



## NEWSLETTER

Thank you to the students and staff for participating in the book week parade last Thursday. It was an enjoyable time celebrating the love of literature. (Go the Incredibles!) See page 4 for photos.

**Congratulations to Ziggy R** on achieving regional carnival selection in the 800m for 13 September.

### SEAS THE DAY—Musical

All staff and parent/community helpers have been working hard to prepare the hall and students for the show. A **special thank you** needs to go to **Mrs Stokes, Ms Aedy and Mr Wark** (lead script writer) for their leadership and coordination as well as the whole team in the school's **creative arts team** for all their work.

### SASS RECOGNITION WEEK

**This Week is School Administrative and Support Staff week in schools across NSW.**

Each year the school recognises and acknowledges the important work our School Administrative and Support Staff undertake in our schools. Whether in the office, library, classroom or school grounds the school knows their work is vital to education. No better example could be found than our school musical where every support staff member has been vitally assisting with ticket sales, promotion, backdrop/prop creation through to assisting with student performances – vital members of a great team.

Recognition Week is an opportunity for the whole school community, to show their appreciation to SAS staff including;

Administrative Managers; Administrative Officers; School Learning Support Officers; Aboriginal Education Officers; and General Assistants. A special morning tea is still to be held this Wednesday to say thank you for all you do.

### Thank you P & C

The P&C purchased new audio equipment and lighting (LED) for the hall which the audience will see the benefit from first-hand at the show next week "Seas the Day".

**Next Week – "Seas the Day" Performance Week 7 - 2 September**

**Please buy your ticket/s now if you have not already done so to see the great show** - Class notes with details about costumes and venue details will be sent home this week.

### Student, Parent and Staff Survey – "The Tell Them From Me" Survey

Once again this term (as in term 1), our school, like many other public schools in the state, will participate in a Department of Education survey: the *Tell Them From Me* student feedback survey.

This term, the student survey again aims to help improve student learning outcomes and measures factors that are known to affect academic achievement and other student outcomes. The focus of the NSW-wide survey is on student wellbeing, engagement and effective teaching practices. More information about the survey is available at: <http://surveys.cese.nsw.gov.au/information-for-parents>

The survey is a great opportunity for our students to provide us with valuable and quick feedback on what they think about school life, how engaged they are with school and the different ways that teachers interact with them. Schools in Australia and around the world have used the *Tell Them From Me* survey to help improve how they do things at school.

I want to assure you that the survey is confidential. The survey is conducted online and will typically take less than 30 minutes to complete. It will be administered during school hours between 21 August and 13 October. Participating in the survey is entirely voluntary.

A consent form and FAQs for parents/carers about the survey is being sent home with students. If you **do not** want your child or children to participate, please return the form to the school. Copies of the form and FAQs are available from the website above.

### The Partners in Learning parent feedback survey

Our school will also be participating in the *Partners in Learning* parent survey, another part of the *Tell Them From Me* suite of surveys (student, teacher and parent surveys) on student engagement. The survey asks parents and carers questions about different factors that are known to impact on student wellbeing and engagement.

Running this survey will help our school understand parents' and carers' perspectives on their child's experience at school. These include: communication between parents/carers and staff, activities and practices at home and parent/carer views on the school's support of learning and behaviour. This valuable feedback will help our school make practical improvements.

The survey is conducted entirely online at home or on public computers. The survey will typically takes 15 minutes or less to complete and is completely confidential. The parent survey will be conducted between 21 August and 13 October. Participating in the survey is entirely voluntary, however, your responses are very much appreciated.

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/ycgwt>

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### Staff Leave

Mr & Mrs Cruse on leave this week and next.

*Have a great week - Peter Johnson—PRINCIPAL*

W E E K 6	26 August SASS WEEK	27 August Regional Multicultural Public Speaking	28 August AUTHOR VISIT	29 August FATHER's DAY STALL	30 August 10.30 Pre School Visit FATHER's DAY STALL
W E E K 7	2 September 'SEAS THE DAY' Musical Week	3 September Full Dress Rehearsal	4 September 12 noon local schools & 6pm performance	5 September 6pm performance	6 September 12 noon matinee performance

## OUR WEEKLY SUPER STARS

<b>3S</b>	
<b>3TE</b>	
<b>3M</b>	
<b>2/3L</b>	Georgia, Sam, Macauley, Meagan, Ned, Noah, Brad, Jenna, Pippi, Sara
<b>2P</b>	
<b>2D</b>	
<b>2/3S</b>	
<b>1/2/3J</b>	
<b>DOLPHINS</b>	Lachy, Erin, Aurora, Ella, Sean, Adam, Rosie
<b>SHARKS</b>	Sophie, Max, Jimmy, Jye, Tyla, Kaitlin
<b>PENGUINS</b>	James, Scarlett, Maeve, Lachlan S, Lachlan G, Anna-Bella, Carlton, Zara, Locky, Charlotte, Anika
<b>GIRAFFES</b>	
<b>GAZELLES</b>	
<b>SEAHORSES</b>	Franklin, Phoebe, Maddison, Britney, Reigane
<b>TURTLES</b>	Jack R, Cooper G
<b>2/3ME</b>	
<b>QUOLLS</b>	Willo, Tristan



Lachy W, Locky P



Carlton W



Lachlan S, Anna-Bella, Zara, Charlotte E, Sophie N,



Sophia P, Kaleb, Imogen I, Allirra S, Xavier B, Alanna P, Kate C, Benji G, Declan C, Cooper B, Jacob S, Alice W, Matthew E, Jo T, Emily C, Jye S, Ruby M, Layne C, Ewan C, Amber W, Charlee D, Pax, Taylar W, Prezlee D, Caydence W, Jessie B, Feyja R-C



**Noah E**

for  
School Citizenship



**JAPANESE  
AWARDS**



**Radio show and  
Assembly  
performance roster**

Tune in to 2EAR or 107.5 to hear our report each Monday at 12 noon and join us at the school assembly at 2.15pm.

# 'Seas the Day!'



**Performances :** Wednesday 4th September - 6pm  
Thursday 5th September - 6pm  
Friday 6th September - matinee @ 12pm



**Tickets are on sale & selling quickly so don't miss out.**

There will be 300 seats available per performance.

There are no numbered seats - first in first served basis.

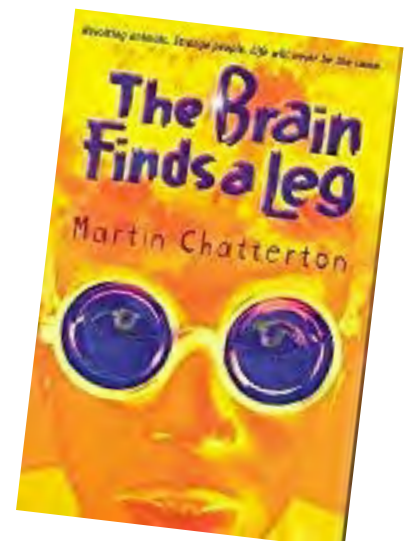
Tickets are \$10 per seat - pre school children sitting on a lap do not need to pay.

Payments are only to be made at the school office, eftpos or cash and **NOT** to be made ONLINE please as you need to come in and collect your tickets at the time of paying.

## **Author Visit – Martin Chatterton**

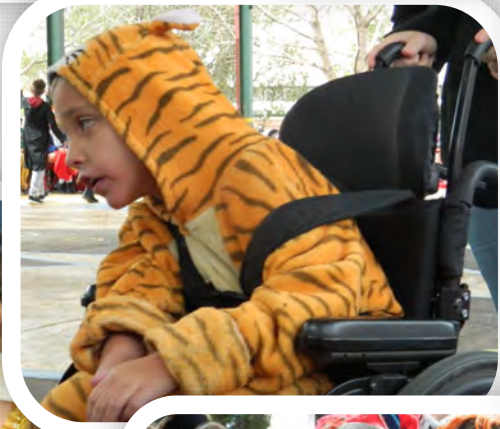
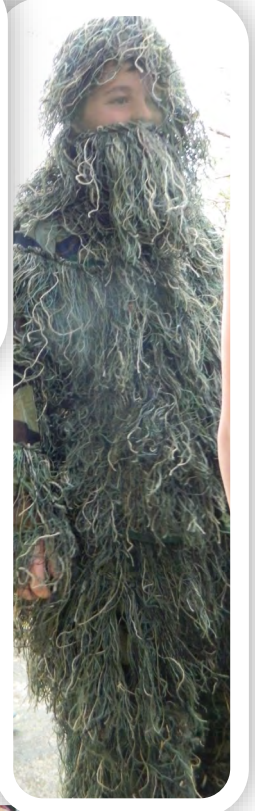
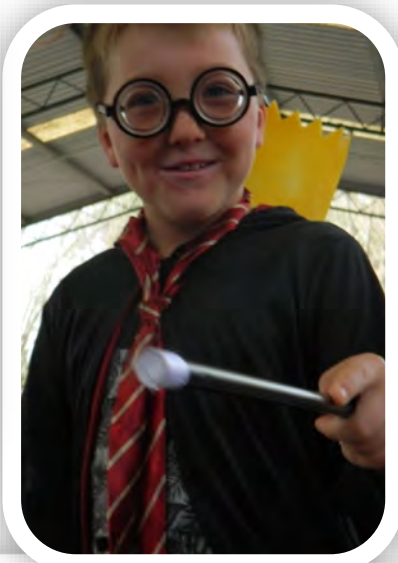
**We will be having an author visit on Wed 28<sup>th</sup> August at 10-11am**

An engaging and comedic speaker, Martin's performances feature live drawing and plenty of audience participation. Although wide-ranging and relaxed, the sessions include insights into writing comedy, telling tall tales, 'beginnings', Martin's own writing and illustrating journey and how personal experience translates into different kinds of writing. As a successful children's writer/illustrator, adult fiction writer, screenwriter, film-maker and designer with a PhD in Creative Writing, Martin is uniquely positioned to offer presentations suitable for all age grades from kindergarten to year 12. He pulls off the difficult trick of both engaging with reluctant readers and energising those students with an aptitude for writing and drawing. Martin has appeared extensively at schools, festivals, conferences, and on TV and radio in Australia, the UK, India, China, the Middle East and the USA.





# Bookweek parade of super heros







Well done  
everyone!!!!

**SUPER  
HERO**

# Moruya Public School



## FATHER'S DAY STALL

*in the staffroom*


**OPENING HOURS**

Thursday 29 August 2019

9.00am - 11.00am

Friday 30 August 2019

9.00 - 11.00am



Gifts priced  
\$1 - \$6

P.S. - no dad's allowed!




## FATHERS DAY STALL HELPERS NEEDED PLEASE ....

This Thursday 29 and Friday 30 August the Fathers day stall will be held in the staffroom.

If you are able to help out for a couple of hours or even just for one hour on either morning selling goods that would be great. Just turn up and join in the fun!



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The  
**black olive**  
pizzeria

Shop 6/60 Vulcan Street, Moruya

**4474 2322**

## COMMUNITY NEWS

A BETTER START PROGRAM INITIATIVE



### JOIN OUR NDIS FAMILY WORKSHOPS



**You are invited to a free  
workshop for parents run by the  
Better Start team at Carers NSW**

Come to a free information session for all parents and guardians of children with disability aged up to 12 years old.  
It does not matter whether your child has an NDIS plan or not.  
You will be able to meet other parents and chat about your experiences

Local speaker representatives include:  
-ECEI partners (0-6 age group NDIS)  
-Local Area Coordinators (7+ age group NDIS)  
-Local Disability Advocacy Agency  
-NSW Dept of Education  
-Ability Links NSW

If you would like to attend but cannot, please let us know.

#### EVENT INFORMATION:

**WHEN:** Thursday 5 September 2019  
9:30am - 2:00pm  
(Registration 9:15am)

**WHERE:** Lincoln Downs Resort  
11683 Princes Highway  
Batemans Bay NSW 2536

**RSVP:** The Better Start Team  
**CALL US:** 1800 242 636  
**EMAIL:** [betterstart@carersnsw.org.au](mailto:betterstart@carersnsw.org.au)

**COST:** Free

Morning tea and light lunch will be provided, tell us if you have any allergies or dietary requirements.

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