

# Snippets

BE SAFE BE A LEARNER BE RESPECTFUL

## **Diary Dates**



Tues 17 &
Thurs 19th
May
PB4L 50 cent
Icy pole Drive



Fri 27th May Report Writing Day -

**School Closed** 

Tues 31st May 2023 Prep Information Night

Mon 13th June
Queens Birthday
Public Holiday
School Closed

# Moe South Street Primary School Volume 22 Issue 13 12th May 2022

## Principal's News....

### Week 3—NAPLAN Week

It has been a very busy week at South Street!

Book Fair has been a huge success with the students-thank you Mrs Murphy for all your hard work to make this happen.

Grade 3 & 5 students have had a busy week doing NAPLAN testing. They have enjoyed the pre-test free breakfast. Thanks to all who have helped to coordinate this for the students.

The PB4L team have been working hard in the Canteen at recess on Tuesdays & Thursdays selling Icy Poles for their first fundraiser.

Thanks staff, families and students for your patience while we try to make everything happen for our students.

#### TREE LOOPERS - at school next week

There are some trees that are causing damage to our buildings.

All of next week they will be being removed.

This may cause interruption to areas of the playground and entry and exit points.

We are not sure which areas are going to be first but they will be taped off.

We will keep all parents informed of any disruption through Sentral and Facebook.

# Report Writing Day School Closed

On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May we will be having a report writing day for our teaching staff

Our ES staff will be involved in professional development on this day.

There will be no students required during this day.

# High School Transition

An information pack and High School Preference form week home to Grade Six families asking for their High School choices for 2023.

Preference Form return Due Date:

Friday the 13th May

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



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

## PB4L

Let's Support PB4L with an Icy
Treat

On Tuesday and Thursday of week 3 and 4 PB4L will be selling icy poles from the canteen at recess time.

Zooper Doopers will be available for 50c.



All Money raised will support our school community moving forward.

### **2022 Student Attitudes to School Survey**

annual Students Attitude to School Survey.

Participation for this survey is voluntary. Students will automatically take part in this survey during school

This week a letter went home with students about the

If you DO NOT wish for your child to take part, please opt out via email to our school:

moe.ps.south@education.vic.gov.au

If we do not receive a Refusal of Consent email before the this

### Friday the 13th May,

it means that you give consent for your child to participate in the survey.

#### **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.

Getting to school on time is a important for student routine.



## 2023 Prep Information Night

Free Pizza and Drinks!!

Come along for a presentation and Tour

When: Tuesday the 31st of May Where: South St School Library

**Time:** 6:00 – 7:00pm



Please enter via South St Main Office Entrance

(For Catering) Please RSVP by Tuesday the 24th May on (03) 5127 1512. Please call during school hours.

If you are unable to make it on this day, please feel free to make an appointment for a school tour by calling the above phone number.

BE ROARSOME



A reminder that the parking around the school is enforced by local Police and Local Laws.

Please ensure you park in designated car parks only.

We have had some recent reports about parking on nature strips and drive ways of houses which creates issues for the homeowners when they want to leave their house.

# NAPLAN Testing Catch Up Day

### Monday 16th May

Next Monday we will be having a NAPLAN catch up day for students who missed out on sitting the test.



## Computers for Sale

Dear Parents,

We are currently in the process of updating our desktop computers in the library.

This means we have some old stock which is in very good condition for sale. The computer package for sale includes the computer/monitor/keyboard and mouse.

The price of the computer is \$150.00. The computers will have the basic Windows operating system on them. Due to Department and licencing agreements we are unable to sell the computers with other software on them. I can provide steps on how to download the Microsoft package at home.

It will be a few weeks before the computers will be ready for sale.

If you are interested in purchasing a computer, please contact Mrs Murphy via Sentral messaging or send back the slip that was sent home and a deposit of \$20.00 to secure your computer.

## Sick Children

We are currently experiencing a significant number of COVID cases amongst the children which you may have noticed with the letters sent through Sentral about daily exposures.

We are currently following the Department of Education Guidelines for COVID SAFE schools. In the guidelines it states that any child has cold and flu like symptoms, their guardians are asked to be called and the children to be collected from school.

These symptoms are runny nose, continuous coughing, sore throat, sneezing, headaches, body aches and lose of taste.

The child may return to school when their symptoms are clear.

We are finding that child may begin with a runny nose but not test positive until 3 days later.

If you child does have allergies i.e. Hay Fever which can present as Covid symptoms, please get a medical certificate from a doctor and the appropriate medication if any is required, the medical certificate can then be given to your child's classroom teacher. If the child does require medication at school, this needs to be signed in at the office.

Thank you to all parents and guardians for your support during these challenging and frustrating times and the guidelines for Covid continue to change.



Lunch Time Clubs have kicked off with a blast!

Students are having a ball with there chosen activities.

Staff have worked super hard to create fun idea for kids to do during this time.

We have loved hearing all the good feedback from the students about they have been up too.

Here are some Snippets:

## "Comedy Club"

The joke of the week is courtesy of Katie.

Knock, knock Who's there? Tank Thank who?

You're Welcome



## "Knitting Club"

Rebecca aced the 4 fingers Knitting in Knitting Club! Great Job!



School policies are reviewed and updated on a regular basis.

These policies have been through the review process and updated:

**Fundraising** 

Occupational Health and Safety

These policies can be found in the **Parent Portal** and on our **School Website**. ( <a href="http://www.moe-southst-ps.vic.edu.au/">http://www.moe-southst-ps.vic.edu.au/</a>)

Please familiarise yourself with our policies.

Thanks

Kathryn Murphy

# OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD THANK YOU





### What is Operation Christmas Child?

At the end of last year South Street students took part in Operation Christmas Child. We have received a lovely Thank You letter from them.

Thank you

To Val a popils of South St. School. March 2022

Even with another year of COVID, Operation Christmas Child in Australia was very thankful to be able to send shoeboxes to children in Madagascar, Cambodia, Fiji and Nauru. Again shoeboxes were unable to be sent into countries that were closed due to COVID. We give you a big THANK YOU for being part of this program in 2021.

Your participation in this project has meant that many children who have never received a gift before, have had the opportunity to receive one. These boxes give the children and their families hope. They realize that someone, somewhere really cares about them.

Your generosity has helped send 28,643 boxes from Victoria and 210,082 from Australia and New Zealand. Many people, last year, used the 'Pack-a-Shoebox Online' option and these are included in these totals.

We hope, that this year, you will continue to be part of this great program, so more children will be able to receive a gift that gives them hope and happiness. Just let us know when you require the printed shoeboxes, the new leaflets and if you would like someone to come and speak about OCC at your group/school/club or organization.

Thanks again for being part of this wonderful program.

Yours truly,

Dawn " Lois





# Community News

LATROBE VALLEY MODEL RAILWAY ASSOCIATION INC.

PRESENTS IT'S

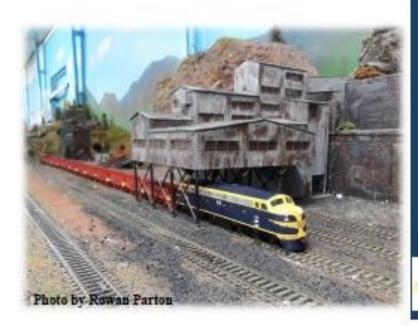
## MODEL RAILWAY EXHIBITION

KERNOT HALL, MORWELL, VIC

11TH AND 12TH JUNE 2022

Opening times:

Saturday 10am-5pm Sunday 10am-4pm



GREAT FAMILY
EVENT

A WIDE RANGE OF LAYOUTS

COMMERICAL AND TRADE STANDS

Entry Price:

Family \$20.00

Adult \$10.00

Children \$ 5.00

LVMRA

Savages Road, Moe,





# Moe South Street Primary School



BE SAFE



Jasper 1/2C



Foundation B



Leo FB



Foundation A



James FA



McKenzie FA



Frankie FA



Lyrica FA



Una 5/6A



Natalie 3/4D



Damon I/2A



Blake 3/4B



Kelsey 5/6C



Aston I/2B



Marley 3/4B



Ellie 5/6D



## **Moe South Street Primary School**



**BE SAFE** 

**BEA LEARNER** 



Ebony 3/4D



Lexie 5/6



Jacinta FA



Jacinta FA



Reece I/2C



Lindsay FB



Stephanie I/2A



Liley 5/6A



Hayley 3/4



FIG



Shayla 3/4A



Darcy 5/6D



Ariana 3/4B



Emily 3/4D