

Moorine Rock Primary School

Newsletter



23rd of October 2025

Principals Message

Issue #09

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

It has been a wonderful and productive start to the term, and I am delighted to share some exciting updates from Moorine Rock Primary School. We are pleased to welcome Miss Dominique Potvin to our school as the new Junior Room Teacher. Dominique brings enthusiasm, creativity, and a passion for early childhood education, and we are thrilled to have her join the team.

This term is shaping up to be one of our busiest and most exciting yet! We have a range of fantastic events ahead, including Numeracy Day, our Halloween Disco, swimming lessons, Kindergarten Orientation, and of course our much-anticipated Christmas and End-of-Year Concert. Each of these activities provides valuable learning opportunities and celebrates the wonderful sense of community that makes our school so special.

On a personal note, I am both excited and honoured to step into the Principal role this term. It is truly a privilege to lead such a caring, hardworking, and vibrant school community. I am humbled by the support and encouragement I have received from staff, students, and families, and I look forward to working together to make this term a memorable and successful one for all. Thank you for your ongoing support — it is always appreciated.

Warm regards,

Stacey Landrigan
Principal





Important Dates to Remember



Please refer to your Term Planner for all these dates - if anything changes, we will notify you via our weekly email.

- Monday is Library day for both classrooms - please bring in your library bags.
- Wednesday is sport for the whole school
- Icy Poles will be sold for 50c for the students to enjoy every Monday. Funds collected will go to a charity chosen by the Student Councillors.
- Kindy Days are Monday, Wednesday and Thursday for Term 4.
- 3 Year Old Kindy is on each Thursday 8.45am - 10.40 am
- Tuesday 18 of November - School Council Meeting commencing at 2.30 pm.
- Swimming lessons will run from Monday, 24 November to Friday, 5 December.
- * Please return the permission note by Wednesday, 29 October.
 - Sal Mararis (Chaplain) will be visiting our school with a therapy dog on Tuesday 11 November, Tuesday 18 November, and Tuesday 9 December.
 - Numeracy Day – Thursday, 30 October (sausage sizzle provided)
 - Halloween Dress-Up Day will be on Friday, 31 October.
 - Halloween Disco – Friday, 31 October, 4:00–8:00 pm at the Southern Cross Community Centre (snacks and sweets supplied).
 - The School Dental Service will be visiting Southern Cross from Monday, 10 November to Wednesday, 12 November.
 - 2026 Booklist will be sent out shortly.





Happy Birthday to

Lachlan Jolly 26th of December



Photo Board





A quick CLASSROOMS

Update

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back to Term 4! We hope everyone had a restful break and is ready for what promises to be a fun and busy final term of the year.

Both the Junior Room and Senior Room have hit the ground running, with lots of exciting learning experiences and special events ahead — including Numeracy Day, our Halloween Dress-Up, swimming lessons, and of course, the Christmas Concert to finish the year on a high note

Junior Room

Bonjour!

My name is Miss Dominique Potvin, and I'm so excited to be joining the Moorine Rock Primary School community this term as the Junior Room teacher.

I'm originally from Canada, where I grew up as the eldest of three siblings with a younger brother and sister. I speak both English and French, and before completing my Early Childhood Education degree, I spent several years teaching French to children of various ages.

I have a strong passion for helping students discover a love of learning, language, and creativity. My goal is to create a warm, engaging, and inclusive classroom where every child feels confident and inspired to do their best each day.

I'm so excited to be part of the Moorine Rock community and can't wait for all the learning, laughter, and memorable moments ahead!

Senior Room

Our Year 3–6 students have made a fantastic start to Term 4 and are already working hard across all learning areas. It's been wonderful to see their focus, teamwork, and enthusiasm in class.

In Literacy, students are diving into the novel *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate. This beautifully written story has sparked thoughtful discussions about friendship, freedom, and empathy. Students are exploring the text through reading comprehension, vocabulary study, creative responses, and writing activities that connect to the themes of courage and compassion.

We're so proud of their effort and engagement — it's shaping up to be a great finish to the year for our Senior Room learners!

With pride and gratitude.

Your Teaching Team

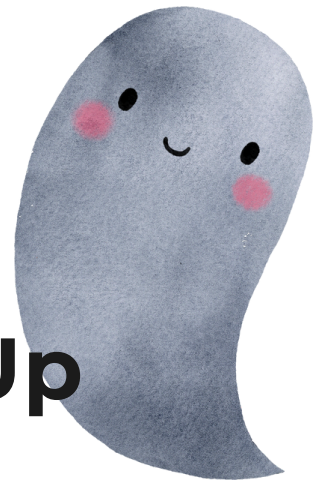
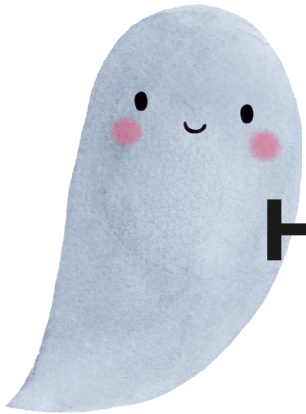


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for the
stars!



MRPS

HALLOWEEN *Dress Up*



**Halloween Dress-Up
at MRPS!**

Students are invited to come to school in their favourite costume — it could be funny, creative, spooky, or just something they love!



OCTOBER 31ST





M.R.T.C.

MOORINE ROCK TENNIS CLUB OPEN DAY INVITATION

SPONSORED BY MCINTOSH & SONS

SATURDAY, 25TH OCTOBER

AT 3:00PM

STEAK & SALAD TO FOLLOW

**PLEASE R.S.V.P TO
ASHLEIGH - 0424 230 656
BY WEDNESDAY, 22ND OCTOBER**

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Unit presents



HALLOWEEN DISCO!



Come along in your best
spooky costume for a
night of music, dancing
and games!



Prizes available for best dressed



Snacks & sweets supplied

WHEN

Friday 31st October
4.00–8.00pm

WHERE

Southern Cross
Community Centre

WHO

Kindy – 16 years
Children under 8 years must be
accompanied by an adult.

COST

Free

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