PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Come and have some fun with your children at our Open Day next Friday 1st August. We would like to celebrate Education Week by getting parents and younger siblings involved in some tabloid activities with our students (the students are very excited). Community members are most welcome to join us.

Anyone thinking about sending their children to the school next year are also welcome to come and participate, have a look at the school and meet our school community.

There will be a free BBQ Lunch available at 12:45pm.

For catering purposes, please contact the school to let us know you are coming.
12:15 – 12:45pm
Open Classrooms
12:45 – 1:30pm
Lunch and Book Fair in the Library
1:30 – 2:40pm
Tabloid Sports with parents and younger siblings able to participate.
2:40 – 3:00pm
Assembly

A Book Fair will operate 1.00pm—2.00pm. Everyone welcome.
You may purchase a book or two for your children or as gifts, or if you prefer you are most welcome to donate a book to the Library.

CAPTAIN & VICE CAPTAIN’S REPORT

Welcome back everyone,

Two weeks away on holidays and already end of week 2 back. This term Mr Freeman, new K,1,2 teacher who everyone likes has started and will be with us for the rest of the year. He has also been playing soccer with us. Mrs Starr has entered Skye, Joanne, Christalin, Brooke, William, Bailee and Alexandra in Tournament Of Minds a performance which is called . and they have got stuck into it straight away. Also this week on Thursday Skye had a debate against Mudgee on the TV. Unfortu-

nately, Skye, the OSSA team lost. Every Wednesday for 5 more weeks. Skye, Joanne, William and Edward travel with Ms Fisher to Molong for the T5 Program. For the first 3 weeks we are doing cooking and for the last 3 weeks we are doing wood-work. William will be visiting Anglican Grammar fortnightly. Next Friday it will be Open Day, so everyone please come to M.P.S to enjoy the afternoon, we would love to see here.

From Skye, William and Jo.
Principal's Report Cont.

School App

Exciting news—As part of our Education Week celebrations next week we will be launching our Manildra Public School App. Through this app, you will be able to keep up with what is going on in the school, view newsletters and get notifications to remind you things like what day the kids go back to school or when the athletics carnival is on.

Further information will be available at our Open Day Assembly.

Transition for Year 6

Over the next 6 weeks, Year 6 will be travelling to Molong Central School to participate in some High School classes. For the first three weeks, Year 6 will be experiencing Food Technology (cooking) and during the final three weeks they will be doing Industrial Technology (Timber) lessons. Ms Fisher is transporting them each week. They thoroughly enjoyed their first week. Not much of the food made it back to school or home so it must have been delicious.

OSSA Debating

Skye Robinson, who is part of the OSSA debating team in the Premier’s Debating Challenge, had her third debate yesterday. OSSA debated against Mudgee over the video conferencing.

Class News

Senior Class

On the School Development day I went to the 7 Steps Writing Professional Development Course. The students from 3-6 are beginning to have a lot of fun trying aspects of this program out. The one we have been working on this week has been Sizzling Starts. Sizzling starts are meant to grab the readers attention in 7 seconds or 3 sentences. All students in 3-6 are beginning to realise that the start to a story can be exciting and their writing is getting better each day.

This week we are concentrating on finding sizzling starts all around us. We are looking at movies, TV Ads and books. We are hoping to unlock some secrets to amazing sizzling starts to help us improve even more in our writing.

Junior Class

We’ve had a great start to Term 3 in K/1/2. The children didn’t seem to be troubled at all with having a new teacher, they were more eager to just get on with their work. That made my job a lot easier!

In Maths, Kinder have been working on groups of 2 and are beginning to multiply up to 10. While the rest of the class have been working on their 2, 5 and 10 times tables. In English, the class have been working on verbs and doing the actions to these words. Plus lots of spelling, phonemes, and reading. This term we’ve started a culture study on France in HSIE and we’re going to be looking at healthy lifestyles in PD/H/PE.

P&C Meeting

Wednesday 13th August at 7.00pm.

Agenda: School Fete/Fair & Solar panels (update) All welcome.

Term 3 Fundraiser - Chocolates. If you would like a box of chocolates to sell please let Kathy know.

Tuckshop

Monday 28th July

Nicole Hyland

Monday 4th August

Kurt Thompson
TOURNAMENT OF MINDS

This year Manildra Public School has decided to enter a team into the primary division of Tournament of Minds (TOM).

TOM is a problem solving program, for a team of 7 students, who work together to solve a chosen challenge. The team has 6 weeks to formulate a solution, and have it ready to present or perform to a panel of judges on Tournament Day. They will also be required to solve a second spontaneous challenge, which is presented to them only on the day, where they get to display their thinking skills, creativity and team work.

The NSW Western Region Competition will take place on Sunday 24th August at Charles Sturt University in Bathurst.

Our 7 students are: Skye, Jo-Anne, Christalin, Brooke, William, Bailee and Alexandra
Classifieds . . . .

Manildra Preschool
Family Portraits
Friday, 15th August 2014
To book ph Johanna Gibson 6364 5213 or 0417 054 877 or email geoffroandhan@bigpond.com

Manildra Public School Fete
8th November 2014

MANILDRA CRAFT COTTAGE
We have freshly cooked cakes, biscuits/slices
Wed to Sun

Representative for Manildra
Gabby Maxworthy-0447 336483
For books and orders please give Gabby a call.

MANILDRA BOWLING CLUB
CHINESE RESTAURANT
5:00pm Friday, Saturday & Sunday
Sundays - Market Night & Members Draw

MANILDRA GOLF CLUB
Saturdays: Market Night
1st draw at 7:00pm.
Dinning room open for meals on the
last Saturday of month (Major
Market night draw) All welcome

LIVE LIFE WELL
Mondays, 9:30am More info: Cheryn
Johnson Molong HealthOne 6392 3410

Committees & Clubs . . .

Sporting Notes . . . .

CUDAL SOCCER CLUB
Training Fridays at 4.30pm.
U6 Cudal 1 v Cymes White—9.30am
Jack Brabham 14
U6 Cudal 2 v OAGS Blue - 9.45am
Cudal
U8 Cudal v Waratah
Vikings—9.40 Cudal
U9 Cudal v Ex Services Panthers –
10.20am at Jack Brabham 23.
For more info & registration phone
Penny Challinor 0427074807

Community Notices . ..

Meet the Qantas Wallabies
at Kinross Wolaroi, Orange on
Tuesday, 5th August, 3pm—5pm.
Come & meet the team.
Qantas Wallabies v All Blacks
Bledisloe Cup on Saturday, 16th August at ANZ
Stadium, Sydney.

THE BOOK YARD
Orange Public School are having a
sale of recycled books in the Heritage
Hall on Saturday, 23rd August

Canberra Bus Day Trip
Saturday 13th September 2014
Visit Floriade and/or DFO—$55.
Departs Manildra Public School at 5am to return approx. 9.30pm.
For booking phone Kathy on
63645055 or Joanne on
0447279296

COMMUNITY HEALTH . . .

MEDICAL CENTRE
Dr. Vikki Wymer consults every Tuesday
& Friday between 9.00am & 1.00pm.
Ring 6364 5901 for an appointment

MEDICAL PRACTICE
Dr Guerin consults at The Manildra
Medical Centre on Mondays 9:00am to
12:00 Wednesdays 9.30am to 1:00pm.
Appointments: Molong Surgery 6366
8579 or Manildra Medical Centre
6364 5901.

IMMUNISATION
CHILD & FAMILY HEALTH
Appointments any weekday morning be-
tween 9.00am and 12.00pm at Community
Medical Centre. “Before School” immu-
nisations at 4 yrs of age. For appoint-
ments Kate/Jean 6364 5345