

Moyston Primary School



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Moyston Primary School aims to develop in our students a purpose of belonging and an understanding of the importance of taking responsibility for their own learning. This is to take place in a caring learning environment that engages students to work towards achieving their personal best in an atmosphere of mutual respect and cooperation, and assisting them to become valued members of the community.



INDOOR WINTER GARDEN PARTY

Today our students attended "Indoor Winter Garden Party" school workshops at the Moyston Hall hosted by artist Eliza Jane Gilchrist.

This event has been organised by the Ararat Regional Art Gallery and will be running at the Hall for 3 days.



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****REMINDERS FOR TOMORROW****

FRIDAY 23RD JUNE

TREE PLANTING (BRING SPARE CLOTHES & SHOES)

WORKING BEE STRAIGHT AFTER SCHOOL

Events in June/July...

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SA	SU	
19	20 BIG WRITE SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING 6PM	21	22 Anthony, Lauren & Natalie Professional Development ART	23 Tree planting with Moyston Landcare WORKING BEE after school	24	25	
26	27 MARC	28	29 'The Witches" excursion to Willaura	30 END OF TERM 2 Parent Open Day and BBQ lunch from 1pm Dismissal 2.20pm	1	2	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
10	11	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS			14	15	16
17 FIRST DAY OF TERM 3	18	19	20 ART	21	22	23	
<----- Woorabinda Camp Grade 4 & 5 ----->							

WORKING BEE TOMORROW (FRIDAY 23RD) AFTER SCHOOL

We would like to spread the bark chips and do a general tidy-up around the school.

Any help is greatly appreciated.

TREE PLANTING TOMORROW

Tomorrow we will be joining Moyston Landcare to plant trees on Lynden & Amy Brewis' property, 14km down the Moyston-Willaura Road. We will be departing school at approximately 9.30am and returning in time for 3.20pm dismissal.

Moyston Landcare will be providing a BBQ lunch for the students, they will still need to bring their own, **snacks and drinks**.

It is advisable that students bring a pair of **gumboots** or boots and a change of **socks and pants**. Last year we got very muddy!

The Local excursion permission note signed at the start of the year covers this excursion.

Parents are welcome to join us, please let Anthony know if you are coming.



WOORABINDA CAMP

Our Grade 4 & 5 students have been offered the opportunity to attend the Woorabinda Camp during the first week of Term 3.

Woorabinda is located in the Latrobe Valley—125kms East of Melbourne.

Lauren Humphrey will be attending this camp with our students. Please return your camp forms and payment ASAP if your child wishes to attend.



PARENT OPEN DAY—LAST DAY OF TERM

1.00pm—2.20pm (early dismissal for end of term)

Next Friday 30th June is the last day of Term 2.

We will be having a Parent Open Day from 1pm .

Students will be presenting some of their school projects they have been working hard on this term.

The school will provide a BBQ lunch for students and parents, and students will be **dismissed at 2.20pm.**

Out of uniform day. Wear red and gold coin donation for Red Nose day.

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING SUMMARY

Our June School Council meeting was held on Tuesday night.

The rock wall installation on the fort is almost complete.

The school's share of the Pitch Music and Arts Festival Community BBQ is approximately \$9000!

Lydia read out a letter sent to her as School Council President from Karen Howden-Clarnette from the Department of Education. Karen thanked Moyston PS for supporting Anthony whilst he has been Principal at both Moyston and Pomonal and she assured us that the Department is working towards a situation where Anthony can return full time to Moyston PS. The first BMX date that we are looking at attending (Friday 1st September at Wyndham) clashes with the Grade 5-6 camp to Sovereign Hill. Further details to follow.

Chloe Mason from ACU is a second year student and is joining us at the school for 2 weeks.

A Working Bee was discussed and will be held this Friday 23rd June after school.

Profit from the June Community Dinner was \$499. The Moyston Hall committee is hosting the July dinner at the Moyston Hall.

School Council members will be attending school council training in August at Willaura PS.

There is a Parent Open Day on the last day of term from 1pm which will include a BBQ lunch before early dismissal at 2.20pm.



READING EGGS & MATHSEEDS AWARDS

Lots of awards this week for our hard working juniors!

Well done to Jacob, Ned, Amellia and Cody who were all presented with Reading Eggs or Mathseeds awards this week!



Natalie had a little lamb!
"It followed her to school one day..."

Ararat Swimming Club 2017/2018 Season



Group fun night

27th & 29th June from 615pm

First training session 18th July from 615pm

Contacts:

Stacey Dale, 0457 779 415

Katherine Cooper, 0429 188 032

Coach:

Jo Donnan, 0438 691 579

Swimming requirement:

Must be able to swim 50m in the following:

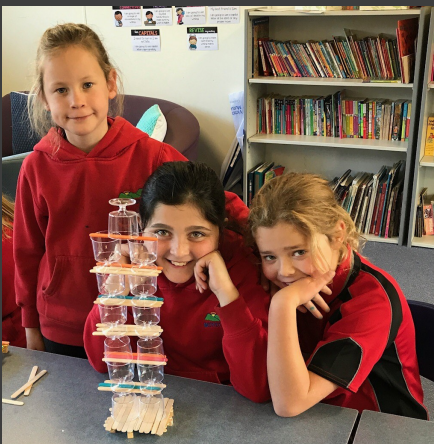
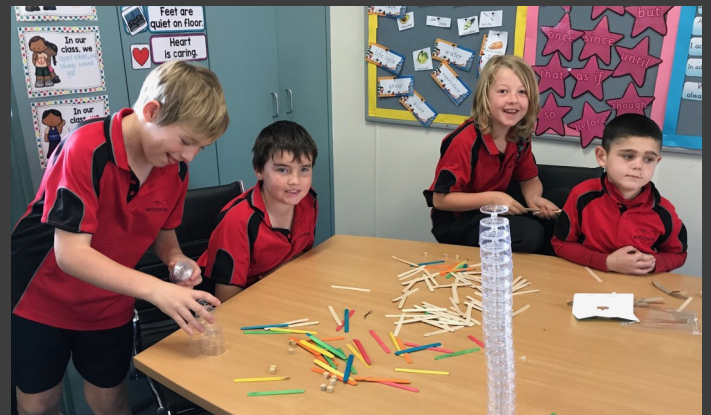
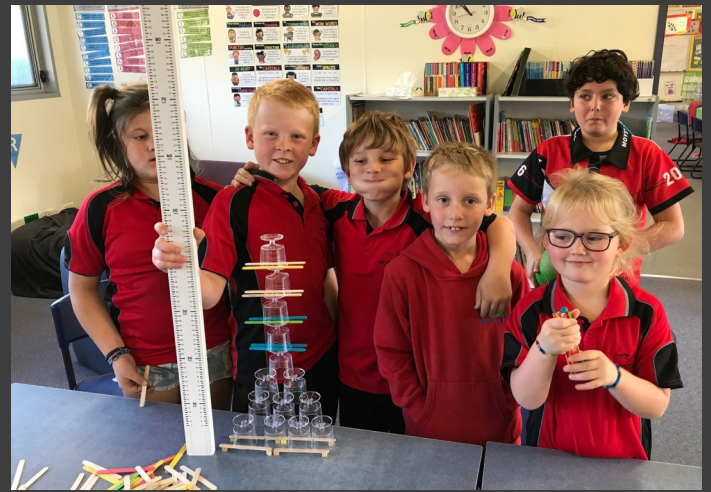
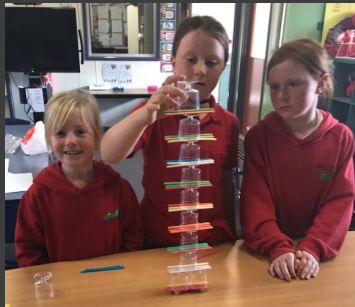
Freestyle, Breaststroke, Backstroke and Butterfly Kick

STEM

(Science Technology Engineering & Mathematics)

Last week the students were asked to create lava lamps and write down the steps needed to complete this task.

They also worked in teams to make the tallest tower using the random items they were given!



'THE WITCHES' EXCURSION

Next Thursday 29th June, we will be travelling to Willaura watch a performance of 'The Witches' at the Willaura Memorial Hall. Students will be travelling via Christian's Bus departing school at 9.15am and returning after having lunch at Willaura PS with their students. Please return permission forms and \$10 per child ASAP.

Thursday 29th June
Session 1 - 10 am Session 2 - 1 pm
Tickets \$10

When one little boy unwittingly stumbles into the annual meeting of witches, he hears their nasty plan to get rid of all the children in the world – by turning them into mice! It's going to take smarts and sneakiness to stop them and not get squished in the process.

Think you can outwit a witch and outrun a mouse? Then grab a seat in the front row for The Witches, bursting onto the stage as a mind-boggling and madcap one-man show.

Brave boys and girls, rat-racers and retirees are in for a wicked and wonderful time. Lucas Jervies directs this bubbling concoction, based on David Wood's adaptation of the Roald Dahl classic, with one actor running amok in a virtuosic physical performance.

Recommended for ages 6 and over.

Bookings P: 5352 2181 E: pac@ararat.vic.gov.au



**HUT BUILDING
AND MAKING
CLOTHES WERE
ALSO KEEPING
THE KIDS BUSY
THIS WEEK!**



PITCH MUSIC AND ARTS FESTIVAL PUBLIC MEETING

WEDNESDAY 28th JUNE 6pm

Moyston Recreation Reserve

AGENDA:

- Summary of this year's event
- What is being done to improve/refine the event for the future
- How local businesses and organisations can engage with the event
- Open up room to Community discussion (questions/concerns)

Everyone welcome!

MOYSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL OFFICIAL ACCOUNT

BSB 063 500

ACCOUNT NUMBER 1004 3733

Please use your **FAMILY** name as a reference if you are making a payment to the school.
School families can transfer money at any time for fees, uniforms, camps etc.

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