

# Mount Pleasant Extra!

Together we shine

24th July 2025

Dear Parents,

We made it to the end of another school year and I think you would all agree, that together we really did have a FANTASTIC year! We have celebrated so many achievements, enjoyed countless activities, visits and events, welcomed visitors and friends into school and had so much fun learning and growing together. Sadly we have to say goodbye to all of those children who are leaving us. We will miss every single one of you, but know that you will be amazing in your new schools and that you will all continue to shine brightly.

Whatever your plans are for the holiday period and wherever you may be going, I wish you safe travels and hope that you find the time to rest and have some well-earned downtime.

Have a great holiday!

## Disco and Dental visit

On Monday afternoon we had our end-of-year disco when we all relaxed, put on our party clothes, enjoyed a few party games, and shared snacks before taking to the Mount Pleasant School dancefloor.

It was also a good afternoon to welcome Sqn Ldr Barrow the BFSAI Senior Dental Officer, to deliver her final session all about dental health and hygiene.

Sqn Ldr Barrow kindly gave out some activity sheets and tubes of tooth paste to encourage everyone to keep looking after their smiles, especially after sugary snacks!

Thank you Sqn Ldr Barrow for taking the time out of your busy day to look after us.



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## Golden assembly

I couldn't think of a better way to round off the school year than having a golden assembly to celebrate more special efforts and achievements.

Well done Siana, Isaac, Cruz, Eryn and Richard for earning your golden certificates. You have all demonstrated our school values and have worked extra hard to set a good example for everyone else to follow, no wonder we are so proud of you all!



### Bella's 123 shortbread biscuit recipe:

For a shortbread biscuit recipe you will need the ingredients flour, butter and some sugar. Also, other recipes use salt and vanilla extract.

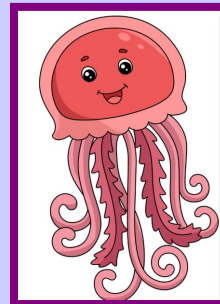
The similarities of these ingredients are normally 1 part of sugar, 2 parts of butter and 3 parts of flour. After that you can mix it up with your hands or a big spoon. When you've done that, you can put it into the oven but, make sure that you put it on around 300 to 325F (150 to 160 C). It allows the butter to melt softly. It will make a crumbly texture. The biscuit should be golden brown when done.



Sounds delicious, thanks Bella!

### Weird and wonderful facts by Isaac:

There is a jellyfish that can live forever.



Crabs have teeth in their stomachs.



Lobster's pee comes out of their faces.

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## Farewell Office Orcas

I loved Office Orca and my favourite job was definitely organising the books in the library or the Commerson bands. We also did jobs such as cleaning the kitchen, doing the fire drill and scanning the books.

Erin

I enjoyed doing Office Orca because the tasks are calming and relaxing. In Office Orca we did different jobs such as cleaning the kitchen, doing the fire drill, counting the money and many other things. I will miss this because I like helping people.

Crisha

I enjoyed Office Orca because it was fun counting money for the school fund. I also enjoyed helping Mr Crofts and Mrs Bailey with balancing receipts with cash, which gave me a better understanding of managing accounts.

Cruz

## Mount Pleasant School ~ New Team Members

We are pleased to welcome Rachel, Tika and Sophie to our wonderful team. We are excited and looking forward to you all joining us in school so that together we can make 2025-26 another incredible year for everyone at Mount Pleasant.



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Thank you to everyone who came along to Squadron Leader Dean's special assembly, to help us celebrate the achievements of all the children who have completed his gruelling circuit club!

Children had prepared a slide show and written special messages to show how much Circuit Club has meant to them .

After such a challenging club, all children received their special medals, a certificate of achievement and an individual message of congratulations from Sqn Ldr Dean.

Since everyone has worked so hard and put in so much effort to get fitter and stronger, it was also a time to give out some well-earned sweets, although each bag did have a picture of Sqn Ldr Dean, to remind us that we may need to go to the gym again !



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Please note that from September 1st our **Stay and Play** facility will be open Monday to Thursday 1:30pm to 2:30pm. Sessions will be held in a larger room based on the EYFS/KS1 corridor.

We look forward to welcoming back our regular families and any new parents with children aged between 2-3 yrs old.



FS1 children will start school on Monday 08th September, we look forward to welcoming you back.



*Further dates will be added to the newsletter as events are arranged.*

- **Monday 01st September - First day of term**

*Term time and holiday dates for the academic year 2025-26 can be found on the school website.*

*~ Wishing you all a great summer /winter holiday ~*