



# Munglinup Primary School News Sheet

TERM 4 WEEK 6

16<sup>th</sup> November 2023

*Respect, Courage,  
Persistence, Self-Belief*



## Term 4, 2023

*Kindy Transition  
Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November  
9:00 – 10:15am*

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*Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November  
9:00 – 11:15am*

*OPENING NIGHT  
NATURE PLAY – 17<sup>th</sup>  
November – see flyer*

*ESHS – Year 6 Transition  
Day – Friday 24<sup>th</sup>  
November*

*Jump Off Day – Mungy  
29<sup>th</sup> November*

*Year 6 Leavers event –  
Woody Island  
7<sup>th</sup> December*

*END OF YEAR CONCERT  
/ GRADUATION  
8<sup>th</sup> December with a  
5:30pm start*

## Principal's Report

Yikes – the second last newsletter for the year!

I hope harvest is going well for those of you who have crops, it's been strange weather to be finishing with!

There has been major excitement since our last newsletter – our Public School Review has been completed with the validation visit from Darren Greaves (Leadership Institute) and Sara Floyd (Principal South Stirling Primary School). My thanks to Amy Nelson who joined me via phone, Chloe Pickersgill, Alyce Ware and all the staff who participated in the validation conversations. I do not have the official report, however the informal feedback was that we are performing at a higher-than-expected level. Our next review will be in 2026, it was such an honour to present the school's achievements over the past three years.

We enjoyed welcoming the Jerdacuttup community to our Road Safety Day. Thanks to Garry Wilson – Department of Transport and Jill Fitzpatrick – Road Safety and Drug Education to a highly informative day. Parents were able to have child restraints checked and the students learnt about bike maintenance and road safety. It would be a great idea to use the Helmet Safety checklist to see if a new helmet might be a useful Christmas present. Mrs. Sills scanned and emailed the checklist to parents so you could see the results of the safety check!

Sadly, I had to miss the Wongutha CAPS excursion however the artwork the students created makes a bright display in the front office. Thank you to the staff at Wongutha for delivering engaging and interesting activities. I missed out on having my face painted 😞.

There has been lots of movement around the Nature Play space. I managed to get to Perth to collect the marine rope from Jeyco Australia who were very generous in donating 100m of white plaited marine rope for the border of the nature play area, and 40m of black rope for a low rope obstacle. James McLean and his offsider Bryce arrived on Wednesday to erect the two structures supplied jointly by the P & C and the school, and in the afternoon the woodchips arrived. All we need to do now is spread the woodchips and install the ropes – Mrs. Sills has written a full acknowledgement of everyone involved in this last part of the Nature Play build, so I won't repeat information here!!

Our Kindy transition has gone very smoothly. Some of the little ones look like they have been here all year!! What a lively group they are – we look forward to the last transition day before they commence for real next year. Thank you to the parents for participating and making this a great experience for your children.

I am looking forward to our Movie Night tomorrow night with 34 people coming along. Congratulations to the Student Councillors Hailey, Oscar and William – they have worked well as a team to get the evening organised. I'm going to enjoy eating popcorn while I watch 'The Lion King'.

**Regards,  
Wendy Hughes  
A / Principal**

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## From the Student Councilors

### Student Leadership Day

On Student leadership day, all the student leaders from the Esperance area meet at Castletown Primary School to learn about teamwork and how to be a great leader.

We participated in a variety of different activities together. The first was to cross an 'imaginary rapid river' - this focused our attention on our communication skills. We also got a worksheet where we needed to walk around and ask others for their name and a bit about them. This was to help to get to know each other and focused our attention on remembering to call people by their name. A great communication skill.

We also completed a worksheet that got us to reflect on what being a good leader is and how we show this. A good leader is kind, caring, shows respect to everyone and listens actively to others.

We hope you can make it to our Opening Night of our Nature Play Area. RSVP to Mrs. Sills for catering.



We invite you to the one and only Munglinup  
Opening Night - Nature Playground

# Munglinup Movie Night! The Lion King

Let's have a fun movie time together after the official  
opening of the Munglinup nature Playground.



**17TH NOV  
4:30 - 7:00PM**

At Munglinup Primary School - Nature Playground  
3 Budjan Street, Munglinup

Please RSVP for your movie ticket to ensure you receive  
your sausage in a bun, popcorn and juice box.



## Thank You



**A special mention goes out for many people in our newsletter this week. A big thank you to everyone involved in the creation and building of our Nature Play Area.**



**A HUGE ROUND of Thank you goes out for the efforts of those in our recent Nature Play creation.**

- **Thank you to Justin Boxer and his driver Malcom. Thank you for organising, collecting, and delivering our wood chips. Our new structures would not have gone in without you.**
- **Andrew Bott who was instrumental in organising Boxer Transport for delivering the wood chips.**
- **Tony Jackson from Southern Pacific Fibre for the donation of the wood chips.**
- **James McLean and Bryce Blaszkow for their work in erecting our new structures purchased by the P&C and School.**
- **Mike Fitzpatrick from Jeyco Australia for donating the rope for our nature play area.**
- **Richard McBeth from Munglinup Roadhouse for donating his time and bobcat to move piles for our Early Childhood shipping container.**

**Thank you to the dads during our Father's Day build date, Roger Sills for picking up and dropping off the logs used in the playground and, the P&C for their assistance in getting stage 1 ready to go.**



# Student Voice

## Bike Safety Incursion with Jerdy

Jerdy came and visited Mungy School on Monday the 30<sup>th</sup> of October for Road Safety with Garry and Jill. They were from and they came to teach us all about road and bike safety.

We began by Garry and Jill taking us through helmet safety - what we need to ensure our helmet is to ensure it is safe and up to standard. We learnt that you always need to check your helmet, especially after you come off your bike to make sure it is still safe and protecting our heads. After recess we began our bike checks. Garry and Jill were able to assist in some of the maintenance issues with our bikes such as missing bells and chains that needed a spray. We then came to the best part of the whole day - BIKE RIDING SKILLS!!!!

We got to practice our skills around the obstacle track Garry created. Mrs. Sills had the hardest part which was when you had to collect a tennis ball from one cone and move it to another.

We finished the session with the slowest bike race ever. It was a chance for us to practice our skills in balancing and controlling our bikes.

Cohen - Road safety skills were awesome because you got a prize and we got to race each other really slowly.

Oscar - the best part of the day was when we completed the track because it was the funniest part (it was definitely challenging).



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Conan - my favourite part is when the wind was blowing through my hair whilst I was riding my bike.

Izzy - My best part of the day was the race because it was a challenge.

Lincoln - riding my bike was the best because it was fun and challenging.



## Wongutha CAPs Excursion

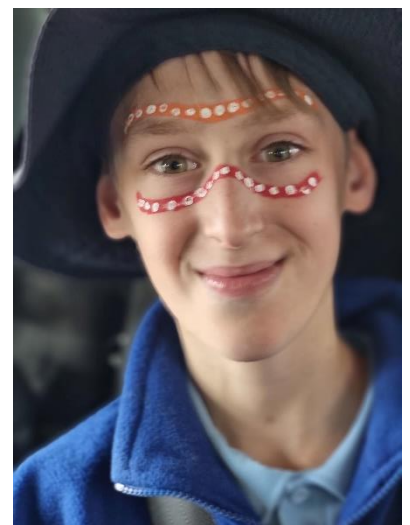
On Friday in Week 3, we went to Wongutha, and we were learning about the natural environment,





connection to country, how to hunt and even got to try some food. We were grouped with Salmon Gums for our activities.

Some activities we completed during the day was tasting bush tucker, touring the school on the train (someone lost their hat whilst on the train and the back driver had to stop the bus and run to grab it before it blew away), rock climbing (showing lots of persistence to climb the tricky wall) and got our face painted by some students. We got to learn the story behind our colouring in sheet as it was made by a local artist who attended the school. It was a great day to celebrate NAIDOC day and the theme 'For our Elders'.





## Jump Rope with Ms Hughes.

This term we have been learning how to skip so we can raise awareness of adults and kids that need help with their hearts. We have been learning different skipping techniques and skills such as crisscross, bell, skier, and many others. The juniors are learning how to skip with the big rope and beginning to learn how to skip on their own. The Seniors (Yr4-6) are learning new skipping skills that we skip to our very own soundtrack of songs we created. We are joining Hopetoun PS for their Jump Off day at the end of this week (we are excited) before having our own Jump Off Day in week 8. Each student has been asked to fundraise for the Heart Foundation which will be sent in and finalised by the end of the term.



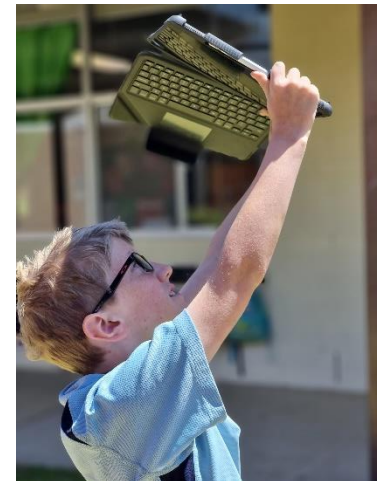
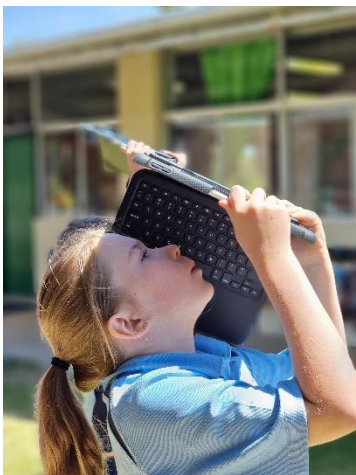
## Science with Mrs Wooldridge at Cascade.

In term 4 we are completing a unit of work from the Earth and Space Sciences strand of the curriculum.

We are investigating weather systems. This week we talked about clouds and rain and did a fun investigation about rain fall.



The seniors have completed their final lesson on Physical Sciences before moving onto Earth and Space Sciences. The students enjoyed exploring a light tracker app that measures how much light an object produces to discover how powerful batteries are in making a globe shine brighter.





# What's Been Happening in Mrs Watts' Classroom?



Beautiful builds!



Kindy fun: climbing, sorting, building, matching, and ordering numbers.



Practicing our skipping for Jump Rope for Heart. We have improved so much during the term!



Designing and creating for our School Christmas Concert!



## Munglinup Primary School Term 4 2023 Updated 24/10/23.

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	9/10 Welcome Back! Sara LSL	10/10 Sara LSL	11/10 Wendy out P/L	12/10	13/10 To Cascade PS
2	16/10 Wecarpade and Pupper Show Jerdy and Cascade	17/10 NO POWER  Fire Ext check	18/10  <i>Teacher Meeting 3.00 – 4.30pm</i>	19/10	20/10 SDD
3	23/10  P & C Meeting 3pm	24/10	25/10 Newsletter due Parent Numero Workshop	26/10 Mallee Principal Meeting Kindy Transition 9- 10:00	27/10 7am School Council Meeting Wongatha CAPS excursion Newsletter out
4	30/10 Road Safety Jerdy	31/10	1/11	2/11	3/11 To Cascade PS Wendy to ESRN meeting
5	6/11 Senior Mallee Teacher Day Sara out	7/11	8/11 Student Leadership Day	9/11 Public School Review	10/11 Junior Mallee Teacher Day Sara out
6	13/11	14/11	15/11 Newsletter due Teacher Meeting 3.00 – 4.30pm	16/11 Kindy Transition 9- 10:30	17/11 Newsletter out To Hopetoun PS Opening night Nature Play
7	20/11 P&C stage setup	21/11 Outdoor Classroom Half-day	22/11	23/11 Kindy Transition 9- 11:15	24/11 To Cascade PS Yr 6 Transition ESHS
8	27/11	28/11	29/11 Jump Off Day Teacher Meeting 3.00 – 4.30pm		1/12 To Cascade PS 30/11 Wendy to ESRN meeting
9	4/12	5/12	6/12	7/12 Yr 6s to Woody Island	8/12 End of Year Concert/Graduati on
10	11/12 Newsletter due P&C stage pack up	12/12	13/12	14/12 Newsletter out	15/12 SDD



# Uniform List and Order Form



\*Prices may vary throughout the year.



Polo T-Shirts	(4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14)	\$25.00
Polo fleece Jumpers	(4,6,8,10,12,14Y,14S,16Y,16M18L, XL, XXL)	\$25.00
Leavers Shirt		\$50.00
Leavers Jacket		\$95.00
Hats		\$20.00



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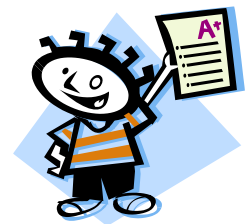
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

ITEM DESCRIPTION	QTY	TOTAL

TOTAL OF ORDER: \_\_\_\_\_

For any uniform enquiries please email the P&C [munglinuppc@gmail.com](mailto:munglinuppc@gmail.com)

Direct Debit - Munglinup Primary School P&C Association  
 BSB: 036-150  
 Account Number: 640171



### Office Use Only

Date Order Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment by:  Cheque  Cash

Uniforms Delivery Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## CONTRIBUTIONS & CHARGES 2023

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CONTRIBUTIONS	AMOUNT
<p>DEFINITION: In accordance with the Department of Education Contributions, Charges and Fees Policy October 2007, schools can request up to a maximum contribution of \$60.00 for years K – 6. A contribution is voluntary and the funds are used towards the cost of materials, services and facilities used by students in the education program. Contributions collected at this school contribute to a number of items including (but not limited to):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Photocopying for school work</li> <li>• Classroom resources, e.g. printer ink, paper, files, reading books</li> <li>• Physical education and art equipment</li> <li>• Required classroom texts</li> </ul>	<p>K- 6 \$60.00</p>
CHARGES	AMOUNT
<p>DEFINITION: The term charges refers to the provision of extra cost optional activities which are parts of an education program and which contributions do not cover. All of the following are optional and if no payment is received, an educational activity with a similar outcome will be provided for that student. The School Council has approved all charges.</p>	
<p>Senior and Junior excursions Canberra Camp Yrs 3-6 Mallee Swim Camp Yrs PP-2 Swim Week Yr 6 End of Year Event Canberra Camp Deposit Canberra Camp Department Insurance This is the maximum that will be charged. Parents will be asked to pay as excursions/camps occur.</p>	<p>\$50 \$2600 \$400 \$200 \$75 \$150 \$25</p>
CULTURAL ACTIVITIES	AMOUNT
<p>Cultural Activities (MAX. COST PER STUDENT FOR THE YEAR) Cultural Activities are costed at 50% subsidy and 50% student funded. Examples of Cultural Activities are events such as visiting MusicaViva, Spare Parts Puppet Theatre, Aboriginal Dance Groups etc.</p>	\$30
<p>School Based Activities (MAX. COST PER STUDENT FOR THE YEAR) This can consist of the cost of food items for cooking, money for unbudgeted activities such as a visiting artist workshop etc.</p>	\$20
Graduation Clothing (Year 6 Students Only)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduation Polo</li> <li>• Leavers Jacket</li> </ul>	<p>\$60 \$120</p>

### Personal Items

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These items (as per the list below) have been approved by the School Council as being required by the students for personal use in educational programs provided by the school. These items can be purchased through a supplier of your choice. Please refer to the booklist for each year level.

### Payment Options

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Payment of contributions, assist with the school budgeting and the purchase of resources for student use. Please consider full payment of the contribution as soon as possible. It is usual that charges are paid as events arise; e.g. swimming, excursions and incursions.

All contributions, charges and personal items have been endorsed and approved by the School Council.





## INVITATION

*The Council of the Shire of Esperance  
request the pleasure of your company at the*

### Unearthing of the 1973 Esperance Meat Exporters Historical Capsule

by  
**The Hon. Jackie Jarvis MLC**  
Minister for Agriculture and Food

*on*

THURSDAY, 2nd NOVEMBER, 2023

At the Esperance Museum – James Street, Esperance

*Commencing at 5:30 p.m.*

RSVP to [executiveservices@esperance.wa.gov.au](mailto:executiveservices@esperance.wa.gov.au)

*by 19 October 2023*



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