

# MOORINE ROCK PRIMARY SCHOOL **Newsletter**

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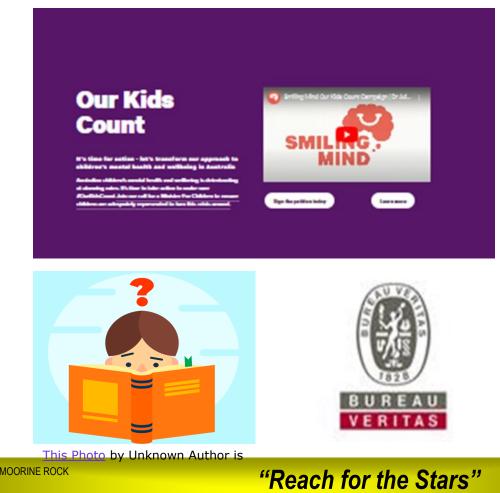
Dear Parents and Guardians

Can you believe we are already half way through Term 3!!

### **Literacy Day**

Last Friday our students and staff presented a Literacy and Mental Health Day at Southern Cross District High School. We enjoyed a day of learning with SCDHS and St. Joseph's Primary School staff and students to learn all about literacy and how to look after our mental health. Our day included lots of hands on art activities, a Silent Disco and a Scavenger Hunt. Students learnt how to meditate, create emotive rocks, and participated in cracking some secret codes. A big thank you to SCDHS for hosting us and St. Joseph's Primary School for joining us.

A very special thank you also to Bureau Veritas Kalgoorlie who provided our students with a sample bag to decorate and take their goodies home in.



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### Principal's Message—continued

#### Main Roads Upgrade

As many of you would be aware the Great Eastern Highway is becoming increasingly busy and will be part of a state upgrade over the next few months. I am working closely with the Shire of Yilgarn to have some signage posted outside of our school for passing traffic. Stay tuned for updates on this to increase the safety for our school.



#### **Super Hero Day**

Don't forget tomorrow is Super Hero Day!! Students can dress up as their hero, it may be mum, dad, nana, pop or anyone they believe is a hero! I am looking forward to seeing who your child considers a hero tomorrow morning.

#### Fathers' Day BBQ

Fathers' Day is just around the corner and we are looking forward to welcoming our dads for an early morning barbeque breakfast at 0730am on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023. Mums you get a sleep in! Our team here will be bright eyed and bushy tailed behind the barbie ready to welcome you all with hot coffee and bacon and egg sangas!



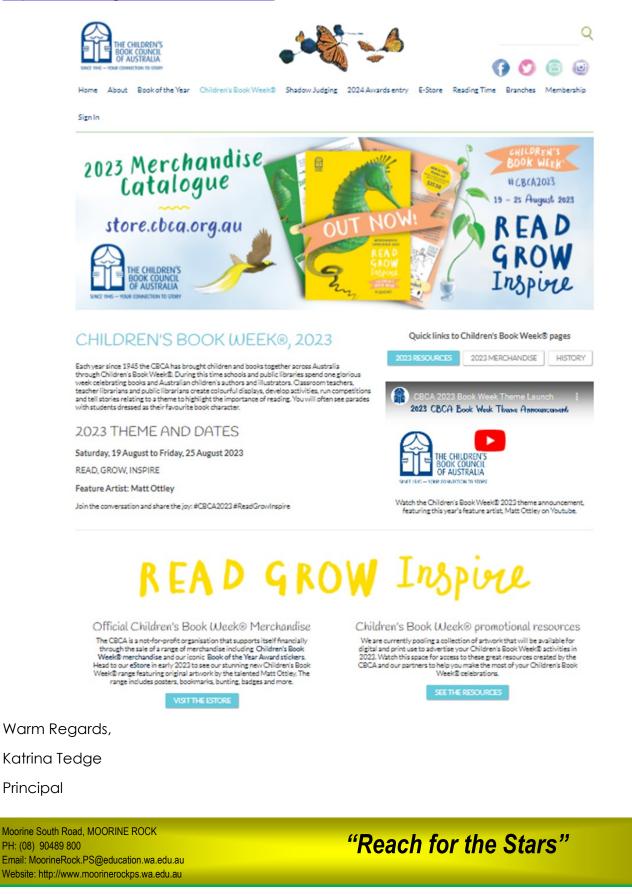
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"Reach for the Stars"

### Principal's Message—continued

#### Book Week 2023

A reminder that Book Week is next week, another dress up day for us all Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August. The theme for this year is Read, Grow, Inspire, here is the link if you would like more information. https://cbca.org.au/cbca-book-week



# **Upcoming Events**

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
Week 5	14/8 Kindy Day	15/8 Newsletter Kindy Day	16/8	17/8 Kindy Day Three Year Old Kindy 9.15 am -10.40 am	18/8	
Week 6	21/8 Kindy Day	22/8 Book Week – Day Dress Up Kindy Day	23/8	24/8 Three Year Old Kindy 9.15 am -10.40 am Playgroup Kindy Day	25/8	Yilgarn Show
Week 7	28/8 School Devel- opment Day Students Do Not Attend School	29/8 Newsletter Kindy Day	30/8	31/8 Kindy Day Three Year Old Kindy 9.15 am -10.40 am	1/9 YSSSA Athletics	

### **IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

### ⇒ Tuesday is Library day for both classrooms —this includes kindy children please bring in your library bags

- $\Rightarrow$  Friday is sport for the whole school
- ⇒ Tuesday 22nd August Book Week Dress Up Day
- ⇒ Saturday 26th August—Yilgarn Show
- ⇒ Monday 28th August—School Development Day—Students do not attend School
- ⇒ Friday 1st September—YSSSA Athletics

### School Facebook Page

We have a new Facebook Page—find us by searching for 'Moorine Rock Primary School' - The cover page is a photo of our beautiful flagpole area. Like and follow our page to see all the wonderful things happening and to hear about any upcoming events.

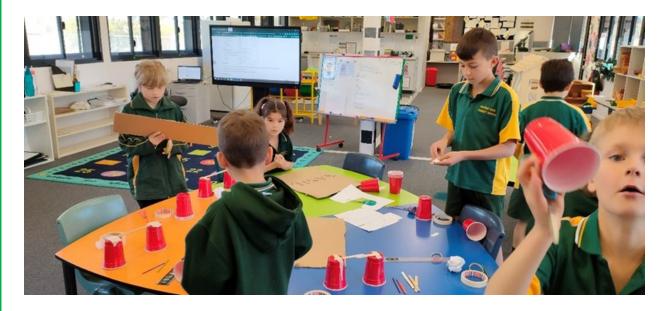
# FROM OUR SENIOR ROOM WITH MS MELIS

#### Senior Room

Welcome to Week 5. What a full-on couple of weeks we have had. Students in the Senior room have been working on their writing and comprehension and using the computers to complete their edited versions of their work. In Geography we have been learning all about what makes Australia unique and how to read an atlas. For Science, we are learning about states of matter and conducted an interesting experiment using corn flour or custard powder and water, trying to determine whether the results are solids or liquids.

We have the interschool sports carnival coming up, too quickly, and have been practising our ball skills and building our fitness. In combined Science we tried to make a wind powered hovercraft, looking at kinetic energy and designing a catapult.

Ms Melis





# FROM OUR SENIOR ROOM WITH MS MELIS







# FROM OUR JUNIOR ROOM WITH MISS GLAZIER

We have been doing lots of hands on activities in the last couple of weeks, the students have been enjoying puzzles and using the geo boards to make shapes with elastic bands.

Our Pre-Kindy's are settling in well and I've been so happy to see so many students being very kind and welcoming.

It has been such a busy term already and it seems to be flying by! We are looking forward to the Yilgarn show, sports carnival, book week, the book fair and assembly!

Miss Glazier









# FROM OUR JUNIOR ROOM WITH MISS GLAZIER











Star of the Week Term 3 Week 3 Demi



Star of the Week Term 3 Week 5 Lilah





# THREE YEAR OLD KINDY PROGRAM







# No Birthdays for this fortnight



#### **PIE WARMER LUNCHES**

Students may bring lunches from home that require warming up in the pie warmer on **Mondays and Wednesdays.** Food is to be brought in an appropriate container (oven proof) or wrapped in alfoil. Please mark your child's name on their lunch for ease of distribution.

To assist the school in providing a safe environment, please consider the contents of your child's lunch box.

Please note, icy poles will Term 2 and 3. no longer be sold during



#### VacSwim Swimming Lessons

Enrolments are now open for VacSwim swimming lessons during the October and summer school holidays.

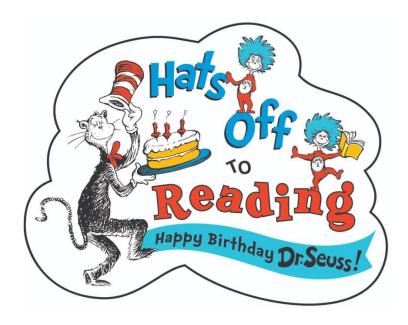
VacSwim offers fun lessons at beach or pool locations across WA. It's a great school holiday activity that teaches valuable safety skills to help keep your child safe in the water.

Your children can start as young as five years old.

Places are limited, so get in early. Enrol your children in VacSwim now at education.wa.edu.au/vacswim



## BOOKFAIR



The theme for Bookfair for this year is ......

"Hat's Off To Reading". Our Bookfair is scheduled to be held on Tuesday, 12th September. It will be held in conjunction with our End of Term Assembly and a "Thank You" to our Chaplain Dave.

Please come dressed as your favourite character from one of Dr Seuss's books - The Grinch, The Lorax, Cat in a Hat, Horton, Fox in Socks or just come dressed with your favourite hat. Prizes for best dressed, games and colouring in competitions. Hope to see everyone there celebrating Dr Seuss's Birthday!