# Manilla Central School



# Newsletter

K-12 Newsletter No 29 Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2022



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# Dear MCS Students, Families, Staff and Community,

We had a fabulous RU Ok Day last Thursday. K-12 students and staff enthusiastically participated in fun activities promoting teamwork and care of one another. Mr Connors and his team of cooks prepared a fantastic lunch for us all to share. A big thank you to Miss Schultz, the well-being team and staff for facilitating this event. As a community of care, the way we choose to speak and interact with one another is critical in looking after one another as a way of supporting positive mental health.



Congratulations to Sekora Daley who represented our school at the 2022 NSWCHS Athletics at Sydney Olympic Park in shot put. Sekora threw an impressive 8.65 metres, what a sensational effort Sekora!

We celebrated the magnificent work of our wonderful SASS staff last week. This team supports the wellbeing and learning of our whole school community. The commitment and effort of our colleagues is appreciated by us all. Thank you dear people, your work every day is appreciated.

Thank you to Mrs MacDonald and Mrs Alston for organising a lovely 'Walk the Talk' evening for new families interested in joining our school community. It was wonderful to meet with our new parents and students and show off our beautiful school. To Mrs Jones, Mrs Goman and our hospitality chefs - thank you for the delicious supper.



Transition to school continues this week. It is delightful to have our little superstars enjoying their beginning school experience. Puggles has had an absolute ball playing and dancing with the children. Mrs Alston is so excited to see the children showing off their love of learning.

This week we are holding our Captains interviews and speeches at the Secondary campus. It is a privilege to be involved in the process of watching our young people aspire to leadership. My best wishes to prospective candidates

and thank you for actively participating in the life of our school.

Next Wednesday, 21st September, we will be farewelling our Year 12 students with an assembly at 10.00am in the Secondary Hall. That evening we will also be hosting a formal evening to celebrate with our students and their families at the Manilla Bowling Club. We look forward to celebrating the end of our students schooling and wishing them well as they begin the next chapter of their lives.

Last week, as you would all be aware, the Head of State of our nation, HM Queen Elizabeth II died. The significance of Her Majesty as a central figure in modern history and for many a constant in their lives marks the end of an era. Prime Minister Albanese has announced a public holiday for a National Day of Mourning to observe the Queen's passing, next Thursday, 22nd September. To be of service in a role for seventy years is an enormous legacy to leave behind. May she rest in peace.

To all, be kind and stay safe.

I begin, I strive, I achieve

Safe, Respectful and Responsible Learners

Warm Regards,

Rachael Ferguson Relieving Principal



Term 3 Week 9

Home Reader Award Winner

Charlie Woodward

# **Primary Athletics Carnival Results**

Results from this year's Primary Athletics Carnival were announced at this morning's assembly. Congratulations to winning house, Adara and the individual champions as set out below:

**House Points** 

 1st
 Adara
 376

 2nd
 Zemos
 290

 3rd
 Sirius
 250

### Champions

Senior Boy Champion Archie Davidson Runner up Dane-Jr Bathis (DJ)

Senior Girl Champion Amber Willoughby Runner up Sophie Maxwell

11 Years Boy Champion Ely Wadley Runner up Jack Daley

11 Years Girl Champion Zari Keighran Runner up Tahlia Russell

Junior Boy Champion Huntah Earl Runner up Kieran Clare

Junior Girl Champion Taya Burns
Runner up Nevaeh Howlett





### Canteen Price Increase

The canteen has advised that it may be neccesary for a small price increase in some menu items from the beginning of Term 4.

# Help us turn bread bags into school play equipment!

We are collecting bread bags (any brand) in exchange for points through the Wonder Recycling Rewards for

Schools program which can be redeemed on new sports equipment for our school. Our school also goes into a draw to win an exercise circuit made from the recycled plastic we all collect! Bread bags can be placed in the box outside the primary canteen.

# R U OK Day













## Kindergarten Transition Fun





# Positive Behaviour for Learning

Term 3, Weeks 9 & 10

We are learning to use safe, respectful, responsible behaviours when on excursions & using outdoor classrooms.











# We're coming to your community



## NSW Government services will be available in Manilla on Thursday the 15th of September between 9:00am and 3:00pm

- · driver licences, proof of identity documents, and Photo Card applications
- Driver Knowledge Tests
- Working With Children Checks
- NDIS Worker Check
- birth, death and marriage certificates
- up to 70 government rebates and savings
- · Stay NSW and Parents NSW voucher applications



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13 77 88 to check our schedule.





DON'T MISS OUT! SEE YOUR SCHOOLS CAREERS ADVISOR NOW!

















**January 18, 2023 - 7.30pm** Weekly rehearsals commence Thursday, 13 October 2022 at 4:30 - 5:30 pm

#### COST

\$60 for enrolled students \$70 for non-enrolled students Includes rehearsals with Ashleigh, a concert T-shirt, official photograph and free Adult ticket to the concert

Email admin@thecon.com.au for more information or to register your interest



TAMWORTH REGIONAL CONSERVATORIUM OF MUSIC



Saturday 24th September
10:00am-11:30am 9-12 yrs
12:00pm-1:30pm 13-16 yrs
Tamworth Sports Dome,
7-9 Jack Smyth Dr

K Smyth Uf

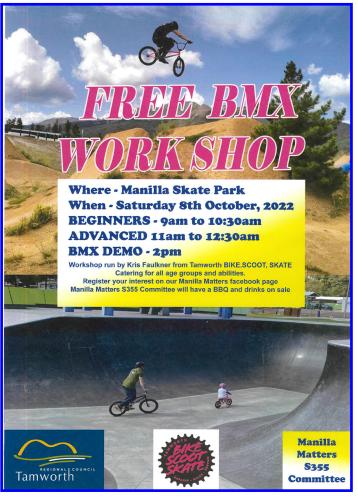
Note: The Gala Day is aimed at new or return players and is not opexisting NEJL rep players.



THE FUTURE IS BRIGHT! MORE INFO TO COME

Northern Inland Basketball League (NIBL)





# STAYING CONNECTED WHEN EMOTIONS RUN HIGH





### **EVENT OVERVIEW**

This FREE workshop provides carers with additional communication skills to support someone (between 12yrs to 100yrs) who experiences any of the following:

- Has relationship difficulties,
- Demonstrates changing emotions and strong overwhelming feelings that can make communication difficult,
- Sometimes behaves in a way that makes them a danger to themselves or others.

These symptoms can be experienced in those with mental health issues, drug and alcohol dependence, developmental and learning disorders.

### **FACILITATORS**

Dr Annemaree Bickerton

(Child, Adolescent and Family Psychiatrist)

#### Toni Garretty

(Clinical Coordinator Family and Carer Program Illawarra and Shoalhaven Mental Health Service)

### **TICKETS & DETAILS**

RSVP: https://events.humanitix.com/stayingconnected-when-emotions-run-high-tamworth

Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea provided.

For further support or information please contact: **Diane Dobson** 

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# COMING EVENTS - Week 9 Week A

Mon, 12 Sep -

Tue, 13 Sep -

Wed, 14 Sep Year 11 Exams

Thu, 15 Sep Year 11 Exams

HSC Study Day - Farrer HS

Primary PBL Assembly - 2.15pm

Fri, 16 Sep Year 11 Exams

Primary Footy Colours Day

K-2 Werris Creek Excursion

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