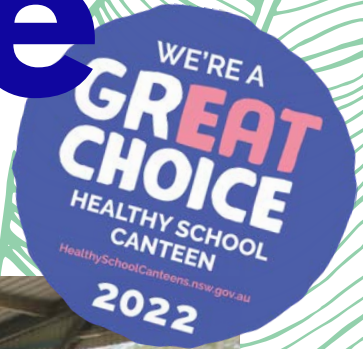


# Grapevine

*Together We Grow*



**Grapevine is our Preschool to Year 6 weekly newsletter. This newsletter is all about showcasing the wonderful students at Manning Gardens, Preschool to Year 6; Mainstream and Support Unit.**

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Be Safe



Be Fair



Be a Learner







**“  
Special  
events  
at  
Manning  
Gardens.  
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## Principal's Report



### Partnership Week

by Paul Sortwell, our School Principal.

This week is partnership week when parents and teachers come together to share plans for our students. Parent voice and student voice are both very important to us. We believe in home, school and community partnerships! Book Week was a fantastic celebration last week at our school. We know how to put on the big events! Thank you Mrs Johnson for your leadership of Book Week. There are still more events to come this term before we start our Spring holidays.

*Stay Strong!*





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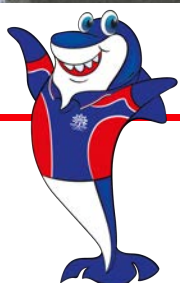
## Manning Gardens Public School - Barray Yurrung Preschool



### Our Fantastic Preschool!

by Ms Patrice, our Preschool teacher.

Our preschool is a dynamic learning environment for four year olds. We are part of Manning Gardens Public School and work closely with the rest of the school to provide the young people in our care with the best early childhood education possible in Taree.



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**“  
We  
make  
learning  
fun!  
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## Reminders and Updates



### Attendance Matters

by Paul Sortwell

The message is simply ... we need all student absences explained.

If your child is away from school, please let us know.

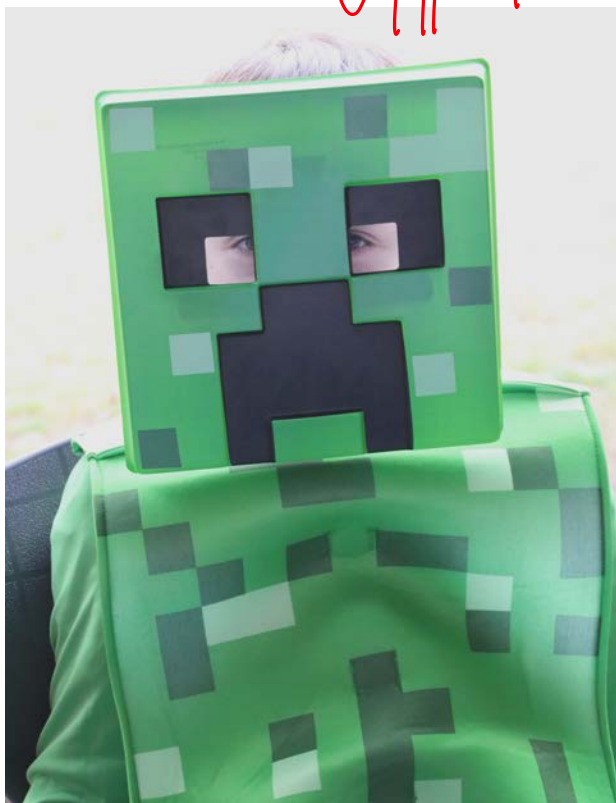
It is a Department of Education requirement that parents and caregivers explain student absences.

We have two mottos for attendance:

1. Students at school everyday.
2. All absences explained by parents.

Just give us a call and let us know why your child is away from school. Tell a staff member or email the school.

*Attendance Hotline 0472844135*



### Make It Count

by Paul Sortwell

Daily attendance is crucial for strong and effective learning and for children to achieve a sound education. If your children are not sick, they should be at school. We want every student, every child to be at school every day.

If your child is sick, please keep them at home and seek medical advice as required.

Parents, please explain all absences from school. Call 6552-6333 and let us know why your child was away.

Strong home, school and community partnerships enhance your child's education.

Be Safe



Be Fair



Be a Learner







**“**  
**Our students**  
**come first in**  
**everything**  
**we do at**  
**our school.**  
**”**





# End of Term DISCO

FREE



TERM 3 THEME:

## Wear your PJ's!

THURSDAY 22 SEPTEMBER 3.45-5.15PM

For current Manning Gardens PS students only, Preschool to Year 6.  
Entry is FREE!

Our P&C will be operating the canteen, so you can purchase treats and food.

School expectations apply to everyone: Be Safe, Be Fair, Be A Learner.



A silhouette of a man and a young child holding hands and standing on a dark, rocky ridge. They are looking out over a vast, hazy landscape of rolling hills or mountains under a bright, overcast sky. The man is on the right, taller, and the child is on the left, smaller. The text 'happy FATHER'S DAY' is overlaid on the top left of the image.

happy  
FATHER'S DAY

# FATHER'S DAY STALL

Our P&C will be holding our traditional Father's Day stall from Monday 29 August. GIFTS range in price from \$1-\$10.

On Monday 29 August all students (P-6) will have an opportunity to purchase one (1) gift. Then from Tuesday 30 August students can purchase additional gifts.

Please keep in mind the following:

The P&C cannot offer credit. Gifts must be purchased with cash.

No holding of gifts ... must be purchased with cash, first in best dressed.

There is limited stock, so when it's gone, it is gone.

If sending money in an envelope, record who it is for.



# COMING SOON



*Stay Tuned*



## **PRESENTATION DAY**

Wednesday  
14 December  
10am

## **SCHOOL CONCERT**

Friday  
16 December  
10am

## **CLASS XMAS END OF YEAR PARTIES**

Friday  
16 December  
2pm

  
**MGPS**  
*Enrol with us!*



ARRRR! ME HEARRRTIES!

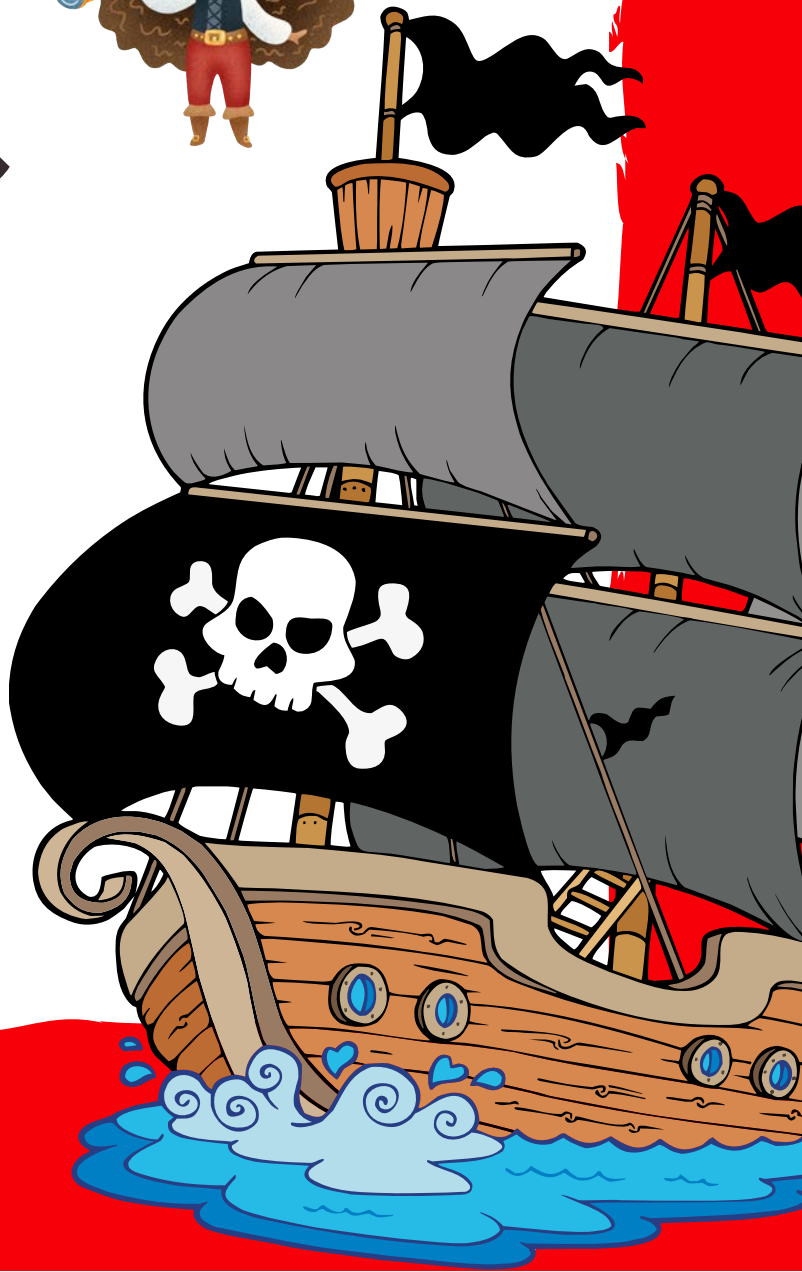
# It's TALK like a PIRATE Day @ MGPS!

COME IN COSTUME AND JOIN  
US FOR SOME SWASHBUCKLING  
FUN AND LEARNING  
ACTIVITIES.



TERM 3 WEEK 9  
WEDNESDAY  
14 SEPTEMBER 2022

SAUSAGE  
SANDWICH MEAL  
DEAL AT 1ST BREAK







# **MGPS ANNUAL CAMP**



**FUN & CREATIVE  
OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES  
FOR STUDENTS IN  
YEARS 4-6.**



**WHEN  
7-9  
DECEMBER**

**NO COST!  
IF YOUR CHILD'S  
ATTENDANCE IS  
OVER 85%**

IF ATTENDANCE IS  
UNDER 85% COST IS

**\$50**

## **Activities**

- ✓ Water activities
- ✓ Thrills and spills
- ✓ Arts and crafts
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Team games

**LAKE KEEPIT  
SPORT AND RECREATION  
CENTRE at  
GUNNEDAH NSW**

