Presentation Day

Thank you to everyone who made the special effort to travel to Goulburn for this event. The students did an outstanding job and we are very proud of their achievements. Congratulations to the 2016 school leaders who were inducted on Monday night. We know you will do a great job. We are very keen to get feedback from the community about whether the quality of the venue was worth the trip. Please return the attached feedback form to have your say.

Year 6 Farewell

Congratulations the Year 6 students who presented themselves so beautifully on Tuesday night at their farewell and thank you to all of the other students who came along to send them off in style. Many thanks to the P&C for another wonderful disco.

Mini Fete

Don’t forget the senior’s mini fete TOMORROW from 11.30am – 1.30pm. Parents are welcome to attend and help the students to raise money for a Year 6 gift (as well as have a bit of well-earned fun!). Students can wear casual clothes and are encouraged to bring or wear swimmers (or a change of clothes) as there will be a lot of water activities and it will be a hot day.

Rewards Day

Next Tuesday 15 December we will hold our annual rewards day for those who have achieved Bronze, Silver or Gold level in our Positive Behaviour for Learning rewards scheme. On the note that went home to gold award winners it incorrectly stated that the 15th was a Monday. Please note that the rewards day is definitely the Tuesday 15 December, 2015.

After School Care 2016

We have had confirmation that PCYC will run after school care at Marulan Public School in 2016. While we are waiting for final service approval, the teaching staff have generously volunteered to run an informal ‘homework club’ each day from Day 1, 2016. This will be available on both a regular and casual basis until 5.30pm every day without notice (if you need you child to stay until 6pm you will need to contact the school in advance). We will ask for a donation each day which will go towards facilities for the after school programs. There is a note attached to this newsletter allowing families to book in for the first two weeks of 2016.

Staff Development Day

On Thursday and Friday of next week and Wednesday 27 January, our staff will be involved in a range of professional learning across curriculum areas as well as first aid and other mandatory training. One of the areas for review is our Students Welfare policy and behaviour code. If you would like to make submissions or suggestions about student welfare or behaviour in our school please contact me over the next week and we can include your input into this very important aspect of school culture.

2016

Year 1—6 students return on Thursday 28 January, 2016. Kindergarten students will have their Best Start assessments on Thursday 28 and begin formally on Friday 29, 2016. We will begin the year in 5 interim classes and confirm these classes after we are sure of our numbers for the year.

5/6—Miss Jago (Mon—Wed) and Ms Powles (Thurs—Fri) 1/2—Mrs Hage
4/5—Mr Picker K/1—Miss Tickner
2/3—Mrs Godfrey

Marianne Powles. Principal
**Important Dates**

For your calendar or diary

**Term 4**

**December**

*Fri 11 ~ Mini Fete 11.30am*

*Sat 12 ~ Marulan Christmas family Fun Day 3pm*

*Tues 15 ~ PBL Gold, Silver, Bronze Rewards Day*

*Wed 16 ~ Last day of school 2015*

**2016**

**January**

*Wed 27 ~ School Development Day*

*Thurs 28 ~ Year 1—Year 6 commence & Kindergarten Best Start assessments begin*

**February**

*Fri 12 ~ Swimming Carnival*

*Tues 23 ~ District swimming*

*Wed 24 ~ SCHOOL PHOTOS*

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**YEAR 5-6 MINI FETE**

**FRIDAY DECEMBER 11**

**FROM 11.30AM**

The mini fete is fast approaching. A ticket system will be used at the mini fete, however a money exchange table will be available on the day. Pre-purchase of tickets is available now. Students will need to use tickets for the fete stalls.

25 tickets = $10

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**Presentation Assembly feedback**

*What did you think of the venue for our presentation assembly last Monday?*

☐ Good venue, worth the drive to Goulburn

☐ Not fussed either way

☐ Not worth it, I prefer the school COLA

Any further comment: ________________________________

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