



Snippets

BE SAFE

BE A LEARNER

BE RESPECTFUL

Diary Dates
2022



March 11

Curriculum

Day- **School**
Closed

March 14

Labour Day Public
Holiday - **School**
Closed

March 30

Whole School
Athletics Day

April 05

Student
Showcase

April 08

Last Day of Term
1— 1:15pm
dismissal



Moe South Street Primary School

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Principal's News....

THANK YOU



BBQ Breakfast Thank you

Thank you to all of our wonderful students who made for an absolutely fantastic breakfast on Monday. We saw amazing manners and kind behaviour from all, along with many smiling faces filled with delicious food.



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.

NAPLAN

(Term 2: 10th – 20th of May)

NAPLAN is a point-in-time assessment that allows parents and carers to see how their child is progressing in literacy and numeracy against the National Standard and compared with their peers throughout Australia. At the classroom level, NAPLAN provides additional information to support teachers' professional judgement about student progress.

All students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 are expected to participate in NAPLAN tests, and schools should not exert influence on parents or carers to withdraw their child from the tests. NAPLAN tests give you information on how your child is progressing against national standards. This information can be used to identify areas in which your child may benefit from additional assistance. NAPLAN does not replace, but rather complements assessments run by your child's classroom teacher throughout the year.

Some students who have been attending school in Australia for less than a year before the tests may be eligible for exemption. Exemptions should be discussed with your child's school.

Parents or carers may withdraw their child from the tests to address issues such as religious beliefs and philosophical objections to testing. It is recommended that withdrawal be considered in consultation with your child's school. States and territories have different ways of managing student withdrawals, but formal notification must be received by the school principal prior to testing.

Wherever possible, schools will organise for individual students who are absent at the time of testing to complete missed tests at another time during the test window.

Keep an eye on this section, as it will provide different information each week to keep you updated about NAPLAN leading into the testing window (Term 2: 10th – 20th of May)

COVID UPDATES

Despite Government mandates relaxing on masks over the last week, it is important to note all mask wearing has remained the same in primary schools.

All staff, visitors and students* from Grade 3 upwards need to wear their masks whilst inside and when unable to social distance outside.

*student mask exemptions are to be sent to the office if not already done so.

ROLLS MARKED 8.45AM

SHARP!

The rolls are marked as the bell rings.

If your child cannot make it to class by 8.45am sharp, they will need to sign in as a latecomer at the office, otherwise they will be marked as absent.



A reminder that we have been updating families about COVID cases and important information through Sentral.

Please make sure your Sentral app is updated and working.



Hats for Term 1

A reminder that all students will need to wear their school hats when they are outside at recess and lunch during term 1.

If your child does not have a hat, they are available from the office for \$7.

Sun Smart

It is hot weather and the school has been working on educating children to be sun smart.

Please have a chat to them at home to remind them of the importance of staying hydrated, wearing a hat and using sunscreen.

From the School Nurse

2022 Asthma Plan Reminder

For children diagnosed with Asthma, the school requires a current Asthma Plan so staff know what medication and care is required. Please see your doctor and have them complete an updated Asthma Plan to cover your child/children for the 2022 school year.

Please send this plan to school as soon as you are able, so our records are up to date.

An up to date Asthma Plan ensures staff can provide the best care for your child/children when they are at school, on excursions, or away on school camp.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school.

Regards, Ainsley James, Community Nurse in Primary Schools (Thursdays & Fridays during school terms)

COVID Tests

Not sure what to do once your student has tested positive?

If a student receives a positive test result at any time, they (or their parents) must report this through the [Department of Health online system](#) or via the coronavirus hotline at [1800 675 398](tel:1800675398).

Students (or their parents) must also report a positive result to their school, either through the [Student COVID-19 Test Portal](#) or by phone or written notification; this is so the school can support them, record that they will be absent while in 7-day isolation, and let the rest of the school community know there has been a positive case onsite and that they should monitor for symptoms.

A positive case can return to school after their isolation period ends and displaying no illness symptoms.

More information - DHHS check list for positive cases: <https://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/checklist-cases>

Not sure what this means for your household?

Household or household-like contacts

- You have spent more than four hours with someone who has COVID-19 inside a house, accommodation or care facility.
- You must quarantine for 7 days.
- You must get tested on Day 1 of quarantine (or as soon as possible) and get tested again on Day 6 of quarantine - with a rapid antigen test, or a PCR test if you can't access a rapid antigen test.

If you test positive on a rapid antigen test, you must report your result. Visit [Reporting your result](#) page for more information.

- Household or household-like contacts are also referred to as *close contacts*.

More information - DHHS check list for household contacts - <https://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/checklist-contacts>

Canteen Update

NO LUNCH ORDERS - SNACKS ONLY **CANTEEN IS ONLY OPEN FOR SNACKS ONLY**

Until we have our new volunteers set up, the 5/6 students have offered to help run the canteen so it can stay open for snacks, ice-creams, drinks and slushies on:

Monday: recess time.

Wednesday: recess and lunch time

Friday: recess and lunch time

We are hoping to re-start lunch orders on Wednesday and Fridays in the near future!

Getting Involved...

MRS WIGGIN'S CANTEEN UPDATE

WANTED: Canteen volunteers for Wednesdays and Fridays

We are hoping to re-start lunch orders on Wednesday and Fridays in the near future. We are looking for volunteers who would like to donate their time to our Canteen.

Our Canteen is one of the biggest fundraisers for our school and the profits from our canteen end up paying for special things around the school like shade sails and the end of year trip to Glem Cromie. Our students love lunch orders and their eyes light up when they receive their lunch straight to their class!

Requirements:

- Current Working with Children Check - we can help with this.
- A COVID double vaccination certificate will need to be provided to us.

For time being, the 5/6 students have offered to help run the canteen so it can stay open for snacks, ice-creams, drinks and slushies on:

Monday, recess time.

Wednesday, recess and lunch time

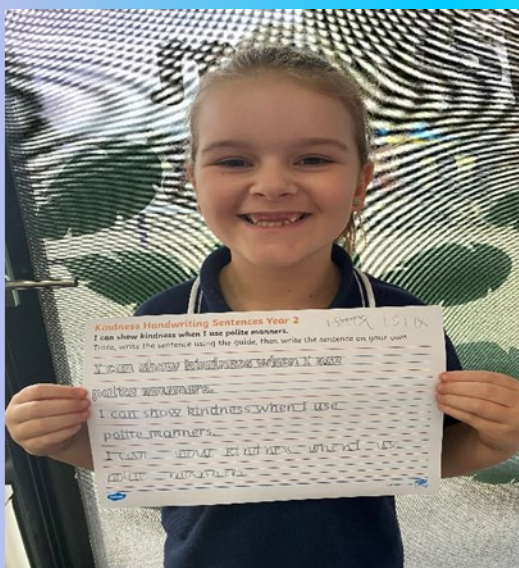
Friday, recess and lunch time

Please make sure your child/ren has change if they wish to buy something from the canteen

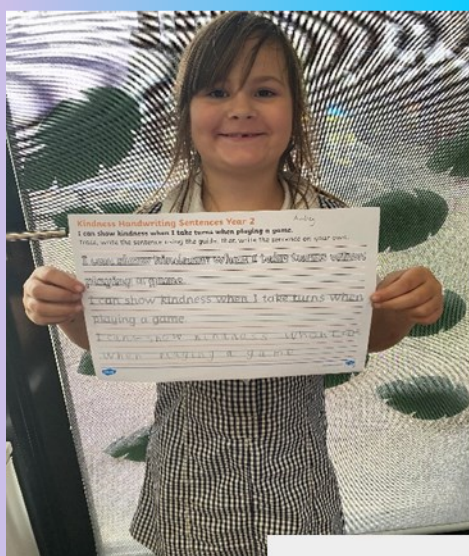
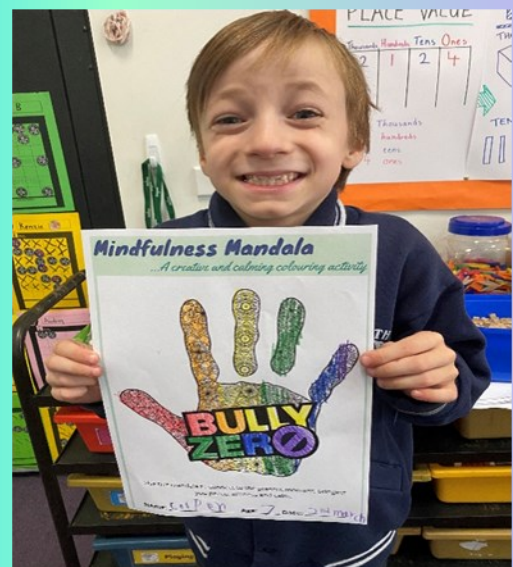
If you would like to help out, please call the school on 03 5127 1512 and ask for Mrs Wiggins.

BE KIND ALWAYS.

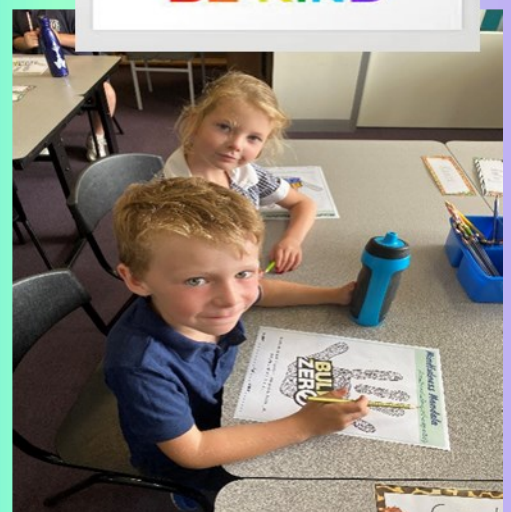
On Wednesday we celebrated “Be Kind Day”. The students enjoyed activities to raise awareness around online bullying.



“I can show kindness when I use polite manners.”
By Isla.



“I can show kindness when playing a game.”
By Audrey



2022 NETBALL VICTORIA SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIPS

PRIMARY

Boys, Girls and Mixed Divisions (Years 5 and 6)

SECONDARY

Junior Girls and Boys (Years 7 and 8)

Intermediate Girls and Boys (Years 9 and 10)

Senior Girls and Boys (Years 11 and 12)

IMPORTANT INFO



\$100 PER TEAM



Teams must provide one umpire per team. BYO or purchase for \$125.



Primary Mixed teams are entered straight through to Finals Day.

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT

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DATE	LOCATION	DIVISION
Mon 20 June	State Netball Centre	Secondary
Tue 21 June	Sale	Primary, Junior, Inter
Wed 22 June	Shepparton	Primary & Secondary
Thu 23 June	Knox	Primary & Secondary
Tue 19 July	Charles Mutton	Primary & Secondary
Thu 21 July	Geelong	Secondary
Fri 22 July	Mildura	Primary & Secondary
Wed 27 July	Caulfield	Girls Divisions
Wed 27 July	Hamilton	Secondary
Fri 29 July	Knox	Primary Boys/Girls & Secondary Girls
Mon 1 Aug	Ballarat	Secondary
Tue 2 Aug	Waverley District	Primary & Secondary
Thu 4 Aug	Knox	Secondary
Tue 9 Aug	State Netball Centre	Primary Boys/Girls & Secondary Girls
Thu 11 Aug	Moe	Primary & Secondary
Fri 12 Aug	Riverside	Girls Divisions
Wed 17 Aug	State Netball Centre	Secondary
Fri 19 Aug	State Netball Centre	Girls Divisions

FINALS

Tues 30 Aug	State Netball Centre	Intermediate & Senior Girls Finals
Wed 31 Aug	State Netball Centre	Primary Finals
Wed 7 Sep	State Netball Centre	Intermediate & Senior Boys Finals
Thurs 8 Sep	State Netball Centre	Junior Finals



Dear Staff and Families,

This Sunday, 6 March 2022, the South East Melbourne Phoenix will be hosting our annual Indigenous Round Game.

Indigenous Round will celebrate, recognise and acknowledge Indigenous culture across Australia and New Zealand.

Match day entertainment will feature First Nations artists and players will wear a jersey designed by proud Wiradjuri Kamilaroi woman Katie Bugden.

Courtesy of Hart Sports, and the South East Melbourne Phoenix, we would like to invite you to this game.

Follow these simple steps...

1. Click on the link
<https://premier.ticketek.com.au/shows/Show.aspx?sh=PHOENI1422>
2. Enter the code **6MARPNX** to unlock up to 6 **FREE** tickets (see the below image for help)

We hope you can join us at the game and enjoy watching our SEM Phoenix players give it their all against the Illawarra Hawks.



Venue:
John Cain Arena, Melbourne, VIC

Date:
Sun 6 Mar 2022 5:30pm - General Public Seating

Find Tickets

OR

6MARPNX

Unlock tickets

How to buy accessible tickets

See Chinese superstar Zhou Qi and the pride of the Heartland, the South East Melbourne Phoenix, live at John Cain Arena.

House Rules

Related links