

Community News Issue No 27- Friday 13th September 2024



AWARDS

Partnership

Narni–Checking in on others and being a team player!

Abby J–Being inclusive in encouraging others to join in activities on stormy Monday

Empress-Being inclusive in encouraging others to join in activities on stormy Monday

Pip—Being inclusive in encouraging others to join in activities on stormy Monday

Quinn–Making an effort to improve your organisation skills

Respect

Gina—Always doing the right thing and following class rules Poppi—Being a positive, engaged learner

Optimism

Kasey–Showing great improvement in your willingness to have a go at learning tasks

Lylah–Being an engaged learner

Pride

Naomi—Great work in Maths groups and English last week Alexa—Showing pride in your learning by staying focussed Trey—Taking great pride in your report writing on Quokkas





Congratulations to

IMPORTANT DATES

TERM 3

Tuesday 17th September	Division Athletics
Tuesday 17th September	Woodworking Evening–6.00pm–7.30pm
Wednesday 18th September	Incursion—Wildlife display P-4
Thursday 19th September	Footy & Special Lunch Day—*Wear footy colours* 🎽 🎽 🚻 🎽
Friday 20th September	Last Day Term 3–2pm Finish
	TERM 4
Monday 7th October	First Day Term 4
Wednesday 9th October	PROP Day–Families welcome
Tuesday 29th October	School Council Meeting
Monday 4th November	Student Free Day–Teacher Professional Development
Tuesday 5th November	Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday
Tuesday 26th November	School Council November
Tuesday 3rd December	Year 5/6 Puffing Billy Excursion *NEW DATE*
Tuesday 17th December	Year 6 Graduation
Tuesday 10th December	Statewide Transition 2025 Yr 7 & Prep–Going Up Day
Friday 13th December	Semester 2 Reports published on Sentral
Friday 20th December	Last Day of Term 4—1pm Finish



Week 10-18th September - P/M



IMPORTANT REMINDER

Chocolate Fundraiser

We still have a number of families that have not yet returned their chocolate money and/or unsold chocolates to the office. Please make returning money and/or chocolates a priority. This fundraiser is contributing towards the softfall for our new play equipment.

We also have additional boxes available if you wish to sell more

Gates/Late Arrivals/Early Pick Ups

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

From The Principal

Warrawee everyone,

Student Dress Code Reminder

Please note that hoodies are not part of our School Uniform, as an additional layer or for replacing a school jumper. The Dress Code Policy is available on School Website for your reference.

<u>Sun Smart</u>

At the commencement of Term 4 <u>all students will be required to wear a school full brim or bucket</u> <u>hat</u> at all times while they are outside. This includes recess, lunch and any other outdoor classroom activities. Now is a good time to check that your child has the required hat. We have a good supply in the uniform shop for purchase.

<u>RUOK Day</u>

Thank you to the Wellbeing Team who coordinated this day. Students had an opportunity to learn and ask others how they were feeling and to respond appropriately. Thank you to families for dressing your child in yellow. See photos in this newsletter.

Last Day of Term

Friday 20th September is the last day of term. School finishes at 2.00pm on this day and a prompt pick up is greatly appreciated. Term 4 commences on 7th October.

Friday Lunch Orders

Thank you to Heather and Rob who trialled online Lunch Orders this term, and thank you to families for supporting this. We are pleased to announce that this lunch order service will continue next term.

Woodwork Evening

A final call for those families interested in participating in our Woodwork Evening on Tuesday 17th September at 6.00pm. There are still some places available. Please complete the attached form or give the office a call to secure your place. This event is \$10 per family, which covers woodwork materials and a BBQ.

Footy Colours & Special Lunch Day

To finish off the term we will be holding a Footy Colours and Special Lunch Day as part of our Fundraising program. Students are invited to wear their footy team colours or any other sporting team colours. Special Lunch Orders must be in by 3.00pm on Monday 16th September. We look forward to a very colourful day.

Monique Osborn



Community Pantry



A reminder to all families that we have a Community Pantry that can be accessed by parents. Our pantry items are primarily provided by FoodBank and we welcome families to take what you need! The food items available include cereals, soups, fruit cups, spaghetti, bake beans, tuna, honey, vegemite, milk and bread (in freezer). We also have feminine hygiene items and toothpaste. Just around the corner we usually have fresh fruit such as apples, pears, and oranges.

ASPS SCHOOL PROGRAMS

ASPS Garden

On Tuesday 10th of September Barb from Bunnings Morwell has come to help us with a planting session with all grades F-4.

Lots of seedlings have been planted thanks to the amazing generosity of Bunnings Morwell who donated soil, seedlings and seeds to our Sustainability activities.

Great thanks go to Barb who went to all the trouble of loading her car up, unloading, and instructing us all on the safe way to handle seedlings to ensure their best chance of survival. We look forward to sharing our wonderful propagation progress with you in the weeks to come as we harvest our produce.

The students answered with a resounding YES to the idea of engaging in this activity again next year, which is so nice to think that they enjoy this event so much.

Great thanks must also go to Mr. Maddock who has coordinated this event with Barb to ensure that our kitchen garden is again planted out for this Spring.

Each grade now has their very own garden to take care of which will be a great opportunity for students to further develop their green thumb.







The Year 5/6s have also spent time this week planting in their allocated garden bed.





ASK RUOK? ANY DAY

A conversation could change a life.

On Thursday September 12th, ASPS Staff and students dressed in yellow and learned how to ask our mates, "R U OK?" by following four simple steps.

Ask: Are you ok?

Listen: Not only to what they say, but how they say it.

Encourage Action: We shouldn't ever expect that we can be the ones to help, but encouraging small steps in seeking help is key

And finally Check In: Follow up with your mate later on and see if they need anything else.

The junior unit became listening legends with Healthy Harold and the seniors learned the origins of RU OK Day and how they can recognise

Each student and member of staff drew names out of hats to seek out someone new to have a conversation with, which was pretty scary and intimidating for some people, but everyone engaged with kindness and bravery.

Every day is the perfect day to ask, R U OK?





Bianca from A Better Life for Foster Kids has picked up our donated Pyjamas and Big Cheque for our Cash Donation today. Bianca advised our Pyjama donation was their biggest single donation and they are incredibly grateful for our contribution





This term breakfast club will only run on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Breakfast club is open 8:30-8:45am.

A kind reminder to parents/carers that if your child is expecting a hot lunch please ensure this is delivered after 1.15pm. To avoid disappointment we cannot accept requests for your child to leave the classroom early to eat a hot lunch. You can appreciate that this is frustrating for the teachers and also important that students are not missing out on their learning time.



Wood Work Family Evening and BBQ Dinner

Tuesday 17th September — 6pm to 7:30pm

Name of student

Number attending (incl. adults and students)

Payment enclosed \$ ______ (\$10 per family)

Footy Fun Day - 19th September Special Lunch Order

Name

Class

\$8 Sausage Roll Meal Deal – 1 Sausage Roll, drink and sweet

\$10 Plain Pie Meal Deal – 1 Plain Pie, drink and sweet



All order forms and money must be returned by Monday 16th September. NO late orders will be accepted.

Activities at Latrobe Regional Libraries



MEFES' Test your skills with our gaming challenges! FOR PLAYERS AGED 8 TO 20 YEARS 😭 Console and board games 🖙 Leaderboards and prizes Snacks! Fun Competitions start at 1pm. prizes! Competition registrations open at 11am. Competitions will be organised by age range. Players can drop in any time between 12noon and 4pm to play casually. Moe Library: PS5 Traralgon Library: XBOX Tuesday 24 September Thursday 3 October 12noon to 4pm 12noon to 4pm Bookings preferred but walk-ins welcome. -1-Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult. LATROBE CITY Scan to book or visit your local library.

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MOE KIDS MOVIE CLUB-MOE LIBRARY

The Moe Library runs a Kids Movie Club on the first Saturday of each month at 10am during the school term. You can watch a new-release film aimed at primary school aged children/families.

Bring a friend—everybody is welcome to come along! They will provide popcorn and snacks.

Bookings preferred. See council website for further details.

https://lcls-cep.bc.sirsidynix.net.au/event/moekids-movie-club/

GippSport School holiday Programs



Mid Valley Shopping Centre School holiday Programs





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Catch a movie during the holidays

at Village Cinemas!



WOODWIND WORKSHOP

Thursday 26 September 9AM - 2PM Bruce Armstrong Bandroom WARRAGUL

For children age 8-14 Clarinet, Saxophone, Flute No experience - Grade 2 AMEB

Qualified WWCC teachers

Cost: \$45 registration/more info nielsbijl@gmail.com 04 98 387 227



We will provide instruments

Combined presentation concert

Wednesday 2 October -Wesley @ Warragul - 1PM Combined workshop presentation of GSO Youth Strings, WMB Brass and Percussion, YAC Woodwind Workshop



MOE/NEWBOROUGH



Latrobe Health Assembly and Latrobe City Council have partnered with sporting clubs across the Latrobe Valley to light up their grounds on nights they're not used so you can get Active After Hours.

Go for a walk, a run or kick a ball with a friend - it's up to you!

Burrage Reserve Wednesdays - 6:00pm-8:00pm

Moe Tennis Club Tuesdays - 6:00pm-8:00pm

Latrobe Health

Assembly

www.healthassembly.org.au/all-projects/activeafterhours







GREAT NEWS

School Canteen is operating on Fridays



We are excited to announce that the School Canteen will be opening on Fridays for lunch orders.

Please note orders will need to be made and paid for online and no cash purchases will be available. Details on the ordering process is noted below. *** NEW ITEMS ADDED TO MENU BELOW ***

<u>Hot Food</u>

Popcorn chicken	\$4.00	C
Chicken Nuggets	\$0.60	Н
Party Pies	\$0.80	E
Party Sausage Roll	\$0.80	Н
Hot dog	\$3.20	C
Dim Sims Fried/Steamed	\$0.80	
Chicken Burger <u>w</u> lettuce/cheese/mayo	\$4.60	<u>R</u>
Cheeseburger	\$4.60	C
Ham & cheese croissant	\$3.80	Н
Cheese croissant	\$3.20	E
Ham & pineapple pizza	\$4.00	Н
Bacon & cheese pizza	\$4.00	C
Nachos—Salsa & Cheese	\$5.50	
Mini Spring roll	\$1.00	N
Spaghetti Bolognese	\$5.50	Н
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Sauces		Н
Tomato sauce	\$0.10	C
BBQ sauce	\$0.10	
Soy sauce	\$0.10	Y
Sour cream	\$0.10	Fr
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<u>Turkish Roll—Toasted</u>		
Chicken Cheese Mayo	\$6.00	<u>D</u>
Salami Cheese	\$6.00	Fl
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<u>Snacks</u>	4	St
Crackers & cheese	\$2.50	_
Jam Donut	\$1.30	Fr
Chocolate cake	\$2.00	A
Jam cream Lamington	\$2.50	A
Frog in the Pond	\$2.00	0

Sandwiches/White or Wholemeal

<u>Sanawicnes/ white or wholemeal</u>	
Cheese & Vegemite	\$2.00
Ham & cheese	\$3.00
Egg & lettuce	\$3.30
Ham & salad	\$4.80
Chicken & salad	\$4.80
<u>Rolls/White or Wholemeal</u>	
Cheese & Vegemite	\$2.50
Ham & cheese	\$3.50
Egg & lettuce	\$3.80
Ham & salad	\$5.50
Chicken & salad	\$5.50
<u>Wraps/White or Wholemeal</u>	
Ham & cheese	\$3.20
Egg & lettuce	\$3.70
Ham & salad	\$5.50
Chicken & salad	\$5.50
Yoghurt tubs	\$2.00
French Vanilla	Ş2.00
Strawberry	
Strawberry	
Drinks	
Flavoured milk	\$2.00
Chocolate	,
Strawberry	
Fruit juice	\$1.20
Apple	
Apple blackcurrant	
Orange	

CANTEEN NEWS

We are happy to be bringing Canteen lunches to school for your children to enjoy.

We have all the instructions stepped out for you to make it easy to use our app.

If at any time you have any problems navigating it, please don't hesitate to contact me either by email or text message. Once you have the app set up, it couldn't be easier to order.

****Please note the following****

For catering purposes, orders will need to be submitted via the app by **<u>12:00pm on the Thursday</u>** for delivery of Friday orders.

If you do put an order in and your child is unable to attend school on the Friday, please text me on 0432 966 982 by 9:00am, and I can hold it until the following week.

Please ensure you place your child's name and room number in the checkout box as noted in the instructions.

