



# Snippets

**BE SAFE**

**BE A LEARNER**

**BE RESPECTFUL**

## Diary Dates 2022



**Feb 28**

**Meet the Teacher  
Morning BBQ**

**Feb 11**

**Second Hand  
Uniform Sale  
3pm - 3:30pm**

**March 03**

**School photo day**

**March 11**

**Curriculum  
Day- School  
Closed**

**March 14**

**Labour Day Public  
Holiday - School  
Closed**



## Moe South Street Primary School

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### Principal's News....

#### Welcome back everyone!

We hope that families enjoyed quality time together over the Christmas/New Year break.

As 2022 begins we would like to welcome new students and families to South St Primary School.

Monday as we welcomed everyone back it was delightful to see the smiling faces of our students, parents, families, and staff.

The school quickly filled with the sound of children, making us all feel like the world was a little bit more normal. Children and classes settled in quickly as the morning saw them get to know their peers and teachers better whilst organising supplies and playing games.

#### Foundation Students

We welcome all of our new foundation students and all our new families to South St Primary School.

Foundation students will be at school every Monday – Thursday 8.40am – 3.15pm and have Fridays off as a testing day during the month of February.

Parents will have an opportunity to book a time for testing on one of the Fridays with their child's classroom teacher.

#### Breakfast Club

**Reopening from Monday 7th  
Feb at 8:00am**

We will be following COVID safe practises.

Looking forward to seeing everyone then!



*At South Street Primary School we grow people who:*

*Are creative, curious and independent learners. Are resilient and problem solve when faced with challenges. Respect and care about themselves, each other and the world in which we live.*



We acknowledge the Gunai Kurnai people as traditional owners of this land and pay our respects to elders both past and present.

# Camps 2022

## Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund applications

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you have a valid means-tested concession card, such as a Veterans Affairs Gold Card, Centrelink Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card, or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible. There is also a special consideration category for asylum seeker and refugee families.

Payment amounts this year are \$125 for eligible primary school students. Payments are made direct to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions and sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

It is important that funding made available in 2022 supports students to participate in school trips, camps and sporting activities this year rather than being held for future years. This funding can also be used in conjunction with any funding accrued from previous years.

Please note these activities will only take place if they meet COVIDSafe requirements.

If you applied for CSEF through our school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year, unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

If you would like to apply for the first time, please contact the school office on 03 5127 1512 and ask for an application form.

You can also download the form, and find out more about the program and eligibility, on the Department of Education and Training's Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund web page.

Check with the school office if you are unsure, and please return completed forms to the school office as soon as possible.

## SAVE THE DATE - 2022 5/6 CAMP—SOVEREIGN HILL

**We are really excited to announce that on 22<sup>nd</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022** the grade 5/6 students will have the opportunity to attend Sovereign Hill Camp.

The camp will be a unique opportunity for students to experience life during the gold rush and understand how the event changed Victoria.

At this stage the approximate cost of the camp will be around **\$430 - \$480**.

Some families may have Camps, Sports and Excursions Funding available to them to use towards the camp.

More information about an instalment plan and the camp will be sent home in Term 1 2022.

# UNIFORM RULES



A reminder that school uniform is expected for all students, every day. We understand that some families need an extra day for washing or support in having enough uniform.

Please contact your child's classroom teacher for support with uniform.

Hats are needed for all time outside in term 1.

This is part of our Sun Smart Policy. If your child doesn't have a hat they will need to play in our undercover areas to make sure they are safe.

Please make sure you clearly label all pieces of your child's uniform with ink that will not wash off.

Our uniform policy can be found HERE:

[moe-southst-ps.vic.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Dress-Code-Uniform-10NOV.pdf](http://moe-southst-ps.vic.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Dress-Code-Uniform-10NOV.pdf)

## SIZES AVAILABLE

4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16



### ITEM

Polo Shirt (White or Navy)  
Sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16

### COST

\$18.00



Polo Shirt (Navy only)  
Sizes S, M, L & XL

\$20.00



Rugby Top

\$35.00

Bomber Jacket

\$45.00



Bucket Hat

\$ 7.00

School Logos

\$ 2.50

School Back Pack

\$35.00



Beanie

\$15.00

School Spray Jacket

\$40.00

Please note School Spray Jackets are ordered from an external provider and take approx. 2 weeks to arrive



**Available,  
minimum  
purchase  
\$10**



# Val's Update

## CHAPLAINCY PROGRAMME



**Second Hand Uniform Sale**  
**Friday 11th Feb, 3pm to 3:30pm**

**SALE!!!! SALE!!!! SALE!!!!**

You are invited to come along to school on Friday afternoon Feb 11th at 3.00pm when second hand uniform will be on display for you to purchase.

**At the bargain price of \$2.00 per item !!!!**

**A range of good clothing for ages 5yrs to 16yrs**

Items include a range of School uniform e.g, tops, jackets, pants and more  
Also non uniform casual clothes; Track pants, Rain jackets. Windcheaters

**A good way of saving some cash and putting items away for the colder months.**

I will set up in the undercover area next to the Foundation building.

Please BYO SHOPPING BAG FOR YOUR PURCHASES  
PLEASE NOTE -CASH ONLY, NO CARD.



WELCOME


We would like to welcome KJ Larmour, Liam Charles and Tara Bischorn to South St Primary School.



Mr Charles - PE



Ms L - PB class



Ms Bischorn - Music & 3/4B



# From Mrs Murphy

## Library News

Dear Parents,

Each week the children have the opportunity to come to the library with their class teacher to borrow books of interest to take home and read.

The children can borrow 2 books each and have the books for a fortnight. The books can be returned earlier if your child has finished the book or reborrowed if they would like it longer.



Children in grades Foundation - 2 **require** a library bag to borrow.

Children in grade 3-6 **don't require** a library bag to borrow. They may have one if they wish.

If a child has an overdue book they are not permitted to borrow until the overdue books are returned.

The library will be open each morning before school for borrowing and returning. **8:30am-8:40am**

Thanks, Kathryn Murphy - Digitech Specialist

## Digitech – Acceptable Use Agreements

Dear Parents of Grade 3-6 children,

In Digitech this term the children will be learning about Cyber Safety. Our Digital Technologies Policy requires the children to sign an acceptable use agreement. This agreement will be discussed and worked on in class in the first week the children have their Digitech class. The agreement will then be sent home for the children to discuss with you.

Could you please sign the agreement to acknowledge that you have discussed it with your child and return it to school by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me either by phone or Sentral Messaging.

Thanks

Kathryn Murphy  
Digitech Specialist



# Class Structure 2022

## FOUNDATION / ONE TEAM

**F1A** Teacher: Zedj Hodgson

Rm 11 ES: Tayla Cheffers

ES: Brooke Donoghue

**F1B** Teacher: KJ Larmour

Rm 10 ES: Emma Johnson

ES: Jenny Rogers

## ONE / TWO TEAM

**12A** Teacher: Ben Hotchkin

Rm 2 ES: Maddi Tactor

ES: Ryan Lowrie

**12B** Teacher: Emily Charles

Rm 8 ES: Matt Webber

ES: Miriam Aquiline

**12C** Teacher: Kim Cranston

Rm 1 ES: Jacquie Godsmen

ES: Vanessa Bullen

## THREE / FOUR TEAM

**34A** Teacher: Anna DiNuzzo

Rm 18 ES: Linda Lowrie

**34B** Teacher: Jess Woodhouse (w, th, f)

Rm 16 Teacher: Tara Bishorn (m, tu)

ES: Term 1: Donna Walker & Sue Hunter  
Jude Symes (Term 2 onwards)

**34C** Teacher: Sophie Stewart

Rm 15 ES: Steve Harbour

**34D** Teacher: Louise Webb

Rm 17 ES: Mandy Wiggins

## FIVE / SIX TEAM

**56A** Teacher: Anne Welsh

Rm 4 Teacher: Tammy Estcourt

ES: Kris Creighton

**56B** Teacher: Daina Zelenewicz

Rm 6 ES: Marcelle Anderson

**56C** Teacher: Jacquie White

Rm 7 ES: Paul Mahoney

**56D** Teacher: Madison Westall

Rm 5 ES: Teresa O'Reilly

This is what our school structure looks like for 2022.

## SPECIALISTS

Digitech: Kathryn Murphy

PE: Liam Charles

Music: Tara Bischoen

Art: TBD

## TUTOR PROGRAM

Rm 9 Mel Keltie

Rm 9 Lisa Fenech

Rm 9 Belinda Davis

Rm 9 D'Arcy Jones (Term One)

## INTERVENTION

Bek Wolfenden

STA: Andy Van Aalst

## WELLBEING

Wellbeing Co-Ordinator: Brooke Chatterton

Wellbeing Worker: Bec McArthur

PSD Co-ordinator: Belinda Johnson

Behaviour Support: Dave Ferguson

School Chaplain: Val Hemmings

School Nurse: Ainsley James (Th, F)

School Nurse: Katelyn Duncan (M)

## OFFICE

Anna Henley

Melinda Kane

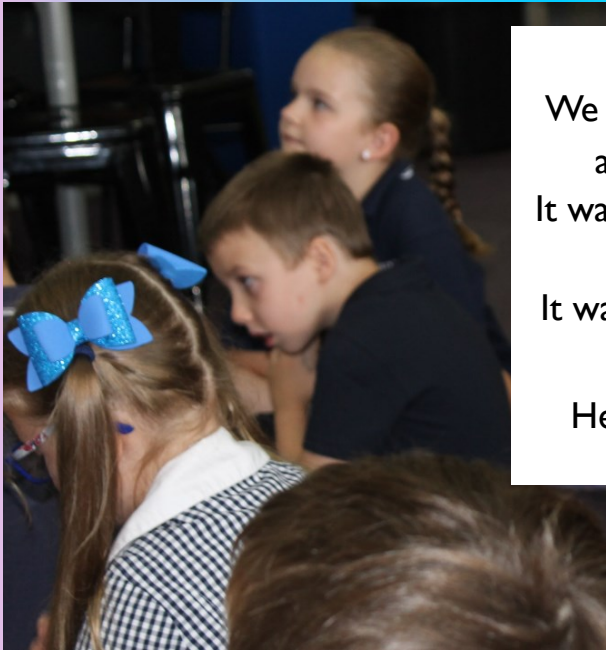
Monica Bethune

# *First day of School!*

We loved welcoming our new Foundation students and their families into our school this week. It was great to see everyone enjoying their very first day of school!

It was great to see all of our other students settle into their next grade too.

Here are some photos from around the school.







# Junior and Mini Roo training is back for 2022!

Our first training session and club sign-up night will be  
**Thursday 10th February from 5pm – 6pm.**

Moe United is a family friendly club and is located next to the Moe Outdoor Pool on Vale Street. Training runs every Tuesday and Thursday night from 5pm – 6pm with games held on Saturdays.  
(Game time will depend on your child's age).

We look forward to welcoming all new and past players.  
Don't forget your drink bottle.

## Learning Through Play Supported Playgroups By ParentZone Gippsland

Learning Through Play will provide you and your child with the opportunity to:

- Connect through songs and stories.
- Try new and fun ways to learn.
- Get ideas and be encouraged
- Connect with other parents and children

Learning Through Play will include strategies from the smalltalk program which helps promote children's development and learning.

**WHO:** Parents and their children under-school-age

**WHERE:** There are five playgroups at different locations in Morwell and Churchill for you to choose from.

**COST:** FREE for families living in Latrobe City. Bookings essential.

To enrol or get more information please contact:  
Parentzone Gippsland on 03 5135 9555 or email  
[parentzone.gippsland@anglicarevic.org.au](mailto:parentzone.gippsland@anglicarevic.org.au)

[anglicarevic.org.au](http://anglicarevic.org.au)

PARENTZONE

BETTER  
TOMORROWS





Early Days is a series of **FREE** workshops for parents and other family members of young children (0-7 years) who are on the autism spectrum. They are also suitable for parents who feel their child may be on the spectrum but have not received a formal diagnosis.

### **My Child and Autism Workshop for Parents**

**Part 1: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2022:**  
**9.30am-2.30pm**

**Part 2: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2022:**  
**9.30am-2.30pm**

*\*must attend all workshops*

### **Progression to School Workshop for Parents**

**Part 1: Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022:**  
**10.00am – 11.30am**

**Part 2: Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022:**  
**10.00am – 11.30am**

*\*must attend all workshops*

### **Understanding Behaviour Workshop for Parents**

**Part 1: Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2022:**  
**7.30pm – 9.30pm**

**Part 2: Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2022:**  
**7.30pm – 9.30pm**

**Part 3: Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022:**  
**7.30pm – 9.30pm**

*\*must attend all workshops*

*It is highly recommended you attend the "My Child and Autism" workshop prior to attending any other workshops*