Thursday 17th March 2016

Calendar of Events

Friday 18th March
Out of Uniform (Bring an Easter Egg donation).
Easter Parade At Assembly

Monday 21st March
Easter Raffle tickets Due Back

Tuesday 22nd March
School Council 6:30pm
Community Garden Meeting
3:15pm Staffroom

Wednesday 23rd March
Easter Raffle Drawn

Thursday 24th March
Last Day term 1.
Finish 2pm.

Monday 11th April
First Day Term 2

Thursday 14th April
School Photos

The community of Albert Street PS Moe encourages everyone to dare to dream and reach their potential in supportive, caring environments. Together we recognise and celebrate success.

We value Partnership, Respect, Optimism and Pride.

Student of the Week

Haydn for his care and support of other students.

Jack for playing the small gong which is a very difficult instrument to play quietly, yet he performed well. Also for listening to the teachers instructions and did everything he was asked to do very quickly.

Clinton for 100% effort.

Maddie for being a quiet achiever and always trying her best.

Kiera for being a positive class member, always asking to help. Good work Kiera.

Levi for always trying his hardest and improving in his handwriting.

Connor for trying really hard with your spelling. You practiced until you got it right and showed pride in your work.

Alicia for always displaying optimism and care for other students.

From the Principal,
ASSEMBLY
Tomorrow will be our last assembly for the term. Well done to our school captains who have worked well with Sharon Waterhouse and James van Maanenberg to prepare assembly items and develop public speaking. It has been wonderful watching teachers hand out their Student of the Week to celebrate individual learning skills. Next term we will also commence awarding students who consistently demonstrate our Values Partnership, Respect, Optimism and Pride. Thank you to those family members who have participated in our assemblies to celebrate proud moments.

BEFORE SCHOOL SUPERVISION & BREAKY CLUB (revisited)
Please note that supervision each morning starts at 8:30am. Too many students are arriving at school far too early while staff are still preparing for the day. Unless your child is a bus traveller or is attending Breaky Club to have breakfast, your child must not arrive at school any earlier than 8:30am. Unfortunately with so many students now arriving early and attending Breaky Club for supervision, some of their behaviour has not been respectful to staff and volunteers who are serving breakfast or working in the MPR. It has also been unfair for those students who have arrived to share breakfast and enjoy each other’s company. Thank you to those parents who have returned their form indicating that their child(ren) will be eating at Breakfast Club and also to those who have spoken to their child(ren) about arriving at school at 8:30am.

COMMUNITY GARDEN MEETING
A Community Garden Meeting has been scheduled for Monday 21st March 3:15pm to 4:00pm. We will be discussing projects for Term 2. New gardeners welcome!

MOVIE NIGHT AND MARKET PRIZES
Congratulations to Jasmine O’Brien who was the lucky door prize winner (VLine Tickets to Melbourne and Family Pass to Luna Park). Well done to Thomas Ball who won the Guess the Lolly Jar Competition.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS
Thank you to parents and carers who attended their children’s parent teacher interviews. If you were unable to attend, please contact the classroom teacher to reschedule.

EASTER RAFFLE
It is that time again, when we are asking for donations for our Easter Raffle. Students are encouraged to attend school out of uniform on the 18th March if they bring along an Easter donation for the raffle. As you know raffle tickets have already been distributed. Thank you to those families who have already sold their tickets! If you are able to sell more tickets, they can be obtained at the office. The raffle will be drawn Wednesday 23rd March.

SCHOOL COUNCIL
The March meeting is scheduled for next Tuesday 22nd 6:30pm in the staffroom. Council reports will be distributed on Friday 18th March. Please check your child’s bag for them.

EARLY DISMISSAL
Please note that students will be dismissed at 2:00pm on Thursday 24th March, the last day of term. Prompt pick up is greatly appreciated.

LOST PROPERTY
As the JSC announced at assembly last week, there are still many unnamed items in lost property. All unclaimed clothing will be washed and placed in second hand uniform shop.

MOE ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP PROJECT
After the success of our school leaders completing the Moe Rotary Scholarship Project Award in 2015, we have expanded the project out to all our year six leaders. Last week Tara, Trinity, Cruz, Zack, Amy, Mia, Georgia, Katrina, Alicia, Trent and their parents attended an information meeting with Rotarians Robin and Helen. Each fortnight on a Thursday, the leaders will meet with Mandy, Suzanne and myself to plan and complete community projects. We are all excited to work with these student to further develop their public speaking and organisational skills.

Monique Osborn
Teacher’s Choice Award- ART

Congratulations to the students who Mr Van has been extremely impressed by during their Art classes.

The teachers choice award winners for this week have their work displayed in the hallway in the main building. Please come by and take a look!

School Photos

School photos will take place on Thursday 14th April, this is the first week back after the holidays. You will have received your envelopes today, these will need to be kept and brought to school with payment on the day of the photos. Envelopes will then be handed to the photographer when each class has their photos. Please do not send photo envelopes to school before Thursday 14th April.

Garden Boxes

Thank you to our fantastic gardening team who have planted some plants donated for our garden boxes. Prep Browne helped with the planting on Friday and did a great job!!

Persuasive Text in the 3/4 Unit

3/4’s have been working on “Persuasive Texts” this term. Our last Big Write topic was “Should Mrs Osborn put fizzy drink into our bubble taps?”

This is Lilly’s response.

I DON’T THINK IT IS A GOOD IDEA

Naturally I feel that Mrs Osborn is crazy on deciding to put fizzy drink in the drinking taps and here are some reasons why I disagree.

Everybody knows that fizzy drink makes you unhealthy because how much sugar is put into those bottles if not cans of soft drink.

Surely you would agree that it would make kids unfocused in class and it would disturb others and affect their education.

I know fizzy drink will rot your teeth and you will have to go to the dentist and no one likes the dentist and you wouldn’t have a lot of friends because you will have bad breath.

In my opinion fizzy drink makes you sick if you have too much of it. You will miss out on learning and exciting fun activities, also your teachers will not be happy.

I also think you will be over weight and a bit fat. I know it is yummy but you have to get over it. You should only have it on special occasions.

This is why Mrs Osborn is crazy and I hope you agree with me but do not tell her this is between you and me!

Road and Fence Safety

Please ensure your children are aware of the safest ways of crossing our roads and to always use the crossing.

Please do not allow children to jump fences, this is extremely dangerous and can cause serious injury. Please remind children of the importance of this.

SCHOOL RELIEF FUND

The total raised this week was $11.05. Congratulations to the winning grade 5/6 Black with $4.30.
HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

ROBOTICS (8yrs+) LIMITED SPACES  Build a LEGO® robot and learn programming, sequencing, sensors and more to prepare you to bring your own Robotic creation to life!

EXTREME TECHNICS FUN (5yrs+)
Join us at one of our themed workshops where gears, motors, power packs, remote controls and games to expand your design and creativity skills.

ALL skill levels catered for, including Black Diamond Builds for our advanced Tech builders.

Half & Full day workshops at
Traralgon, Moe, Warragul: 4-8 April

Shorter Sessions for Technics, Robotics & Preschoolers at
All 4 LATROBE LIBRARIES 30-31 March
1300 367 700 Bookings ESSENTIAL

AUSKICK IS BACK AT MOE IN SEASON 2016!
AUSKICK IS NON-CONTACT AND DEVELOPS SKILLS IN A FUN ENVIRONMENT!

WHERE – TED SUMMERTON RESERVE
VALE STREET, MOE

WHEN – COMMENCING SUNDAY 17/4/16 AT 9:00am
RUNNING FOR 10 WEEKS (TERM 2)

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