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**MONDAY 7TH
OCTOBER—PUPIL
FREE
BACK TO SCHOOL
TUESDAY 8TH
OCTOBER**

**Please remember to keep our students
safe when driving in our school zones.**

BREAKFAST CLUB: 8:00am—8:20am

**19th September,
2024**



RESPECT

RESPONSIBILITY

RESILIENCE

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

LOOKING BACKWARDS AND LOOKING FORWARDS

Dear School Community,

My newsletter entry this week is around two timeframes: looking backwards and looking forwards.

Looking backwards:

Thank you school community with getting your child or children to school every day during what was a very eventful winter and early spring. As a community we certainly seemed to have high rates of sickness, particularly breathing related illness. Thank you for responding respectfully when required to collect your child due to illness at any point throughout a school day. Once again, we also received very positive results in both Naplan (in both Reading and Numeracy) and the Years 4/5/6 Attitudes to School survey with very positive responses. There has also been some very positive improvements in Maths results in our Progressive Achievement Test (PAT) results across Years 2 thru 6.

Looking forward:

We are very much looking forward to continuing high school attendance rates and also improved rates for those children who had more severe illness during winter. We look forward to continuing to develop purposeful teaching and learning in all areas, particularly Literacy and Numeracy. We also look forward to other events that will continue to build a positive Wellbeing and Learning environment. These will include; Halloween disco, Colour Run, Xmas concert and the whole school swimming program.

Finally, another positive Wellbeing instance is the end of Term out of uniform day. It is a routine here at ESPS, (that unless otherwise directed ie excursion/photos etc) children are allowed to come to school on the last day of every school term out of school uniform. Along with this, children are required to bring a gold coin donation. Our school captains will collect the monies, then bank this money with Sharon at the office. At the end of each year, the School Captains can then decide, with consultation, to donate the monies to a good cause organisation. For example: local hospital, seeing eye dogs, hearing impaired. It is one way, ESPS can continue to contribute to the wider community in a positive manner. *Ian Frost*

DATES TO REMEMBER:


20th September
LAST DAY OF TERM
Out of Uniform
Day
Gold Coin
Donation

7th October
PUPIL FREE DAY

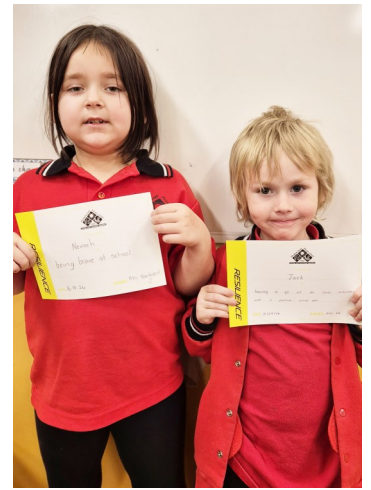
8th October
TERM 3 begins
Back to school!

9th October
Prep and Ones
Myuna Farm
Excursion

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 We acknowledge the traditional Aboriginal owners of country throughout Victoria and pay our respect to them, their culture and their Elders past, present and future.

WEEK TEN AWARDS



*Assembly was held in classrooms this week
Pictured above are award recipients from grades 4, 5/6, and Prep.
Hazel, Karly, Darcy, Adrian, Star, Makayla, Nevaeh, and Jack.*

ARTISTS IN THE MAKING

Over the past few weeks, students across the school have been busily painting canvases to submit to the Moe Art Society's Art Show (Children's Section).

As with any art piece, time had to be taken sketching on paper, then onto the canvas itself, finishing with painting.

There will be a special viewing of their art work on the morning of Saturday, October 5th for parents, teachers and children.

The Art Show will officially open on Monday 7th October to Saturday 12th October, where the art can be purchased.

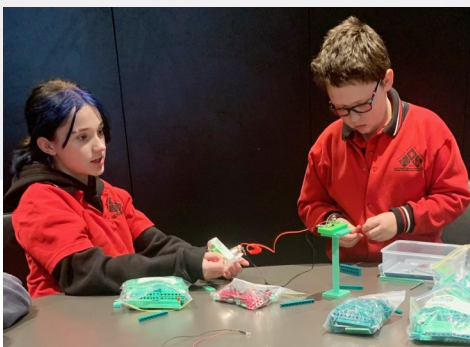
Please support our students by attending the Art Show which will be at the far end room of the MOE LIBRARY (ground level). Thank you to Mrs Lincoln in the art room, and Mrs Weerasinghe for getting the ball rolling on this great project.

HOW EXCITING!

PUFFING BILLY



On Friday the 13th it was a very exciting event, it's the best one we have had in a while. We had lots of fun. It took a little bit to get there, but once we did we walked around. The instructor of the Puffing Billy station showed us around the instructor's name was Peta. After she showed us a video of the first Puffing Billy. 3-A was one of the first ones made in Australia. But they only scavenged some pieces of the train. There was smoke coming out of the train.



Then the last activity we did before the train came to the station we tried using electronics and we kinda made a steam train out of Lego. The train came to the station, it was an exciting one hour ride! By Axel





LCHS Children's Service invites you to a special school holiday group:

Pretend play at the café

Our allied health staff will help you and your child to have a fun morning of playing at our pretend café. Pretend play is a wonderful skill which can build language, social skills, turn taking, negotiation, motor skills and so much more. We encourage carers to be involved in the activities on the day.

**Wednesday 2nd October 10-11am
Latrobe Community Health Service Moe**

42-44 Fowler Street, Moe Victoria

Target age: 3-5 years

Cost: \$10.80 per child, please pay at reception on the day

Register via Try Booking [here](#)

Please book a ticket for each child attending. Carers do not need tickets.



Call: 1800 242 696 or visit lchs.com.au



LCHS Children's Service invites you to a special school holiday group:

Ocean messy play

Our allied health staff can't wait to get messy in our ocean play! We will be helping you to build your child's language skills, motor skills and to understand how they process different sensory information. We encourage carers to be involved in the activities on the day.

**Friday 4th October from 10am - 11.30am
Latrobe Community Health Service Moe**

42-44 Fowler Street, Moe Victoria

Target age: 2-6 years

Cost: \$10.80 per child, please pay at reception on the day

Please wear clothes you don't mind getting messy

Register via Try Booking [here](#)

Please book a ticket for each child attending. Carers do not need tickets.



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Childrens Holiday Programs

Week One

Monday 23/09	Tuesday 24/09	Wednesday 25/09	Thursday 26/09	Friday 27/09
Movie excursion Time TBC	Creative clothes workshop 10am-12pm	Little chefs 10am-12pm	AFL Day 10am-12pm	PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Week Two

Monday 30/09	Tuesday 01/10	Wednesday 02/10	Thursday 03/10	Friday 04/10
Super slime 10am-12pm	Art Expression 10am-12pm	Let's move! 10am-12pm	Little Explorers Excursion 10am-12pm	School Holiday Party 10am-12pm



Use the QR Code to book!



Program details

Week One

23/09	24/09	25/09	26/09	27/09
We will be heading down to a local cinema to watch a kids film. All details are to be confirmed.	Come along and create your own t-shirt or pair of socks, using vibrant fabric paint or tie-dye.	Feeling hungry? Let's cook! We will be cooking and decorating. Please let us know of any allergies or intolerances.	Come along dressed in your favourite footy team colours and get ready to play! We will be doing AFL based activities.	We will be closed on the Friday before the AFL Grand Final Public Holiday.

Week Two

30/09	1/10	2/10	3/10	4/10
Get ready to get messy! Create your own super slime and take it home!	Let's get creative. Let your inner artist out in our most popular class, Art Expression	I like to move it, move it! Bring a drink bottle and come and join in the fun, moving our bodies in a healthy way.	A Nature adventure to explore our world and the creatures in it. Our excursion details are to be confirmed.	Yay it's party time! Bring your dancing shoes and get ready to party. Snacks and drinks will be provided



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Nurse Allison surprised us all by announcing that she had twins! Congratulations to Allison and her family on the safe arrival of Harrison and Lillian.



The colourful birdfeeders you may have noticed around the school were created by grade 5/6 students. They look great!





LATROBE CITY
Children's expo
Free & fun!

Thursday 24 October 1 to 6pm

Kernot Hall
Cnr Princes Drive and Monash Way, Morwell





Interactive dinosaur experiences • Australian and farm animals
• Fairy Renee • Roving entertainment
Magician • Face painting
• Jumping castle and much more!

**INTERNATIONAL
ROSE GARDEN
FESTIVAL**

**8-9
NOV 2024
MORWELL**



A FESTIVAL OF ROSES IN THE HEART OF MORWELL

- AGL Loy Yang Night Lights
- Costa & Co Trivia Night
- Dirtgirl, Scrapboy & Costa the Gnome
- Market stalls & food trucks
- Workshops
- Cut Rose Competition
- Live music
- Kid's activities

FREE ENTRY

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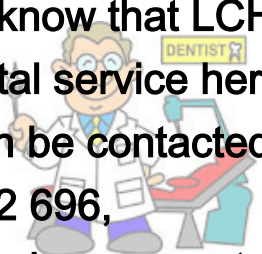
VICTORIAN SCHOOL TERMS 2024

TERM TWO: APRIL 15TH–28TH JUNE
TERM THREE: 15TH JULY–20TH SEPT
TERM FOUR: OCT 7TH–20TH DEC

RUOK?

<https://www.gotya.com.au/>

Did you know that LCHS offer a free dental service here in Moe? They can be contacted on 1800 242 696, select 4 when prompted. See below for the link to their website.



A graphic for Kids Helpline. It features the logo 'kids helpline Anytime Any Reason' in a white circle. Below it are buttons for 'Call', 'Email', and 'WebChat'. The website 'kids helpline.com.au' and the phone number '1800 55 1800' are prominently displayed, along with 'FREE CALL 24/7'. There are several circular illustrations showing children in various situations: one talking to a friend, one sitting on a bench, one with a dog, and one with a cat. At the bottom, it says 'Kids Helpline is a service of your town for 5-25 year olds | Emergency 000'.

13 YARN

Call 13YARN (13 92 76)

- ✓ 13YARN is run by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people
- ✓ Free and confidential service available 24/7 from any mobile or pay phone
- ✓ Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Crisis Supporters to yarn to

<https://www.ruok.org.au/every-day-resources>

<https://kids helpline.com.au/>

<https://www.13yarn.org.au/>

<https://www.lchs.com.au/services/general-health/dental/>

September 2024

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<i>School Holidays</i>						

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