



Snippets

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BE RESPECTFUL

Moe South Street Primary School

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News from our Principal.....

TERM 3

Tues 26th July
1/2A
Quantum

Wed 27th July
1/2B
Quantum

Thurs 28th July
1/2C
Quantum

Thurs 28th July
"100 days of
school" - Prep
students.

Tues 2nd August
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"Eddie the Emu"

Fri 5th August
NAIDOC week.

Fri 12th August
Western Valley
District Basketball

Wed 17th August
Grade 6 Lowanna
Transition

Hello Everyone,

I wanted to thank the South Street community again for such a lovely welcome in my first week. I have spent the week getting to know the staff and students and being part of the classrooms. In my visits, I have noticed a positive atmosphere underpinned by clear routines and expectations. It is clear that students understand what is expected of them and the importance of being safe, being a learner and being respectful. I have even had the pleasure of handing out 'tokens' to students displaying the school's values — what a terrific way to acknowledge students for their effort.

I will continue using the newsletter each week to keep you informed and updated on important school priorities. As you may be aware, the school is currently undertaking a review. A review is a chance to celebrate the positive aspects of the school and identify the next steps for continual improvement. Part of being a learner is setting goals and working hard towards achieving them. Throughout the final part of the review process, I look forward to sharing our plans for the coming years with you.

Finally, I want to draw your attention to the letter sent home yesterday. The recent announcement by the Victorian government has led to the strong recommendation that face masks are worn in indoor settings.

While schools are not required or expected to sanction students or staff who do not meet this expectation, wearing masks is a simple step we can all take this winter to reduce the number of COVID-19 cases and ensure our schools are as safe as possible. The school continues to have a supply of masks available should students request one.



Take care and I look forward to seeing you around the school.

Brendan Dawson
Principal

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.

5 minutes with Mr Dawson

In the meantime, as you get to know me a little better, I thought I would share a little about myself...

My favourite subject at school



Biology - I loved science



The most rewarding part of my job

I love to help others, so for me, seeing the joy on students' and teachers' faces when they achieve success, Especially after they have had to be resilient and persevere.

What skill would I like to master

Golf



If I could only eat one meal for the rest of my life, it would be:

Burger and Chips
I could vary the toppings to keep it interesting!



My Roll at SSPS Principal

My favourite holiday destination



I need to choose 2 the USA for the sports. I love watching basketball, especially LeBron James and Fiji.

What tv series / book / podcasts am I into at the moment :

like to watch one series at a time, at the minute, I am watching Brooklyn 99. Past TV series have been Ozark, Better Call Saul and my favourite, The Office. I also listen to part of a book each morning on Audible, either leadership, educational books or captivating stories such as Happiest Man on Earth or The Resilience Project.



My AFL team is the Bombers



Book Club News

Book Club

How to order on Book Club



1. Your child will bring home a Book Club catalogue from school

2. Discuss with, and help your child pick the books they would like to read



3. Order online via the Scholastic Australia LOOP website or app and the school will take care of the rest! (LOOP orders are electronically linked to your school in an easy, secure online process)

4. The books are delivered to your child's classroom.

LOOP is the easy way for families to order and pay for Book Club.

Log in, or create a new account at scholastic.com.au/loop

1. If you are new to Book Club, follow the Wizard to set up your profile
2. Click the ORDER tab, and select your school and child's class
3. Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
4. Enter the product item number shown on the Book Club catalogue
5. Make payment via credit card.

SCHOLASTIC

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Book Club

In term 3 there will be a few changes to the way we run BookClub.

BookClub is going **fully online for student orders.**

What this means:

Your child will still receive BookClub catalogues from School twice a term.

Instead of filling in the order form and returning it with money to school, you will go online to complete and pay for your child's Order.

BookClub will still be delivered to school free of charge and we will distribute the books to your child.

Alternatively you can pay postage and have them delivered to your door.



Book Club LOOP

PLACE YOUR
ORDER



From the school nurse



1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching Program

Free live ONLINE program for parents of children aged 2 to 12

Tired of yelling and nagging?

Resolve difficult behaviour in children aged 2 to 12.

In 3 sessions parents will learn:

- How to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking;
- How to handle challenging behaviours;
- How to use emotion coaching to encourage good behaviour;
- Strategies for encouraging good behaviour;
- How to sort behaviours and choose correct strategies using "The 3 Choices Model".

We'll also work on strategies so you can:

- Strengthen your relationship with your child;
- Strengthen your child's emotional resilience.

Parents will receive:

- A **FREE** workbook (valued at \$12) to apply the concepts learnt
- A **Certificate of Completion**

Do this highly sought after parenting program FROM THE COMFORT OF YOUR OWN HOME -Hurry! Places are limited-

When?
11:30am - 2:30pm

Over 3 Tuesdays:
August 9th
August 16th
August 23rd, 2022

Cost?
FREE

Get in touch
Bookings are essential!

Please contact:

Mark Brookes
Uniting Gippsland
5662 5150

gippsland.legionpatha.reception@yt.uniting.org

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Special Visitors to our School



Melbourne Stars BBL Cricketers
will be visiting our
school
and conducting
a cricket clinic on

Monday 25th July



Department of Education Advice

- Sick Children -



Education
and Training



Dear parents and carers

We are writing to you as parents/carers of a child or children in government, Catholic and independent schools across Victoria.

The Victorian Department of Health strongly recommends that face masks are worn in indoor settings.

As a result, we are asking all students aged 8 and over and all staff in all schools across Victoria to wear masks when in class (except where removing a mask is necessary for clear communication) from now to the end of winter.

Students won't be required or expected to wear masks when outdoors, and this expectation won't stop student participation in the full range of school activities, including music, sport and performances.

We are asking for your support in explaining to your child or children the importance of this simple step that will help keep our schools as safe as possible.

We also ask that you make sure your child (or children) takes a mask to school (and wears it if they are travelling on public transport) or collects a mask when they arrive at school.

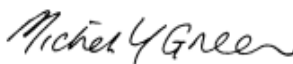
We all appreciate how important it is for students to be back at school. This action will help make sure as many students and staff as possible are protected from COVID and other winter illness.

Thank for your help with this collective effort to keep our communities safe and healthy.



Dr David Howes
Deputy Secretary

Victorian Department of
Education and Training



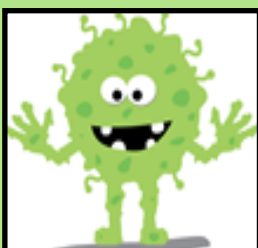
Michelle Green
Chief Executive

Independent Schools
Victoria



Jim Miles
Executive Director

Catholic Education
Commission of Victoria



Furthermore, should you be contacted to pick up your child who is deemed to be sick, please be respectful of our Staff both on the phone and in person when collecting your sick child. We are only trying to keep as much sickness out of our school as possible and keep our students & staff safe.

Outstanding Achievement



Last Thursday Zoe ran at Yarra Glen in the State Championships. She came in 63rd place out of 82 of the States fastest cross country competitors.

We are so proud of you!!

Community News

OLD GIPPTOWN

THINK SCIENCE

AUGUST 13TH 2022
211 LLOYD STREET, MOE

COME SEE THE WONDERS OF SCIENCE AT OUR HERITAGE PARK! FROM QUIRKY BUG SHOPS TO ENGAGING SCIENTIFIC DEMONSTRATIONS - THERE WILL BE A HUGE ARRAY OF ACTIVITIES FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN. INDOOR AND OUTDOOR EXHIBITS WILL HOST ACTIVITIES THAT INSPIRE CURIOSITY AND ENGAGEMENT IN SCIENCE.

Contact us for further information:
5127 3082
enquiries@gippslandheritagepark.com.au

 **national science week**

 Proudly supported by the Victorian Men's Shed Association and Latrobe Health Assembly 

OLD GIPPTOWN'S

Moonlight Market

Saturday, 23rd July 2022
4pm - 9pm
211 Lloyd Street, Moe
Gold coin entry

For more information or to book a stall please contact 5127 3082 or events@gippslandheritagepark.com.au

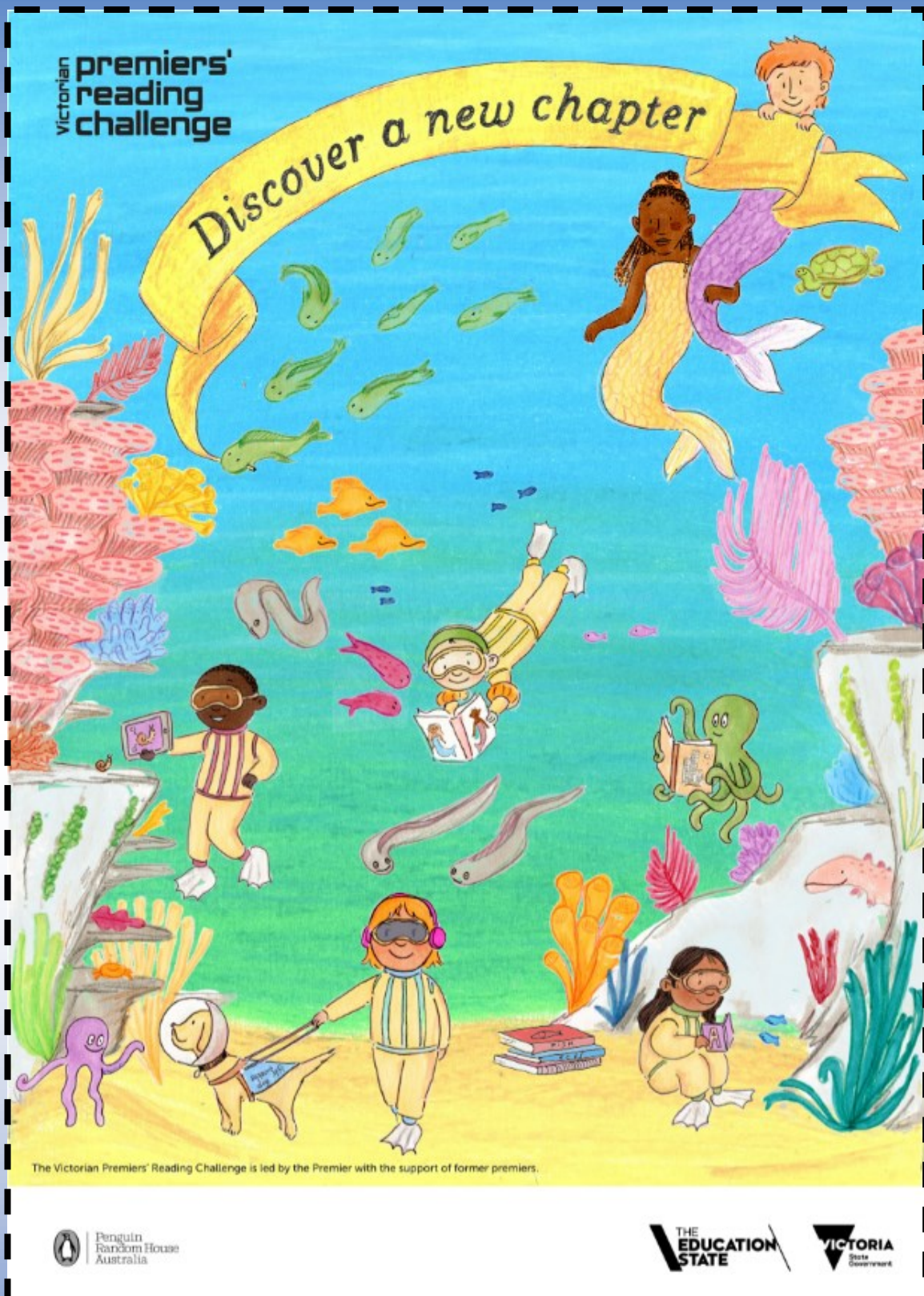
Premiers Reading Challenge

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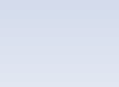


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**Premier Reading Challenge is on again.
Should your child wish to register go to
<https://vprc.eduweb.vic.gov.au/home>
and register as a Home Reader.**

Thanks Mrs Murphy



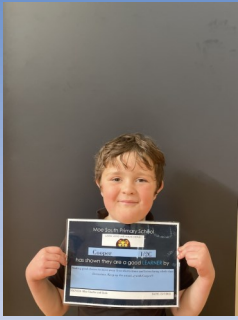
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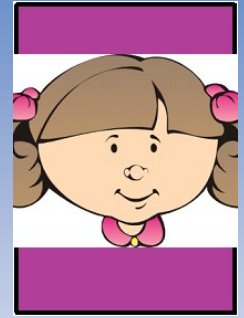
Cooper I/2C



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Nate 5/6D



Frankie FA



Billy FA



Sonny 3/4B



Jack I/2A



Alice 3/4C



Phoenix 5/6D



Tamika I/2B



5/6B



Jack 3/4D



DeeJay



Zac 5/6A



Zoe 3/4D



Layla FB

ALWAYS BE ROARSOME