Off to Market we go...

Our Learn & Grow Project is ready to make its mark on the Murphys Creek Community. This Saturday (17th May), we will have the first of our monthly stalls at the Murphys Creek Markets, near the Tavern.

This project is not about fundraising, it is about creating a real-life experience and showing students that learning happens in many locations and that learning has a purpose in the real world.

Stage one is focusing on customer service, handling money and talking to the public about the project. This is designed to improve confidence and to develop skills where they can use Maths skills.

In months to come, we will be looking at marketing, profit & loss, environmental impact of products and market research. Come and see us shine!

Murphy’s Creek Challenge

Australian marathon swimmer Chloe McCardel, has set a world record for nonstop swimming. How long did she swim for?

- a. 8 hours
- b. 16 hours
- c. 22 hours

Book Fair 2014

Our school library will be running a Book Fair of Ashton Scholastic books. These books are for purchase and will be on display between May 19th-23rd.

Purchasing will take place from 2:00-3:30 daily and from 6:00-7:00pm on Wednesday 21st May, before the P&C meeting. Book prices are in a wide range to suit everyone.

We will also have a selection of books at the Murphys Creek Markets on May 17th.

Register to use Out of School Hours Care (OSHC) on-line by following this link:

Tiana and Troy are this week’s peer nominated students of the week. These students have been recognised for their great work ethic and their desire to be the best students possible.

Table Tennis Comp

Four of our senior students will be competing in the Queensland Schools Table Tennis Championships in Toowoomba on May 21st.

The students have been improving their game and skills over the past 7 weeks and have formed 2 very sound partnerships.

We wish them luck as they represent our school in Toowoomba.

Students of the Week

Playgroup
9am each Monday
Bring a hat, water bottle & a snack.
All Welcome!

Make every day count in 2014

Our Goal 95% attendance
This week is a 93.2% attendance

High 5’ers

Kids Matter Badge

Preparing for the markets

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I was so very proud of the way that all our students conducted themselves during our annual cross country. I would have been happy with high levels of participation and runners showing determination but I got more than I counted on.

What I witnessed was far more important. I saw students finishing their run and then taking back to the track to run home with the late comers. I also saw teachers and parents running with children who needed extra encouragement and support. I heard the crowd cheering on every child as they passed the line. No student crossed the line alone or feeling inadequate.

Pride is something that a school gains over time and internalises through belief. I believe in the quality of our school, our students and our community. Well done to everyone!

Breaking News from Zone X Country - at time of print Harmony 1st, Jordain 1st, Zac, Molly, Lili, Dan B and Emmy B 3rd

We received 5th overall & 2nd on average!
The closest high school for Murphys Creek students is TSHS. If parents are wishing to send children to Highfields SHS, students will be able to travel by Murphys Creek Bus to Skyline Drive and from there, catch a Qld Bus service to Highfields.

In the afternoons students will need to travel by Qld Bus to TSHS where they can catch the Murphys Creek Bus home. The cost would be approximately $1.20 each way.