Assembly Roster
This week’s assembly will be hosted by 5/6M.

Missing Parent Information
Some aspects of our school funding are based on information given by parents concerning their own level of education and current occupation. We are currently updating our information and parents may be contacted by staff to complete missing information on student enrolment forms. All information is confidential. Parents that believe that their information may have changed should contact the office so all our information is up to date. For example, a parent may have been working when the form was completed but are not working now. Information needs to be completed by the end of the term. Ensuring our information is correct and up to date will assist the school to get the correct amount of funding to support our students.

Morning Assembly
Students need to line up under the COLA at 8.55am in their class lines. We give short messages to allow children to get to class by 9.00am. We would appreciate it if parents let their children go to lines by themselves as this builds independence. We would also ask parents not to talk during the messages so that everyone can hear and not block the path that students take to get to their classrooms. Thank you for your cooperation.

Collecting children after school
We have had some children unable to find their parents at pick up time and this has caused some distress. The best place to meet students is on the grass area in front of the school. Parents do not need to go up the stairs or near classrooms to collect children as this is blocking teachers trying to get students outside so everyone can be collected on time. We appreciate your assistance with this matter.

Attendance at School
Section 22 of the Education Act (1990) states that it is the duty of the parent of a compulsory school-age child to ensure that they attend school whenever instruction is provided. Already after just 5 weeks of school there are concerns with the attendance of some students. School attendance is important so that students can reach their potential.

Resolving Issues
At school students are taught a range of strategies to assist them to solve disputes calmly and peacefully, especially in the playground. If the strategies do not work students should seek assistance from a teacher on duty.

Class Pages
There is a new section of the school website called class pages. Most classes have put up some initial information and photographs. To have a look go to: http://www.mayfieldw-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/newsletter/class-pages

Reading with your child at home
When your kids see you reading and writing in everyday life – whether reading for pleasure, sharing a story with them or making a shopping list – it teaches them that they are useful skills. Here are some things you can do at home to help your kids with reading. Find out more: http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/en/homework-and-study/english/english-tips/reading-with-your-child-at-home

Removing head lice and nits
Mention head lice and most of us instantly develop an itch. While head lice and nits, (the eggs of head lice) are certainly annoying and persistent, they’re not dangerous. Here’s everything you need to know to rid your kids of head lice and nits. Find out more: http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/removing-head-lice-and-nits

Important Dates
4th, 11th, 18th March Engaging Adolescents
12th March Parent Information – Cyber Safety
18th March P&C Meeting
31st March Stage 3 Canberra Excursion

Parent Information Session
On Thursday 12th March 2.30 – 3pm, Senior Constable Darren Flemming, Police Youth Liaison Officer will be presenting a Parent Information Session on Students and Cyber Safety. This will be a very valuable and informative session for all parents/caregivers. Please make time in your busy schedule to attend this session.
Zone Swimming Team
Jed Boleski, Hana Levey, Storm Sommers, Ella McDonald, Alicia Horne, Riley Barry, Gabi Lopez, Sam Howard, Oliver Redhead, Alec Wicks, Josh Levey, Tyler Hall.

Congratulations to the Zone Swimming Team who represented our school at Lambton pool last Wednesday. Everyone swam to the best of their ability and enjoyed the chance to experience competition at the next level.

Many of our swimmers placed in their heats and both the Junior girls and Senior boys relay teams gave it their all. Thank you to the parents who supported on the day. The team did the school proud with their excellent attitude and behaviour.

Miss Sampson

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Premier’s Reading Challenge 2015
The PRC is now underway! I would encourage all students K - 6 to enter as it provides a great incentive to read some wonderful books. To enter just follow these steps:
2. Click on Logon and enter your school username (eg. sally.smith) and your school password and click submit.
3. Fill in the Online Reading Record as you go along. Please see Mrs Troup in the library if you need any help accessing or filling in your record.

Happy reading Louise Troup Teacher Librarian

Library News

Easter Raffle - Donations needed
The P&C are holding their annual Easter Raffle to raise money for additional resources for the school. We now need donations of chocolates, Easter eggs, bags and anything you think will make a great prize. More prizes mean more chances to win for everyone! Look out for your raffle tickets with next weeks newsletter.

The P&C have donated $6,000 to the school for the supply and installation of air-conditioning for the infants building. Thanks to the efforts and support of the P&C, parents, teachers and school community our children will have a much more comfortable working environment for years to come.

Election Day BBQ – 28 March 2015
The P&C will be operating a BBQ in the school grounds on Election Day, 28 March 2015. The BBQ will operate from 8am (set-up from 7.15am) until approximately 2pm. If you or a family member are able to assist please email maywestpc@live.com.au, phone/text Kellie on 0428 042 134 or complete the form at the office. Please provide your contact details and availability.

Canteen News

New Iceblocks
Check out our new ice creams. Pop in and ask us about them. Available at lunch and recess. $1.00 each
Community Notices

NMJHA
Modified Hockey Competition
2015 Information Day
Saturday 21st March
8.30 – 9.30am

Come along and join us for an hour of fun at the Hockey Centre.

You will be able to meet other players and club officials.

All players in the Modified Competition and any new players wishing to “have a go” are welcome to come along for an hour session on the field with some great coaches.

During the fun, parents and club officials will be receiving some important information about the upcoming 2015 season.

FREE 3 WEEK Parenting Course
Resolving pre-teen and teenage behaviour problems
For families with children 10yo - teens

MAYFIELD WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL HALL

Wednesday 4th, 11th, 18th March 2014
10.30am - 12.30pm

Learn:
✓ Some common ground shared by parents & reasonable expectations to hold about adolescents
✓ New understandings of adolescence
✓ A three-option model & flow chart for decision-making
✓ Self check-in
✓ Building relationship with your pre-teen/teen and making the best of your non-crisis conversations with them
✓ Skills for tough conversations for handling those problems you just can’t ignore

+ An end to the arguing and yelling! • It saved our lives • Simple, sane, effective

Register your interest with Lesley Asher on 4921 5758
# The Snack Shack

## 2014/2015 Menu

### Snacks
- Carrot Sticks ........................................... $0.05
- Cheese Cubes ............................................. $0.05
- Rice Biscuits ............................................. $0.05
- Jaffa ....................................................... $0.10
- Cereal Bag ............................................... $0.50
- Seasonal Fresh Fruit (prices as marked).

### Chips
- JJ Mini Noodles (chicken/BBQ) ...................... $0.50
- JJ Chips (Chicken/Pizza) ............................. $1.20
- Red Rock Chips .......................................... $1.20
- Chicken Jumbles / BBQ Jumbles ..................... $1.00
- Panda Biscuits ........................................... $0.50
- Popcorn ................................................... $1.00

### Ice Blocks
- Skinny Ice Blocks ....................................... $0.30
- Ice Mory (choc/straw/mango) ......................... $0.70
- Lemonade Ice Pops .................................... $1.50
- Quest Fruit Sticks ...................................... $0.50
- Frozen Juice Cups Blackcurrant ...................... $0.70
- Frozen Pineapple Ring ................................ $0.50
- Frozen Orange 1/4 ...................................... $0.10
- Vanilla Cups ............................................. $1.20
- Fudgelines Ice Cream .................................. $1.50
- Frozen Yoghurt ........................................... $1.70

### Sandwiches (Rolls add $0.50)
- Jam/Vegemite ............................................ $1.00
- Baked Beans / Spaghetti ............................... $2.00
- Cheese ..................................................... $1.50
- Egg / Curried Egg ....................................... $2.00
- Salad ....................................................... $2.50
- Ham ......................................................... $2.50
- Chicken ..................................................... $2.50
- Meat & Salad ............................................ $4.00

### Wraps
- Salad ....................................................... $3.00
- Salad & Cheese .......................................... $3.50
- Salad & (Ham/Chicken) ................................. $4.00
- Chicken & Cheese ...................................... $3.00

### Extras
- Cheese/Pineapple/Egg .................................. $0.50
- Tomato/Beetroot/Cucumber/Lettuce .................. $0.50
- Ham ......................................................... $1.50
- Chicken ..................................................... $1.50
- Toasted ..................................................... $0.30
  
  *Sandwiches and rolls will no longer be made with butter unless requested.*

### Combo’s
- Maywest Burger/Veggie Nuggets/Chicken Wedge Roll .... $6.00
  
  *Plus 600ml water and large watermelon tub.*

### Fresh Salad Tubs
- Watermelon Small ..................................... $1.00
- Watermelon Large .................................... $2.00
- Fruit Salad ............................................. $2.50
- Small Salad (lett. torn, beet, cucumber) .......... $3.00
- Large Salad (as above) + corn and Pineapple .... $3.50
  
  *Cutlery supplied for these items.*

### Drinks
- Water 350ml ............................................ $1.00
- Water 600ml ........................................... $1.50
- Milk low fat (choc/straw/banana) .................... $1.70
- Juice Pop Top (apple/orange/apple+blackcurrant) $1.70
- Slush Puppies (assorted flavoured) ............... $2.00
- Plain slush Puppies ................................... $1.50
- FOCUS (raspberry/blackcurrant/lemonade) ........ $1.70
- Hot Choc/Milo (TERMS 2 & 3 ONLY) ............... $1.20

### Hot Rolls & Burgers
- Chicken Wedge Roll (lett & mayo) ................. $3.50
- Hot Chicken Roll & Gravy ........................... $3.50
- Veggie Nuggel Roll ................................... $3.50
- May West Burger (beef patty, lettuce, cheese & sauce) $3.50

### Hot Food
- Chicken Wedges (max. 6) ............................ $6.60
- Corn Cobs ............................................. $0.70
- Soupy Noodles (beef, chicken) ..................... $2.00
- Oriental Noodles ..................................... $2.00
- Pizza Ham & Pineapple ............................... $2.30
- Spring Rolls .......................................... $0.50
- Vegetable Nuggets .................................... $0.50
- Nachos Dipper ......................................... $3.50
- Macaroni & Cheese ................................... $3.00
- Potato Bake ........................................... $3.00
- Lasagne ............................................... $3.00
- Garlic Bread .......................................... $1.00
- Cheese & Bacon or Cheese Rolls ................. $1.40

### Available Only on Friday
- Lean Meat Pies ....................................... $2.30
- Lean Party Pies ...................................... $1.80
- Lean Sausage Roll ................................... $1.80
- Finger Buns .......................................... $1.50
- Muffins – choc chip .................................. $1.50

### Sauce
- Sweet chilli, Sweet and sour sauce ............... $0.50
- Tomato / BBQ / Pickles / Mayo .................... $0.30

### Lunch Bags
- Additional cutlery .................................... $0.10