

Snippets

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Moe South Street Primary School



News from our Acting Principal



Assembly is in the Gym on Friday afternoons from **2:15pm**.

We would love to see our families come to assembly, if you can make it, please come down to the gym. Our school captains will run our assembly and make sure there are enough seats set up for everyone

Please remember that we share the roads around our schools with our residential neighbours and we ask that only designated pick up/drop off parking areas are used.

Please avoid the driveways and lawns of the schools' neighbours.

We recommend using the car pick and kiss and go areas located in Ted Summerton Reserve near the M.E.L.C and gym building.



Nic Quenault, Acting Principal

Dates to Remember



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

Wednesday

16th August **Grade 6 Lowanna Transition day**

More details and consent form to come on Compass



Friday

18th Aug Wear a flash of Orange!

For Bully Prevention week



Tuesday

22nd

August

Prep - 2 Theatre Excursion

"Possum Magic"

Complete consent and payment on Compass! By 14th of Aug

19th -25th

August

Book Week
Dress up



More details to come

Thursday

31st Aug Fathers Day Stall

Bring \$2-10 in loose change on the day



Wednesday

22nd - 24th

NOV

Grade 3/4 Camp

More details and consent form to come on Compass

From the School Nurse...

Does your child often wet the bed, wet their pants, or experience loose bowels or constipation?

South Street Primary School will have a 'walk in clinic' with a visiting Continence Nurse from Latrobe Community Health Service at school to chat with parents/carers who have concerns about their child.

If you would like to see the Continence Nurse, please let our school nurse Ainsley know via email ainsley.james@lchs.com.au or feel free to drop in during the clinic.

When: Monday July 31st from 10:30am-12pm

Where: please arrive at school reception to be directed to the clinic room through the library

Who: any parent concerned, can be any of your children, not just a South St student.



Children's continence

Does your child often wet the bed, wet their pants, or experience loose bowels or constipation? Many children go through the same issues, and luckily there is help available.

Our continence nurse advisor can assess your child, help you manage their condition, provide education, and arrange referrals to specialists if necessary.

You may want to see the continence nurse if your child is:

- Six years and older, and wets the bed
- Four years and older, and wets their pants during the day
- Experiencing constipation, soiling, or loose bowels

Where can I access this service?

Our children's continence service is available for children aged older than two and younger than 18 years. We deliver this service for Latrobe residents across Latrobe Community Health Service sites Churchill, Moe and Morwell. Some outreach visits in the home or school setting may be available on request.

How do I access this service?

Phone us on 1800 242 696

Email enquiries: PYHadmin@lchs.com.au

Ainsley, School Nurse

Keeping our School Community Well

HEAD LICE...

They're Back

Dear Parents/Guardians/Carers,

It has come to our attention that some students in the school may have head lice and we seek your cooperation in checking your child's hair.

What can you do?

We ask that you check your child's hair and in those instances where head lice or eggs are found, treating your child's hair. Please visit www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au and search for "head lice (nits)" for advice on finding, treating and preventing head lice.

If head lice or eggs are found on your child's hair you need to inform:

- the school and advise when the treatment has started.
- parents or carers of your child's friends so they too have the opportunity to detect and treat their children if necessary.

When can my child return to school?

Health regulations requires that where a child has head lice, that child should not return to school until the day after appropriate treatment has started. Please note, this refers only to those children who have live head lice and does not refer to head lice eggs.

More information about exclusion requirements can be found by searching for "school exclusion table" at www.health.vic.gov.au.







SOUTH STREET PRIMARY SCHOOL

FINAL REMINDER

2024 ENROLMENTS DUE BY 28TH OF JULY



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!





Words from Wellbeing

NATIONAL BULLYING PREVENTION WEEK 14-20

August 2023

Bullying impacts over 2 million Australians every year: whether it's young people at school, employees in the workplace or all ages online, many face the challenging impacts of becoming targets of bullying behaviours.

The National Bullying Prevention Week will serve as an important platform to raise awareness of bullying and its impact on individuals and communities.

Bullying has a long-lasting effect on those who experience and witness it. But by channelling our collective power, through shared efforts and shared ambitions, we can reduce bullying together. From parents and carers to employees and employers, to the media and politicians, to children and young people, we all have a part to play in coming together to make a difference.

On Friday the 18th of August we encourage all students and staff to wear a splash of orange as a reminder to stand up for those who have been bullied and bring safety, respect and harmony to all lives. Brooke.

Wellbeing coordinator





Australia's safe and supportive school communities getting to the heart of the matter!

Community News







Counselling services

Counselling involves talking in a safe and supportive space about any difficulties or challenges you are experiencing in your relationships. It can help you find positive ways to manage your situation.

Why attend counselling?

Counselling can help you clarify your situation, gain new perspectives and work towards change while focusing on what's most important to you.

The counselling process can support you to develop insights, generate solutions and consider choices.

What can counselling help with?

Counselling can be an effective way to improve overall wellbeing, by relieving distress and enhancing relationships.

Common issues that people seek counselling for include:

- relationship difficulties
- separation and divorce
- parenting
- · grief and loss
- · life changes
- mental health issues
- managing stress
- managing emotions, such as anger
- family violence
- trauma and abuse
- loneliness and isolation.

Whatever your concern, it's important to reach out for support.



Interpreters are available on request.

Who can attend counselling?

We work in a flexible and nonjudgemental way with:

- · couples, parents and families
- individuals, including children and young people.

We can adapt our services to meet the needs of a wide range of cultures and community groups.

How can I access counselling?

- Face-to-face at our centres (where COVIDSafe)
- · Over the telephone
- Via video-conferencing (Zoom)

How long does counselling last?

Standard sessions last 50 minutes. While some concerns can be resolved in a few sessions, others take longer.

How much will it cost?

We are a not-for-profit community organisation and our counselling services are only partly government funded, so fees are normally charged. However, we do try to make our services as affordable as possible. Please contact your nearest centre for more information.

When are sessions available?

Centre opening hours vary, however most centres offer evening sessions as well as sessions during business hours. Please contact your nearest centre for more information.

Getting started

To organise an appointment or learn more, call your nearest centre or contact us online at www.rav.org.au/contact-us

Ballarat: (O3) 5337 9222 Boronia: (O3) 9725 9964 Cranbourne: (O3) 5990 1900 Greensborough: (O3) 9431 7777

Kew: (O3) 9261 8700 Melbourne: (O3) 8625 3666 Shepparton: (O3) 5820 7444 Sunshine: (O3) 8311 9222 Traralgon: (O3) 5175 9500

About us

Relationships Australia Victoria has over 70 years' experience providing family and relationship support services across Melbourne and Victoria.

We are committed to providing safe, inclusive and accessible services for all people.







We acknowledge the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the Traditional Owners of the lands and waterways of Australia and we support Aboriginal people's right to self-determination and culturally safe services.

We recognise the lifelong impacts of childhood trauma.

We recognise those who had children taken away from them.



www.rav.org.au/counselling Counselling Services Flyer 21032a



Award Winners



BE SAFE

BE A LEARNER

BE RESPECTFUL



Skyla I2A



Taylah 3/4B



Isla 34A



Braxton 34A



Diesel 3/4C



Cooper 3/4C





Chelsi 56B





Tehya 5/6A



Patrick 5/6A





Matthew I/2C



Sophie I/2C



Mason 12B



Lucas FIA





Imogen FIB



Jack FIA



Sharlira 12A



Chole 56C