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Respect  
Community  
Honesty & Integrity  
Creativity  
Persistence  
Inclusiveness  
Freedom  
Rights & Responsibilities



Our vision at MPW is to foster a community of life-long learners. We strive to develop socially responsible and resilient individuals who are working towards achieving their full potential.

**TERM THREE, 2017**

# Library News

## OUR STAFF:

Michele Birch is available Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Lurinda Hill is available Thursdays.

## LIBRARY HOURS:

the library is open Monday to Thursday and is closed on Fridays. We are also open every Wednesdays during lunch time from 2.00 – 2.30pm for movies or quiet reading. An announcement is made when the library is open.

## BORROWING TIMES:

### Mondays:

Rooms 3, 4, 5, 14, 23, 24

### Tuesdays

Rooms 7, 9, 10, 16

### Wednesdays

Rooms 11, 12, 13, 15, 17, 19

### Thursdays:

Rooms 1, 2, 6, 8, 18, 20, 21, 22

## BOOK BAGS:

The library encourages and supports the use of library bags. Book bags help to protect books and identifies lost or misplaced books. We have cloth book bags available for sale in the library for \$1:00.



**Read, read, read!**  
**The more you read, the more you know.**  
**The more you know, the more you grow.**  
**So ...read, read, read!!!**

We have approximately 580 children who visit our library each week. Therefore as the colder weather is approaching, we are in need of tissues.

If a box of tissues could be donated to the library, we would be very grateful.

## Did you know...

*“W” is the only letter in the alphabet that does not have one syllable. It has three!*

*“Therein” contains ten words without rearranging any of the letters: there, in, the, he, her, here, ere, therein, herein, rein*



## **BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS 19th – 26th AUGUST**

This year the Children's Book Council Of Australia celebrates

**BOOK WEEK from 19<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> August** and the theme is  
**'ESCAPE TO EVERYWHERE!'**

The Short Listed Books are available for viewing in the library  
or on the following website [cbca.org.au](http://cbca.org.au)

This year as part of Book Week Celebrations, we will have the following events...

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August**

**MPW GREAT BOOK SWAP**

Staff, students and the wider school community are invited to MPW library to participate in the GREAT BOOK SWAP for a gold coin donation to choose a book.

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August**

**BOOK CHARACTER DRESS UP DAY**

Staff and students come to school dressed up as a book character for a day. Be creative and use your imagination and be someone or something else for the day!

**WHOLE SCHOOL MULTIAGE WORKSHOP**

Multiage workshop is a whole school event whereby students are split across various grades and participate in a literature based 'fun' activity with another staff member. It allows students to interact and engage with other students and teachers from other year levels within our school.

### **M.P.W GREAT BOOK SWAP**

This year as part of Book Week celebrations MPW will have a BOOK SWAP in support of the Indigenous Literacy

Foundation. The Indigenous Literacy Foundation is a national charity of the Australian Book Industry.

All funds raised from this event will be donated to ILF to support literacy in remote indigenous communities.

Indigenous Literacy Foundation aims to:

- \* Reduce the disadvantage experienced by children in very remote indigenous communities across Australia
- \* Improve literacy rates in these children so their life choices grow
- \* Instill a real lifelong love of reading

Students, staff and the wider school community will be encouraged to donate a book new or second-hand to the MPW library for the BOOK SWAP. On Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August, every classroom will be invited into the BOOK SWAP for a gold coin donation to choose a book.

You can support the MPW GREAT BOOK SWAP by donating a book or by making a financial donation. Click the link below and it will take you to our fundraiser page:

[https://indigenousliteracyfoundation.secure.force.com/CICD\\_Fundraise?id=701A0000001lggn](https://indigenousliteracyfoundation.secure.force.com/CICD_Fundraise?id=701A0000001lggn)

Moonee Ponds West Primary aims to develop in students a love of literature,  
and to become competent, independent and enthusiastic readers.

So let's give the same opportunity to others!