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 our success.

We value Partnership, Respect, Optimism and Pride.

**Student of the Week**

Lilly for overcoming difficulties
Orson for being the research king! Researching extra information on his Olympic country.
Amber-Rose for making fantastic classroom contributions. from Miss V.
Kolt for arriving to school on time. From Miss V.
Will for his improvement in all areas of his learning. Especially his positivity towards classwork and readers theatre. Keep up the effort Will!
Brycee for trying hard with his reading.
Liam for a fantastic presentation on the Olympic Sport Trap shooting and a well thought out design of an Olympic site.

**Canteen**

**Monday: GEST**

**Tuesday: Moe Life Skills**

**Wednesday: Liz Kurzawa**

**Thursday: GEST**

**Friday: Melissa Pudney**

**Partnership Awards**

The following staff members and volunteers were awarded by Junior School Council for their contribution to Breakfast Club:

Mr Browne, Mandy, Michael, Mrs Douglas, Mr Van, Mr Anderson and Mrs Ould.
From the Principal
Hello Everyone,

Building Changes
For quite some time, our school has been over entitled with the number of classrooms we have on site. As a consequence the DET will be removing 2 MOD 5 buildings during the September holidays. They will be renovated and placed in other schools. The DET has contracted companies who will safely remove the buildings particularly as they contain asbestos. Joe Black and his class will move to the room opposite room 1 and Jacob Hall and his class will be located opposite room 2. The end sliding doors will be relocated to ensure the 4 classrooms will be enclosed.

Staff have been moving resources and preparing the rooms for the 5/6 students to be relocated before they head off on camp. Please be mindful of the disruptions that may take place over the next week as we relocate classes. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask me or Al Kurzawa School Council President.

Tournament Of Minds
Last Saturday, the TOM students; Michael Hasthorpe, Haydn Edwards, Diana Coulson, Caleb Atkinson, Sara Pudney and Trent Zealley with James Van Maanenberg participated in the Tournament of Minds at Federation University. I also had the pleasure to attend the event and catch up with excited students and proud parents. The students performed a 10 minute play which they created themselves and participated in another team event that parents and staff were unable to view. Even though the students did not place in this tournament, they certainly have set a high standard for future TOM teams to match! Thanks to our families who supported this event. The students will present their play at assembly tomorrow. All welcome to watch.

Dog Obedience Classes
Jo Fontana and Sandi Wilmot (Leader of the Pack) held their first class at school this week. A variety of dogs and owners worked in the MPR and outside on Tuesday. If you are still interested in enrolling for the next series of classes, please contact the school for details or call Jo on 0407677131.

Community Garden Meeting (revisited)
The next Community Garden is scheduled for Monday 28th August 3:15pm in the staffroom. New members are always welcome.

School Council August Meeting
A reminder that School Council will meet on Tuesday the 29th August 6:30pm in the staffroom. Relevant reports will be distributed on Friday, please check your child’s bag.

Bike Ed Challenge- we placed 3rd
After much practice at school with Anastasia Rossi and Darren Anderson, our Bike Ed Challenge team participated at the Morwell Traffic School yesterday. The students, Samuel Mullucks, Lachlan Wallace, Shanae Webber, Reilly Waterhouse, Talia Cuthbert son, Kaelee Paltridge, Ryan Webber and Tara Robinson demonstrated a range of riding skills as a team. Congratulations to the team as they placed third and won two bikes for the school. Thank you to Sharon Waterhouse, Darren Anderson and Karen Ridley for transporting students and bikes.

Monique Osborn

SCHOOL RELIEF FUND
The total raised this week was $15.90. The winning grade was 3/4 Burnett with a total of $5.65. Congratulations 3/4 B!

State School Spectacular Costings (revisited)
We are currently working on finalising the new cost for State School Spectacular. Please be aware that we need to finish our last lot of fundraising before we can do so. We will let all families involved know the cost as soon as possible. If you would like to start making payments, you are welcome to at the office.

Confirmed Case of Slapped Cheek
We have had a confirmed case of Slapped Cheek in our school community. Slapped Cheek is a viral infection, characterised by bright red cheeks, a cold like illness and sometimes an itchy rash on the body. It is spread by sneezing or coughing. If you would like further information, please visit www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au/health/
Canteen Volunteers Needed

Unfortunately it has been difficult this term to have a consistent canteen roster as some of our community volunteers have not been able to help out. Thank you very much to our parent volunteers who come in each week, we really appreciate it! However, we are still looking for some extras! If you are able to help out on a Monday and/or a Thursday, please contact the office. If we are unsuccessful in finding another volunteer, we may have to close one day. We would love to try and avoid this if possible. Thank you for your support.

Bike Education

Bike Ed

Albert Street competed at the Bike Ed Challenge at Morwell Traffic School yesterday against 8 other schools. The students gave it there all during the competition and represented our school with pride. It was certainly a pleasure being there with them to share their success and see them displaying the values of Albert Street. The preparation and practice sessions run by Mrs Rossi and Mr Anderson to get our team ready certainly paid off.

Albert Street placed equal third on the day. Morwell Park were the overall winners, BUT there were only 8 points separating first and third. Morwell Park scored 600 points and we scored 592 points, so close! Congratulations to our team.

Sharon Waterhouse and Darren Anderson

Pictured is our very proud Bike Education Team!

Book Swap

As part of Literacy and Numeracy week, I will be holding a Book Swap in the library on Thursday the 1st of September. The book swap enables children to swap books they no longer use or want for other books to read.

I encourage all children to check through their books at home and bring any unwanted books to school to swap.

Children who bring books to swap will be able to chose new titles during recess. All other students will be invited at lunch time to pick a book to take home. We have plenty of books ready for new homes, so join in the fun. Remember, the more books you bring, the more you can take home. Please leave books you wish to swap with me so I can record your details. If I am not in the library, please leave your books outside the library in the trolley provided and attach a sticky note with your name on it to the books. I will be setting up on Thursday morning, so please make sure your bring your books to school before then.

Sharon Waterhouse - Library Technician

Solution to Problem 1

The spider will take eight days to reach the top.

Our first correct entry: Lilly Gooding

Solve that Problem 2

Two Hundred and twenty seven students were standing at assembly. Every tenth student was chosen to collect a news sheet. How many were chosen?

Solve this problem and put your answer and include your working out in the “Solve the Problem Box” at the office. I will draw out one entry and the first correct answer will receive a prize.
Dragon Competition

I ...........................................(Parent name) am able to assist my child ...........................................(Child’s name) to create a clay dragon.

Parent Signature........................................