Principal’s Message

Dear Parents and Friends,
What a fabulous time was had by students, staff and parents on our Gold Coast Excursion. The weather was perfect and everything went smoothly. A HUGE thank you to Jim Hayes, Julia Simpson, Alison Hamilton and Ursula Harbison, who accompanied us on this excursion.

Principal
Julie Twitt

What’s On?

Term 4 Week 6
Friday 13th November
Tennis

Term 4 Week 7
Monday 16th November
Community Meeting 7:30 – Re: Future of Mullengandra PS
Tuesday 17th November
UPA Hostel visit to school 1:30
Friday 20th November
Tennis

Term 4 Week 8
Tuesday 24th November
Murray Catchment Heroes Book Launch (10-12 Holbrook)
Wednesday 25th – Friday 27th
School Spectacular Sydney (Freddy Simpson)
Wednesday 25th November
Next School NL

Term 4 Week 9
Tuesday 1st, Wednesday 2nd & Thursday 3rd – Concert Rehearsal at Hall 9-11am
Save the Dates!!
Community Dinner Saturday 12th December at school- Adults Only- Flyer out next week
School Concert Monday 14th December 7:30pm
School Photos
School Photos were be taken by Ali & James from ‘Oga Creative Agency’ on Wednesday 28th October.
Many thanks for all the time and expertise generously donated by Ben and Julia Simpson.

Holbrook St Pat’s Performance
Our students attended the St Pat’s production of “Under the Big Top” on Wednesday 28th October. It was a fabulous performance and the enjoyment their students had was written all over their faces.
Well done St Pat’s!

Holbrook Flower Show
The Holbrook Flower Show was held at the Shire Hall on Friday 30th October. Our students performance was wonderful, as always.

Gold Coast Excursion  by Eloise
On Sunday the 1st of November 2015, Mullengandra Public School went to the Gold Coast for a school Excursion.
My favourite ride was at Movie World. It was called the Scooby-Doo. I loved it. I went on it 16 times! I was very sick after because I had had a lot of water before I went on the ride and you go backwards and around corners very fast and there were heaps off them.
My favourite world was Sea World because there was an amazing Dolphin Show and a Jet Ski Show.
The best rides there were Jet Rescue, Storm Coaster and Viking Fume Boat. We went on all of them. We got to see the big stingrays and little stingrays. They we awesome! I loved them.
The Dolphin Show was amazing. I took a photo of them for memory. It was a great day at Sea World, we all enjoyed it a lot. It was my favourite world because it was a calm day and we still got to go on rides and do heaps of other things.
Gold Coast Excursion by Audrey Hayes

On Sunday 1st November we (Mullengandra Public School) went to the Gold Coast. We caught a plane from Albury to Sydney and a plane from Sydney to Coolangatta Airport. When we got to Coolangatta we hired a minivan and went to our hotel. Our hotel was called Burleigh Beach Towers.

My favourite day on our excursion was Tuesday. On Tuesday we went to Sea World. We went to see the Dolphin Show first. It was FANTASTIC!!!!! The dolphins could jump very high. They also swam very fast. The trainers could even get the dolphins to take them to the edge of their enclosure. They would ride the dolphins and then the dolphins would lift them up on to shore. The trainers rode two dolphins each. They even got a kid to give a dolphin hand signals to wave and jump in the air.

After the Dolphin Show we went on some rides. There was the Storm Coaster, Jet Rescue and The Viking.

The Storm Coaster was a bit slow and the line was a bit long on our first go but as the day went on the line got shorter. On my first go I was feeling a little nervous because it looked a titchy bit scarier than some of the rides I went on.

Jet Rescue on the other hand was extremely fast and it swerves and turns a lot. Lining up to go on the ride I was feeling like butterflies were dancing around in my stomach, and when I got on I was starting to have second thoughts about going on the ride but then whoosh! We were off like a bullet. It was swerving everywhere. After we got off we wanted to go again and again.

The Viking wasn’t like any of the other rides it was relaxing and slow. It was like going down the river. Until it went down a hill reasonably faster than the river part of the ride.

To sum up the day it was amazing, spectacular, wonderful and awesome. In other words the day was SUPERCALIFRAGILISTICEXPALIDOCIOUS!!
Gold Coast Excursion  

by Lucie

On Sunday 1st November, Mullengandra Public School went to the Gold Coast for our last school excursion. We stayed at Burleigh Heads Beach Tower.

Monday
On the Monday we went to Movie World. We went on the Scooby Doo Ride 15 times and that was the most popular ride for the kids.
There was the Wild West Ride as well that all the kids went on as well as teachers and parents. The crazy kids and adults went on the Superman Ride. Then we went to have pizza for dinner and went to bed.

Tuesday
On Tuesday we went to Sea World. The first thing we did was watch the Dolphin Show which was amazing! Then we went on the Storm Coaster, it was amazing as well. You went through pipes that were leaking water all over you.
There was a Jet Ski Show and Viking Ride. It was so much fun!

Wednesday
On Wednesday we all went to the beach for a nice relaxing day. We built sand castles and played in the waves. The best bit about it is that your tummy doesn’t turn upside down and in and out.

Thursday
On Thursday we went to Wet ‘n’ Wild. It was my favourite park and my favourite ride was the Black Hole. It was the best ride ever!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
The other ride I really liked was the Tornado.

Friday
On Friday we went back home😊😊😊😊😊

On the plane!

GOLD COAST EXCURSION  

by McKenzie

On Sunday 1st November, Mullengandra Public School all went on a school excursion to the Gold Coast.
The plane we took was a Virgin plane. We stopped at Sydney and then took another flight to the Gold Coast. It was really exciting. On the plane Lucie had Mentos. One dropped and it rolled down to me. It was pretty funny.
Once we had landed in the Gold Coast we got our suitcases and went to get the van we hired. Mr Hayes drove the van to the hotel we had booked. Eloise, Ms Twitt, Julia Simpson and I were all in an apartment together. Audrey, Sarah, Mrs Harbison and Mrs Hamilton were all in another apartment.
Campbell, Freddy, Lucie and Jim were all in another apartment.
MONDAY
On Monday we went to Movie World. We saw Stunt Driver 2, it was amazing. There were flames and everything.
After that we went on the Scooby Doo Ride. It was really fun and scary the first time I did it. There was a really long queue in the morning and we waited half an hour. After Scooby Doo we went on the Wild, Wild West Ride. It was great fun. I went on the scariest ride, The Super Man it was really scary and went really, really fast. I saw the parade with Freddy and Julia. At five we had to leave because the park was closing.

TUESDAY
On Tuesday we went to Sea World we saw the Dolphin Show, it was amazing! After the Dolphin show we went on the Storm Coaster. There was sign ‘You will get wet, you might get soaked!’ It was so much fun. After that we went on the Viking. It was so much fun too, and then we went on a merry-go-round because Ms Twitt made us! We went on the Jet Rescue Ride. It was so much fun- we did it 6 times! It was really, really fun and it went so fast! We went on the Storm Coaster again about ten times! I went to go get some gifts. After that Julia took me to the penguin enclosure. It was so cool there was a brown fluffy one and it was a baby and as big as the other penguins. Then we left to go back to the apartments. That night we had fish and chips for dinner and there was a storm. It was so cool!

WEDNESDAY
On Wednesday we had a relaxing day at the beach. Eloise and I made a really cool sandcastle, it was a smiley face. It was so cool because water came in it for the eyes and the smile. Audrey, Campbell and Freddy made a really big sandcastle. Lucie and Sarah made a one too, it was sort of big.
We had a walk on the beach. We saw three blue bottles. Once we had finish our walk on the beach we went to the hotel had showers and went out for Thai dinner. I really liked the curry. It wasn’t as spicy as I would like, but it was yummy.

THURSDAY
On Thursday we went to Wet ‘n’ Wild. First we went to the wave pool, then we went to the Tornado. It was really fun but scary. I went with Eloise, Sarah and Jim on the Tornado. We went on the Black Hole, it was so much fun. Eloise and I went with each other. Another ride we went on was the Super 8 Racer. I came 3rd, Campbell came 1st and Audrey and Freddy came equal 2nd.
Ms Twitt even went on a slide ride!
FRIDAY
On Friday we went to the airport to go home. When we flew to Sydney there was a storm and the airport was closed, so we were 45 minutes late. Our flight to Albury was an hour late but our parents were still there to pick us up.

By McKenzie Smith

Gold Coast Excursion
On Sunday the 1st of November we went to THE GOLD COAST for a school Excursion. It was fantastic. We stayed for 6 days. My favourite part was Monday at Movie World because of all the rides and awesome characters and shows. The first thing we did was go to watch a stunt show but as we were walking to the show we came across Batman in his awesome Bat Mobile and then Cat Women came in cracking her whip as loud as a gun fire. Austin Powers came in after that and his dancing stole the show. That's when we finally got into the stunt show and got goods seats. Before everyone came rushing in they asked for three volunteers to help make the show. There were utes doing burn outs and donuts it was CRAZY. There was a race, City VS Country. Country was winning then City was winning, then Country, then City and then finally Country got back in front. After the AWESOME show we went on the Scooby-doo ride it was so good. Audrey, Eloise, Sarah, Lucie, McKenzie and I went on it 15 TIMES. Everyone loved it. The next ride we went on was the Wild, Wild West it is an awesome water ride that everyone went on even Ms Twitt! The Wild, Wild West was Lucie favourite. After Wild, Wild West we went to the Superman Escape. Only Freddy, McKenzie, Jim and Mrs Hamilton went on it. It had a couple of huge vertical drops and it went up to 100 km per hour. We had lunch after that and went to the Road Runner (It was the Superman for not so brave people). Then we went back to the Scooby-doo and Wild, Wild West
Gold Coast Excursion  by Sarah

On 1st November, Mullengandra Public School went to the gold Coast for our end of year excursion. We stayed at the Burleigh Beach Towers in Burleigh Heads. On Monday we went to Movie World. We saw Batman, Cat Woman, Scooby Doo, Shaggy Dog, Harley Quinn, The Joker and more cartoon characters. The first ride we went to was the Scooby Doo Coaster. Then we went to the Wild, Wild West. We split up into 3 groups I was with Campbell, Audrey and we went on the Scooby Doo Coaster 15 TIMES!!!!!!.

On Tuesday we went to Sea World we saw the Dolphin Show, it was spectacular! After that we went on the Storm Coaster. It was scary at first. We went to the Jet Rescue. WOW, THAT WENT FAST! We got Mrs Harbison to go on the Storm Coaster and Jet Rescue.

Wednesday we went to the beach and made sandcastles. We went in the water and jumped over the waves.

On Thursday we went to Wet ‘n’ Wild. We went in the Wave Pool and then we went on the Tornado. I went on the ride with McKenzie, Eloise and Jim. We went on the Black Hole and I went with Mrs Hamilton.

On Friday we packed our bags and flew home.
Gold Coast

by Freddy

Last week our school (Mullengandra Public School) went to The Gold Coast, Queensland. We had a fantastic time and everyone was on their best behaviour. We went to Wet 'n' Wild, Movie World, Sea World and had a great beach day. My favourite part of the excursion was Movie World. Movie World was super, awesome, fantastic fun. There were performances on the streets and lots and lots of rides. There was all your favourite movie star’s and you could get your picture taken with them. When we got there we saw Batman in his awesome Batmobile cursing through the Movie World streets. We saw a stunt diver show. It was wicked! I almost lost the way there when we were walking to the stunt show because Austin Powers did a groovy dance with his groovy girl. While we were waiting in the queue, for the show, Catwoman strolled through the street. She was sooooo cool. When we saw the stunt show it was amazing. There was drifting, explosions, bad drivers, evil drivers and jumps. The whole reason why they were doing this was to make a movie. After that wicked stunt show it was rides galore. First we went on the Scooby- doo which was awesome. Then we when on the Wild, Wild West Ride and that was super cool. We split up into smaller groups so the full on scary ride people went in a group, that was McKenzie, Freddy, Miss Hamilton and Jim and the other group went to the other rides. The scary ride group went on the Superman ride. That was the scariest ride there. It was fun but mostly scary. After that we had lunch and then got strait back into it. We went to the Road Runner which is a cool little ride. Ms Twitt thought that one was the scariest! Then we split up again. Freddy and McKenzie went to the Batwing and that is a big, big, big, big, big, big drop. So scary!!! The others went on a Looney Tunes ride with a drop but much smaller than the Batwing, but they had fun. After that McKenzie, Freddy and Julia went and watch the awesome parade. There were awesome floats and on the floats were movie characters. I love the Justice League float. While we were watching the parade the other guys went on the Scooby-doo ride 15 times. WOW!! We met up again and we just went on the Wild, Wild West and the Scooby-Doo while Mrs Hamilton and Jim went the Arkham Asylum Shock Therapy Ride. It WAS SCARY LIKE THE Superman Ride. I was going to go on it but I had motion sickness. Ms Twitt thought he was being a sook (just joking) but he was sick.

That was the end of our fantastic time at Movie World.

By Freddy
Tennis Lessons
Reminder that tennis lesson will be held each Friday for the rest of this term. Students should wear full school sports uniform on Fridays. Runners are a must!

Community Meeting
Attached to this newsletter is information about a community meeting to be held at school next Monday evening at 7:30pm to discuss the future of education at Mullengandra Public School. If you have a child or children of primary school age or younger (12 years of age to new born) it is in your interest to attend this meeting if you wish for them to attend our school.
RSVP by Friday 13th November is essential for this meeting.
RSVP: email: julie.twitt@det.nsw.edu.au or Ph: 0260204227

Holbrook Hostel Visits
Visit to UPA will continue this term. Dates are Tuesday 17th November at school & Tuesday 15th December at Holbrook.

Mobile Library
Dates for Mobile Library this term:
1:45pm - 2:30pm
Friday: 13th & 27th November and 11th December

The bus will park in the parking area near the old pub on Shea Road. All residents of the Mullengandra district are welcome to borrow.
Hello Mullengandra Rural Fire Brigade Members,

We have received an invitation to join the Wymah RFB for breakfast, a chance to catch up before the season gets underway, and the opportunity to give the trucks a run.

Our trucks will be leaving the Mullengandra shed at 8am sharp next Saturday 14th November, our plan is to have returned to our shed by 10am.

Anyone who is interested in joining us please let either Craig (0400-553 502) or Pud (0427-427 137), ASAP so we can let Wymah know how many they are catering for.

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OPEN DAY 2015

Job Centre Australia Transition to Work program would like to invite you to our Open Day

We are opening our doors for you to come and experience what our Transition to Work program is all about. We welcome you to view our site and meet with our participants and friendly staff. Please feel free to invite family and friends that may be interested.

DATE: Thursday 3rd of December, 2015

TIME: Drop in between 10am-1pm

ADDRESS: 317C Urana Road, Lavington, NSW  
(Next to Bliss Hairdressers)

RSVP: Call Andrea on (02) 60251249 by 27th November, 2015.

We look forward to seeing you then
Free Public Forum
Understanding Anxiety Disorders

Find out more about common Anxiety Disorders including:

- Obsessive Compulsive Disorder (OCD)
- Social Anxiety Disorder
- Panic Disorder (panic attacks)
- Agoraphobia
- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)
- Generalised Anxiety Disorder (GAD)

Learn about what helps recovery and what services are available in your area.

Date: Monday 26th October, 2015
Time: 6pm for a 6:30 start (tea and coffee will be provided)
Location: Commercial Club Albury
618 Dean St, Albury
Speakers:
Welcome to Country

Dr Rocco Crino, Associate Professor of Clinical Psychology,
Charles Sturt University, will give an overview of Anxiety Disorders.

Ms Julie Leitch will speak about her experience living with
and her treatment for Obsessive Compulsive Disorder.

Ms Jamie Saltoon will speak about her experience as a carer.

Numbers are limited. Please RSVP by 21st October
Julie Leitch (02) 9339 6003 or Julie.Leitch@wayahead.org.au