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PARENT NEWSLETTER TERM 3 WEEK 4 2018

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Assalamu alaykum wa Rahmatullhi wa Barakaatuhu

Holiday and Eid Ul Adha

The school will be closed on Tuesday 21st to 24th August for Eid –Ul-Adha In Shaa Allah. Best wishes and Dua to all our staff and parents who are currently performing Hajj. We are looking forward to seeing you all with your family at Greenacre Campus Eid Festival 23rd August. Students from our Campus will be performing at the Eid Festival in the Primary Hall between 10am and 12 pm. Wrist band for rides can be purchased up until Monday 20th August from this Campus.

Staffing

Mrs Parker Year 6 teacher left to Hajj from 30th July and will be returning 3rd September 2018. Mrs Zeitoune also left to Hajj and is on leave from 6th August to 28th August 2018. We pray they have a safe journey and Allah SWT accept their Hajji In Shaa Allah.

Term 3 dates

Tuesday 24th July to 28th September 2018

Enrolments

2019 Kindergarten Interviews - Interviews for Kindergarten enrolments for 2019 have commenced. Any parent who is keen for their son / daughter to start Kindergarten in 2019 is advised to ring the administration office and organise an interview.

Medication

Please be aware that parents are responsible to inform the Class Teacher if their child has any medication in their bags to be administered during the day at school. A form must be filled out at the office and given to the teacher by the parent.

School fees

Thank you to all parents who have already paid this Terms school fees. A friendly reminder to all parents who have not yet paid, please pay the school fees, either on line or attend the admin office ASAP.

School Records note

A note went out regarding details to update our school records. Please sign and return this form to your child's class teacher by Monday 20th August.

Parking

I ask that all families to follow the Road and parking rules. There is a 40Km/h speed limit for traffic passing on Pacific Palms Circuit. Never park in or near a bus stop/zone or near the double line that is located on top and bottom of Pacific Palms Circuit. Parking your car in that area does not give enough

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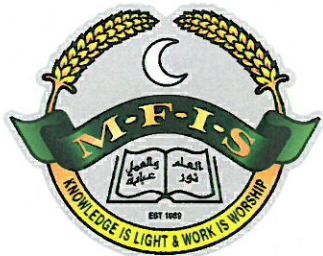
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clearway to other vehicles that need to pass through without having to overtake on a double line. Hence, putting others in danger of crashing into incoming traffic.

Parents/carers that use the car park across the road from the school must hold your child/rens hands and walk them across the road. Cars must be parked rear to kerb and never double park as it puts children at risk. Slow down near the school crossing, observe the directions of the school crossing supervisor, give way to pedestrians when entering and leaving the driveways. Please keep in mind these are not the school rules only but in fact transport NSW and RMS rules. Fines will apply if rules are broken. For information about fines and demerit points visit rms.nsw.gov.au

ICAS

Students, who had sat for *The International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS)* Science examinations, achieved results which were quite pleasing. Ritaj Quadri of Year 2 scored in the top 1% percentile of all the students who sat for the Science exam in Australia and his efforts earned him a High Distinction Award from ICAS, as well as a Principal's Award. Four students from MFHP earned them a Credit congratulations to Muizzah (yr 2), Nuha Nawar (Yr 5), Manha Quadri (Yr 5) and Shanji Hossain (Yr 9) and Congratulations to all that participated.

2018 Book Week

Malek Fahd Hoxton Park has begun Book Week celebration's this week and will end it with Book Character Parade on **August 20, 2018.**

Students from Kindergarten to year 10 have participated in book week competitions. Students with outstanding work will be announced and rewarded on Book Character Day 20 August.

Students are encouraged to dress up as their favourite **book character**. Please ensure that your child is dressed in a Character outfit that is appropriate (avoid dressing them up in super hero outfits) and that modest dress code is adhered to (Hijab must still be worn).

This year we would like to invite Parents to also participate in the parade where you are encouraged to dress up as book character too. Best dressed Parent will be awarded with a prize. Could the parents participating in character parade please inform the office.

The Character Parade assembly times on Monday, August 20 will be as follows:

Kindergarten – Year 2	9.00am to 11am
Year 3 – 6	2.15pm to 3.20pm
Years 7 – 9	11.20am to 1:00pm

Scholastics Book fair

The aim of this this year's book fair was to help our school library stock up on resources to enrich our student's education. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the individuals who have contributed towards the success of this year's book fair. We were able to sell books worth of \$1512.85 and received a book product commission worth of \$452.50 for our students. Inshaa Allah, we look forward for another successful book fair next year.

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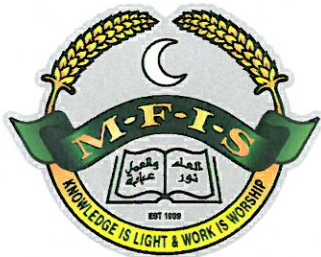
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Well & Palestine Orphan Sponsorship- Project

I am proud to say that we have a generous community. I appreciate your ongoing support and generosity. The school sponsored 2 children from Palestine we have already raised \$1,200 to cover the cost of sponsorship for a year and raised \$2,000 that went towards a building a Well in Afghanistan. Human Appeal has provided the school with Certificate of Appreciation. This brings us to the total of 7 Wells developed in the neediest places. Thank you!



CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

Presented to
Malek Fahd Hoxton Park
For donating generously towards our
Palestine Orphan Sponsorship Project
Thank you for your support


Bashir Al-Jamal
Director



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Jeans for Genes Day

On Friday 3rd August 2018 students and staff were encouraged to wear denim to raise awareness for this important cause. MFHP with the help of the SRC had a cake stand organized to support the cause. Total money raised was \$289.05 that went to the children's medical research institute. Thank you to all that contributed to this cause.



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Students, Canteen ladies & HOC enjoying Jeans for Genes day treats.

Upcoming events

Book Character Parade/Author visit/Theatre movie session: 20 August

Eid Al Adha: 21 August to 24 August

Eid Carnival: 23 August

Kindergarten Excursion to the Seymour Centre: 29 August

Year 2 Excursion to the Seymour Centre: 31 August

MFHP would like to wish you all a safe and happy Eid. Eid Mubarak!

Ms. M. Kassem
MFHP Head of Campus

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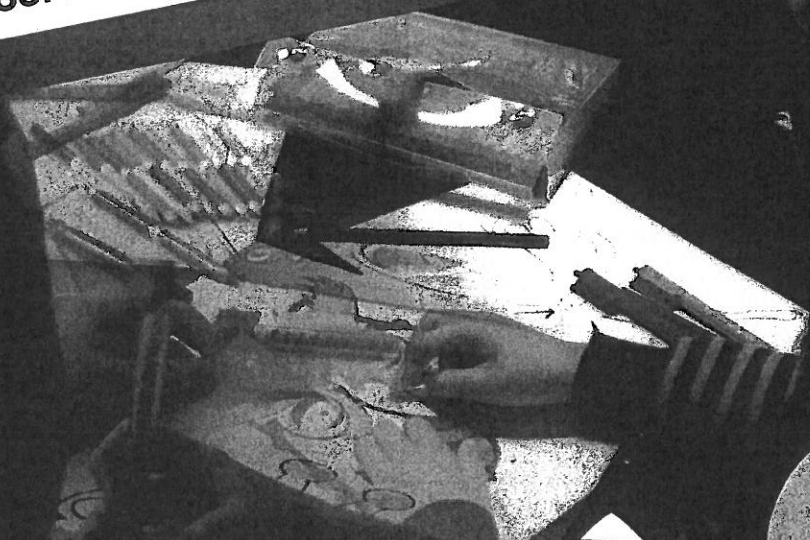
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FAMILY FUN DAY

at the New South Wales Parliament
October School Holidays!

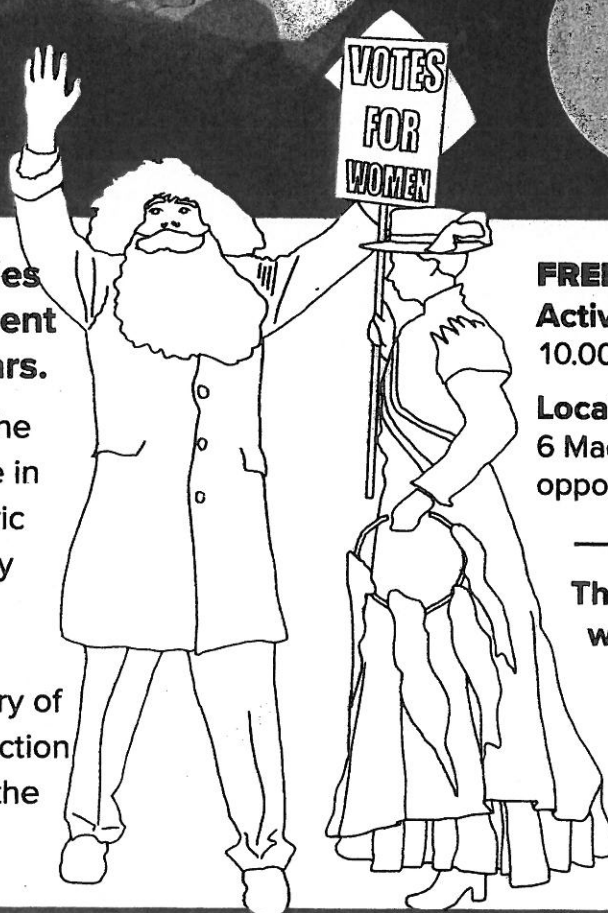
FRIDAY 12 OCTOBER
10 AM TO 3 PM



Sausage
Sizzle
\$3.00
per person

**Free fun educational activities
at Australia's oldest Parliament
for children from 4 to 12 years.**

Follow the children's trail; enter the guessing competition, participate in the arts and crafts; visit the historic legislative chambers places rarely open to the public. Engage with roving historical characters and celebrate the 100 year anniversary of women becoming eligible for election to parliament and admittance to the legal profession in NSW.



FREE ENTRY Activities

10.00 am to 3.00 pm

Location

6 Macquarie Street –
opposite Martin Place

**The public café
will be open.**



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