



THE MERRYLANDS MESSENGER

Term 2
2018

SENIORS SHINE AT SYNERGY

State recognition for
our senior dancers

YEAR 11 GET 'REVVED UP' BY MINISTER

Hon. Matt Kean delivers
first car buying seminar

MIGHTY MERRYLANDS MERIT RECIPIENTS

CLASSIC CLARKE CELEBRATES COACHING MILESTONE

Science teacher achieves 150
sporting wins for MHS



MHS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

A great day was had on **the** 25th May with the 59th running of the School's Athletics Carnival. The **w**inning house on the day was Freeman. The Clement Gift Sprint was another closely contested event and a certain crowd pleaser. **Congratulations to the** 108 students **who** qualified **to represent MHS at** the Zone Carnival.

ANZAC DAY CEREMONY

The MHS Anzac Day Ceremony reflected upon the service and sacrifice of our ANZAC soldiers during the Gallipoli Campaign in 1915. Additionally, Merrylands RSL Club presented a meaningful and respectful tribute to our school and local community members as we commemorated one of the key historical events that defines our nation.

YEAR 5 OPEN DAY

Nearly 400 excited students from our fabulous partner primary schools began their journey to High School at our recent Year 5 Open Day. The day continues to be a wonderful example of how our school community works together to support our young people as they transition to High school.

GUILDFORD LEAGUES DONATES JERSEYS

Merrylands High School and Guildford Leagues Club continued their strong partnership with the donation of brand new **boys** and **girls** Rugby League Jerseys. Guildford Leagues Club have supported MHS in many ways in recent times, from supporting our primary school links to financing interstate Rugby League trips.



EVENTS

HIGH SCHOOL



UTS "BIG DAY IN"

A group of MHS students **recently** attended the University of Technology Sydney **to hear** a range of speakers present information about the **technology industry**. **Students** then had the opportunity to speak to representatives from the industry about upcoming **technology** developments and job possibilities.

SEMESTER ONE YEAR 7-12 MERIT ASSEMBLIES

Over two full days, MHS celebrated and recognised student's hard work and success in all key learning areas.

Year Advisors also rewarded the most outstanding achievers with gold, silver and bronze medallions for Semester One of 2018.



MINISTER EDUCATES YOUTH ON FUTURE

The Hon. Matt Kean, Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation and his team visited MHS for the NSW Fair Trading 'Revved Up' seminar. **We thank him** for giving our young drivers the best consumer tips to ensure they get a fair go when buying their first car.



BOYS KNOCKOUT TOUCH FOOTBALL

The MHS Open Boys Touch Football team provided MHS legend, Mr Clarke, with his 150th career win in their 10-6 victory over Cambridge Park High School. The team went on to **compete at the state gala day and finished** in the top 32 teams in **NSW**.



IMPORTANT DATES

MERRYLANDS HIGH SCHOOL

TERM 3 WEEK

TUESDAY 24TH JULY

FIRST DAY OF TERM FOR ALL
STUDENTS (YEARS 7-12)



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MONDAY 30TH JULY

YEAR 8 & 10 TASTER LESSONS BEGIN

FRIDAY 3RD AUGUST

YEAR 8 & 10 TASTER
LESSONS END

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TUESDAY 7TH AUGUST

YR 8 & 10 SUBJECT SELECTIONS
YR 8 – 5-6PM YR 10 – 6-7PM

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WEDNESDAY 8TH AUGUST

MATINEE PRIMARY SCHOOL
CAPA SHOWCASE @ 6.30PM

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MONDAY 13TH AUGUST

YR 12 HSC TRIAL EXAMS BEGIN

MONDAY 20TH AUGUST

YR 12 HSC TRIAL EXAMS END

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THURSDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER

R U OK? DAY

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FRIDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER

YR 11 PRELIMINARY EXAMS BEGIN

THURSDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER

YR 11 PRELIMINARY EXAMS END

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FRIDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER

MHS TALENT QUEST

THURSDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER

YR 12 GRADUATION & FORMAL

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FRIDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER

LAST DAY OF TERM