

Principal Message

Dear Parents and Community member,

Thank you- Thank you to the parents who helped at the Inter-schools Skiing. The students had a good day and tried their best, placing 6th in the Monaro Area. Without parents' help the day would not have been as successful.

I would also like to thank parents for participating in our open day on Monday 2nd August and for enjoying our indoor picnic.

Maths Workshop- This Wednesday the school will be presenting a mathematics workshop. We will be outlining how and what we teach and doing some hands on activities. All parents are welcome to attend. The workshop starts at 4pm in the library.

Author Visit- On Thursday 5th August the school bus will be departing at 8:30am to see Gus Gordon, an author, at Bredbo Public School. Please ensure students are ready to depart on time. There will **not be** a bus run in the morning but there will be a run in the afternoon.

Skiing- This Friday will be the last day of skiing. It looks as if the snow will be fantastic. Please ensure your child has their clothes for the day and that ski hire has been organised. All parents are welcome to attend and to help supervise the groups.

Billy Tea Bush Band- On Friday 13th August, Monaro Small schools will be visiting Adaminaby to take part in the Billy Tea Bush Band workshop, as well as participate in a music workshop run by Ms Judith Marriott and an Art workshop run by Ms Shannan Salvestro. Parents are needed to help the P and C do a BBQ lunch for the students. All parents and community members are welcome to join in with the fun on the day.

Active After School Sports has started. The students really enjoyed Gymnastics on Mondays. Thursday will be the start of Karate for Term 3. Both activities are at the hall and pick- up time is 4:45. Karate will be on after the Bredbo excursion this week.

Get Hooked- On Monday 16th August Minister Mr Steven Whan MP will be launching the DVD called "Get Hooked" at our school. The Get Hooked- It's Fun to Fish program encourages children to take an active role in the management of waterways and fish stock. Further information is attached about this program.

Lost Property and School Uniform- Could parents please ensure clothing is labelled with students names, and check names on clothes as some pieces of clothing has gone missing.

Please contact the school if you have any concerns on 6454 2265, or email me at mark.wyatt@det.nsw.edu.au.
Regards

Mark Wyatt

Events in Term 2

- **Skiing Fridays** 6th August.
Education Week, week 3
- Wednesday 4th August 4pm-
Mathematics Workshop/
Information Session for parents. (all welcome) Supervisory teacher present for minding students.
- Thursday 5th August, Bredbo excursion for **Author Visit**. 8:30-3:15. Parents welcome to attend.
Week 4
- P and C meeting, Tuesday 10th August 5:30pm
- **Billy Tea Bush Band** dance workshops- Small school's visiting Adaminaby PS.
- **Digital Story Telling** workshop for Stage 3 students. Venue Monaro High School

Days Absent

- Crisis Intervention Course, Tuesday 10th August (M Wyatt)
- Reading Recovery Course, Tuesday 10th August (S Salvestro and B Wyatt)
- Digital Story Telling, Monday 9th to Wednesday 11th August (B Wyatt)

Notes sent	Due back
Digital Story telling (9,10,11/08)	Fri 6/08
Active After School Sports	Fri 6/08

Premier Reading Challenge

Just a reminder that the Premier Reading Challenge will finish on 31st August. Please send your complete list as soon as possible..