



Principal's News

Congratulations! It is my pleasure to officially announce that Toni has earned the permanent part-time position as School Administration Manager (SAM) at our school through the merit selection process. I know that the staff and students are very pleased with this result and look forward to working with Toni for many years to come.

Notes, notes, notes! I apologise for the rush of written information sent home today! Please take the time to read it as it contains important information and permissions.

The Blue Mountains Gazette. Jenny from the Gazette will be visiting our school on Friday 18th August at 1:30pm. She is writing an article about our school's 125th Birthday Celebrations. Please read the note sent home today regarding *Permission to Publish—Specific Activity*. In addition, if you are here for the Working Bee, Jenny may like to chat with you too. 😊

Year 6 Farewell. Marie is the head of our Year 6 Farewell committee, and has been working hard with the fundraising. We are envisaging a family-style dinner where all students and families can enjoy an evening in a relaxed atmosphere. Our goal is to pay for the dinners of our year 6 graduates. More information will follow.

Parent / Teacher Interviews. If you would like to participate in Parent /teacher interviews, please return your note ASAP. Interviews will be held on the evening of 15th August from 4-7pm.

Book Week/Open Day/ Book Parade.

As our school calendar is so full, we have moved our Book Week celebrations back to week 8. Please join us on 13th September from 1:30pm for open classroom and a book parade.



TTFM Surveys. One of the notes sent home today is an *opt out* for students if you do *not* want your child to complete a survey about their experiences at school. In addition, parents and teachers will be surveyed this term. Parents access the survey through a URL unique to Megalong Public School and you will be able to easily complete the survey on your mobile device. I will provide further information as it becomes available. I urge you and your children to complete these surveys as it provides valuable, anonymous data that we can use as a community when looking ahead to the 2018-2020 school plan.

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Working Bee



Friday 18th August @ 2pm.

Please come and help to tidy up around the school yard in preparation for our 125th Birthday Celebrations!

P&C

Next meeting: Wednesday 6th September
9:30am— School Office.

All welcome!