



Commitment, Respect and Responsibility

Dates to remember

Mon 12th Feb

Book Cub Order Forms Due

Tues 13th Feb

Kinder, Yr1 & Yr2 Info Session
Debating Workshop East
Maitland P.S. 8 Students

Wed 14th Feb

P&C Meeting 6pm

Thurs 15th Feb

Drum Corp Starts 1.45pm

Fri 16th Feb

K6L & K6P Maitland Show

Tues 20th Feb

Zone Swimming Carnival

Thurs 22nd Feb

NRL Blitz Visit

Fri 2nd March

Clean Up Australia Day

Metford Public School

13 Melaleuca Drive, Metford 2323

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SCHOOL OFFICE

The School office will be closed on Friday morning s until 8.45am due to a weekly staff meeting. The School General Contribution for 2018 has been set at \$30 for the first child and \$25.50 for the second child with a maximum of \$55.50 per family to be charged. General Contribution is a voluntary fee, however it is greatly appreciated and is used for resources to benefit your child's schooling. The General Contribution can be paid at the school office by cash, cheque, EFTPOS or Parent Online Payment accessed through the school webpage.

SWIMMING CARNIVAL



KINDERGARTENS FIRST DAY



Thought of week

Happiness is an inside job.
Don't assign anyone else
that much power over your
life.

Mandy Hale

Newsletter Term 1 Week 2

DRUMCORP LESSONS

Metford Public School Drum Corp: The parents of our students who wish to be a part of our Drum Corp in 2018, need to access the Drum Corp website and enrol their child/children <https://www.drumcorp.com.au>. Our office staff will not be collecting money this year as payment needs to be made directly to Drum Corp. Their administration team will manage this and parents will be dealing with them in regards to payments. The first lessons will be held on Thursday afternoon from 1:45pm starting on the 15th February. Please note the time change this year. Information booklets are available in the school office.

THANK YOU

Thank you so much Dwayne and Daniel from **Hopper the Tree Lopper**, for your generous sized donation of woodchip to Metford PS. I would like to give a big thanks to Susana Ramirez and Joshua Payne for organising this. What a wonderful school community we have and appreciate. I know our young budding gardeners will be very excited and keen to start mulching the gardens. This will help immensely with keeping the weeds at bay and providing nutrients and moisture retention, something we have desperately needed. Extremely grateful.



SCHOOL CALENDAR

2018 Term 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Every Week		Student Banking	Principals Lunch	Drum Corp	
		School Assembly 2.00pm			
WK 3 Feb 12-16	Book Club Order Forms Due Back	Debating Workshop East Maitland P.S Kinder , Yr1 Yr2 Info session	P&C Meeting 6pm in Staffroom	Drum Corp starts 1.45pm	K/6P & K/6L Maitland Show Excursion
WK 4 Feb 19-23		Zone Swimming		NRL Blitz Visit	
WK 5 Feb 26-2					Clean Up Australia Day