



# Miltaburra Area School

Respect Persistence Responsibility

## From the Principal ...

Hi Everyone,

Welcome back for the second term of 2018. I hope everyone had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday and is now ready for an exciting term of learning.

For those who have started or are about to start seeding, good luck! Please remember school buses and students as you move machinery around between paddocks.

**REMINDER** can all **Visitors** please remember to sign in at the Front Office when visiting the school. This is a safety requirement for all Education Sites.

Next **Governing Council** meeting will be held 23rd May 2018 at 6:30pm.

There will be a **student free day** on the Tuesday after the long weekend (12/6/18). Teaching staff will be engaged in professional development around the importance of formative assessment and feedback.

I want to remind everyone of the importance of parent and family engagement with children's education. Please pop in and visit to see the amazing work our students are doing, and if you have any questions at all regarding your child/ren's education, please contact the feel free to contact their teacher to discuss them.

### Teaching and Learning

NAPLAN testing will be held next week on Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday. Please remember that this is just a snapshot of a student's performance in a narrow selection of subject areas.

Our students have performed very well in NAPLAN testing and shown consistent improvement in previous years.

I hope that all students in years 3, 5, 7 and 9 can attend school next week and complete the tests to the best of their ability.

NAPLAN results will be available in term 3, and will be used as a part of a wide selection of achievement data to develop individual student learning plans for each student.

### FOR YOUR DIARY

#### Week 3

**NAPLAN testing** *15th-18th May*

#### Week 4

**Governing Council** meeting 6:30pm *Wed 23rd May*

#### Week 5

**SAPSASA** football / netball *28th May - 1st June*

#### Week 7

**Public Holiday** *Mon 11th Jun*  
**Student Free Day** *Tues 12th Jun*

Karen Stokes

A **Kids Matter** school

**YEAR PLANNER 2018**

Term 2		
Week No.	1	Fri - Netball / Football Trials
	2	
	3	NAPLAN Testing
	4	
	5	SAPSASA Football / Netball
	6	
	7	Mon – public holiday Tue – Student Free Day
	8	
	9	

Term 3		
Week No.	1	
	2	
	3	
	4	
	5	Mon – Student Free Day Tue – school photos
	6	
	7	
	8	
	9	
	10	School camp

Term 4		
Week No.	1	
	2	
	3	
	4	
	5	
	6	
	7	
	8	
	9	Mon - Concert

# Attendance



**Year to Date (2018)**

The average daily attendance rate; Year-to-Date, derived from student attendance data sourced from the school systems as at 04/05/2018

(DFE Target Attendance is 95%)

*Scholastic Book Club Issue 1* was distributed to students last week. Please send money and orders to the Front Office before the end of this week. If you prefer to order online, please refer to the LOOP process below.

## Book Club LOOP

**LOOP** is the Scholastic Book Club **Linked Online Ordering & Payment** platform.

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using your credit card. If your school is not yet in the **LOOP**, speak with your school's Book Club Organiser.

Head to [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](http://scholastic.com.au/LOOP)



Follow these **easy** steps!

- Simply grab your child's Book Club catalogue and either **SIGN-IN** or **REGISTER** your account.
- Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for), then select your **SCHOOL** and your **CHILD'S CLASS**.  
*Note: You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school.*

Looking for **MORE** product information? Additional content such as videos and downloads are available for select titles. Select your issue and enter the item number to view information on titles and some great resources, such as videos and reviews.



- Click on **ORDER** and enter the item number from the Book Club catalogue.
- All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date.

*That's it!* There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school.



# 2018 PUBLIC EDUCATION AWARDS

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## *2018 Public Education Awards*

Nominate, celebrate and recognise an outstanding educator in the 2018 Public Education Awards.

Get involved and say thank you to a principal, teacher or support staff member making a significant difference to the lives of their students and their communities.

The Public Education Awards recognise excellence in South Australian public education, and nominations are open 1 to 31 May. Visit [www.education.sa.gov.au/awards](http://www.education.sa.gov.au/awards) to nominate and find out more about the awards.



**Donations of super** for the school oval would be greatly appreciated. Please call Sondra, Renae or Jasmine if you can help out with a small donation.

## CANTEEN

### FRIDAY

**11th May**

Toni P

**18th May**

Lisa P & J Greatbatch

### MONDAY

**14th May**

Kylie W

**21st May**

Cindy B

### CANTEEN NEWS

Now available

#### **BEEF BURGER PATTY**

on its own for **\$1.50**

#### PRICE RISE

#### **FOCACCIAS**

are now **\$5.00**

### MAY

4th Harrison

12th Mia

