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Millthorpe Public School

Celebrating 150 Years ~ 1867-2017



Athletics

Max and Harry Richards competed in the zone western region carnival in athletics. These two boys did exceptionally well in their respective events and even placed at the carnival.

Harry- Silver in the High Jump - 1.11m

Max – Gold in High Jump – 1.29m
Bronze in 800m – 2.51 mins

Good luck to both of these boys as they now head off to Sydney to compete in the NSW State Carnival.



Coles Sports for Schools

We have registered for the Coles sports for schools. If you shop at Coles could you bring in your tokens to the front office? Thank you so much. After the first two weeks we have made a great start to our collection and I thank you for your continued support.



Active Kids Rebate

Parents of school children across the Bathurst Electorate are able to take advantage of the \$100 'Active Kids' rebate for sporting and fitness related costs launching early next year.

The rebate is not means tested so every family has access to this initiative. Parents will be able to register for the voucher online from 31 January 2018 or through their local Service NSW Centre.

Guidelines are available to view at
www.sport.nsw.gov.au/activekids.



Orange Running Festival

Congratulations to all of the fantastic long distance runners who competed in the Orange Running Festival. We had many students participate over the two days and they all achieved great times. Special mention must go to Miles Heller (4th place), Hadden Bennett (6th place) and Isabelle Hopping (2nd place). Your times and places can be found on the Orange Running Festival Website.



The event was so great for all the students who participated. I even think that we should have a staff and parent team for next year's festival. I promise that I will run if I can get 40 students to enter!



Future Dates

Western Region Swimming: Friday 16th March (Term 1 Week 7)

State Swimming: 10th and 11th April (Term 1 Week 11)

School Cross Country: Thursday 5th April (Term 1 Week 10)

District Cross Country: Thursday 24th May (Term 2 Week 4)

Western Region Cross Country: Wednesday 13th June (Term 2 Week 7)

School Athletics: Thursday 3rd April (Term 2 Week 1)

District Athletics: Friday 1st June (Term 2 Week 5)

GWS Visit

Some players from the GWS Giants visited the school this week to teach some students some AFL skills. The children loved meeting some professional athletes and improving their kicking skills through drills and games. Great preparation for the upcoming Paul Kelly Cup which our school team has entered again this year.

