

# MOORINE ROCK PRIMARY SCHOOL Newsletter

#### Issue: 15

#### 31st August, 2021

# **Principals Message**

#### Dear Parents and Guardians,

#### The Super Science Circus Show

On Wednesday 1st September, students from Moorine Rock, St Joseph's and Southern Cross DHS will participate in a science circus show held at Southern Cross DHS. This show is an incredibly inventive, interactive and educational show that uses the fun of circus, comedy and magic to inspire scientific inquiry into the natural, physical and material world. Students will be travelling via bus, driven by Mrs Nicholl, to Southern Cross for the show. Students can bring hot lunch to school as we will have a early lunch and then travel to Southern Cross.

#### Father's Day

Our annual Father's Day event will be held on the 2nd September starting at 1:15pm. We will have our traditional sausage sizzle lunch then hold a Dad's and Kids Minute to Win it Event. Students will be competing with their dad's against others in small 1 minute challenges. We hope to see all our father's at this event, this also includes Grandfather's.

On this day, students will have their lunch at the normal time (12:40pm) but then have a sausage sizzle lunch with their dads at 1:15pm. If you wish to pack your child lunch on this day then please feel free to do this. Alternatively, you may wish to pack additional snacks for your child to tide them over until their sausage sizzle lunch. **Lunch orders** will **not** be available on this day.

#### Athletics Carnival

This Friday is our athletics carnival held at Southern Cross Oval. A program was sent home last week with each students events circled. We will be starting the events at 9:30am sharp. Please ensure your child is at the oval and ready to go by 9:15am. There will be a sausage sizzle lunch available on the day for students to purchase. Unfortunately due to a schedule conflict I will not be able to attend the athletics carnival but I look forward to hearing from our students on Monday about how they went. Go Moorine Rock!

#### Assembly

This terms assembly will be held on Thursday 16th September in the undercover area. The assembly will feature students from kindy to year 6 showcasing what they have learnt in music this term. We look forward to seeing our wonderful community at this event.

#### Lexile Legends Lunch

This terms Lexile Legend Lunch will be held on Wednesday 22nd September. We will be making pizzas from scratch. Senior room students who have achieved 20 Lexile points or more this term are eligible to attend. We currently only have one student who qualifies for this lunch. This student being Chelsea Glass. I encourage all students to be reading at home and completing Lexile quizzes at school to check their comprehension of their books. I hope to see more students achieve their 20 point target in the next couple of weeks.

#### Science Week Sleepover

A would like to extend a big thank you to our wonderful teachers Mrs Nicholl and Ms Burton for running our Science week sleepover. From what I have heard from students they had a fantastic time learning about the mining process at the Westonia mine and cooked an amazing meal in the evening. Thank you for your effort and assistance in running the event. I would also like to take our wonderful parents who assisted on the day.

#### Olympians Visit

Today we were very lucky to be visited by two Olympians Lucy Marsh and Jen Reilly. Students heard about Jen Reilly and Luci Marsh heard their stories about their Olympic journey as well as how to build resilience, the importance of setting goals and how to find what you are passionate about. A Big thank you to Jen and Lucy for coming to our school.



Lauren Suttie Principal

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#### "Reach for the Stars"

# **Upcoming Events**

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
Week 7	30/8 School Develop- ment Day Stu- dents Do not At- tend School	31/8 Newsletter Kindy Day	1/9 Science STEM Cir- cus Excursion at SCDHS 3 Year Old Kindy	2/9 Kindy Day Father's Day No lunch orders	3/9 YSSSA Athletics	
Week 8	6/9 Kindy Day	7/9 Kindy Day	8/9 3 Year Old Kindy Playgroup	9/9 Kindy Day	10/9	
Week 9	13/9 Kindy Day	14/9 Newsletter Kindy Day Athletics Day at Narembeen	15/9 3 Year Old Kindy	16/9 Kindy Day End of Term Assembly	17/9	

#### **IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

- ⇒ Tuesday is Library day for both classrooms—please bring in your library bags
- ⇒ Tuesday 31st August—Olympians Visit at 1.20 pm
- ⇒ Wednesday 1st September—Three Year old Kindy Day
- ⇒ Wednesday 1st September—Science STEM Circus Excursion at SCDHS
- ⇒ Thursday 2nd September—Father's Day Activities starting at 1.15 pm
- ⇒ 3rd September—Friday—Athletics Carnival (note change of date)
- ⇒ Wednesday 8th September—Three Year old Kindy Day and Playgroup
- ⇒ Tuesday 14th September Athletics Day at Narembeen—More information to follow
- ⇒ Wednesday 15th September—Three Year old Kindy
- ⇒ Thursday 16th September—End of Term Assembly commencing at 9am

## **STARS OF THE WEEK**



Junior Room Star of the Week Term Three Week Five



Junior Room Star of the Week Term Three Week Six



Senior Room Star of the Week Term Three Week Five



Senior Room Star of the Week Term Three Week Six

#### FROM OUR JUNIOR ROOM WITH MS BURTON



The Year 1/2 have been learning about when to use conjunctions in their writing. We even have been working outside in the warmth. The juniors have been very busy practising for the sport carnival this Friday.



#### FROM OUR JUNIOR ROOM WITH MS BURTON



3 Year old kindy saw us with 3 students. We also have done some dot painting and going outside to play.

#### FROM OUR SENIOR ROOM WITH MR ELLIS AND MISS SUTTIE

More nonsense from the senior room

We have been continuing our study of nonsense poetry by looking at spoonerism, where the first letters of words are mixed up. For example, Mrs Kent becomes Kisses Ment or Smart Feller becomes, you can work that out.

The student have been changing nursery rhymes around and their finished poems are on display in the school office. Linclude pictures below.



# FROM OUR SENIOR ROOM WITH MR ELLIS AND MISS SUTTIE



# FROM THE ART ROOM WITH MRS NICHOLL



# School Sleepover

Last Friday we had a break from the classroom to celebrate Science Week. The day started with a trip to Westonia where we visited the mine site and even heard a blasting, wandered through the museum and had a quick stroll through the bush searching for wildflowers.















On return to the school, students cooked and shared a delicious meal of spaghetti carbonara and chicken caesar salad, topped off with brownies and



ice cream. After a quiz night it was a quick game of spotlight and a movie before bed.



Many thanks to Jill Glass for suggesting and organising the day, Lani Hales for her museum and wildflower tours and for Emma Berry, Lisa Jackson and Leah Lawrence for their help with activities back at the school.

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Maddison Berry	2nd September
Regan Auld	9th September
Jayke Krauss	13th September





This interactive white board is available for free, but you need to pick up from Moorine Rock Primary School or arrange freight at your cost.

Board is in working condition and we are getting rid of it as surplus to our needs.

Measurements of Board and stand:

Height 2 m 2 cms

Length 2 m 12cm

Comes with one pen





## HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES:

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MOORINE ROCK P & C FOOTY TIPPING									
Round 23 - **DOUBLE UP** - Sponsored by AgAsset with thanks to Carly									
Veitch and R2K Contracting with thanks to Richard Kovac									
Winner: DJpags									
OVERALL COMPETITION RESULTS:									
Congratulations to the following winners;									
1" - Miss M 132pts \$300									
2 <sup>44</sup> - Karen Seckinton 131pts \$250									
3 <sup>rd</sup> - seanmichael12 130pts \$100									
Mystery Prize with thanks to Avon Valley Toyota – Lawrence Family									
SPONSORS									
A huge thankyou to our Sponsors that kindly donated to the Overall Prize or as a									
Round Sponsor.									
A special thankyou to the people who kindly donated their prize money back to the P & C.									
Adelle Auld Brian Suttie Sam O'Driscoll Lance Booth									
Thank you to the competitors who took part in our 2021 competition!									

#### **MERREDIN AND DISTRICTS ATHLETICS 2021**

STARTS 1	<b>FUESDAY</b>	14 <sup>th</sup> SEPT	EMBER	2021
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We are very excited to bring you a NEW, FUN and ENGAGING Athletics program for 2021. Working with Athletics West, Merredin Athletics have been busy developing a pilot program to trial this season which aims to REDUCE COSTS, INCREASE PARTICIPATION, and DEVELOP OUR

ATHLETES!

✓ Starting Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> September

4pm - 5.30pm

2 x FREE 'Come & Try' Sessions

✓ 8 Week Program starts on 12<sup>th</sup> October

Only \$60 per child with no additional costs (Kidsport Available)

✓ Parent helpers required – Set up 3.30pm

✓ Free Intro to Coaching course available for any parents who would like to coach our future Olympians – Contact Steph Gregory for more information.

Minimum age – Must be 5 by 31st December 2021

Please register your interest for the 'Come & Try' Sessions by emailing <u>merredinathletics@gmail.com</u> or call Steph on 0457736669





#### the October and January school holidays.

#### Enrolments for VacSwim in October and January school holidays are now open!

Find a program near you and enrol now.

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 ranging from five to ten days
- opportunities to progress through stages 1-16 and obtain Bronze Medallion
- lessons at over 180 pool and beach locations throughout Western Australia
- friendly, qualified swimming staff.



#### **Dear Parents/Caregivers**

This is a quick note to let you know we will be holding a general meeting for junior basketball on Friday the 3<sup>rd of</sup> September 2021 at 4pm at the outdoor courts.

The juniors are now affiliated with the seniors, and we are now all known as Yilgarn Mixed Basketball Association. Even though we are one we are running as YMBA juniors and YMBA seniors.

The meeting will be about how the season will run and we chasing as many parents input as possible, we are also chasing a sub-committee to help run the day-to-day running's of the season.

If you can volunteer, we would also greatly appreciate that to. If your child would like to play, we can also do registration as well at the meeting as we know are running through a software package.

If you have any questions, queries, or concerns you can jump on our Facebook page Yilgarn Basketball Association and leave them there or send a private message and one of the committees will return an answer to you otherwise we will see you then.

# Wheatbelt Independent Public School



# 202

# 1280m-8m

# Please meet in the Wahlsten Library

A great opportunity for families of current and prospective students to come and take a tour of the school, visit our open classrooms and see what a typical school day looks like for secondary students at Merredin College.

- Also featuring on the day:
- Year II & 12 Pathways Information Hub
- CoRE Presentation (Specialist Science Program)
- Volleyball Specialist Program

If you will be attending and would like to RSVP for this event please phone the front office!!! This event has been scheduled to start at the conclusion of the EASA Interschool Athletics Carrival also being held at the College that day.

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