



Snippets

BE SAFE

BE A LEARNER

BE RESPECTFUL



TERM 4

Fri Dec 9th
Get Set @ South
St Prep Transition

Fri 9th Dec
Grade 6 Grad

Tues 13th Dec
Statewide
Transition

Wed 14th Dec
Formal Classes
Finish

Thur 15th Dec
P-2 Christmas
Lunch
3-6 Packing Day

Thur 15th Dec
Reports sent
home & available
on Sentral

Friday 16th Dec
3-6 Class Party (if
classes are having
them)
Packing Day P-2

Friday 16th Dec
Whole School end
of Year event Pool
Party

Mon 19th & Tue
20th Dec
Cleaning &
Moving days

Tues 31st Jan
Students return
to School

Moe South Street Primary School

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News from our Principal....

Over the last few weeks, we have been very busy at South Street, implementing and supporting students across all grade levels with internal transition sessions to help them prepare for a new teacher and classmates in 2023.

We acknowledge that transition time is a big change for students and it is an important priority of our school to ensure that our students are set up early, and given the required support now, ready for a successful year ahead.

Tonight the eldest in the family will be bringing home a very informative letter which will cover the following topics:-

Room Changes
Statewide Transition
2023 School Structure
3-5 Internal Transition
Future Preps Transition
Staffing Announcement
Farewell & Thanks to Departing



Be sure to look out for this letter in your child's school and all the best for the week ahead.

Take Care,
Brendan Dawson, Principal



We are making the switch to Compass. Staff are currently receiving training and Parents will be sent login details to their email accounts over the holiday period.

Before we do this, we need your correct contact details.

Please update them on the slip which will come home tomorrow and return to the office by Wednesday of next week.

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.

School News

wish you
ALL THE BEST



This year we farewell quite a few families who have been part of our school community for a number of years. We wish you all the best and will miss seeing you around our school.

Cake family
Cooper family
Hayes family
Owen family
Plunkett-Mack family
Rutledge family
Turnbull family
Anderson family
Shepherd family

Falls-Daniel family
Jackson family
Robertson family
Bartlett family
Buckley family
Koch family
Rossiter family
Sami family
Voumard family

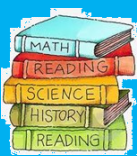
Addison family
Bogers family
Koot family
Rose family
Tolentino family
West family
Baker family
Demetriou family

BACK to SCHOOL

Student
contributions
& booklist info

Booklist & Student Contribution Day

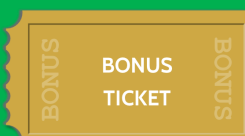
Thurs 19th January 2023
10am to 6pm



2023
Student
Contribution
\$100

Contributions made
receive 2 x tickets
to win an iPad.

Show you are registered
& ready to use
Compass in 2023
& receive a



**** Book boxes will go straight to classrooms ready for the beginning of the school year ****

Last days for **School Bus** **Canteen** **Brekky Club**

SCHOOL BUS



The last school bus for
2022 will run on
Friday 16th December.

Students will need
to make their
own arrangements to
get to school on

Monday 19th & Tuesday 20th December

**SNACK
ATTACK**

**FINAL
DAY!**

Friday 16th December will be the last day for our Canteen. We would like to thank Mrs Wiggins for overseeing the canteen this year and all our parent and grandparent helpers. Without you we could not run the canteen so a massive thank you to you all.

Friday 16th December will be the last day for our Brekky Club. We would like to thank Brooke for overseeing the Brekky Club and also the Staff Helpers who volunteered their time. Without you Brekky Club could not run. A massive thank you to you all.



Breakfast Club

**FINAL
DAY!**

Foundation (Prep) Transition

Get Set @ South Street

TRANSITION DATES

These sessions run from 9.00am - 11:30am

COMPLETE ✓
14th Oct

COMPLETE ✓
14th Oct

COMPLETE ✓
18th Nov

COMPLETE ✓
18th Nov

Fri 9th Dec

The Get Set @ South Street Program will see your child experience the routines and daily activities of a Prep student at South Street.

They will need their play lunch (including a piece of fruit), drink, hat and a bag for all these sessions.

STATEWIDE TRANSITION DAY

Tue 13th Dec

This session runs from 9am to 2.30pm

Your child will spend the day with their 2023 classmates and teacher.

They will need their play lunch, and lunch, drink, hat and bag.



Attention
2023
Preps

To support Students transitioning to school and to allow for individual assessments there will be **no school for Preps** on the following days:

February

Friday 3rd
Friday 10th
Friday 17th
Friday 24th

March

Friday 3rd

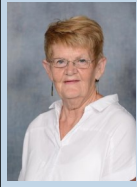
Digitech—Foundation Grades

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In Digitech this term the Foundation children have been working on a unit of work on 3D Printing and Design. The children have worked through the design process to design a bubble wand. They then used 3D printing software to create their design. On Wednesday the children tested their bubble wands. They were very proud of their designs and how well their wands were able to create some big bubbles. They are very proud of their successful bubble wands.

Kathryn Murphy
Digitech Specialist





Chaplaincy Chat



Christmas is not too far away !!!!!

A reminder to parents of Grade 1-6 that Miss Bischorn and I are rehearsing our Christmas songs at Lunch time on a Tuesday in preparation **FOR OUR PERFORMANCE** on the main stage at Apex Park on Saturday December 17th. We are part of the Community Carols event commencing at 7.00pm.

Miss B is ordering tee shirts and head gear for each student. So please encourage your child to come along to practice so that we know we have enough shirts and head pieces. We will not have enough of either if students just turn up on the last practice day. We don't want anyone to be disappointed and miss out on taking part in the fun songs.

We would love a big group to support this event. Colourful posters and banners will be displayed next week at Apex Park, at school and around town.

Its going to be a FREE FUN FILLED FAMILY DAY.
I will be sending out to parents a note with the soundcheck time and where to bring your child on the day. Once all the performers have been contacted.

If the day time events are cancelled due to inclement weather the Carols programme will still go ahead at 7.00PM
But the venue will be MOE TOWN HALL on Albert Street. It is a free event.

We always appreciate your support.

Recycled Uniform Sale.

WHEN:

Tuesday 13th December
From 2pm

WHERE:

Undercover area outside the
Foundation Building



SALE

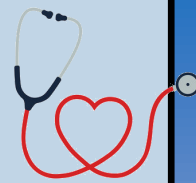
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select marked items





From the School Nurse



Want to prepare
your kids for a
healthier future?

BETTER HEALTH PROGRAM

Is your child...

- Aged 7-13 years old?
- Above a healthy weight?
- In need of support to improve eating and activity habits?

Better Health Program is a **free**, 10-week, online program for children and families.

There are weekly online sessions, **free** resources, including a fitness tracker, and weekly coaching calls. These are with a qualified health coach who gives you professional advice and helps keep you on track!

MONASH University

Sign up today!

www.betterhealthprogram.org
1300 822 953

@betterhealthprogram



Participants receive
great freebies and
a reward at the end!

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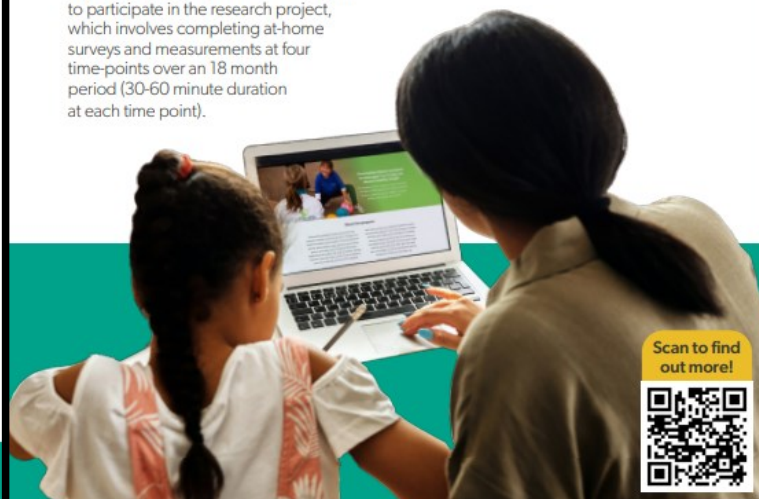
Better Health Program is an online healthy lifestyle program for families with children aged 7-13 years who are above a healthy weight. In 2022, the program is **free** for eligible Victorian families as part of a large research project with Monash University.

Sign up today!

www.betterhealthprogram.org
1300 822 953

BETTER HEALTH CO.

To join the program, families must agree to participate in the research project, which involves completing at-home surveys and measurements at four time-points over an 18 month period (30-60 minute duration at each time point).



Scan to find
out more!



ATTENTION NDIS PARTICIPANTS

Does your child have a NDIS package and are you currently on a waitlist for services?

If so, we would love to hear from you!

We are currently in the process of sourcing therapists to work at the school in 2023, to deliver services to students who are currently NDIS participants on waitlists for Speech therapy, Occupational therapy and Counselling.

If this is something you would be interested in, please contact Belinda Johnson



More News from the School Nurse



Glasses for Kids Program 2023 for Prep to grade 3 students

The Glasses for Kids program will be visiting South Steet Primary in term 1 of 2023. To offer vision screening. Prep to grade 3 students are invited to participate in the program. This will be bulk billed through Medicare. If glasses are needed they will be chosen by the student then dispensed at no cost to the school or student. Please complete forms and send back before Thursday the 8th of December.

WHY IS THE GLASSES FOR KIDS PROGRAM IMPORTANT?

- GFK aims to remove vision impairment as a barrier to accessing education and achievement.
- If left unaddressed, a vision impairment can affect the lifelong learning capabilities of a child. GFK helps alleviate this problem by providing an onsite service to children at their school, to address vision impairments in children which otherwise may have gone undiagnosed.
- GFK contributes to achieving the Government's Education State targets including Learning for Life; Happy, Healthy and Resilient Kids; and Breaking the Link.

HOW DOES THE PROGRAM WORK?

- Prep to Year 3 or ungraded students are invited to participate in the program.
- Qualified optometrists will be onsite to conduct the screening, testing and prescribing of glasses if required.
- The screening and testing sessions will be completed class by class, during school time.
- All vision screenings (and further testing if required) are undertaken by a registered optometrist or by a practitioner under the supervision of a registered optometrist. Testing may be bulk billed through Medicare.
- Glasses, if needed, will be chosen by the student then dispensed at no cost to the school or student.

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

- GFK is delivered to targeted schools that are allocated by DET.
- Prep to Year 3 age groups from targeted mainstream and specialist schools are invited to participate.

CAN CHILDREN WHO CURRENTLY WEAR GLASSES BE PART OF THE PROGRAM?

- Yes they can, the glasses provided by GFK can be for an updated prescription, or used as a spare.

DO I HAVE TO RETURN SEPARATE FORMS FOR EACH CHILD?

- Yes, each individual student must have a signed Consent Form and a completed Optometrist Questionnaires if they are to participate in the program. Please ensure eligible siblings have their own forms.
- The questionnaire is designed to help inform students' initial screening and if needed, further testing.

DO I HAVE TO PROVIDE MEDICARE DETAILS?

- Yes, any further testing that may be required on the day of the visit is bulk billed through Medicare.
- If the initial screening indicates that further eye testing is required, families may have to cover testing costs if the previous eye Examination was bulk billed by Medicare in the last 1-3 years.

ARE GFK STAFF COVID19 VACCINATED AND HAVE WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECKS?

- All staff are fully vaccinated against COVID19 and follow strict hygiene protocols.
- All staff have valid Working with Children Checks which are presented to schools upon arrival.

WHAT HAPPENS IF THE GLASSES ARE DAMAGED?

- In accordance with SSR's replacement policy, we will cover the cost of new glasses where appropriate.
- Consistent with the consumer rights under Australian Consumer Law, standard returns policy applies.



Community News

SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN

LATROBE LEISURE



Latrobe Leisure has got you covered this school holidays



VicSwim Intensive Program

VicSwim Intensive Swim Lessons at Moe/Newborough and Morwell from Tuesday 3 January to Friday 6 January. Bookings through VicSwim. Visit www.vicswim.com.au for more details.

Stadium Shots

Fine tune your shot technique with \$2 Stadium Shots available all January school holidays. Scheduled training not included.

Intensive Learn to Swim Program

Churchill and Moe/Newborough, Monday 9 January to Friday 13 January. Cost: \$55
Morwell, Monday 16 January to Friday 20 January. Cost: \$55

Back to Sport

Get back in to sport just before school goes back a Stadium Visit Pass Package. Buy 9 Stadium Visit Passes and get 10.

WEEK 1

	Gippsland Regional Indoor Sports Stadium	Latrobe Leisure Moe/Newborough	Latrobe Leisure Morwell	Latrobe Leisure Churchill
Monday 9 January	Kids Pickleball 12pm to 1pm, \$5	Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free* Come & Try: Moe Swim Club 6pm to 7pm, Free		Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free*
Tuesday 10 January		Barn Buddies Petting Zoo 10.30am to 12.30pm, \$5		Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free* Family Swim \$10 and free Zooper Dooper
Wednesday 11 January	Ninja Warriors 12.30pm to 1.30pm & 1.30pm to 2.30pm, \$7*	Come & Try: Moe Swim Club 6pm to 7pm, Free	Yoga Fusion 10.15am to 11am, Adults, Members Free or Casual Fee Pickleball 12pm to 1pm, \$5	Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free* Squash Come & Try 9am to 3pm, Free
Thursday 12 January		Kids Dash and Splash Pool Disco 10am, Free		Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free*
Friday 13 January				Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free*
Saturday 14 January	WNB Boomers V Canberra 5pm*			

WEEK 2

	Gippsland Regional Indoor Sports Stadium	Latrobe Leisure Moe/Newborough	Latrobe Leisure Morwell	Latrobe Leisure Churchill
Monday 16 January	Kids Pickleball 10am to 12pm, \$5	Come & Try: Moe Swim Club 6pm to 7pm, Free	Intergenerational Get Together 11am to 12pm, Free	
Tuesday 17 January			Barn Buddies Petting Zoo 10.30am to 12.30pm, \$5	
Wednesday 18 January	Ninja Warriors 12.30pm to 1.30pm & 1.30pm to 2.30pm, \$7*	Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free* Come & Try: Moe Swim Club 6pm to 7pm	Yoga Fusion 10.15am to 11am, Adults, Members Free or Casual Fee Pickleball 10am to 12pm, Free Intergenerational Get Together 12.30pm to 2.30pm, Free	Squash Come & Try 9am to 3pm, Free
Thursday 19 January			Scuba Diving 9am to 12pm, \$30*	
Friday 20 January		Fitness Classes 16 and over, Free*	Otto Inflatable Pool Obstacle Course 1pm to 3pm, \$5	

View more information about the Latrobe Leisure School Holiday program and register for activities using the QR code.

Enjoy the these school holidays at Latrobe Leisure!

*Indicates that bookings are required for the respective event



Moe LIONS COMMUNITY Christmas Spectacular

APEX PARK MOE - Sat 17th Dec 2022
2pm to 10pm



TWILIGHT MARKET from 2pm
CAROLS by CANDLELIGHT from 7pm
FIREWORKS at 9:30 pm
RIDES CLOSE at 10pm

RIDES INCLUDE THE GIANT CLAW, DODGEM CARS, GIANT TILT A WHEEL, GIANT PAW PATROL SLIDE, CUP AND SAUCER RIDE, THE RED BARRON PLANE RIDE, THE ROCKING TUG, AND LOTS OF GAMES.
GREAT SELECTION OF FOOD OUTLETS PLUS DONUTS, COFFEE, ICE CREAM, AND MORE.

FANTASTIC RIDES - A HUGE VARIETY OF STALLS
GREAT MUSIC ON THE MAIN STAGE
and ALL DAY SANTA



LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD!

SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN 1 OF 5 COFFEE VOUCHERS!

The Collaborative Evaluation and Research Group (CERG) and Latrobe Health Assembly are partnering to better understand physical activity amongst parents and families in Latrobe Valley.

We would like your input by taking part in this survey.

Participation is confidential and voluntary.

By completing this survey you are consenting to taking part in this evaluation.



Latrobe Health Assembly
Federation University

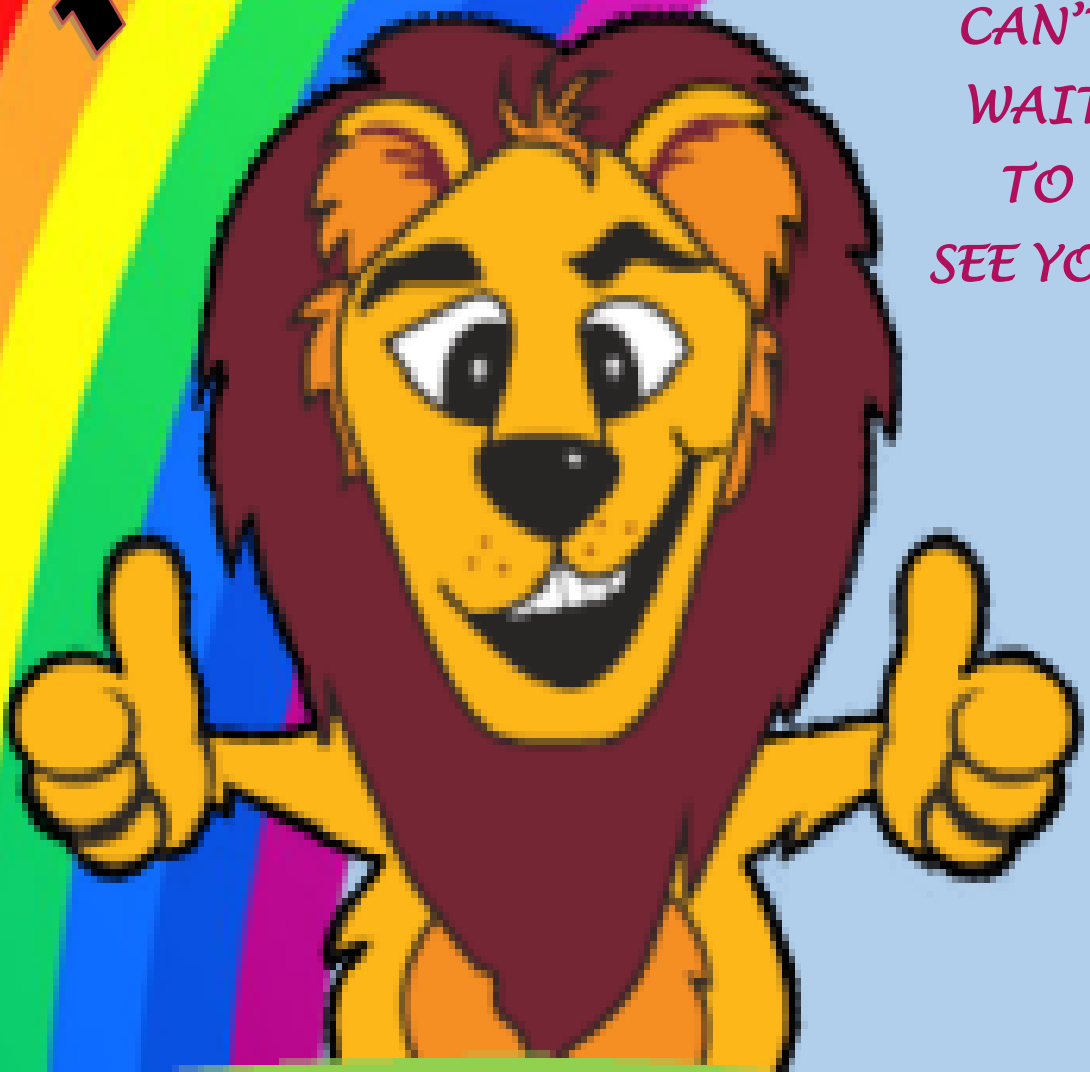
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Roary Says ENROL NOW for 2023

ROARY
CAN'T
WAIT
TO
SEE YOU



For school tour bookings or further information
please call 5127 1512 or
Email moe.ps.south@education.vic.gov.au



Moe South Street Primary School Weekly Awards



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Kayla 3/4D



Holly 5/6C



Lexxie 3/4C



Masons FB



Rose 3/4A



Audrey 1/2B



Karen 5/6A



Elyse 5/6A



Millie 3/4B



Blake 1/2A



Monique 3/4C



Kaiden 5/6B Ivy Rose 3/4D

