Term Two, 2016

Library News

Our vision at MPW is to foster a community of life-long learners. We strive to develop socially responsible and resilient individuals who are working towards achieving their full potential.

May is National Family Reading Month

What better time to start enjoying a good book!

Reading to your child is not only a wonderful way to spend quality time together, it also hones your child's own reading skills as they listen to the expression and tone you use as you read.

Reading is a very valuable skill for life and as such we actively encourage our students to practice their reading as often as possible, both at school and at home. We know that having reading role models and reading together daily is a critically important factor in a child’s learning and literacy development.

Our library is well resourced with a wonderful variety of reading materials. Come in and see our latest displays. The library is open to students, not only during class times for research and borrowing, but also before and after school for quiet reading. So…… during the month of May, come in and enjoy a good book with your child/ren.

Encourage your child to Read More in May!
Read, read, read!
The more you read, the more you know.
The more you know, the more you grow.
So...read, read, read!!!

M.P.W BOOK FAIR 2016...

The M.P.W Book Fair will be on Monday 30th May to Friday 2nd June. Special Family Evening is on Wednesday 1st June from 7 to 9pm. Come along and have some fun by browsing at the wonderful selection of discounted books. School benefits from receiving generous commission in the form of books or cash, to add to the resources in our school library. More information and details as we get closer to the date via the school newsletter.

-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK 2016
Friday 27th May – Friday 3rd June
Theme: “Our History, Our Story, Our Future”

2016 is a year of commemoration and celebration for reconciliation in Australia—it is a year to build a platform for understanding our nation’s history, story, and future.

The Long Walk 2016 - Saturday, May 28 2016 at 12pm until Saturday, May 28 2016 at 5:30pm

On Saturday May 28, join AFL and Essendon legend Michael Long and his supporters as they continue to promote the story of The Long Walk, raising awareness to support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health, wellbeing and life opportunities. Come together at Federation Square, Melbourne for The Long Walk We Walk Together 2016 free community celebration from 12noon. Enjoy performances by Deadly Indigenous entertainers, on stage from 2pm. Then walk together on the annual Walk to Dreamtime at the ‘G, for the Essendon versus Richmond match.
For more information please refer to the following website http://www.reconciliationvic.org.au/

.....Trivia knowledge ..... Did you know...
“W” is the only letter in the alphabet that does not have one syllable. It has three!

“Therein” contains ten words without rearranging any of the letters: there, in, the, he, her, here, ere, therein, herein, rein.

Overdue books!

We have many overdue books from term one. Reminder notes will be sent home soon. Students will not be able to borrow until they have returned their overdue book/s. Thanks in advance for your support.

BOOK BAGS:
The library encourages and supports the use of library bags. As books are very expensive, book bags help to protect and easily identifies lost or misplaced books. If possible, could you please provide your child with a library book bag.