



Snippets

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Moe South Street Primary School



News from our Acting Principal

I am very proud of our staff and students who keep our school grounds nice and clean. We ensure that rubbish goes in our bins inside and we don't take it out to the playground.

However, the weather during week 1 brought quite a lot of wind and with that wind came some unwelcomed pieces of rubbish flying through our school. 5/6A swung into action with an emu bob on Monday to pick up any unwanted papers, wrappers or rubbish and ensure our grounds looked nice and tidy again.

Thanks 5/6A



CELEBRATE
NAIDOC WEEK



Thankyou!

A big thankyou to Aunty Michelle Dow who came to our assembly on Friday afternoon and performed a Welcome to Country and Smoking Ceremony for our school!

Nic Quenault, Acting 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 Gunaikurnai people as traditional owners of this land and pay our respects to elders both past and present.

Dates to Remember



**Assembly every Friday 2.15pm
in the Gym. All welcome!**

Friday

**21th
JULY**



Friday Lunch Orders
Order on compass!

Wednesday

**16th
August**

Grade 6 Lowanna Transition day

More details to come soon



Tuesday

**22nd
August**



**Prep - 2 Theatre Excursion
"Possum Magic"**

*Complete consent
and payment on
Compass!*

**19th -
25th
August**

Book Week
Dress up



*More details
to come*

Wednesday

**22nd - 24th
NOV**



**Year 3/4
Camp**



Friday

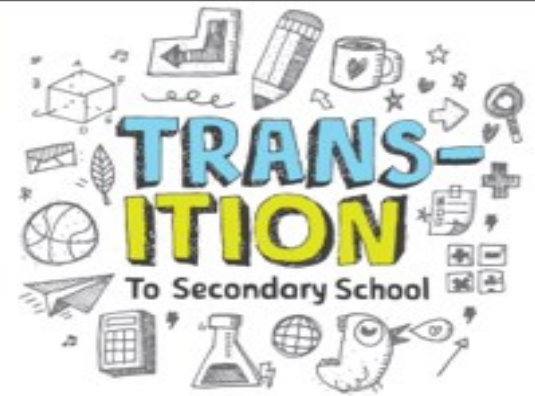
**15th
DEC**

**Year 6
Graduation**



SCHOOL NEWS

Transfer from
Primary to
Secondary School



This week, 2024 High School acceptance slips went home with Grade 6 students.

This slip confirms your students High School placement.
To acknowledge and confirm your students placement please sign and return this slip by

Wednesday the 9th of August.

TRANSITION DAYS

More information to come for Grade 6's - stay tuned!

WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 16TH

Lowanna Transition Day

Grade 6 students attend with their Primary School.

TUESDAY
DECEMBER
12TH

State-wide Transition Day

Grade 6 students attend their future High School.

More Information to come...

Stay tuned, as more transition information will be released throughout Term 3!



Chaplaincy Chat

Welcome back to school and more wintry weather!!!

Winter is certainly a demanding season when nature gives us a blast and then slows down to renew itself and prepares for spring

Winter brings extra demands on households with higher bills and costs for food can frequently hurt us. Many of these changes can cause huge impacts in home life

I wanted to share with you some options which may be helpful informing you of how and where you can obtain support when you require it

All these options provide a FREE service.

The school pantry has a number of basic food supplies to choose from:

I can put together food hampers for those in need including items such as shampoo, soap, toothpaste, ladies essentials

Recycled school uniform is readily available

Breakfast Club is on every day 8:00am- 8:30am a variety of food options

The Resource Shop in Kirk street: (painted purple):

Is available for Baby/toddler clothing 0-6yrs - good quality. Also, bedding, pillows, crockery, cutlery, more household items. Crisis packs of food—Contact John mobile : 0407 909 765 before visiting to ensure that a volunteer is on Duty.

Moe Neighbourhood House 1-11 James Street:

Tabitha's Closet Van filled with clothing ·Every 2nd Wednesday of the month 10:30- 11:30am

Moe Baptist Church hall on Bealiba Rd Food Bank -open on Mondays 12:noon -1:00pm

Food Bank Victoria:

A Mobile Farmers Market to transport fresh produce to communities.' Farms to Families' mobile truck will be in Morwell in Maryvale Rd outside Enjoy Church on Thursday 3rd August. You will require a personal Voucher to hand over to collect what you need. I am expecting a limited number of vouchers soon. Let me know a.s.a.p. if you require one. Contact the school office to give me a message. Take your own bags/boxes and transport.

I trust this information will help you along in stressful times

We are here to help each other.

Keep warm. Take care.

**Val Hemmings
School Chaplain**

After School Care

Since term 3 has commenced, we have done a range of activities. From making our own wooden spoon puppets, sock puppets to different range of arts and crafts.

When the weather is nice, we enjoy outside play, sports play and decorating the ground with beautiful chalk drawings. Our program is based on children's interests and community events etc. We have been working on our friendship building and teamwork skills.

As of July 10th, 2023 CCS (child care subsidy) has made it more affordable for parents. Sessions can be as little as \$5.60.

Come and join the fun! Contact us on 0411 821 530 if you have any questions.



Book Launch

LEAH METHER



Melissa Pavey and I were extremely lucky to be invited to the book launch of local legend Leah Methner for her new book Steer Through the Storm.

Leah has worked closely with SSPS and is an expert in managing change and developing positive culture in the workplace.

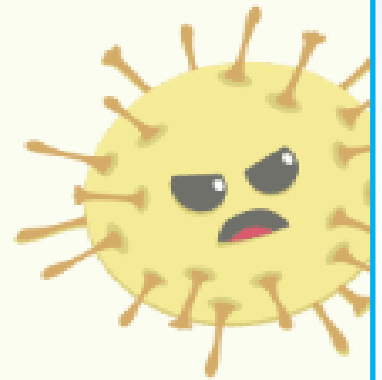
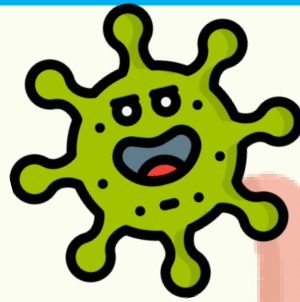
We jumped at the opportunity for a photo with Leah and our Senior Education Improvement Leader Tamina Taylor.

Nic Quenault, Acting Principal



Keeping our School Community Well

KEEP WELL THIS WINTER



1

Wash & sanitize hands regularly

2

Avoid touching eyes, nose & mouth with unwashed hands

3

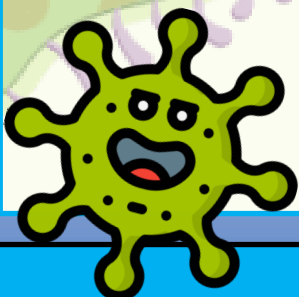
Cover nose & mouth when coughing or sneezing

4

Stay home if unwell

5

COVID - 19 Booster



Winter is here, and with it comes all the nasty germs and viruses. Parents, carers, staff and students are all encouraged



SOUTH STREET PRIMARY SHOOOL

FINAL REMINDER

*2024 ENROLMENTS DUE
BY 28TH OF JULY*



ENROLMENT PACKS
Can still be collect from the
office



SCHOOL TOURS
These are still avaiable.
Call to book a time and
date



TERM 4 2024 TRANSITION PROGRAM
Dates and details to be released
soon!



FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO
ORGANISE A SCHOOL TOUR PLEASE
PHONE OUR OFFICE

5127 1512

Community News

Bringing Up Great Kids in **KINSHIP CARE**

A mindful, reflective and respectful program with a focus on building loving and nurturing relationships between carers and the children in their care.

The Bringing Up Great Kids in Kinship Care program supports carers to:

- Learn more about the origins of your parenting style and how to adapt to Kinship care;
- Understand the meaning behind children's behaviours, and how to respond to children's underlying feelings and needs;
- Learn more about brain development in children and the influence of developmental trauma;
- Discover ways for you to take care of yourself and to find support when needed
- Develop strategies to manage your parenting approach despite the mounting pressures on your time and role.

Come along to these 6 sessions to learn more about caring for children under Kinship Care Arrangements

Dates & Time:

Every Wednesday for 6 weeks starting 9th of August through to the 13th of September from 10:30am to 12:30pm.

Venue:

Morwell Bowling Club
52 Hazelwood Road, Morwell 3840

Contact:

Anita on 1300 010 838 or email
kinshipcaregippsland@berrystreet.org.au

To register please contact Anita, use the QR code or click on the following link
<https://forms.office.com/r/6PPbZ4FDkZ>





Award Winners



BE SAFE

BE A LEARNER

BE RESPECTFUL



Mary 34A



Winston 3/4A



Jasper 1/2A



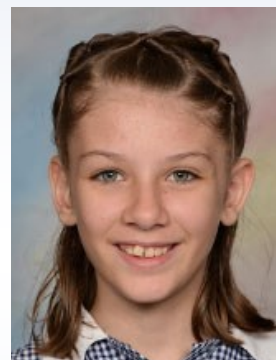
Brock F/1A



Lexxie 3/4B



Jarvan 3/4C



Lily 5/6B



Ethan 5/6B



Jayden 5/6B



Harlen 3/4C



Lyrica 1/2C



Tony 5/6C

