



MOORINE ROCK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

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Principals Message

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to another week and another newsletter. We have all been hard at work within the school over the last two weeks.

Fathers Day Celebration

This Thursday, 3rd September, students from the Junior and Senior Room will be hosting their fathers or chosen male guest for the afternoon starting at 12:20pm. We will be kicking the afternoon off with a sausage sizzle lunch for all guests, students and staff. We will then complete two rotations of activities and finish off the afternoon with a couple of games outside. The students are looking forward to event and we hope to see you all there. We do ask that you RSVP so we can ensure we have sufficient materials and food. Thank you to the families who have already RSVP'd. If you are picking your child/ren up after school please ensure that you have completed a bus form.

Please note that as lunch is provided on Thursday you may want to shift your child's lunch order to another day.

Camp

The Senior Room Camp is fast approaching. In just two short weeks students will be heading off on a four day adventure. I would like to extend a huge thank you to Travis Glass for volunteering to come with us to assist with students and drive the bus. This is a huge help and we greatly appreciate it. Thank you to the families who have returned their permission slips and forms to school.

School Improvements

Over the last two weeks we have had some more works done on the school site. We have had our fence located next to the basketball court replaced and we have had the carpet in our library and bag room (located in the senior room) replaced. The library will also receive a paint in the next few days. These improvements have come from the High Priority Maintenance money. I would like to thank Mrs Borona and Mrs Kent for moving all of the furniture and books out of the library and in the coming days for moving it all back in.

Teaching and Learning

We have been very busy in the art room over the last few weeks. Students in both the junior and senior classrooms have been working on their PowerPoint skills and have made a iMovie explaining what our behaviour values look like in the school and classrooms. In Health we have been focusing on drug education. Junior students have been learning about analgesics and the warning labels medicines or poisons may have on them. Senior students have been learning about some of the issues that young people have with drugs and alcohol. In art we have been focusing on learning about the seven elements of art and how they work together to form interesting art pieces.

In Science, the junior room has been learning about sound, how it is made, how it changes and how it moves through the air. This week, we investigated how different amounts of water in a glass jar changes the amount the glass jar vibrates thus changing the note that it makes. Well done juniors your Rainbow Xylophone were amazing.



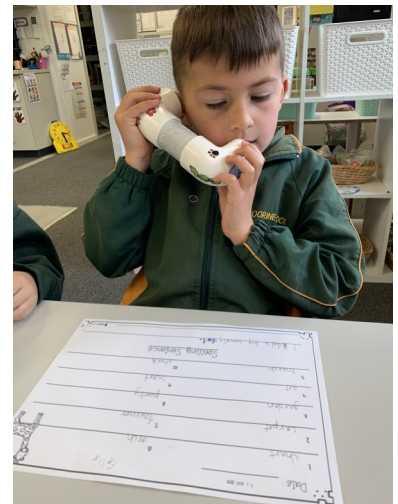
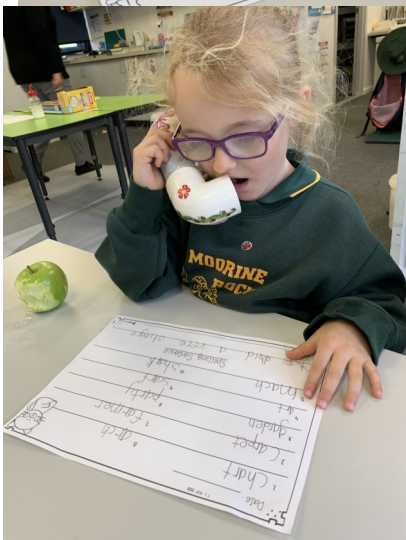
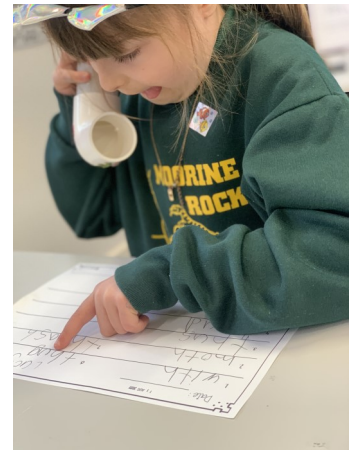
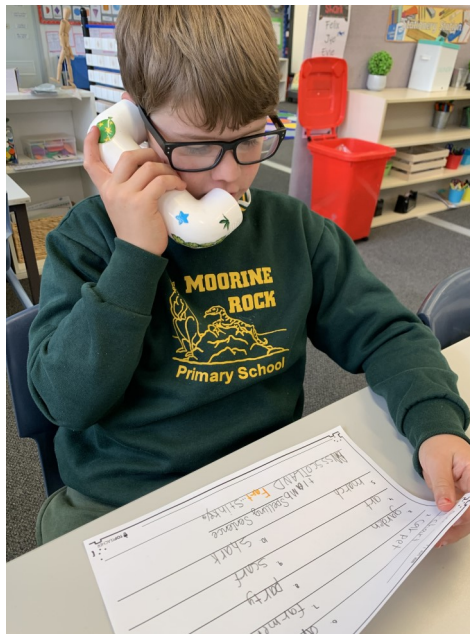
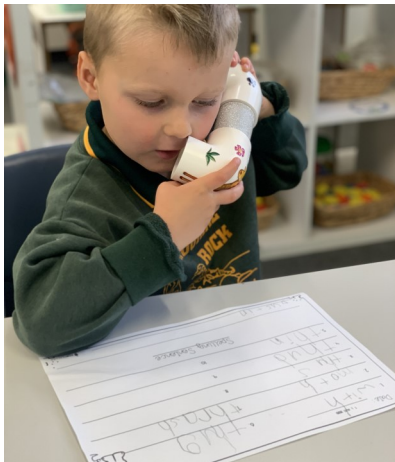
Lauren Suttie
Principal

Upcoming Events

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
7	31/8	1/9 Newsletter P and C Meeting 1.30 pm	2/9 3 Year Old Kindy	3/9 Fathers Day at MRPS Commencing at 12.20 pm	4/9	5&6/9
8	7/9	8/9	10/9 3 Year Old Kindy Playgroup Commencing at 9 a.m.	11/9	12/9	13&14/9

FROM OUR JUNIOR ROOM WITH MISS SCOTLAND

This week we learnt our new spelling words. We learnt the diagrams AR for shark. With Mrs Capelli we made shark under water gardens. We wrote our spelling words and practised saying them through our phonic phone. Practise makes perfect!



FROM OUR SENIOR ROOM WITH MISS CASTLEDEN AND MRS NICHOLL

Hi Families!

This fortnight the senior room has finished writing our information reports on mythical creatures and have begun typing them up to present them!

In maths we have been revising fractions and building on our knowledge of mixed and improper fractions; fractions on number lines; and fraction problem solving.

I have added parents to our class dojo and will be posting a weekly newsletter and spelling words on there. It's great to see so many people already viewing the posts on the dojo; it is also a great place to send me direct messages if you have any quick questions or updates for me.

Thanks,
Miss Castleden

I am pleased to notice a marked improvement in Friday's daily writing. Each week the students are given a topic then just write freely for 20mins. The students are trying to add more description and use their writing skills. We have started a power point presentation on heat, forces or light for science and our 'sports shoes' are near completion, we will be creating our still advertisements when they are finished. The shoes are all quite unique and the children have shown great perseverance with the difficulty of this task – Well done!

Mrs Nicholl



Stars of the Week



Junior Star of the
Week
Term 6 Week



Junior Star of the
Week
Term 7 Week



Senior Star of the
Week
Term 6 Week



Senior Star of the
Week
Term 7 Week

Birthday wishes to:

Maddison Berry

2nd September

Regan Auld

9th September





Enrol in VacSwim

Get ready for summer! Enrol your child in October and January VacSwim programs.

ENROL NOW

Fun swimming lessons for children aged five to 17 years of age in both the October and January school holidays.

Enrolments for VacSwim in October and January are now open!

Take the plunge! Find a program near you and [enrol now](#)¹.

VacSwim has helped children across Western Australia to stay safe and confident in the water for over 100 years. We offer:

- vital swimming and water safety skills
- lessons for beginner, intermediate and advanced swimmers
- a variety of [programs](#)¹ ranging from five to ten days
- opportunities to progress through [stages 1-16](#)² and obtain [Bronze Medallion](#)²
- lessons at over 180 pool and beach [locations](#)¹ throughout Western Australia
- friendly, qualified swimming staff.

Programs will operate in line with current health advice. Physical distancing and good hygiene practices will be in place.



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A world of opportunities

Apply now to enrol your child for 2021.

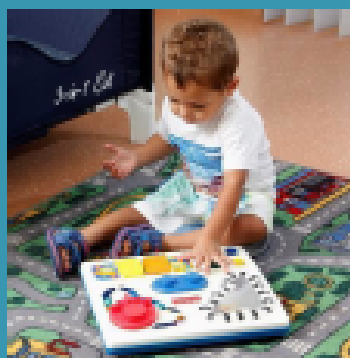
Now is the time to apply to enrol your child
in a public school for 2021 if they are:

- starting Year 7
(first year of secondary school)
- changing schools.

Every day of a child's education matters.



To find a public school in your area visit
education.wa.edu.au/schoolsonline



KEEPING KIDS INJURY FREE IN THE WHEATBELT

Free Child Safety Workshop Presented by Kidsafe WA

SESSION DETAILS

Attend the Keeping Kids Safe Workshop for tips on how to keep your children injury free at home, during play and on the road. This session provides practical steps on how to reduce the risk of injuries covering topics such as poisoning, falls, burns, child car restraints and driveway safety.

WHO ARE THE SESSIONS TARGETED AT?

Parents, carers, grandparents or anyone interested in child safety!

WHERE

Southern Cross Community Resource Centre
Canopus Street, Southern Cross

WHEN

Tuesday 8th September 2020, 10.30am – 11.30am

RSVP

Please register your interest to Southern Cross CRC by emailing crc@yilgam.wa.gov.au or calling 9049 1688

Partner:



Government of Western Australia
Department of Health

