Big Breakfast
Thank you everyone who has installed the new School App on their mobile device. We had a great response to this new communication device and I hope it can be used to provide you all with information in a timely manner. It is not something that will be used every day to send out messages but when needed it will allow us to quickly message targeted groups (e.g. stages) or everyone who has the app installed. A growing number of parents are also finding the app useful for sending in absent notes for their children.

Special thanks go to the wonderful staff at Marsden Road who put so much time and effort into preparing and cooking the breakfast as well as our very skilled technology team who are guiding us into the 21st Century and beyond!

Yarn Up 2015
On Monday 10th August I had the pleasure of accompanying one of our students, Sharday Safavisad, into Parliament NSW where Sharday delivered an excellent speech on bullying. Sharday was one of over 40 Aboriginal students, from across our Ultimo Network of schools, who had been working on their public speaking abilities throughout this year. Congratulations to all of them and especially Sharday who represented our school and her family so proudly.

Liverpool Sporting Hall of Fame
Two of our school leaders, Nikola Draca and Sonia Vojnovic, accompanied me to the opening of a Sporting Hall of Fame in the Liverpool library. This exhibition was created to recognise the excellent sporting talent that has come from the Liverpool area. We were invited to attend as Michael Clarke attended Marsden Road when he was in primary school. Both Nikola and Sonia were excellent ambassadors for our school and met with Anthony Minichello another one of Liverpool’s sporting stars. (Some photos are pasted later in this newsletter.)
Foyer Display
Every week a class will showcase their classroom work in our foyer. Listed below are the classes for the coming weeks. Come in and see our wonderful display.

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Kindergarten Enrolments for 2016
We are currently taking 2016 enrolments for kindergarten. If your child is turning five before the 31st of July 2016, please come and see our friendly staff in the office for an enrolment pack.

PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE 2015
To all students, parents and teachers,
Premier's Reading Challenge 2015 ends on 21st August. Please borrow PRC books from the library and read. You must complete your online Student Reading Record by 21 August 2015 (11:59 pm) to complete the Challenge. Log onto PRC website below using your portal password to register books you have read.

PSSA Results
7th August 2015 - Round 8

Netball
- Junior 1: Game 1 MRPS 13-2 Liverpool West
- Junior 2: Game 1
- Senior 1: Game 1 Camp
- Senior 2: Game 1 Camp

Soccer
Girls
- Junior A: MRPS 1-2 Casula
- Junior B: MRPS 0-5 Casula
- Senior: Camp

Boys
- Junior Green: MRPS 4-5 Dalmeny
- Junior White: MRPS 0-3 Dalmeny
- Senior: Camp

Rugby League
- Junior: MRPS 0-44 Casula
- Senior: Camp

14th August 2015 – Round 9

Netball
- Junior 1: Game 1 MRPS 9-2 Nuwarra
- Junior 2: Game 1 MRPS 9-8 Holsworthy
- Senior 1: Game 1 MRPS 11-1 Casula
- Senior 2: Game 1 MRPS 5-25 Chipping Norton

Soccer
Girls
- Junior A: MRPS 7-0 Sackville
- Junior B: MRPS 1-1 Sackville
- Senior: MRPS 4-1 Sackville

Boys
- Junior Green: MRPS 3-0 Newbridge Heights
- Junior White: MRPS 1-1 Newbridge Heights
- Senior: MRPS 0-5 Newbridge Heights

Rugby League
- Junior: MRPS 0-32 Sackville
- Senior: MRPS 18-40 Sackville

Father’s Day Stall
On Thursday 3rd September 2015, the Marsden Parent Group will be holding their Father’s Day Stall. Gifts will range in price from $2.00 to $5.00. There may be an opportunity for the students to buy a second gift.
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<td>• Ask your child to find certain groceries, for example, Weetbix in the cereal section.</td>
<td>• Asking your child to discuss a wide variety of topics. Encourage your child to talk more deeply about a topic by asking for more information.</td>
<td>• Do you encourage your child to read widely? This reading could include: the Internet, menus, packets, containers and brochures.</td>
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What does it mean?

one-to-one correspondence: pointing to each word as you read.

Stage 3 Hill End/Bathurst Camp
COMING TO MARSDEN ROAD PUBLIC SCHOOL ON THE 4TH OF SEPTEMBER (WEEK 8)

GATES OPEN 4.30PM
PERFORMANCES 5PM
MOVIE 6PM

WHAT’S ON:
- BARBEQUE
- DRINKS
- LOLLY BAGS
- POP CORN
- GROUP PERFORMANCES

ENTRY IS A GOLD COIN DONATION SO BRING FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO ENJOY A NIGHT AT THE MOVIES AT M.R.P.S.

DON’T FORGET TO BRING A BLANKET!