out toes. He has sharp fingers. Everybody is scared of the gruffalo. He was going get his food. When he was getting his food he saw a mouse. The gruffalo has sharp teeth. The gruffalo has a poisonous wart at the end of his nose. He is a bow. He has a brown head. The gruffalo is the Scariest creature in the wood.

Shante Paplauskas