

What's On

Thursday 11th May

School photos

Friday 12th May

Day for Dolly—wear blue ,
gold coin donation

Friday 12th May

Book Club due

Friday 12th May

Mother's Day Stall

Friday 19th May

Walk to School day

Saturday 3rd June

Working Bee

9:00am to 1:30pm

CANTEEN DAYS

MONDAY—Lisa/Deb

TUESDAY—Trena

WEDNESDAY—Deb/Mel

FRIDAY—Moe Life Skills

- A Partnership**
Emma—Showing her team colours so brightly! Well done "yellow fairy".
- W All school staff**—Organising such a fantastic day for athletics
- Lyncoln**—Working together on a Friday to get lunch order tubs sorted
- A Respect**
Maddi T—Her interest and enthusiasm during class discussion. She actively listens, thinks and responds
- R Optimism**
All students who had a go at trying out for cross country/1500m
- D Pride**
Max—A fabulous focused first term. Well done Max!
Reaghan—Positive self talk and showing confidence in herself



Pride

/praɪd/ noun
1. a feeling of deep pleasure or satisfaction derived from one's own achievements, the achievements of one's close associates, or from qualities or possessions that are widely admired.
2. consciousness of one's own dignity.



Optimism

/ˈɒptɪmɪz(ə)m/ noun
1. hopefulness and confidence about the future or the success of something.



Respect

/rɪˈspekt/ noun
1. a feeling of deep admiration for someone or something elicited by their abilities, qualities, or achievements.
2. due regard for the feelings, wishes, or rights of others.



Partnership

/ˈpɑːtnəʃɪp/ noun
1. the state of being a partner or partners.
2. an association of two or more people as partners.



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.

Warrawee everyone,

Extraordinary School Council Meeting

On Tuesday evening, councillors met to organise our upcoming **working bee**. The purpose of this working bee is to address some of the identified tree hazards in the school yard. A professional tree audit has been completed with high, medium and low risks identified. To reduce the cost of complying with the audit, school council has recommended that low risk and some medium risks items can be attended to as a community project. School council president Leigh Taylor will be compiling the jobs and equipment needed such as, pruners, wheel barrows, chain saws, rakes etc., and will be allocating volunteering school Councillors and other interested adults to assist with the project. Steve Cassar, with his voluntary CFA qualifications, will be overseeing the project on the day.

Can you spare a few hours on Saturday June 3rd to partner with us to make the school grounds safe for your children? Please leave your details at the office. A BBQ lunch will be provided to show our appreciation.



Assembly this Week

Thank you to Lyncoln and Callum, year 4 students, who stepped up to plan and present assembly items as our school captain and vice captains attended the Lowanna Open Day. Year 2/3 Burnett presented their acrostic poems, it was great to see their families in attendance to support them. These classes will present an item in coming weeks:

May 10th—1/2 Douglas/Chandler

May 17th—Prep/1 McKimmie

May 24th—5/6 Hall

May 31st—5/6 Hoekstra

June 7th—3/4 Maddock

June 14th—2/3 Burnett

June 21st—1/2 Douglas/Chandler

There are many important events happening at our school during the next couple of weeks, please read the newsletter carefully to ensure your child does not miss out.

Dr Monique Osborn

Book Club—Due Friday 12th May

Issue 3 of Scholastic book club was distributed last week. There are plenty of gold coin books on offer. Check our Scholastics' website for special offers for parents who use the "loop" online ordering system. Orders close Friday 12th May, so don't miss out!

HOT NEW TITLE Special Book Club Price!



UNBEATABLE AT \$3 EACH!



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Day for Dolly—Friday 12th May

We are very proudly supporting the Day for Dolly campaign on Friday 12th May. All students are invited to wear blue in support of this cause and bring a gold coin to donate towards the foundation. Students will participate in activities promoting kindness and being supportive to those who need it! A link for further donations can be found on our Facebook page.



School Photos—Thursday 11th May

Next Thursday the 11th May is photo day. Leading Image has once again been engaged to take some wonderful photos of the students. Ordering is all online (there will be no envelopes sent home), so please follow the instructions provided on Facebook and Sentral to place your order. All sibling photo orders must be completed online by 4:30pm next Wednesday. If you have any questions regarding ordering, please call Leading Image on 1300 084 586 or the school office on 5127 1966.

Mother's Day Stall—Friday 12th May

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, the fundraising team are busy preparing gifts for students to purchase at the Mother's Day stall next Friday 12th May. All donations are greatly appreciated and will ensure we have enough gifts for the students to purchase. The students really enjoy choosing their own gifts and will range between 50 cents and \$5.



Albert Street Primary School is a Child Safe Community

At Albert Street we promote diversity and tolerance in a welcoming environment

Lowanna Open Day

Yesterday, our year 5 and 6 students were invited to the Lowanna Open Day to experience a secondary college environment. The students really seemed to enjoy all of the activities that were organised for them. The students used Lowanna's food lab to cook pizza, also participated in a science activity where they dissolved substances, and attended a musical performance from the Lowanna College School Band where ex Albert Street students Kayla (lead singer), Callum J and Connor C (guitar) performed. A huge thank you to Lowanna for inviting our students and providing such a rewarding experience.



Reminders

Sentral—Absences

Did you know you can 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 event 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, access will be via the front gate only. At times the gate will be locked for incidents around student safety. Should the gate be locked, please call the office.

Family Pick ups and drop offs

A-G **Yellow Gate**
H-O **Green Gate (Front)**
P-Z **Blue Gate**

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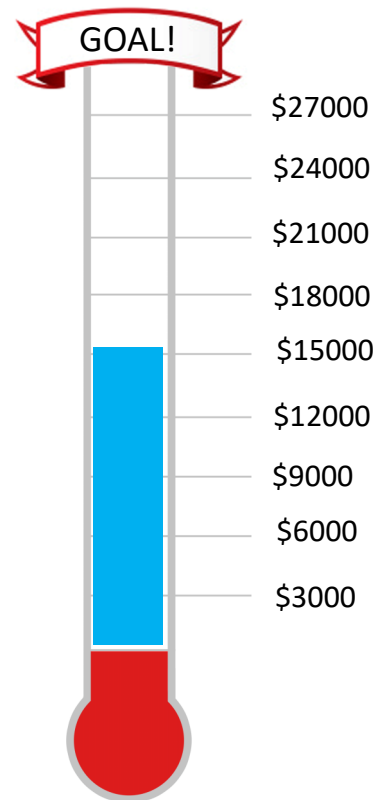
New Playground Project

Following on from last year, our Fundraising Team (lead by parent and School Councilor Casie Konnodouras) have been working to raise money for our new project. The team has decided to replace the old playground equipment that was removed near the bike shed. The image below is an example of what we will be able to fit in that space.

The cost of the project is around \$27000. So far we have raised just over \$15000 to put towards the project. With your help in supporting our fundraising activities, we hope to be able to raise enough funds to have the new equipment installed towards the end of this year or the beginning of 2024.

Thank you for your continued support of our fundraising activities

The Fundraising Team



“Dare to Dream”