

Dear Parents

After many discussions with my family, I have decided to retire at the end of 2017. This was not an easy decision; however it is time to put myself first.

I began teaching in 1975 at Newman Primary School. I had a Year One class of 37 children. There was no such person as a teacher assistant and the concept of DOTT came much later. In those days, technology consisted of a gestetner, spirit duplicator, typewriter and a video recorder. Our videos came from Perth and were usually tapes of ABC programs. The World Wide Web, an unheard of phenomenon, was not invented until 1989.

During my time in education, I have worked in schools across the Kimberly, Pilbara, Mid West, Wheatbelt and Metropolitan area. I consider myself fortunate in that I am concluding my career at MRPS. This school is unique in so many ways, in particular its delightful children and incredible community.

My future plans are not set in concrete but I anticipate spending more time with my grandchildren and following creative pursuits. I might even give gardening a go as I have been wanting to create a espalier orchard of citrus fruits along my fence line for some time.

To ensure a smooth transition to a new principal, the school will be advertised on Jobs on Line and should go live today. It is expected that interviews will happen in early Term 4 with the result being known within a couple of weeks of that date. This will, hopefully, make it possible for the incoming principal to visit the school prior to the end of the year.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards

Lyndy



Thank you to all those parents who helped at the Athletics Carnival. Your assistance was very much appreciated

Lisa Della Bosca

Linda Rose

Michelle and Brad Auld

Lisa Jackson

Rhonda Abbott and Ray Birtles

Amanda Eiffler

YOU ARE ALL CHAMPIONS!

WA Education Awards - The People's Pick

Now is the time for you to get involved in the WA Education Awards and recognise dedicated and talented staff in your school.

Just follow these steps:

1. Pick who you want to recognise.
2. Create a video, photo or testimonial showing what makes them incredible. You can use this template to help.

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3. Share your message on Facebook and tell your family and friends to vote for it.

The message that receives the highest number of votes will become The People's Pick and their school will be given a \$1000 Modern Teaching Aids voucher.

Entries close at 5.00pm on Friday 13 October 2017. All staff recognised in The People's Pick will be acknowledged on our website on Friday 27 October on World Teachers' Day, along with the school receiving the \$1000 voucher.

Enter Online

https://www.facebook.com/PublicEducationWA/app/403834839671843?brandloc=DISABLE&app_data=chk-59ae43de89426

*Here is an opportunity to
recognise your child/children's
teachers.*



Birthday Wishes

Jye Jackson 21st September 2017

5 years old



Awards -Term Three Week Eight

Jackson Kelly Improvement during independent activities and group work.

Mikayla Auld Her positive and dedicated approach to learning new skills and completing tasks.



A Blast from the Past

Earlier this year, I published information from Peter Ross who was trying to locate the childhood home of his mother and his parents' married home. They were residents in the 1930's. If you have any information about these locations could you either email Peter or let me know. His email is below.

Hello Lyndy,

I finally have a date for my brother Barry and I to visit the Moorine Rock area and try and find my parents old houses from the 1930's. We are coming up from Perth on the 28 - 29 November '17 and plan to stay overnight at the Moorine Rock Motel.

I would appreciate if we could meet for a coffee while we are there and to be able to say thank you for all the help that you have provided.

I have been able to locate the areas where our folks lived and wondered if you knew of the owners of the properties so we could get permission to have a look for the old houses/foundations.

Our mothers house (Lilian Pryer) was on Locations 71/73 which is boarded by Parker Range Road and Goodhill Road and when our folks married they moved to Location 521 which was boarded by Nulla Nulla South Road, Sandlewood Rock Road and Dulyalbin Road.

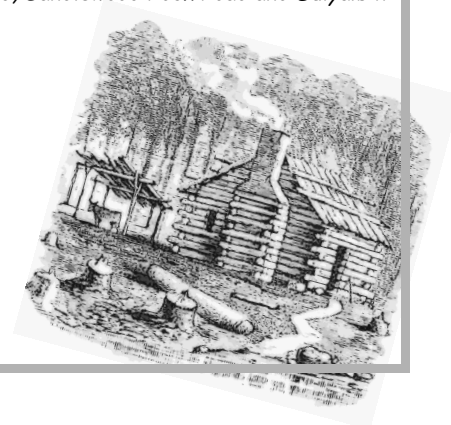
Many thanks for your help

Regards

Peter Ross

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Pie Warmers

Due to the warmer weather in Term 4 pie warmers will cease at the end of this term.

Upcoming Events

Date	Day	Event
15.09.2017	Friday	Assembly
20.09.2017	Wednesday	Playgroup
22.09.2017	Friday	Last Day of Term Three
09.10.2017	Monday	Start of Term 4 for both Students and Staff

2017 YSSSA Athletics Carnival Results



Overall: 1st: SX Phoenix- 727

2nd: SX Centaur - 595

3rd: Moorine Rock- 546

4th: St Josephs- 360

Handicap: 1st: Moorine Rock - 783.72

2nd: SX Phoenix- 779.83

3rd: SX Centaur- 595

4th: St Josephs- 571.30

Age Group Individual Champions and Runner Up Champions

Sub Junior Boys

Champion: Lachlan Scott- Phoenix

Runner Up: Jax Noone- Centaur

Sub Junior Girls:

Champion: Gracie Lawrence

Runner Up: Alaska Shipard

Junior Boys:

Champion: Jayke Krauss- Centaur

Runner Up: Regan Auld-Moorine Rock

Junior Girls

Champion: Ruby Tuck- Centaur

Runner Up: Chelsea Glass- Moorine Rock

Intermediate Boys:

Champion: Harlem Hepi- Centaur

Runner Up: Joeross Lendio- St Josephs

Intermediate Girls:

Champion: Lily Bellotti- Phoenix

Runner Up: Shayla Cook- Phoenix

Senior Boys:

Champion: Flynn Chrisp- Centaur

Runner Up: Myles Anthony- Phoenix

Senior Girls:

Champion: Molly Marinkovich- Centaur

Runner Up (Equal): Amy Rose- Moorine Rock

Runner Up (Equal): Sammi Anthony- Phoenix

Fathers' Day Poem

My Dad, Your Dad – Kit Wright

My dad's fatter than your dad,
Yes, my dad's fatter than yours;
If he eats any more he won't fit in the house,
He'll have to live out of doors.

*Yes, but my dad's bolder than your dad
My dad's bolder, OK?
He's only got two hairs left on his head
And both are turning grey.*

Ah, but my dad's thicker than your dad,
My dad's thicker, all right,
He has to look at his watch to see
If it's noon or the middle of night.

*Yes, but my dad's more boring than your dad,
If he ever starts counting sheep,
When he can't get to sleep at night, he finds
It's the sheep that go to sleep.*

But my dad doesn't mind your dad,
Mine quite likes yours too.
I suppose they don't always think much of US!
That's true, I suppose, that's true.





Moorine Rock Tennis Club

Tennis Coaching will commence on Thursday 12th October 2017 at the Moorine Rock tennis courts at 3.30pm.

The coaching program will run Thursday afternoons for 5 weeks.

Can players of all ages please be at the courts by 3.30pm, so we are able to register and grade players. There may be changes to times in the following weeks, depending on our numbers.

Cost is \$20 per child or \$50 for a family of 3 children.

Participants will need to bring their hats & water bottles. Milk shakes will be on sale for 50c.

Any child who is in pre-primary or primary school is invited to register their name with Lib Irving -

mob:0429498000,email:townfoot13@bigpond.com



Go Health!

Building stronger muscles and stronger bones

Physical activity is a great way to promote healthy bodies and healthy minds in children. But to get all the benefits of physical activity it is important to be active in a variety of ways.

As part of your child's daily 60 minutes of physical activity it is important to include muscle and bone strengthening activities. These activities are an important part of healthy growth and development for children.

Bone strengthening exercises place stress on your bones, helping to build bone mass. Engaging in these activities is important for children to ensure they achieve peak bone mass later in life.

Muscle strengthening activities not only help make kids' muscles stronger, but they help to protect the muscles and joints from injury and help kids perform better in sports.

You can help children to grow strong bones and muscles by encouraging them to:

- Skip, run, hop and jump
- Climb or swing on monkey bars or climbing frames
- Play games like tug-o-war and hopscotch
- Do structured activities like dance, gymnastics and martial arts

There are also a range of activities that the family can do to promote bone and muscle strength such as racquet sports, basketball, netball, tennis, rock climbing, swimming, bushwalking, and bike riding. Children and young people should do activities that strengthen bones and muscles on at least 3 days each week.

Quick Tip

Parents' involvement in physical activity can increase a child's participation. Set a good example for your child by showing that you regularly participate in physical activity, restrict television and screen time, and reinforce the physical and social benefits of physical activity.

Recipe Link

Bean Balls: <https://livelighter.com.au/Recipe/501/bean-balls>



Major outback motoring adventure across WA to help kids with cancer



WesCarpade is Camp Quality's outback motoring adventure held in Western Australia. A fleet of 25+ quirky themed vehicles will be travelling over 2,000km on a round trip from Armadale to Northam on 15 -21 October 2017.

This year WesCarpade sets off from Armadale on **Sunday 15 October**, heading south through the Great Southern, looping back around the Goldfields and finishing with a community inspired finale event on **Saturday 21 October**.

The event has attracted entrants from Donnybrook, Bunbury and Bridgetown, as well as Perth and as far as Geraldton this year. Each car must be at least 20 years old, and each team spends the year theming their cars, making it roadworthy and encouraging people to sponsor them for their week-long adventure. The event is fully supported by dedicated volunteer officials, including local business and community groups.

Nedge Sinanovski, Camp Quality's General Manager Programs and Community Fundraising said: "We're so humbled by local businesses donating their goods and services to this event to ensure our running costs are kept low and more money goes to our deserving families. These generous local companies include Holden, St Johns Ambulance, GJ Freight Donnybrook, Bunbury Plumbing Services and Allmark." The aim is to raise an engine-busting \$500,000 - enough for Camp Quality to support a further 70 families who have a child living with cancer for the next year, through their resilience-building programs.

Chris 'Millsy' Mills, former weatherman for GWN7, said: "This is the sixth Camp Quality wesCarpade I've been on, and I love it every single year. We get to dress up like fools and drive through the beautiful outback. But most importantly, we're raising essential funds for a great cause - helping Camp Quality to create a better life for kids living with cancer." Along the way, the 25+ quirky cars will pull into towns in a fanfare of sirens, horns, water cannons, lights and colour in true Camp Quality style.



SXDHS P&C

"DISCO"

Friday, 15 September 2017

6.30pm– 9pm @ Complex Lounge, SX

\$2.00 per child

(children under 10 to be supervised)



**Sausage Sizzle, Hot Donuts, Drinks, Chips, Lollies &
GLOW PRODUCTS on sale**

Hope to see you all there!!!

Moorine Rock PS Playgroup

Term 3 Dates

A Playgroup for children aged 0-4 and their families.

Where: Moorine Rock Primary School

When: Wednesday 20/9

Time: 9:00 am - 11:00 am

Please bring a hat, water bottle & a healthy snack to be shared.

At Playgroup ...

- You can have fun playing with your child
- You can meet other parents
- Your child can become familiar with the school environment ready for future years.

For more information, please contact Lisa on 90404017 or lisa.jackson74@hotmail.com.

FOUND

If anyone has lost a size 16 Suzanne Grae jacket – black with light blue edging, please contact the school on 90491176.

It was found on site on Saturday.



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