

MHS Newsletter

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Week
commencing
Monday
12 December
Week 10 Term 4

Principal's message

Total MADness to miss it

A traditional year would see this great school host two celebrations of the musical ability, hands-on artistic skills and dramatic flair possessed by a good number of our students. Unavoidable restrictions on public gatherings at various times have meant that while we have been able to squeeze in a couple of mid-year mini-MAD concerts, there has not been a full-sized MAD concert for THREE years... until last Tuesday evening.

If you missed it, then you really have missed something special. Loads of talent on display. Plenty of young people stepping up and in many cases stepping out to take up the mike, the guitar, the violin, the drumsticks... or working behind the scenes on lighting, camera, sound... or both.

The photographs included here are not exhaustive and don't really capture some of the passion on display.

A big shout out of "Well done!" to the CAPA faculty – the driving force behind MAD – and especially Mr Holleman as the night's fervent impresario.

MAD concert ... you would have to be mad to miss the next one.

*Mudgee High School
is a member of the
Cudgegong Learning
Community*



Next P&C meeting
Monday 27 February

7 pm in the Learning
Centre

Entry via Douro Street

This issue

- Principal's message
- House Championship tally
- Events calendar
- Weekly P&C awards
- English Faculty news
- Wellbeing Team
- Link round-up
- Canteen volunteers needed
- Advertisements
- Sponsorship



Jarra-Banjo Leary, Riley Hargraves, Patrick Holleman and Grady Vitnell



Education

Holidays

Some advice for the young people who call your home their home and who may be at a loose end until January concludes:

Be proactive! Be prepared. Plan!

- Media use – use of technology and setting boundaries at home. What a sad holiday it would be if you came to the end of it and suddenly realised you had spent most of it glued to a screen.
- Related to the last one, report any issues regarding negative interactions on those social media platforms.
- Rest and sleep. Also related to the first point. The holidays present a great opportunity to 'recharge the batteries', so take some time to switch off.
- Diet. Christmas is a killer, but once that hurdle has been cleared, make sure you are eating well.
- Sleep is important... and so too is exercise. Take a walk. If you have a dog, perhaps he – or she – could be invited along.
- Wind down but don't switch off, particularly if you're in Year 12 in 2023.

Regarding this last point, the class of 2023 had its last true break from school at the end of Year 10... a full twelve months ago. The HSC began on 10 October. Part of this break should be spent holidaying. A good part of it should be spent consolidating course content knowledge and practising the skills that will allow them to perform their best in their final year of schooling.

In a nutshell, don't come back on day 1 of next term an empty vessel. Cerebral stimulation is as important as physical activity. They should be actively encouraged to keep those brains limber and use them through the break!

Encourage your kids to read through the break. If you're not reading, you're not exercising. As alluded to above, your brain, like your muscles, requires use to be at peak form.

Your kids should have a holiday... rest and relaxation are good things. None of us are machines. We require both rest and relaxation. In embracing both, your kids will be well prepared for next year.

School Returns

Years 11 and 12 return on Tuesday 31 January, arriving alongside the new Year 7s. Years 8 to 10 return on Wednesday 1 February.

In all that you do over the break, do your best to be respectable, be responsible and be safe.

Until 2023...

Wayne Eade
Principal



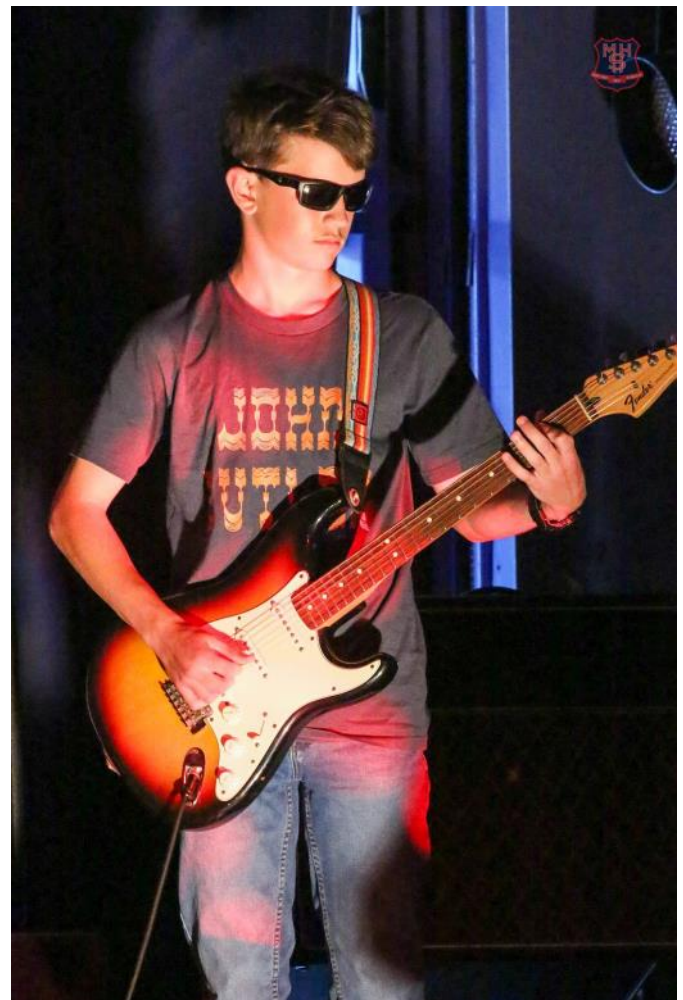
Bronte Meers - MAD concert



Emily Stone and Thomas Baggett - MAD concert



Charlotte Coward - MAD concert



Grady Vitnell - MAD concert



Dominic Perrottet MP
Premier of New South Wales



Dear Parents,

As the 2022 school year draws to a close, I wanted to thank you and all parents, students and teachers for your extraordinary efforts this year.

I also want to let you know about a new program that will ease pressure on household budgets by helping to pay for your children's school supplies at the start of the next school year.

From 12 December 2022, NSW parents can access a \$150 Premier's Back to School NSW Voucher for each child in primary school, secondary school or home-schooling in 2023.

Vouchers can go towards the cost of school uniforms, shoes, bags, textbooks, or stationery purchased from registered businesses. You can apply for the vouchers via the Service NSW app, and for more information, visit service.nsw.gov.au, call 13 77 88 or attend a Service NSW Centre.

This new program is part of our plan to give families a more secure financial start to the year.

It has been fantastic to see so many students back in the classroom and thriving in 2022 after so many disruptions, and 2023 is shaping up to be an even bigger year for education in NSW.

We're rolling out a new, back-to-basics curriculum; making changes so students are even better prepared for employment and further education; doing more to recognise and reward our best teachers; and making it easier for parents to connect with your children's education.

It's all about taking those important steps to make NSW education the best it can be, so we can set up our children for future success.

Thank you again for all your efforts this year. I wish you and your family a safe and happy summer - and don't forget to download your Premier's Back to School NSW Voucher from 12 December.

Yours sincerely,

Dominic Perrottet MP
Premier

School magazine available to purchase
from the front office in 2023

\$15



\$15

MIRRI

2022

Limited copies. Don't miss out!

House Championship Tally 2022



Cunningham

228770



Blaxland

226995



Lawson

223957



Wentworth

210470

Events calendar

- Thursday 15 December - **Annual presentation assembly**
- Friday 16 December - **Year 12 barbecue**
- Friday 16 December - **last day of Term 4 for students**
- Tuesday 31 January 2023 - **first day for Years 7, 11 and 12**
- Wednesday 1 February 2023 - **first day for Years 8, 9 and 10 - all students back at school.**



Week 9 Term 4 P&C awards



Jayden Allen

Year 7

For being an increasingly safe, respectful and responsible student.



Summer Hensley

Year 8

For her kindness and assistance with clean up.



Harry Gallen

Year 9

For stepping up and taking advantage of leadership opportunities.



Ricky Constable

Year 10

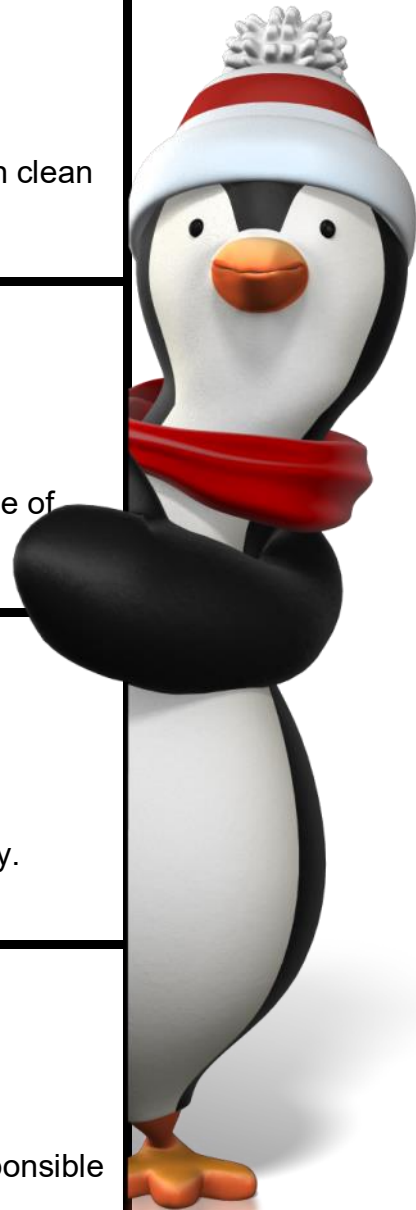
For great participation in Decade Day.



Lachlan Staples

Year 11

For being a safe, respectful and responsible student.



English Faculty news

At the end of this term, we bid farewell to Ms Lee, who is jetting off to Canada. We will miss her and wish her the very best for the ensuing year.

We also have a new syllabus that the English staff will be delving into over the next year. It is for English Years 7 to 10 and was only released on Thursday 8 December. We have a year to draft our changes in order to implement it in 2024. Lots of reading and strategising will occur over this time to ensure that we are ready to begin teaching it.

If you are planning resources for next year, below are the requirements for English students:

- black pens
- red pen
- lead pencils
- sharpener
- eraser
- 30 cm rule
- pencil case
- coloured pencils/textas
- coloured highlighters
- glue stick
- scissors



1 x A4 124-page exercise book dedicated to English only (for Years 7 to10)

OR an A4 folder with dividers, loose-leaf paper and plastic sleeves (for Years 11 to 12)

Poetry

10B studied Asian Poetry this year. What follows are some work examples from the students in the class who were asked to think about how they would have felt in the same situation as one of the poets.

All of Us

We saw it coming.
All of us,
Everywhere.
We promised we would help
That we would not leave it until
The last minute.
Until
It was too late.

Perhaps
Those high school lectures on
Procrastination
Would have served us well
Had we taken heed.

We saw the signs
In the early years.
"The good times"
As we say.
The times when action
Was tedious:

A chore.
And every year
Had us looking back
On when we had more.

They convinced us
That progress would come
Tomorrow.
And we forgot
That famous proverb:
That tomorrow
Never comes.
Only now, it has:
That alternate timeline
That exists only in
Fiction
And empty
Promises.

Their empty promises.
And we sit here,
Cursing their
Flaws

In the name of Hypocrates
While the world falls
Around us
And they say they
"Did the best they could."

And we believe them.

Daniel P.

Grief

We couldn't stop it.

Though we tried.
pushing it
to the backs of our minds
steering clear of conversation
topics just a little too close

We tried.
tears held stubbornly
in misty eyes
hands clenched
as we argued

We tried.
searching
for another option
begging
for a second chance

We tried.
losing hope
eyes releasing captive tears
crumpled
uncertain

We tried to stop it.
We tried.
But failed nonetheless.

Miriam H.

Goodbye

A moment. One single moment changes the direction of a world. In a single moment, everything can seem pointless. When you rely on the day in and day out and it all so suddenly stops. The universe plays with my heart as a string quartet hums a pitiful symphony.

When safety gets ripped away by a villain of the night and life gets halted. All I seem to do these days is wait. But time, the foul beast is here to wake me up. I must survive past this.

The wind pulls at me. Forcing me open calling for my secrets. As I lie within the moss and grass being consumed by mother earth, one pitiful thought resonates through my skull.

...goodbye my love

Darcy E.

The fire comes near
Nowhere to go
Can't go out the front
Can't go out the rear
I feel the heat on my face
I have lost the race
Against time.
I am stuck in a box
I feel just like a mime

The embers sizzle
Against the hot metal
I hear the siren in the distance
They're too far away to hear my screams
I only wish this was a dream
But this was a nightmare brought to life

The sirens grow louder
They're getting closer
I am no longer a dreamer
I am now a believer

Stuck in flames

By Hemo

Finally, we wish you a fantastic festive season and a happy, safe, relaxing break with your loved ones.

See you next year!

The English Faculty.

Laying in my bed
All the thoughts in my head
The end is coming soon
While gazing at the moon

I wake up from my illusion
Releasing I'm in a delusion
I must find a solution
Otherwise, this is my conclusion

I get out my bed
Throwing my life away
Thinking there must be something else instead
Even though we don't see the next day

I get to my feet, walk to the mirror
Witnessing the end coming nearer
Facing my deepest fear
Before pointing a blicky to my ear.

By Allen



Wellbeing Team

Transition Support – Year 7 2023

On Wednesday 30 November, we welcomed our Year 7 2023 students to Mudgee High for Orientation Day. This was a great opportunity for our incoming Year 7 cohort to get a 'taster' of Mudgee High School and meet other peers and teachers.

Following on from Orientation Day was our Mudgee High School Showcase afternoon. This afternoon allowed families to take a self-guided tour of the wonderful facilities Mudgee High has to offer. Families, future students and some community members took the opportunity to meet with staff and see different faculties and subjects in action. It was great to see a good number of people attend this afternoon and we are looking forward to staging a similar event early in 2023.

Peer Mentoring Program

Over the last two terms, a selection of Year 9 students have been participating in the Peer Mentoring Program, supporting Years 5 and 6 students at Mudgee Public School. The aim of this program is to help primary students in their transition to secondary school and build relationships with their current and future peers. It is a mutually beneficial program for our Year 9 students as they build their leadership and communication skills through this program.

We plan to continue this initiative in 2023 with Mudgee Public School as we continue to support the transition of students to Mudgee High School. We had our last Peer Mentoring catch up in Week 9. The photos featured are of our last activities this year.



Link round-up

2022 Link dinner

On Thursday 8 December, the 2022 Link students, parents and carers came together with Mudgee High staff and work experience employers at Augustines to celebrate their many successes. Thank you to the students, their parents and carers for attending, engaging, and showing great support and commitment through the year. It was great to see the students' employers join us. Thanks go to them for the support and encouragement they have provided over the years and will provide into the future.

Many thanks also to Lucy Stuart and Robbie Mills for representing Glencore, our major sponsor of the program for the past 10 years.

Darren Vine, 2021 Link student, joined us as a guest to say a few words about his Link experience and what he has since accomplished. Darren proved an amazing advocate, and we are very proud of him and his achievements.

The Link team wishes you all the very best for 2023. Have a wonderful break and a Merry Christmas.



Darren Vine - guest speaker



GLENCORE

Glencore environmental and rehabilitation tour - Link 2022 (plus 6 Year 11 students)

Lucy Stuart and her colleagues at Glencore's Ulan site provided us with some interesting information about the rehabilitation and agricultural work that takes place around mining areas during the pre-mining phase, mining and mine closure to ensure flora and fauna are reintroduced and thriving.

Mrs McNeill and I had a great day with the students. Information on apprenticeships from Glencore's Human Resources team was made available and a sausage sizzle and refreshments were provided at the end of the tour.


Thank you, Glencore!

S. Hayton
Community Mentor

Visit www.glencore.com.au for a 2023 apprenticeship update.



GLENCORE



**Mudgee High would like to wish
everyone a safe and happy holiday.
We look forward to seeing everyone
back in 2023**

Merry Christmas

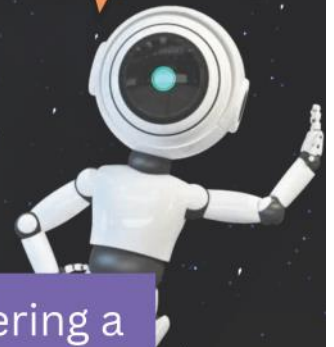


Interested in space or a career in STEM?

FREE
STUDENT
WORK
SHOPS



OPEN TO
12 TO 14
YEAR
OLDS



One Giant Leap Australia Foundation is offering a space themed, whole day, practical workshop

- designing rovers
- completing robot challenges
- learning about space exploration.

Includes morning tea and lunch.

18 January
2023

Mudgee 

Mudgee High School
41 Douro St,
Mudgee NSW 2850





YEAR 12

WHEN YOU LEAVE SCHOOL YOU HAVE
180 DAYS

... before you **lose access** to:

- ⊘ Your school **email** account
- ⊘ Your **Google Drive** contents
- ⊘ Your Microsoft **OneDrive** contents
- ⊘ Your **Adobe Creative Cloud** subscription
- ⊘ Any **Google Classrooms** you were joined to
- ⊘ Any Microsoft **Teams** you were a member of

Check your stuff in these school-provided services.
Download anything you want to keep.

(There's no need to delete anything: it'll disappear in 180 days.)

Canteen volunteers needed

Mudgee High School canteen provides healthy food for students and staff.

The canteen is managed by the P&C and all profits are used to fund school improvements and initiatives.

The canteen relies on assistance from volunteers to help with food preparation.

If you would like to volunteer some of your time, please contact the Canteen Manager, Michelle, on 0407 131 950 or Mr Holleman at carl.holleman@det.nsw.edu.au.

Any amount of time you can spare to be available would be greatly appreciated.



Second-hand school uniform

Mudgee High would be very grateful for the donation of any second-hand school uniform.

If you have any superfluous school clothing that is still in usable condition, please drop it off to the school office. It will be gratefully received and used to assist students and families who may be struggling to supply their own.

Advertisements

Canteen price list as of April 2022

Hot Food

Chicken and corn roll	2.50
Pizza rounds	3.50
Beef traveller pie	5.00
Potato pie	5.00
Beef and gravy roll	6.50
Hot dog	4.00
Hot dog with cheese	4.50
Beef pie (gluten free) order only	5.00
Mayonnaise/sauce portions	0.40

Wraps and Sandwiches

6.00

Rolls

6.50

Can be made on gluten free rolls by request – order only.

Ham and salad
Chicken and salad
Egg and lettuce
Cheese and salad
Chicken, mayo and shallots
Chicken Caesar
Sweet chilli chicken and avocado

Snack Food

Red Rock Deli chips	1.50
Grain Waves	1.50
Chip Roll	2.70
Blueberry Muffin	1.50
Watermelon tubs	3.00
Trail mix pots	3.00
Fruit salad	5.00
Jelly cups	3.00
Seasonal fruit	1.00

Milk

300ml flavoured milk	3.00
500ml flavoured milk	4.50
600ml plain milk	2.50
1 litre plain milk	3.50
375ml Nippy's flavoured milk	3.50

Cold Drinks

750ml Cool Ridge Spring Water	4.00
600ml Spring water	2.00
Juice Bombs	2.50
Berri Pop Tops	2.00
Lipton's Peach iced tea	4.50
375ml Coke No Sugar	2.50
375ml Sprite No Sugar	2.50

Ice Creams

Paddle Pop	
(chocolate, banana, rainbow)	2.00
Twisted frozen yoghurt	
(choc/van, straw/van, mango/watermelon)	2.50
Quelch Icy Tubes	0.60

Salad of the Day

Availability varies day-to-day

Curried chicken potato salad	7.50
Mexican chicken and guacamole salad	7.50
Greek salad	6.00
Pasta salad	6.00
Sushi	5.00
Garden salad	6.00
Chicken Caesar salad	6.00
Buddha bowl	7.50

Nuts may be used in salads. If you have an allergy, check with canteen staff before ordering.

Everyday Daily Specials

Monday

Sweet chilli wrap (order only)	6.00
Garlic bread	2.00

Wednesday

Oven baked spiced potato wedges	4.00
Sour cream/Sweet chilli sauce	0.50

Thursday

Chicken burger	5.50
(gluten-free available – order only)	

Friday

Garlic bread	2.00
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Hot Milo	2.50
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Nuts may be used in some specials. If you have an allergy, check with canteen staff before ordering.

Changing Daily Specials

Check our daily menu board or student notices for other specials which may include:

Soup – Pasta – Focaccia – Curries – Sliders

**Please note the new
'Weekly Specials' menu**



MUDGEEE

Showground

CAROLS

Saturday

17 DEC

• 2022 •

GATES OPEN
4PM



Carols is an alcohol-free event.
No dogs permitted.
A gold coin donation would be appreciated and EFTPOS will be available.





Mudgee Triathlon Club

**2022/2023 Season
Club Race Day
Sunday 18 December**

Long Course - 8.00am

Big Devils - 9.25am

Little Devils - 9.45am

Super Sprint - 10am

For full details, visit our website
www.mudgeetriclub.hwy.com.au



Christmas Craft for Youth

Get in the festive mood with some Christmas themed craft.

Novelty Christmas Stockings

Have the materials and instructions needed to make your own novelty felt Christmas stocking mailed to you.

Your Own Home – Mail Out Kit

Monday 5 to Wednesday 21 December

Christmas Craft

Learn how to use a “Cricut” to make personalised cards, gift tags and more for your gift giving this year.

Mudgee Library

Wednesday 7 December, 3:45–5.15pm

Christmas Baubles

Personalise the tree by decorating your very own one-of-a-kind ceramic baubles.

Mudgee Library

Tuesday 13 December, 4-5pm

Kandos Library

Wednesday 14 December, 3:45-4:45pm

Gulgong Library

Tuesday 20 December, 3:45-4:45pm

Mudgee Library

Thursday 22 December, 10:30-11:30am

Bookings required
mwrcyouth.eventbrite.com



SUMMER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

21 December 2022 – 29 January 2023

Mid-Western Regional Youth Council is proud to present a range of youth activities and events across the region, as part of the summer school holidays.

Mail out kits

Can't make it to one of our in person activities these holidays? We'll organise to mail you the materials to weave your own rope basket or create a tinkling wind chime for your garden. Get in fast – kits and designs are limited.

WHEN Wednesday 21 December – Sunday 29 January

AGES 12–25 years

WHERE At your home – mail out kit

Anime Marathon

Relax on comfy cushions with snacks and pizza, and settle in for more than three hours of continuous anime goodness. It may provide some excellent inspiration for the Manga Illustration workshop – so why not book into that too!

WHEN Wednesday 4 January, 12:00 – 3:30pm

AGES 12–20 years

WHERE Mudgee Library, 64 Market Street, Mudgee

Manga Illustration

Join a fun, hands-on, step-by-step anime / manga character drawing workshop with professional illustrator Matt Lin. Get instruction on techniques to draw faces, chibi fusion characters, action poses and maybe tips on drawing hands and feet. Great for beginners and intermediates.

WHEN Monday 9 January, 1:30pm – 4pm

AGES 12–20 years

WHERE Mudgee Arts Precinct, 90 Market Street, Mudgee

Floral Wreath Workshop

Floral wreaths make great gifts and look awesome on doors, tables, almost anywhere! Learn the skills needed to make a dry floral wreath from a professional florist. Use these skills to continue creating at home. You'll get to take your wreath home with you.

WHEN Tuesday 10 January, 2.00 – 4.00pm

AGES 12–25 years

WHERE Mudgee Library, 64 Market Street, Mudgee

Wellington Caves Excursion

Join us on a road trip to Wellington Caves to explore the awesome limestone caves & formations, with lunch provided. **Note:** the cave tour includes a number of steps and it is recommended to have a reasonable level of fitness. Enclosed flat footwear is essential for this trip.

WHEN Wednesday 11 January, 9.00am – 4.00pm

AGES 12–18 years

WHERE The Stables, 84 Market Street, Mudgee
(pick-up from Gulgong also available)

Tie Dye

Brighten up your look with your very own tie dye creations. Feel free to bring a white cotton t-shirt in your size, but we will also provide items for you. We recommend you wear old clothes!

WHEN Thursday 12 January, 2.00pm – 3.00pm

AGES 12–20 years

WHERE Rylstone Memorial Hall, 73 Louee Street, Rylstone

[> MORE EVENTS OVER THE PAGE](#)



Dragon Boating

Join the Mudgee MudDragons on the Cudgegong River to try out this fun team activity. Dragon boating is a great participation sport for anyone, so pick up a paddle and enjoy the view.

WHEN Monday 16 January, 10am – 12.00pm

AGES 12–20 years

WHERE Lawson Park Mudgee (meet near the playground equipment)

Basic First Aid

Need a First Aid certificate to help you gain employment or just want to learn how to help someone in need if the time comes? This free course will cover all the basics and you'll come away with a qualification. Some pre-course work is required.

WHEN Tuesday 17 January, 12.30pm – 4pm

AGES 15–25 years

WHERE NSW First Aid, Unit 1/5 Industrial Avenue, Mudgee

Bathurst Aqua Park Excursion

Slip, slop, slap and join us for an awesome day at the giant inflatable course at Chifley Dam. It will be a huge day of fun in the sun (and lunch is included).

WHEN Wednesday 18 January, 9am – 5pm

AGES 12–18 years

WHERE The Stables, 84 Market Street, Mudgee (pick-up from Lue, Rylstone and Kandos also available)

3D Printing and Scanning

Join professional 3D artist Andrew Christie, to learn how to scan a person in 3D – you will then use your new-found skills to print a mini 3D version of your head to take home.

WHEN Thursday 19 January, 10am - 1pm

AGES 12–18 years

WHERE Gulgong Memorial Hall, 112 Herbert Street, Gulgong

Forensics Session – Mudgee & Gulgong

Attempt to solve the 'murder' of entomologist Sir Henry in this interactive session with professional scientists. Collect clues using scientific forensic techniques including, fingerprinting, microscopy, paper chromatography, and more, then collate the evidence to determine the motive, method and who committed the crime.

WHEN	Monday 23 January, 10.30am – 12pm	Monday 23 January, 2pm – 3.30pm
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AGES	12–20 years	12–20 years
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WHERE	Mudgee Library 64 Market Street	Gulgong Memorial Hall 112 Herbert Street
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Wearable Art Costume Workshop (2 days)

Are you into costume design, art, sculpture, film, theatre or model making? Learn how to take a concept to a final product creating costumes using sustainable materials. This workshop runs over two days.

WHEN Tuesday 24 and Wednesday 25 January
10am – 1pm

AGES 12–20 years

WHERE WAYOUT Artspace, 71 Angus Avenue, Kandos

Summer Photography Competition

Today's the last day to enter your HEAT-themed photo into the competition, for your chance to win Mudgee Money. Don't forget to ask people to vote for your entries in the People's Choice Award when it goes live too. See the competition flyer for more details.

WHEN Wednesday 25 January, 4pm

AGES 12–25 years

SUBMIT Email entries to
youth.services@midwestern.nsw.gov.au

NOTE: ALL EVENTS ARE FREE. BOOKINGS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED AS PLACES ARE LIMITED

To book, visit www.mwrcyouth.eventbrite.com.au



Manga and Anime Squad



EXTENDED EDITION

Calling all anime, manga and cosplay fans ...

The final 2022 session of MAAS occurs during the school holidays, so we're changing it up a bit and running an extended session! We'll watch a heap more anime than usual, and possibly do some crafting. Best of all there will be a bunch of different Asian-style foods and drinks to sample and enjoy throughout the session. Join us for this free event to meet fellow enthusiasts; we welcome all from casuals to Otakus.

WHEN	Wednesday, 21 December 2022
TIME	1.30 – 5pm
LOCATION	Mudgee Library, 64 Market Street, Mudgee
AGES	12–20 years
COST	Free
BOOKINGS	www.mrwc youth.eventbrite.com



**LIMITED SPACES,
SO SECURE
YOUR PLACE BY
BOOKING TODAY**

A Youth Services and Mid-Western Regional Council Library partnership event





Participate in our HEAT Photography Competition

Photo subjects should relate to the theme of HEAT, but contain no recognisable human faces (this is to do with publishing permissions).

Email your entry (not exceeding 10MB) by 4pm 25 January 2023 with the title of your entry, your full name, age, and postal address to: youth.services@midwestern.nsw.gov.au

FIRST PRIZE	SECOND PRIZE	THIRD PRIZE	PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD (Voting closes 1 February 2023)
\$50	\$40	\$30	\$50
Mudgee Money Gift Card	Mudgee Money Gift Card	Mudgee Money Gift Card	Mudgee Money Gift Card

Terms and Conditions: 1) All entries must be original work by the entrant 2) Entrants must be aged 12 – 25, and live, study, or work in the Mid-Western Regional Council area. 3) Persons under the age of 18 should ask permission from their guardian before entering the competition. 4) Entrants can submit a maximum of two entries. 5) All entries must have titles. 6) Employees of Mid-Western Regional Council are not eligible to enter this competition. 7) All entries must be original work by the person submitting the image and not displayed or entered into other competitions previously. 8) Entries may be displayed publicly and/or used for publicity purposes. 9) Entrants' likeness may be used for publicity purposes. 10) Entries must be submitted via email and be suitable for display on Mid-Western Regional Youth Council and/or Mid-Western Regional Council's social media pages. 11) Suitability of entries for publication on social media will be at the discretion of Mid-Western Regional Council staff, and discussion will not be entered into. 12) Entries will be judged by a panel of at least two persons, comprising at least one representative from Mid-Western Regional Council. 13) The judging panel reserves the right not to award a prize if the entries are not deemed of a suitable standard. 14) The winner of the People's Choice Award will be by members of the public via a voting system on Facebook. 15) Winners of the People's Choice Award will be determined by the most 'likes' received per image/entry by 4:00pm on the date advertised. 16) Determination / awarding of prizes is final and no correspondence will be entered into. 17) Prize winners will be announced via Mid-Western Regional Youth Council's social media channels, and winners contacted privately via email – prize distribution may be delayed due to social distancing requirements. 18) Mid-Western Regional Youth Council will take all reasonable care with entries, but will not accept responsibility for any entries not received due to technological failure, damage, distortion, or similar that may occur to entries. 19) Council will endeavour to display all entries, but may not be able to do so due to display area restrictions. 20) Prizes not claimed by 30 June 2023 will be forfeited by the winner.

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Samaritans

Permanency Support Program

Respite Foster Carers NEEDED!

WE NEED YOU TO HELP US MAKE A DIFFERENCE.



Samaritans Permanency Support Program (PSP) is looking for more Respite Foster Carers.

Please turn over to find out more about respite foster care.

Contact our Support Team today!

Ph: 02 6370 9900

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What is respite care?

Respite carers provide short term stays for children in our foster care program. Respite carers aim to provide support and positive experiences for the child or young person, sometimes regularly or on an as-needed basis.

Respite carers often provide care that suits their lifestyle, but generally:

- On weekends
- During school holidays
- For short periods of time
- To toddlers, children or teenagers on their own or in a sibling group.

To become a respite carer for Samaritans, you will need to:

- Have space in your home for a child or young person
- Be in good health
- Be authorised through the training and assessment process
- Be over the age of 18.

Samaritans carers are supported by Case Managers, a carer support team, and wrap-around supports in place for the child or young person. We have a 24/7 on call service to support you and your family whilst you are undertaking respite care. Samaritans also provide ongoing training to all carers.

If this sounds like you, please contact our PSP team today!

For further information contact:

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Parent Line

Parent Line is a free telephone counselling and support service for parents and carers with children aged 0 to 18 who live in NSW. Call **1300 1300 52** to talk with a trained, professional counsellors available 9 am to 9 pm Monday to Friday and 4 pm to 9 pm on weekends.

Some of the top concerns parents and carers with school-age children call us about are:

- Transitioning to primary school
- Building resilience
- Technology use
- Coping with emotions
- Anxiety in kids
- Discipline and positive parenting.

Parent Line NSW



CLEANERS REQUIRED

Joss Facility Management are looking for cleaning staff to work at local Government sites across regional NSW.

PPE, Training and Uniforms provided.

Applicants need to provide a valid Working With Children Check upon application and successful applicants will be required to undertake a pre-employment medical prior to commencement.

Please contact Joss Facility Management via email on careers@jossgroup.com.au



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