

# Melrose Park Public School

*'Learning and Growing Together'*

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Dear Parents

This newsletter is short and sweet updating you on upcoming events.

Clare Kristensen  
Principal

## Connecting Communities.

### Tucker Time – starts Thursday

Tucker Time will resume on Thursday this week. Our Year 6 students will be coordinating Tucker Time and developing their financial literacy skills through the program.

Students will be able to purchase an ice-block or popcorn for \$1.00 **each fortnight**. It is recommended that parents still pack some healthy fruit for afternoon break. Through out the year the menu will change and we will be offering different items during winter.

All proceeds from Tucker Time will go to support children's charities such as supporting our World Vision sponsorship child. The school also supports Stewart House which is the NSW Public Schools charity. The purpose of **Stewart House** is to care for children from all parts of NSW that are in need of respite supported by health and wellbeing programs.

### Meet the Teacher – Parent Information Evening

Please come along, meet your child's teacher, hear about educational programs and school strategic directions.

**Meet the Teacher  
Parent Information Evening  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February**

**Session 1 in your child's classroom  
5.30- 6.00pm**

**Principal's address in the hall  
6.05 – 6. 20pm**

**Session 2 ( repeat of session 1 ) in classroom  
6.25 - 7.00pm**

## Community Bowling Evening

<b>TIME:</b>	4pm-6pm. Please arrive at 3:45pm for shoe hire and lane allocation.
<b>WHERE:</b>	<b>Tenpin City, Lidcombe Power Centre.</b> 92 Parramatta Road, Lidcombe (top level in the carpark)
<b>COST:</b>	<b>\$20 per bowler, including two games and shoe hire.</b> Siblings and parents are welcome to join in and play.

### Notes home: PSSA permission notes

#### PSSA competition

The Ryde Zone Primary Schools Sports Association (PSSA) summer competition commences this Friday (weather permitting). Melrose Park PS enters Junior and Senior teams into the representative competition. T-ball, Softball, Volleyball and Newcombe Ball teams have been selected and permission notes with the Players Code of Conduct need to be returned before Friday. The summer competition is split with some games in Term 1 and the rest of the competition starting again in September.

Volleyball and Newcombe Ball games are played at Meadowbank Oval. Most games for T-ball and Softball are held at Meadowbank Oval with a few games needing bus transport for away games. Transport costs must be paid as part of the commitment to the team. Students not selected for a rep team participate in a home sport program.

Parents are welcome to support the teams each week. Students may be signed out at the conclusion of all games.

Students need to be at training each Thursday commencing at 8.15am ready to train and develop game play skills.

Students must bring a hat, water bottle and sunscreen each week.