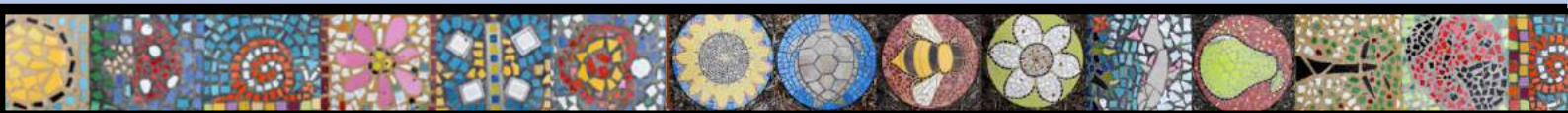


MARION PS NEWS



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Courage Harmony Integrity

Thankyou George Peter

Recently, current and past staff members joined the family, friends and neighbours of Mr George Peter in celebrating his life (16/12/1914 – 5/2/2020).

George was a familiar identity in our school. As a long-time volunteer and despite declining health in past years, he attended most days to ensure the yard was swept of leaves and litter. George continued his daily routine until he was 95 years old and when he could no longer make the trip across to the school from his home, he implored his son to take over his "job".

George was indeed a character – he would tell you he was almost blind and couldn't hear but he made the most of remaining a valued and active, contributing member of our community for as long as he could.

In 2014, the school recognised George's contribution with the inaugural Minister for Education and Child Development – Volunteering Award for Outstanding Services to Marion Primary School. What made George most proud though was the Shine Awards, presented by the SRC on behalf of the students.

He will be missed. Thank you George Peter.



DATES

- 4/3 – 'BurnSafe' Presentation
- 6/3 – Rm 9 Assembly
- 9/3 Adelaide Cup Holiday.
- 13/3/20 Sports Day
- 17/3/20 – Gov Council
- 20/3 –Harmony Day Assembly (rm 8)
- 23/3 NAPLAN Practice
- 30/3 – Pupil free Day
- 3/4/ Rm 7 Assembly
- 9/4 – Term ends
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WHAT'S COMING UP

Extra Curricula

Run Club Thursday mornings from 8.15 - 8.45, all welcome.

Yoga Club Thursday lunch in the gym, all students welcome

Aboriginal Culture Club Friday lunch in the art room, all students welcome.

- Benita Fagan

Vac Care & PFD

The Vacation Care program is available in the OSHC room, front office and on the school website.

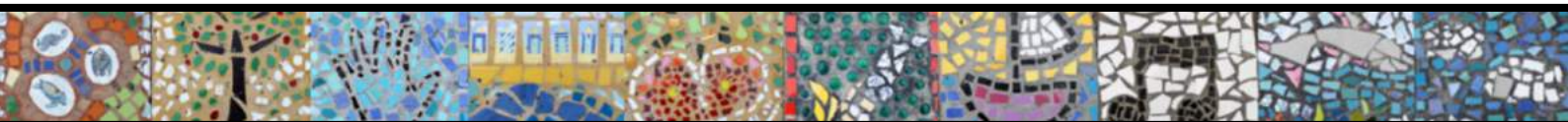
Don't forget the **Pupil Free day (PFD) on Monday 30/3/30**, there will be a treasure hunt, spike ball competition on the oval, a memory challenge game and cooking cupcakes. Booking forms are available in the OSHC room and at the Front Office.

Robyn (Director) ☺

Secondary School

Secondary enrolment packs will be sent home later this term. Schools are advising of their scheduled information meetings. I would advise families of students in years 5- 7 to take the opportunity of visiting these schools.

Information will be placed on the noticeboard near the library as well.



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Community News

AROUND THE SCHOOL

Governing Council Sub-committees – A note went home recently to gather names if interested in joining a committee.

One of these is the Grounds Committee and soon they will be considering what to do with the land once the old portable building is removed. Look out for an opportunity to be involved in the redevelopment of that space.

Other sub-committees are - Fund-raising, Sports, OSHC and Finance

CANTEEN:

Thursday continues to be a CLOSED day for us. However that could change if we can get more volunteers.

If interested please leave your name and contact details with Candia in Front Office or speak to Kym directly at the canteen.

SPORTS DAY – Friday 13/3/20

An exciting day on our school calendar of events!

We will need permission notes for some events as per the information sent home.

Having a 'go' – Doing your best, being a good sport.

This is where we will expect to see the values of the school really put into effect.

Courage, Harmony, Integrity

A note has been sent home with information.

Sausages will be available for order, and the canteen will be open.

The day finishes at 2:00 pm. Students not leaving school at this time will be supervised by staff.

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

Hours of Operation

Before School Care: 7:00-8:30am

After School Care: 3:15-6:15pm

Fees

Before School Care: \$12/Casual \$15

After School Care: \$20/Casual \$25

Pupil Free Day: \$48/Casual \$53

Vacation Care: \$48/Casual \$53 per day

VACATION CARE PROGRAM:

An exciting fortnight of activities and excursions has been planned. Please look out for the program in OSHC room, front office, web page and face book.

Contact Details

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Cancellation and booking enquiries can be made at the Front Office 82772293



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