From the Principal

**Band Camp**

I would like to thank everyone who helped with either the organisation of the camp or during the camp. It was a massive undertaking and the children really enjoyed the experience. The staff of Camp Kedron were extremely delighted with the behaviour of our students. A special thanks to Mr Peachey, Miss Piper and Mr Turner who gave up their time and stayed overnight with the students.

**Mental maths strategies**

We teach children a range of different strategies to add and subtract numbers. By showing them several methods for solving maths questions, we’re helping them to look for patterns. All this builds a good sense of “number” which means they understand the relationships between different numbers and why different ways to add and subtract work well. The goal is that your child will understand many ways to approach a maths problem and will be able to choose a way that makes the most sense to them. School A to Z has a lot of resources, including help sheets on mental maths strategies. You can find out more by going to http://www.bit.ly/JkiUsY

**Project Penguin**

Project Penguin is part of the Northern Beaches Learning Alliance (NBLA) program which involves 4 High Schools and 10 Primary Schools in this area. Last week we had a visit from girls from Mackellar Girls High who came along to assist our students with their projects. This is a great example of schools from the NBLA working together for the benefit of our students.

Until next time,

Bill Gillespie
Relieving Principal
BAND NEWS

Band Camp was a success at Camp Kedron last week, 28 -29 May.

The band students put on a a great concert for all who attended and ALL students did their best. Well done!

Miss Piper has all the band camp prizes. Can all students in band collect them from her.

Some lost property was also left at Kedron. It has gone to the lost property box. Please check it if you are missing any personal belongings.

All band rehearsals are on next week. Please check the roster if you are a parent helper for set up.

N.S.S.W.E is a music extension program. New students are welcome to join N.S.S.W.E anytime throughout the year. An audition can be arranged at any one of their rehearsals. They have places available across all age and instrument groups for the current 2014 program.

The MVPS combined bands will be participating in NSSWE Spring Festival on 14 September 1.00pm. at Chatswood Concourse. More information on this will be sent to Senior Band parents and Concert Band parents. Please save this date. Tickets for this event will be on sale through the Concourse box office.

For further information go to www.nsswe.org.au

Elizabeth Flynn
MVPS Music Director

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

The second Scholastic Book Club for this year (Issue 4) is being distributed to students this week and all orders are due no later than Wednesday June 11th.

Orders must be prepaid via online or telephone payment only, we cannot accept cash/cheques or your credit card numbers. Please complete your order forms making sure all information is filled out (e.g. child's name, class, quantity, price, number of items etc). Once you have your total cost, make the payment to Scholastic following the instructions on the order form. Simply enter your total purchase amount and your credit card details and Scholastic will automatically generate a receipt number. Write the receipt number on your order form and hand it all in to your teacher.

Remember, MVPS receives $20 back in credit for every $100 in orders! Our teachers use these credits to buy classroom books, stickers, stamps, readers, and educational games for our children. Any questions please contact Carolyn Deane at carolyn.deane@gmail.com.

Thank you,
The Scholastic Team

UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES TESTS

In 2014, Manly Village will offer the University of NSW Tests in English and Mathematics.

These will be held on the following dates:

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Attached to today’s newsletter is a note which details payment options for the competitions and cut off dates for applications. Please print off and return, with payment enclosed, to the office by Friday 20 June if you wish your child to participate in the competitions.

Sarah Baxter
ICAS Coordinator

2ND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

Open every Wednesday 8.30am - 9.30am, behind the canteen.

We sell good quality 2nd hand uniforms and new hats.
All donations are gratefully accepted.
All proceeds go to our P&C.
THE SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHER

School photos have now been distributed to students. Should there be any discrepancies with your order please contact the School Photographer directly on 9674 9824 or email them at aftersales@theschoolphotographer.com.au.

Special Photos -
The following photos are on display in the school office.

Year 6
Senior Band
Training Band

Year 6 (FUN)
Concert Band

You may order these by completing a Re-Order envelope. Payment can be either by cash or cheque. Credit card payments can be made online through the website www.theschoolphotographer.com.au. Please enter the Order number on the envelope and return by 30 June.

BEACH BITES
CANTREEN ROSTER

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1) All volunteers, please wear closed shoes
2) Please be sure to change your class on Flexi schools orders to ensure speedy delivery.

SPORTS UPDATE

This week there is no PSSA training or games. PSSA training will be held in normal sport time from 2 - 3pm on Friday afternoon. We are waiting on confirmation from Manly Council about using Manly Oval. An email will be sent to PSSA parents if the venue is different to Manly Oval. All Soccer, Rugby League and Netball teams will be walking to and from the local venue.

Crossfit, Tennis and School Sport will continue as normal this Friday. Children attending Crossfit need to remember to eat their lunch at recess time so that they have their recess to eat before heading off to Crossfit. They have 10 minutes eating time before they leave at 1.15pm.

Sherelle Spillane
Sports Co-ordinator

MVPS DANCE GROUP

Early on Saturday morning, our dance group and wonderful supportive parents attended the Northern Beaches Dance Festival at Covenant Christian School in Belrose. Competing against many local schools, the MVPS Dance Group performed beautifully on a jazz piece that has only just been finished. Well done for your enthusiasm and professionalism girls. You all looked stunning on stage and very enjoyable to watch.

Sherelle Spillane
Dance Co-ordinator
**MERIT AWARDS**

These will be awarded to the students at the assembly on **Wednesday 11 June**

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**PREMIER'S DEBATINGS CHALLENGE**

Congratulations to the following children from year 6 who have been selected for the two debating teams to compete in the Premier's Debating Challenge. Lilli 6D, Tullia, Piper, Amy, Genna, Jacqui, Sam, Lara and Augustus 6P and Oli 6M.

Our first competitive debate was held yesterday against Balgowlah Height PS. Both teams debated with enthusiasm and skill and we came away with a win and a narrow defeat. The children had to prepare without teacher assistance and were given only one hour to do so. The adjudicator was extremely impressed with the arguments put forward. Well done to both teams.

Cheryl Donaldson & Tiffany Marshall

**YOUTHSOURCE**

For your information, a new website has been created for families wishing to seek information about services and events for their children and teenagers. It is a free directory for young people, and those who work and live alongside them. From clinics to schools to youth centres, YouthSource connects parents to services and events across the Northern Sydney Region. YouthSource is a joint partnership initiative between the Department of Education and Communities, NSW Health Northern Sydney Local Health District, and North Sydney Council. The services listed on the website have been divided into the following 24 categories: Aboriginal, Accommodation, Alcohol & Other Drugs, Community Service, Counselling, Disability, Education & Training, Emergency Information, Employment, Financial, Gambling, General Health & Wellbeing, Government Agency, Hospital, Legal & Justice, Library, Mental Health, Multicultural, Nutrition & Eating Disorders, Parenting Services, Relationships, Sexual Health, University, and Youth Centres. Some services will fit into more than one category.

If you would like more information or would like to download the phone app, please visit [http://youthsource.com.au/](http://youthsource.com.au/)
The MVPS P&C Loyalty scheme is pleased to welcome Red Property.

Red Property, formerly Elders Manly is a long established real estate agency with a team of professional, experienced multi award winning and highly respected agents and property managers specialising in residential and commercial sales and property management. The team has been serving Manly and the northern beaches for almost 30 years and pride themselves on achieving outstanding results and support for their clients.

Red Property are proud to donate to the P&C a $1,000 one off payment for every property listed and sold and a $250 one off payment for every property management agreement to members of the MVPS P&C Loyalty Program.

Please remember to mention that you are a Manly Village parent when you call the Red Property team.

P: 02 9977 3000
E: sales@redproperty.com.au
W: www.redproperty.com.au

Community News

Narrabeen Lakes School Market - Saturday 7 June, 9am-3pm, 1299 Pittwater Road, Narrabeen, (opp Fire Station). Fair Trade and Indigenous products, great food and stalls.

June/July Tennis Camps – 30 June – 11 July. Full Day - $45. 9 – 3pm. Half Day $40. 9 – 12 noon. Supervision from 8.30-3.30pm. Wacky Wednesdays – 2 and 9 July - Only $25/day Contact: Stephen Halls on 0402 818 542 or Email: info@manlytennisacademy.com.au


Manly Village Public School, as a service to parents, will advertise community events that may be of interest. Manly Village Public School does not necessarily endorse or sponsor the events and accepts no responsibility for the management or organisation of these events.