

### Morwell Park P S

#### **School Community Newsletter**

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Morwell Park Primary School Official

27th June, 2019

#### Principal's Report

#### **Thought for the Holidays:**

"Courage is what it takes to stand up and speak; courage is also what it takes to sit down and listen."

Winston Churchill

#### In conclusion:

Given this is the last newsletter for the term I would like to thank everyone for the manner in which you have approached situations here at school.

I have had a number of chats with parents during the last few months, where concerns have been raised and on all of those occasions the discussions have been conducted with **respect and courtesy**. I would suggest to all parents that this approach is what we all need to adopt in dealing with others.

Let's start the new term (Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July) with everyone here on time ready for a hard working and rewarding term 3.

#### Pyjama Dress Up and Give Me 5 for Kids

The last day of term 2 is tomorrow Friday 28th June and it is also a fund raiser for Give Me 5 For Kids and as such dress up day.

We would encourage everyone to dress up in those special pyjamas to support this worthy cause. Gold coin donation.

#### It's Not OK To Be Away

One of the fundamental characteristics of a sound education is regular attendance. Sick children should not be at school however we are very clearly aware that some of our children miss far too many days of school and illness is not the reason.

Quite simply we cannot teach children who are not at school and missing school has a significantly detrimental impact not only on education but also on relationships and the broader notion of commitment.

#### Vary Street (Gate 5) Landscaping

Those of you who collect children from Vary Street may have noticed landscaping works in the area next to the crossing exit/entry gate. This area has been blocked off for works to be undertaken and as such, exits will be made through the small gate next to the school mailbox.

Remember though the crossing is still the safest way to cross Vary St.

Hopefully we are back to normal in the first week of term 3.

Chris Joustra, Principal.

<b>IMPORTANT DATES</b>	
Friday 28th June	Give Me 5 For Kids Pyjama Day. Gold coin donation.
Friday 28th June	Last day of term two, Children dismissed at 1pm.
Monday 15th July	First day of term three.
Friday 26th July	Prep 100 days school Celebration.
Monday 29th July	Curriculum Day. NO children at school.
Thursday 1st August	Prep - 3 NAIDOC Celebration Day
Friday 2nd August	Gr 4 - 6 NAIDOC Celebration Day
Monday 5th August	Prep 2020 Come and Try Day. 2.00-2.45.
Wednesday 7th August	Full payment due for Gr 3 Werribee Zoo excursion.
Tuesday 13th August	Prep 2020 Come and Try Day. 2.00-2.45.
Wednesday 14th August	Gr 3 Werribee Zoo excursion.
Thursday 22nd August	Prep 2020 Come and Try Day. 2.00-2.45.
Friday 30th August	\$50.00 deposit due for Gr 3 Allambee Camp.
Monday 2nd Sept	\$100.00 deposit due for Gr 5 Camp Rumbug.
Friday 13th Sept	Gr 4 Aquarium excursion.
Friday 20th Sept	Full payment due for Gr 5 Camp Rumbug.
Monday 7th October	Full payment due for Gr 3 Allambee Camp.
Wed-Fri 23th-25th Oct	Gr 3 Allambee Camp.
28th-30th Oct	Gr 5 Camp Rumbug.



#### STUDENT AWARDS THIS WEEK

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#### **LEARNING POWER AWARDS**



Jodaci E, Grade 4



Amylee S, Grade 1



Thomas C, Grade 3

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Reece P, Grade 2

#### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Ethan S. Abel W **Preps** & Zainab K H

Lucah McK, Theo H Grade 1 & Oswald M

Mason T, Tyler H Grade 2 & Sienna S

Alex McK, Mitchell W Grade 3 & Deslina P

Jorden S, Kobie T Grade 4 & Shyann P

Anthony W, Kristal S Grade 5

& Jack S

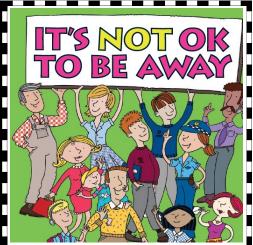
Isabella C Grade 6 & Zavier H

#### **ARTISTS OF THE WEEK**

**PE AWARDS** Prep Purple 1 Beetles & 4A

WASTE WARRIORS

Prep—23 points



# ATTENDANCE AWARD

Grade 3 94.44%



Ever wanted to know what it's like to play a Brass instrument?

Want to try a trumpet? Are you tantalised by a Tenor Horn? Or is it all about the bass? WE WANT YOU!

Come and try some brass instruments with no obligation within a family friendly, fun filled environment – we have members aged 9 to the nearly 90's. **Beginner Training Band** Program is for Primary School aged people and up! No experience is necessary. If you are curious about learning a new skill or instrument this is the band for you!

You will be welcomed by a variety of friendly, experienced players to help you on your journey in a support environment where mistakes are ok!

We invite you to come along and meet us. We meet every **Tuesday** from **6:30pm to 7pm** (and beyond for those who have more experience) at the Morwell Town Common Pavilion Band Room (corner of Elgin and Chapel Streets, (The Wooden Park) - Morwell).

For all enquiries contact 0413 809 965 or come and visit on a Tuesday.

Our band programs will be running over the school holidays!



#### MVFC REGIONAL 1ASTERCLASS

Melbourne Victory sotball Club is coming The Latrobe Valley for Regional Masterclass.

FREE training session taken by our Academy coaching staff.

coaching staff.

Location

Latrobe City Sports and
Entertainment Stadium

DATE

DATE Monday, July 8, 2019 10am - 3pm 19:30am Registration)

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JOIN NOW http://mvf.club/zfd3





# UP 25% SCHOOL SHOES AT SELECTED STORES & ONLINE - SHOP NOW

SALES ENDS JULY 31ST 2019.

\*T&Cs apply. Savings off original prices. While stocks last. Cannot be used with any other offer.

# SUPER SOUP THURSDAY! Every Thursday we will be selling Soup for 50 cents in the canteen. This will happen during lunch time and all money raised will go to our sponsor child Fatima:)

#### MILO MONDAY

\$148.65 has been raised for our Sponsor Child Fatima. Thank you.





## Prep Enrolments for 2020 will commence on Monday 22nd July.

If you have a child who will be enrolling for Prep next year please contact the office to arrange an appointment to complete the required paperwork.

Please be aware that proof of date of birth (eg Birth Certificate) and an Immunisation History Statement are required for enrolment.

The Immunisation History Statement is available from:-

- any Medicare office,
- by ringing 1800 653 809, or
- online at <u>www.medicareaustralia.com.au</u>.

Please also pass this information on to others who may not be aware that enrolments will commence on Monday 22nd July.

School tours are available at any time by appointment. Thank you.