



MOORINE ROCK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

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Principals Message

Dear Parents and Guardians

Welcome back to another newsletter and another week in Term 4. Students have been very busy in their classrooms and around the school over the last two weeks. Our students should be very proud of the way they have conducted themselves over the last two weeks during the excursions they participated in. The NAIDOC Day at Southern Cross District High School was enjoyed by all and students did their school proud with their level of participation, engagement and exceptional behaviour.

Staffing 2021

Next year is shaping up to be a very good year for Moorine Rock with our numbers increasing and some new families joining our school with our new kindergarten students. I am happy to announce that I will be continuing in my role as Principal until the end of Term 2, 2021. Miss Mikaela Scotland will be joining us as a permanent member of staff in the junior room and Mrs Christina Nicholl will be joining us on a Wednesday and Thursday in a DOTT provider capacity. Unfortunately, Miss Lisa Castleden has decided to leave at the end of 2020 to be closer to family in Perth. We wish her the best in her future teaching and we thank her for her contribution to Moorine Rock during 2020.

Swimming Lessons

We are drawing closer to our swimming lessons in week 8 and 9 of this term. Students will be transported at 11:30am to Southern Cross Aquatic Centre via bus and private car driven by Josie Kent and Lauren Suttie respectively. All students will have lunch at the pool and return around 1:50pm. No lunch orders will be able to be purchased during the two weeks of swimming lessons, so please provide your child with a packed lunch that they are able to transport to the pool.

Booklist

Hopefully Booklists will be sent home prior to the end of this week. We are waiting on Nextra News Merredin to provide the lists to us.

Orientation Day

Kindy orientation will take place on Monday 30th November from 8:45am-10:40am. Year 2 students will move up to the senior room and kindies will come into their new classroom. Kindy students are to bring a Hat, water bottle, a piece of fruit for crunch and sip and their recess.

Teaching

Students have been working hard over the last couple of weeks in my classroom. The junior students have been working on a digital visualisation project in Digital Technologies. As a class, we read the poem "The Green Giant" and discuss what image we saw in our heads based on the description in the poem. Students have then used Paint 3D to create a digital art piece and started to create a poster for their picture. I am looking forward to seeing these finished.



In Health, the senior students have been researching the effect that smoking and alcohol has on the body. They have researched several organs and what affect it has on them. Students have then started their 3D models of the human body to attach their research to. Here are some photos of their impressive designs and creations so far.

Lauren Suttie
Principal



Upcoming Events

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
7	23/11 Morning Meeting	24/11 Newsletter	25/11 3 Year old Kindy	26/11	27/11	28/11 & 29/11
8	30/11 Morning Meeting Swimming Lessons Orientation Day	01/12 Swimming Lessons School Council Meeting commencing at 2.35 pm	02/12 3 Year Old Kindy Playgroup Swimming Lessons	03/12 Swimming Lessons	04/12 Swimming Lessons	5/12 & 6/12

FROM OUR JUNIOR ROOM WITH MISS SCOTLAND

On Friday the 13th the whole school contributed to Clean Up Australia Day. The students used rubbish bags and gloves to collect litter from around the tennis club. We filled 6 bags and more. Well done Moorine!



FROM OUR SENIOR ROOM WITH MISS CASTLEDEN AND MRS NICHOLL

Hi Parents,

This week we have started a unit on mass and weight. Students have been estimating the weight of objects and then calculating actual weight using scales.

We finally got to do our capacity relay to finish off our volume and capacity unit where students had to transfer water from one container to the other. The group that lost the least water won!

Have a great week!
Miss Castleden



It was a busy class on Friday - we sawed, sanded, glued and clamped! The children completed tasks much more easily than I anticipated, Thank you to Rhonda Abbott for all your help and expertise.

Mrs Nicholl



Stars of the Week



Junior Star of the Week
Term 4 Week 6



Senior Star of the Week
Term 4 Week 6



Junior Star of the Week
Term 4 Week 7



Senior Star of the Week
Term 4 Week 7

Birthday Wishes

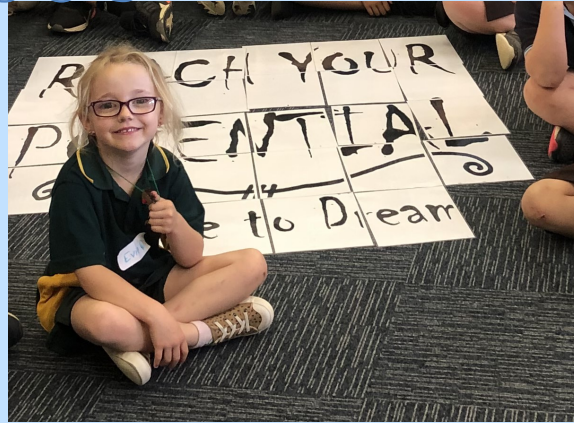
Belated Birthday Wishes to Brodie Eiffler 2nd November and
Daniella Berry 12th November

Birthday Wishes to:

Jackson Kelly 28th November
Angelo Guerini 30th November



NAIDOC DAY AT SOUTHERN CROSS



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KINDERGARTEN

Orientation

Monday, 30th November

8:45am-11:00am

**30 McInnes St Moorine Rock
in the Junior Room**

Parents and children are invited to attend our Kindy Orientation morning. This is an excellent opportunity for students to get to know their 2021 classmates and teachers. Bring along a hat, water bottle, piece of fruit to share and some morning tea.





Two Dogs Merredin Junior Tournament

Merredin District Lawn Tennis Club



SATURDAY 5th December 2020

- Entries close: Wednesday 2nd December - NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE
- Email all entries to: mdlto@hotmail.com.au - For further information, contact Meg 0428 128 153 (enquiries only - not entries)
- Sunscreen and hat are essential
- Entry fees to be paid on the day of the tournament
- Lunch can be provided by completing the details below or bring your own

ENTRY FORM

Entrants Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age as at 31st December 2020 _____

Medical Conditions: _____

Parent's Name: _____ Phone no.: _____

Club: _____

PARENTS UMPIRING ESSENTIAL FOR LOWER AGE GROUPS . Please ensure you are available. Note that some groups may be amalgamated or cancelled if not enough entries.

Circle Event No.

1. 9yrs & Under Doubles (Round Robin. No partner required) *starts @ 9am, finish by 12.30

SINGLES 8.45am Welcome, 9am start. Round Robin Entry Fee \$10

2. 12 yrs & Under Boys 3. 12 yrs & Under Girls

4. 15 yrs & Under Boys 5. 15 yrs & Under Girls

Circle Event No.

DOUBLES 12:30pm start Round Robin Entry Fee \$10 (each player)

Partners Name: _____

(If you haven't a partner for doubles, circle the event & we will do our best to find you one)

6. 12 yrs & Under Boys 7. 12 yrs & Under Girls

8. 15 yrs & Under Boys 9. 15 yrs & Under Girls

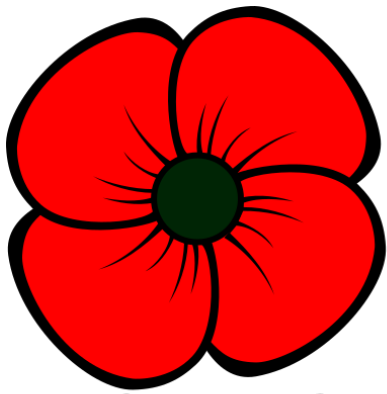
LUNCH \$4 (to be paid on the day) circle : YES or NO

Ham & Salad Roll _____ Chicken & Salad Roll _____ Salad Roll _____

Sausage Roll _____ Drinks, chips, icy poles are available to purchase

Any Allergies/Dietary Requirements: _____

I _____ (Parent/Guardian) Do / Do Not give my permission for photos of my child.



OUR REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY

WE REMEMBER





The staff and students of Moorine Rock Primary School

Would like to invite all Parents and Community Members to our

End of Year Concert and Awards Night

It will be held at the School in the undercover area on Saturday, 12th December commencing at 6 pm.

Please join us in celebrating the end of "2020" with a night of fun and entertainment.

When the concert concludes, Santa will visit the children at the school. When Santa has left Parents and Community Members are welcome to attend the festivities held by the Moorine Rock P and C at the Tennis Club.

A meal of hamburger and/or sausages and a shared supper will be available for a small fee.

Drinks will also be available.

