

## Albert Street Primary School

Friday 18th August 2023

## **Community News**

## What's On

Thursday 24th August Self defence 5/6

21st-25th August
Book Week

Wednesday 23rd August Book Week dress up day

Friday 1st September
Fathers Day Stall

Tuesday 5th September
School Concert

Friday 8th September Gippsland's biggest PJ Day

**Thursday 14th September** Footy colours dress up day

#### **CANTEEN DAYS**

MONDAY—Lisa
WEDNESDAY—Katherine
FRIDAY—Moe Life Skills

#### A Partnership

Lyncoln—being the first to get all catch-up spellings correct

Olivia—fantastic modelling of a skill to another student

Declan—for welcoming me to the classroom on the day I helped

A Grade 2/3—supporting me on my journey to become a teacher

Noah C—the wonderful kindness and guidance you showed our newby

#### **R** Optimism

Harry—being pro-active in mastering your spelling

Callum—good work on catch-up spelling

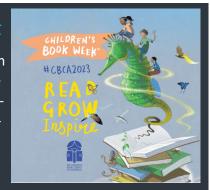
Tiarah—doing so well at catch-up spelling

**S** Levi D—working hard on his spelling and getting them all right



## Book Week dress up parade—Weds 23rd August

This year we are celebrating Book Week between Monday 21st August and Friday 25th August. The theme is "read, grow, inspire." On Wednesday 23rd August we will be having a parade so dress up as your favourite character and bring a book to share. Parents are invited to come along and see all the amazing costumes on display. More details to follow regarding times.



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,

#### **CONCERT UPDATE**

Remember September 5th is our concert day. Students are continuing to practise their items with their classroom teachers and Melissa Lia. Costumes are currently being organised and Sharon W has made contact with the families of our main characters to ensure they will be dressed for the part. Our poster competition was judged this week and our winning students were presented with their prizes at assembly this week. Congratulations to our winners, Khin and Trinity (Prep section), Alyannah and Ava (1/2 section), Lyncoln and Tiarah (3/4 section), Uyen and Poppy (5/6 section). Their beautiful artwork will feature in our program and posters. (See photos In this newsletter) TICKETS will be on sale from Monday 21st August from the office. Tickets are \$10 each and a maximum of 5 tickets per family. For OH&S reasons Lowanna SC requires that all those attending, including young children, purchase a seat. (except for babies) Students performing in the concert do not require a ticket. There are no seating allocations for this performance.

#### **BOOK WEEK**

To celebrate Book Week at our school we are encouraging all students to dress up as their favourite character on Wednesday 23rd August. We will be holding a dress-up parade around 9:00am. Families are welcome to attend and come in costume as well. House points will be awarded to all those who dress up and prizes given to the most innovative costumes in class. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Dr Monique Osborn** 

#### **Transition Day**

On Wednesday 16th August the 5/6s visited Lowanna Secondary College to get a taste of high school life.



#### **Buddies**

The F/1M grade partnered with some of the 5/6 students on Friday to target the Physical Education skill of rolling a ball.

As part of the skill practice we worked in small groups and then played a new game.

Our 5/6 Buddies ran small groups in the practicing of the skill, and then instructed us in how to play the game.

Many thanks to Burt, Sophie and Bella for their partnership today!





#### **Concert tickets**

We are all looking forward to our concert on the 5th September. Tickets will be on sale from Monday 21st August from the office. Tickets are \$10 each Concert tickets \$10



#### Cooking with the 5/6S

Recently the 5/6s made smiley face cookies with Mrs Gooding. The students used Marie biscuits, icing and lots of yummy looking lollies to decorate the cookies.

They looked fabulous and I bet they tasted great!



#### **Concert poster competition**

We had some wonderful entries in our poster competition! It was very hard to choose winners. Congratulations to our winners who won some great Lego prizes.



#### **Fundraising:**

#### Father's Day stall

On Friday 1st September we will be holding our Father's Day stall. There will be gifts priced from 50c—\$5. Donations of suitable gifts would be greatly appreciated.

#### PJ day

Snuggle up in your favourite PJs for school on Friday 8th September

#### **Footy colours day**

On Thursday 14th September we will be holding our footy colours day. Dress up in your favourite teams colours.



## 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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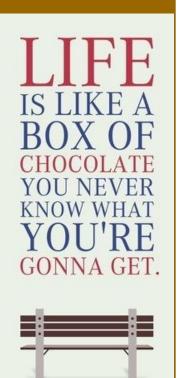
# Life is Like .....

We are very excited to announce our 2023 school production of "Like is Like..." to be held at Lowanna College Auditorium on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> of September.

In "Life is Like...," we follow the endearing character of Forrest Gump as he embarks on a heartfelt journey of reminiscing about beloved TV shows from the past and present. The play takes the audience on a heartwarming and nostalgic trip through television history while exploring themes of friendship, memories, and the enduring power of storytelling.

Students are well under way with rehearsals for their class performances as part of the show and are working hard on their dance and musical skills! We look forward to sharing further details about the production in the coming weeks!

A big congratulations to our senior students on their successful audition process and we can't wait to see them all shine in their roles!



#### Sustainability

The grades 3/4M and F/1 M students did a 'Waste Audit' in collaboration with Simone Taylor from Resource Smart This audit was undertaken to help us determine a baseline understanding of the amount of landfill we produce at our school in a week. The plan is to brainstorm and undertake a variety of strategies to reduce our landfill waste in the future.



