

Albert Street Primary School

Thursday 4th March

Community News

"Dare to Dream"



What's On

Friday 5th March **Pupil Free Day** Swimming forms due

Wednesday 10th March Whole school athletics day

March 15th-19th Whole school swimming program

Monday 15th March to **Friday 19th March** No Canteen

> Friday 19th March Camp Deposit due

Wednesday 24th March Out of Uniform Day Raffle Tickets due

Canteen Roster Mon, Wed and Friday Monday - Casie K Wed - Moe Life Skills Friday - Moe Life Skills

Partnership

Kiarna-Lee—Helping Bek without being asked late on a Friday Baylee—Helping Bek without being asked late on a Friday Sienna—Always being kind and including everyone Lincoln—Helping your partner learn a new maths game Brody—Helping your partner learn a new maths game Callum—For being a kind and considerate classmate to others Kiarna-Lee—Being so helpful to all in the school community Jono—Working together to reach your maths goal Blake—Working together to reach your maths goal

Respect

R Kara—Staying on task, listening and successfully achieved matching rhyming words Alice—Always being polite and using her manners

Pride

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Will—A great start to year 3 and always giving your best effort Aurorah—Your pride in your learning Lilly G—Your pride in your learning tasks and ongoing learning

Optimism

Jesse—Taking pride in your work an stepping up for leadership roles Jye Z—Your commitment to your learning this year Cooper—Happily trying new fruit during our brain breaks Grayson—Having a go and being very focussed with his learning



At Albert Street we value **Partnership** Respect **Optimism** and **Pride**





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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.

Warrawee Everyone,

Athletics Day March 10th Parents are welcome!

With the relaxing of some COVID safety procedures, we are able to invite parents & carers to spectate and help at the Whole School Athletics Day at Joe Carmody Athletics Track. As spectators, please note the following;

- Be mindful of social distancing with others and remain at least 1.5metres apart.
- Wear a face mask if you are unable to social distance.
- Bring your sanitiser for regular use.

We are also looking for parent helpers to assist with measuring, raking and time keeping. If you are able to help, please let our office staff know.

Student Free Day Friday 5th March

A kind reminder that students are not required at school tomorrow. Our staff will be participating in professional learning hosted by James Russo focussing on inquiry math strategies.

Smoke Free Zone- Safety for our children.

It has been observed that during pick up after school, some of our parents are smoking around the fence line whilst students are making their way home. Please keep the areas around the school gates a safe zone for our school community by refraining from smoking while waiting for your child.

Dr Monique Osborn

Counting and Number match

Mrs Sim (Speech, Language and Maths Intervention) worked with our prep students last week, to assist with their recognition of numbers. They played a game that helped them recognise numbers in different forms. Mrs Sim was very pleased with their efforts and Partnership work.



Fundraising News—Out of Uniform Day/Easter Raffle

Our fundraising team is running its first fundraising event for 2021.

They are holding an Out-of-Uniform day on Wednesday 24th March. In exchange for being out of uniform, each child is asked to donate Easter eggs or chocolates for our Easter raffle.

Raffle tickets were sent home last week and are due back on Wednesday 24th March. Thank you to the families who have already returned their raffle tickets and to those who have taken even more to sell. Extra raffle books are available from the office. All money raised will go towards resurfacing one of the basketball courts. Stay tuned for more information regarding this project.



Swimming Program

Everyone is very excited about our upcoming swimming program. Please read the flyer with this newsletter regarding the program and requirements for the week. Any questions, please contact your teacher on the parent portal.

No Canteen from 15th to the 19th March

Please note that during the week of the swimming program (15th to the 19th March), there will be NO canteen due to differing timetables for the week.

Book Club issue 2 has lots of amazing books and packs for students and their families to enjoy, including Mother's Day items. Orders are due back at school by Tuesday 16th March.



Albert Street Primary School is a Child Safe Community At Albert Street we promote diversity and tolerance in a welcoming environment

Camp 2021—Forest Edge (revisited)

On Monday 22nd February, notices for our 2021 camp to Forest Edge were handed to students. We are asking parents/ carers to pay a deposit of \$100 to secure your child's place on the camp.

The total cost of the camp is \$370.00, payment schedule is as follows:

- Friday 19th March 2021—\$100 Deposit due
- Friday 25th June 2021—\$85 due (balance of half payment)
- Friday 27th August 2021—Final payment due \$185

If you have any questions about our 2021 camp, please don't hesitate to leave a message with our office staff and I will attend to your query as soon as possible.

Jacob Hall—Camp Coordinator



Where: Moe Neighbourhood House on Monday 15 March 2021 between 9am - 1pm To book go to: www.safeseatssafekids.com.au

Reminders

Sentral—Absences

Did you know you can now notify the school of absences using the parent portal? Please ensure you load the absence or call the school prior to 9:00am if your child is absent. You can also load absences in advance if you have an upcoming holiday or appointment.

Spare Clothes

On the odd occasion students do require a change of clothes at school, whether that be a toileting accident or just getting wet out in the yard. To save calls home, we ask that you put a change of clothes in your child's bag along with underwear, socks and a plastic bag.

Hats

Please ensure your child has a hat at school to wear whilst outside. If your child does not have a hat, they can be purchased from the office for \$15.

Gates/Late arrivals/Early Pickups

All gates are locked at 8:45am. If your child is late to school (after 8:45am), or needs to attend an appointment, parents must advise the school in advance via Sentral and make telephone contact with the school on arrival. Late arrivals/Early pick-ups will be via the front gate only.

Family Pick ups and drop offs A-G Yellow Gate

H-O Green Gate (Front)

P-Z Blue Gate

(Preps continue to use the front gate if not using family gates above)

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Bell Times

8:35am	Bag Bell. Students deposit bags if teacher permits, children enter rooms etc. Otherwise they go outside. Staff will be inside the classroom for supervision.
8:43am	Music – students to line up in designated areas in attendance roll order.
8:45am	Bell to begin learning session.
10:45am	Recess Bell - students eat inside, at 10:55 a bell rings to leave the classroom.
11:13am	Music
11:15am	Bell to begin learning session
1:15pm	Lunch Bell - Students eat inside or outside, supervised.
1:25pm	Bell for play time (if students do not finish their lunch they are directed to the
	undercover area)
1:43pm	Change of duty bell
1: 58pm	Music
2:00pm	Bell to begin learning session
3:00pm	Dismissal



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