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Mypolonga Primary School & Community Newsletter

"Your good deeds might seem invisible but they leave a trail that is imprinted on the heart of others."

~ Unknown ~

Term 4, Week 4 3rd November 2025

We Roar as One!

Assembly Presenters Term 4

Thursday 20/11/25 @ 2:30pm:

Week 6 - Marley (Year 4), Amitiel (Year 4),
Ollie K (Year 5)

Week 8 - Max (Year 4), Zoe (Year 5),
Zakariyah (Year 5)

Happy Birthday!

1/11 - Zane (Year 1)
6/11 - Myles (Reception)
9/11 - Felix (Year 6)
11/11 - Zaiden (Reception)
12/11 - Zakariyah (Year 5)
13/11 - Ruby (Year 4)

Save the dates! (further details to follow)

**Friday 7/11/25 @ the Mypolonga
Combined Sports' Club:**

School Disco - 3:30pm-5:30pm (please keep
an eye on your emails for updated information).
Theme: *Pyjama Party*

School Disco Tea - from 5:45pm (once tables
& chairs set up)

Student Free Day - Friday 14/11/25. The
school will be closed on this day to allow for
staff training & development

Half day transition for Reception students
(beginning of year intake) - 8:55am - 2:00pm
Tuesday 18/11/25

Upper Primary Unit AFL Max camp -
Wednesday 26/11/25 - Thursday 27/11/25

Full day transition for all students
(Reception to Year 5 in next year's classes /
Year 6 transition to MB High School) -
Tuesday 2/12/25

School Concert/Showcase of Learning -
from 5:45pm Wednesday 3rd December
2025 held at the school

**End of Term Assembly with presentation of
awards** - 2:45pm Friday 5/12/25

Year 6 Graduation Dinner - Wednesday
10/12/25 held at the Mypolonga Combined
Sports' Club

**End of Year Assembly with presentation of
awards** - 2:45pm Thursday 11/12/25. Held at
the school

Last Day of School Year - Friday 12/12/25.
Dismissal time 2:25pm

**Mypolonga
Primary
School**

Welcome to Term 4! There is no doubt that this term will move very quickly. Please help us in supporting your children to ensure the great learning started at the beginning of the year, finishes off just as strongly. Your assistance with supporting children reading at home, and having good home routine as things get busier toward the end of the year, is greatly appreciated in having happy and ready learners at school.

Book Launch and Mural unveiling

What an incredible day we had on Friday of week two! We were privileged to have so many of our consignors and supporters of the School Shop, who have made an incredible impact on it and the learning at our great school, present at the unveiling of our mural and launch of the School Shop book celebrating 30 years. If you haven't already, make your way into the school to purchase a copy of the book to see the amazing work of your children and learn a bit about the history of the shop.

Murray Mallee Choir

Also in week 2, Mypolonga students combined with other schools from across the region to put on a choir performance at the Murray Bridge Town Hall. Along with this, some of our Instrumental Music students chimed in as guest performers in the middle of the concert. To stand up on stage in front of a group of people takes great courage, something all students showed in spades. I was very proud to hear that Mypolonga had such a strong representation of students. Special congratulations to our students on their speaking roles and solos. Congratulations must also go to Olivia for being awarded the Don Watts Award for passion and commitment to choir. Thanks to Tayla for her work in getting our students prepared for the performance and to Mrs Daniel who helped with organisation and supervision of students. A great outcome for all students who participated. Well Done!

Enrolment Projections for 2026

We need to have an accurate indication of our enrolment numbers for 2026. If you, or a family you know, are considering changing enrolment with the school, or even if you know of others moving into the Mypolonga area that may change our enrolment, please contact the school to inform us as soon as possible. Thanks to those families who have already contacted us about this.

World Teachers' Day

Last Friday was a great day to acknowledge the amazing work our teachers do. We are all teachers and learners and the amazing staff we have at Mypolonga Primary School regularly go over and above what is required and we should be very grateful for that. I know I am!

Staff taking leave / Changes

Over the next few weeks, we have staff members who will be taking some well-deserved leave, including Sharon Marcus and later in the term, Jo Wagenknecht and Cass Martin will also take some time off.

We hope those taking leave enjoy an exciting, safe, and fun break, and we thank you for your patience and understanding as we adjust to these changes.

Working Together,
Sunyl Vogt



Government of South Australia
Department for Education

Students of the Week - Week 2, Term 4

Junior Primary Gold (JPG)

Ella - excellent writing in her grandparent's day hearts.

Emily - great concentration and listening in group work.

Junior Primary Black (JPB)

Ava - always taking time and care with her work presentation.

Emily - always being focused during learning time and giving 100% in her work.

Middle Primary Gold (MPG)

Billy - putting lots of effort into improving and curiously questioning for deeper thinking.

Rhegan - stepping up to show strong leadership skills.

Middle Primary Black (MPB)

Lola - showing great initiative and completing her work to the best of her ability.

Oliver McN - having a positive attitude and being focused on his work.

Upper Primary Gold (UPG)

Amitiel - showing commitment and dedication in **two** Choir performances.

Oliver C - excellent engagement in our Choir performance.

Upper Primary Black (UPB)

Neeve - using initiative and generosity to help problem solve in class.

Olivia & Charlie - showing commitment and dedication in **two** choir performances.

CLASSROOM ENTERPRISE
TERM 4 2025
PROVIDED BY THE
MIDDLE PRIMARY UNIT

MENU

WEDNESDAY
RECESS

- **Ice cream in cone**
- *sprinkles optional*

\$1.50

THURSDAY
LUNCH

- **Chicken Nugget Roll**
- *choice of sauce /
gravy / lettuce and/or
mayonnaise*

\$3.50



Students are asked to order and pay for their food at the kitchen servery window on Monday and Tuesday mornings before 8:55am. Thanks!

SCHOOL SHOP 30TH YEAR BOOK LAUNCH & MURAL UNVEILING



Choir - A Night of Talent!

In Week 2, our Choir students shone when they performed at the Regional Festival of Music at the Murray Bridge Town Hall. The evening was filled with amazing performances, beautiful solos, confident compering and even a real bagpiper joining the finale of You're the Voice!

A huge congratulations to Olivia, recipient of the Don Watts Award, and to our talented instrumental students who performed as assisting artists. So much talent on one stage - we're incredibly proud of everyone involved! Thanks must go to Kerry Daniel and Tayla Kempe on running another successful Choir program this year.



Our Student Leaders Shine at the Adelaide Zoo!

Early this term, three of our Year 6 leaders Taite, Emily and Gracie travelled to the Adelaide Zoo to present to educators and leaders from across the state.

Working collaboratively, they created and delivered an impressive presentation showcasing our School Shop, the mural our school recently completed, and the commemorative book celebrating our School Shop's story. The trio did an outstanding job, speaking with clarity, confidence, and pride. They were all wonderful examples of what our students can achieve when given the chance to shine.

Their efforts were so well received that they were invited to present again, this time to a gathering of local Principals. We couldn't be prouder!



Grandparents' / Special Person Day

At Mypolonga Primary School, we believe that *"it takes a village to raise a child."* We also know that one of the strongest protectors of children's wellbeing is the positive relationships they share with significant adults in their lives.

As previously advised, to celebrate and strengthen these connections, we'll be holding **Grandparents' Day/Special Person Day on Thursday, 13th November 2025.**

Students have written their own invitations, which should have now been passed on to their grandparents or special person in their lives. If you haven't already, please let your eldest child's teacher know who will be attending by tomorrow afternoon (Tuesday 4th November 2025). Further details of the day will be provided soon.

Murray Bridge High School Term 4 Key Dates - 2026 Year 6 to 7 Transition

Below are some upcoming dates to help with planning and communicating MBHS transition information with our Year 6 families:-

- . Week 4 - by Friday 7th November: Neighbourhood Allocation
- . Week 5 - Tuesday 11th November: Getting Ready for 2026 / Fit Night
- . Week 6 - Thursday 20th & Friday 21st November: Extra Transition (by invite only), allocated day based on neighbourhood allocation
- . Week 7 - Thursday 27th November: Aboriginal Extra Transition
- . Week 8 - Tuesday 2nd December: Transition Day

Further information about each event, including session times and details, will be shared by Murray Bridge High School closer to the dates.

Planner - Term 4 2025

MCSC - Mypolonga Combined Sports Club / MFC - Mypolonga Football Club / MBHS - Murray Bridge High School / MNLC - Mypolonga Netball League Club /
MCC - Mypolonga Cricket Club / YEL - Young Environmental Leaders

Week 4	3/11 . Newsletter	4/11 . 9:00am Tiny Tigers	5/11 . MP unit recess - ice cream in cone . Open Parachute visit	6/11 . MP unit lunch - chicken nugget roll . 3:30pm Cricket Blast commences	7/11 . No Assembly . 3:30pm School Disco / 5:45pm Disco Tea	8/11 & 9/11 . 8/11 - MCC After Match Outdoor BBQ Tea
Week 5	10/11	11/11 . 9:00am Tiny Tigers	12/11 . MP unit recess - ice cream in cone	13/11  Grandparents' Day	14/11 Student Free Day	15/11 & 17/11 . 15/11 - MCC After Match Outdoor BBQ Tea
Week 6	17/11 . Newsletter	18/11 . 9:00am Tiny Tigers . 9:00am-2:00pm School Transition for T1 2026 Reception students	19/11 . MP unit recess - ice cream in cone	20/11 . MP unit lunch - chicken nugget roll . 2.30pm Assembly (NEW DATE & TIME)	21/11	22/11 & 23/11 . 22/11 - MCC After Match Outdoor BBQ Tea
Week 7	24/11	25/11 . 9:00am FINAL Tiny Tigers	26/11 . MP unit recess - ice cream in cone . Upper Primary unit AFL Max Camp	27/11 . MP unit lunch - chicken nugget roll . Upper Primary unit AFL Max Camp	28/11 Junior & Middle Primary units 'Shout NO' excursion to Murray Bridge	29/11 & 30/11 . 29/11 - MCC After Match Outdoor BBQ Tea
Week 8	1/12 . Newsletter	2/12 . School transition day (Reception to Year 5 students in next year's classes / Year 6 transition at MBHS)	3/12 . from 5:45pm School Concert/Showcase of Learning . FINAL MP unit recess - ice cream in cone	4/12 . FINAL MP unit lunch - chicken nugget roll	5/12 . FINAL School Shop visit run by Yr 4/5 students . 2:45pm End of Term Assembly (held at the school)	6/12 & 7/12 . 6/12 - MCC Teas inside clubrooms
Week 9	8/12 . Fun Day at the pool! (Further details to come)	9/12	10/12 . Year 6 Graduation at the Mypolonga Combined Sports' Club	11/12 . 2:45pm End of Year Assembly (held at the school) . 3:25pm dismissal	12/12 . Last day of the school year . 2:25pm dismissal . Newsletter	13/12 & 14/12 . 13/12 - Mypolonga RSL Christmas Show



JOIN IN THE FUN!

Cricket Blast is an energetic & fun program for kids up to the age of 10 to develop new skills, make new friends and play cricket in a team environment!

Mypolonga Cricket Club
4 OR 8 WEEK PROGRAMS ACROSS TERMS 4 & 1
FROM 3:30PM THURSDAYS AT
MYPOLONGA PRIMARY SCHOOL
DATES NOV 6, 13, 20, 27 & FEB 5, 12, 19, 26

SCAN HERE




Mypolonga Cricket Club

Teas in the Clubrooms every Thursday training night from 7:00pm.

All welcome!

Your support will help the Club get closer to replacing their training facility.

UP NEXT CRICKET CALENDAR



Oct 18 • Morning: U15's vs Mannum • Afternoon: A Grade vs Mannum, C Grade vs Tailem Bend • After Match Tea: Outdoor BBQ	Oct 25 • Afternoon: B Grade vs Monarto • After Match Tea: Outdoor BBQ	Oct 31 • U13s vs Monarto • After Match Tea: MCSC Friday Night Tea	Nov 1 • Afternoon: A Grade vs Tailem Bend, B Grade vs Perponda on Oval 2 • After Match Tea: Saturday Night Tea (inside clubrooms)
Nov 7 • U13s vs Tailem Bend Gold • After Match Tea: MCSC Friday Night Tea	Nov 8 • Afternoon: C Grade vs Monarto on Oval 1 • After Match Tea: Outdoor BBQ	Nov 15 • Afternoon: A Grade vs Ramblers, C Grade vs Jervois • After Match Tea: Outdoor BBQ	Nov 21 • U13s vs Imperials • After Match Tea: MCSC Friday Night Tea
Nov 22 • Morning: U15s vs Tailem Bend • Afternoon: A Grade vs Jervois, B Grade vs Imperials • After Match Tea: Outdoor BBQ	Nov 28 • U13s vs Meningie • After Match Tea: MCSC Friday Night Tea	Nov 29 • Morning: U15s vs Tailem Bend • Afternoon: B Grade vs Monarto, C Grade vs Ramblers • After Match Tea: Outdoor BBQ	Dec 6 • Afternoon: B Grade vs Perponda, C Grade vs Jervois • After Match Tea: Saturday Night Tea (inside clubrooms)
Dec 13 • Afternoon: A Grade vs Meningie, C Grade vs Ramblers • After Match Tea: Mypolonga RSL Christmas Show	Dec 20 • MCCA Association BYE • Ashes Test Day 4 Adelaide Oval	Bar facilities available during afternoon matches Teas every Thursday training night from 7pm in the clubrooms All welcome - your support helps us get closer to replacing our training facility! 2026 Calendar to come soon!	

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