



OUR VISION — Mullumbimby High School supports all students to fulfil their potential and become successful, confident, creative members of our diverse community and the wider world.

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Term 2 | Week 2 | Monday 1st May 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our students did us proud on ANZAC day. Captains May Morgan and Luke O'Brien laid a wreath at the Brunswick Head dawn service and at the Mullumbimby morning service. Luke also read a poem written by his grandfather on his return from WW2 and Captain May Morgan and Vice-Captain Erin Adie read the ODE.



EXECUTIVE UPDATE

- Mr Adam Culbert will commence in the DP for Years 10/11/12 role whilst Mr Clarke is on leave for Term 2.
- Mr Aaron Madritsch will relieve as HT TAS.
- Ms Karen Barnard will continue as HT Special Education.
- Ms Emily Langtry will continue as HT Maths in collaboration with Ms Janelle Molyneux.
- Ms Jennifer Lindsay will relieve as HT English whilst Ms Sib Duff takes some leave this term.

UNIFORMS AND WINTER—Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform which means plain black jumpers or the school royal blue jumper only (no writing or pictures allowed) as it becomes cooler. Senior jersey designs will be finalised over next few weeks so please let Ms Langtry know if you have a design to share.

AFTER THE FLOOD—Flood remediation and improvement works will be communicated as often as possible to keep the school community up to date about the progress.

TRAFFIC CONTROL—We are working to make the pedestrian crossing and bus bay/road in front of our school much safer. All staff and students will be requested to complete surveys for the Traffic Engineers the DoE have employed to assist us in this important improvement to our school. Students will complete the following at school:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/8YVWZF2>

CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL

On Wednesday 3 May, our school's Cross Country Carnival will be held in Brunswick Heads. Please check your emails for the permission note. All messages or emails for a leave pass on the day need to be at the office by 3pm on Tuesday (tomorrow) so they can be approved. NO Passes will be given out on Wednesday morning. Passes will only be approved if you live in Brunswick Heads or you are picking up your own child. Thank you for assisting us in making the day run efficiently.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Our Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held on Thursday 4 May 2023 from 3.30pm to 6.30pm. Please book a spot with your child's teacher (discuss with your child on who is their teacher). Booking Link is <https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/3xm8j>

KEY DATES

Monday 1 May

Futsal and Basketball training @1pm

Tuesday 2 May

Yr8 and Yr9 Women's' Groups

Wednesday 3 May

Cross Country Carnival @11am

Thursday 4 May

Parent Teacher Night @3.30pm

Monday 8 May

P&C Meeting @6pm - via Zoom

Monday 5 June

P&C Meeting @6pm

Also once a week

Every Thursday

Homework Club: 3pm—4pm

Every Friday

Breakfast Club: 8am—8:45am

TERM DATES

Term 2: Wed 26 Friday 30 June

Term 3: Monday 17 July – Friday 22 September— Students start on Tuesday 18 July

Term 4: Monday 9 October – Tuesday 19 December (Students start on Monday 9 October)

HSC TIMETABLES

All Year 12 students have now received a personalised timetable showing the dates and times when their examinations will be held. Please discuss with your student how best to support them as we move to the last months of their schooling. See also this link to help you in this process [HSC help for parents and carers \(nsw.gov.au\)](https://www.nsw.gov.au/hsc-help-for-parents-and-carers)

GOING AWAY 5 DAYS OR MORE?

A reminder to our school community that the NSW DET requires that parents arrange holidays **DURING** school vacations. If your family holiday is during school time, you will need to inform me, the School Principal, in advance and submit a permission to leave from the school. An application for leave should be provided at least two weeks prior to departure. Ask our office for an **"Application for Leave"** BEFORE the holiday.

— Greg Armstrong, PRINCIPAL

P&C NOTES

The P&C welcome all families and carers back to Term 2. We hope you and your child had a refreshing break.

We invite parents and carers to join the P&C and attend our first meeting for Term 2. We will host this meeting via zoom.

<https://au01web.zoom.us/j/65831906937>

We are running another We Al Li workshop on 23 + 24 May in Mullumbimby. Participation in this deep listener workshop supports people who are the accidental counsellors in our community. We really appreciate the funds from Dept of Community & Justice through their flood recovery grant. If you are interested in attending this workshop, please contact Cath Graeme-Cook on 0400 452 090.

If you have ideas, suggestions or a drive of energy and want to share them with the school the P&C is a great association to support you with this. Please feel free to join the P&C during the year and come to our meetings in week 3 and week 7 each term.

Membership forms are available in the school office or on the school website or via the email below and it just costs \$2.00 to join.

Our next P&C meetings are on:

Term 2, Week 3: Monday 8th May, 2023 at 6pm

Term 2, Week 7: Monday 5th June, 2023 at 6pm

Venue and or zoom link to be advised in term 2

Questions? Comments?

Email us at mullumbimbyhighschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au

Or call Amy Colli on 0429 804 890



A REMINDER — All students arriving **LATE** (after 8.50am) should ALWAYS sign themselves in at Student Services with a note or a phone call from parents explaining the reason for their lateness.

Requests for an **EARLY** leavers note (before 3pm) from parents with a valid reason should be dropped in or called in before 9:30am to Student Services. Leave passes will be handed to students at recess so they can leave the class for their appointment before the end of school.

Kindly support your student to organise all after school plans BEFORE school begins to allow them to be fully engaged in their school work without any interruptions.

CAREERS UPDATE

Parent/Carer-Teacher Evening

I am available this Thursday at the Parent/Carer/Teacher evening should any parent/carer wish to meet to discuss careers and post-school options.

University

Is your child exploring their University options, if you wish to be informed about the NSW Universities Admission Centre process, then please subscribe to the UAC Parent Update - <https://www.uac.edu.au/future-applicants/parents>

UAC Let's Get Digital Webinars

Applying to Uni through UAC

Wednesday 3 May 2023 - 6:00 pm

This webinar will provide key insights into ATAR calculation and a step-by-step process on how to apply for University through UAC for 2023 admission.

<https://www.uac.edu.au/schools/uac-digital>

The University of Sydney, Year 10 Information Evening, Thursday 11 May, 6:00 pm

Join us for a fun and informative evening where we will answer important questions such as: What is the ATAR? How does scaling work? What should you consider when selecting your subjects for Year 11 and 12? What are prerequisites and assumed knowledge? What is university really like? You will hear from a range of speakers including University staff and students.

The event is suitable for current Year 10 students and their parents/caregivers.

To register - https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_QRDVlhy-TcW0IydA5-EbnA

SAE Information Night, Byron Bay

Thursday 4 May 2023, 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

<https://sae.edu.au/event/sae-byron-bay-info-night/>

Podcasts

Arrive & Thrive Career Podcast - Apple

The Arrive & Thrive Career Podcast is about all things careers, enterprise skills, positive social connection & self-reflection. With a reputation for their curious approach, leading career coaches Tyson Day & Daniel Lunardi interview a special guest and debriefs a topic that will help you thrive in your life and career. Find out more at arrivethrive.com.au

Future Careers

If you want to find more information about future careers and/or support your child to take the Future Job Quiz and find a role that could match their skills and interests.

<https://100jobsofthefuture.com/>

Any questions, students can visit the Careers Adviser's office and talk with me, Ms Leanne Clarkson. Parents and carers can contact me at school 6684 2600 or email: leanne.clarkson5@det.nsw.edu.au



Accountants | Auditors | Business Advisers

OPEN NIGHT

Year 10, 11 & 12 students and parents are invited to hear about a career in Audit and Accounting at our Open Night. Find out what's on offer and how we support students and graduates.

When: Wednesday 17 May from 6 to 7 pm.
Where: 31 Keen St, Lismore
RSVP: hr@tnr.com.au



Recovery Support Service

The **MDNC Recovery Support Service** provides personalised, long-term support

your own personalised recovery support worker.

We will walk alongside you and assist you to

- Navigate disaster assistance packages
- Build your connections with local community resources
- Link to programs and services

Who can use these services?

Anyone directly impacted by the floods.

- Damaged or destroyed homes
- People experiencing additional impacts from the floods (i.e. social, emotional and financial)
- Business owners
- Primary producers and rural landholders

How can I access these services?

- You can phone or email your local Recovery Support Service directly
- Other services and agencies can help to link you to the Recovery Support Service in your area
- No formal referral is required



Mullumbimby & District
Neighbourhood Centre
Connecting the Byron Shire Community



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Floods 2022

Recovery Support Service



55 Dalley Street
Mullumbimby NSW 2482

Phone: 02 6684 1286

Mobile: 0499 864 218

Email: intake.rss@mdnc.org.au



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COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROJECT YES



Supporting Young women & LGBTQIA+ YOUTH ages 13+ through creative, fun and empowering projects in Mullumbimby

Monday @ the Cottage
3 - 5 PM

Contact Jacqui
0492 901 763



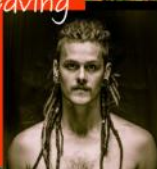
Byron Harmony Festival

Sunday 7 May 2023 2pm - 6pm
Byron Scout Hall, Tennyson St

MUSIC & DANCE

NATTY DOLAIASI
SHIVAM RATH
BATALA KAI-FI

Biggest Little Town Choir
Azahara Sanhur Flamenco
Mana Aloha Hula
Veil of Dreams Bellydance
Aloha Hula NSW
Cultural workshops, weaving
BayFM Live Broadcast
Exotic Food Stalls
& MUCH MORE!



Listen in to Multicultural Radio at BayFM 99.9
Multicultural Nation Tuesdays 1-2pm
That's Amore Wednesday 6-7pm
Lusofonia Fridays 1-2pm
Radio Latina Sundays 2-4pm
Afriquences sundays 4-6pm



We're coming to your community



NSW Government services will be available at our Mobile Service Centres in:

Mullumbimby
Wednesday the 17th of May 2023
09:00am - 3:00pm

This includes:

- Regional seniors travel card
- Savings Finder rebates and vouchers
- NDIS Worker Check applications
- Responsible Service of Alcohol applications
- Responsible Conduct of Gambling applications
- other online services.

Call 13 77 88 or visit service.nsw.gov.au to check our latest timetable.

Severe weather may mean our timetable has to change at short notice, we strongly recommend you check on the day.

Find us at:

In front of the Council Chambers
70 Station Street



SAFER DRIVERS COURSE FOR LEARNERS

BECOME A SAFER DRIVER AND EARN 20 LOG BOOK HOURS BY ENROLLING IN A SAFER DRIVERS COURSE

Saturday 6th May
9.30 to 12.30pm

Monday 29th May 4 to 7pm

Cost \$140

Concessions available

Bookings: bys.org.au

