

### What's On

#### Friday 23rd June

Last day of school 2pm finish

Student reports available

Parent teacher booking open

#### Monday 10th July

Student Free Day

(Literacy professional development for staff)

#### Tuesday 11th July

First day term 3 for students

#### July 18th & 20th

Parent Teacher interviews

#### 27th July to 4th August

Book fair

### CANTEEN DAYS

MONDAY—Lisa

TUESDAY—Trena

WEDNESDAY—Deb

FRIDAY—Moe Life Skills

### Partnership

Noah C—Always working with others with a smile on your face

Casie—Always putting her hand up to help others

### Respect

Kaleb L—Always being kind and thoughtful towards all in class

Oliver B—his independence and motivation to stay on task. He is achieving awesome symbolism in his sculpture

### Optimism

Nate Z—The amazing effort you put into your travel expo display

Uri—Being a super star writer! Well done! Hard work brings rewards

Abby—Having a go at all the tasks this week. Super job

Shaylah—Always being engaged and willing to share during class

Macey—Having a real can do attitude, facing new things with enthusiasm

Tyson—Showing patience and calmness when technology didn't work

### Pride

Alyanah—Being very focused during Math sessions learning about money

Camryn—Always doing your best in the work you do

Ellouise—Being a very focused reader and showing a great understanding of the text



### Book Fair is Coming .....

Ms Hunter (our Library Technician) is busy preparing for this year's Book Fair. Book Fair will be here next term from Thursday 27th July to Friday 4th August. Students will have the opportunity to browse through the beautiful books for sale as well the wacky stationery and lovely posters. Parents are most welcome to come along and browse the selection before and after school. Times will be announced shortly.



*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,**

### End of Term News

A huge thank you to those families that are supporting student attendance. Even though the weather is cold and miserable, we know this is not a reason for students to stay at home. At assembly this week we recognized and celebrated 45 students who achieved 90% attendance and an amazing 21 students who have attended every day this term. Attendance awards contribute to house points and this certainly helped yellow house move to first place. The attendance points will continue to feature next term.

We also farewell our school nurse Imogen and we wish her all the best with her future career. We are currently in negotiations with LCH to fill this position for the remainder of the year.

### New Business Manager

Thank you to Lee-Anne who has filled the Business manager role for the past 21 months. Lee-Anne has provided amazing professional support at the office and with School Council. We welcome Jen McQuade as our ongoing Business Manager. Jen comes with a range of skills and knowledge, having worked in schools. Jen will be working 5 days a week as Sharon begins her journey to retirement. Jen will commence with us on the first day of term 3.

### Travel Expo

Congratulations to the senior unit for a fabulous Expo. Thank you to the many parents/carers who helped with supplying food and participation in the Expo. The students were delighted to share their knowledge about their specific countries they were learning about and had great fun offering snails as a French delicacy to trial. Well done to all.

### Assembly

We had another action packed assembly this week with awards and celebrations. Thank you to 1/2 Douglas/Chandler who presented their Vowel song. It was also great to see so many family members taking the time to participate in assembly.



Dr Monique Osborn

### Flash Light Reading

As part of our buddy reading program, last week students were introduced to flash light reading. Students were provided with a torch, the lights were turned down and they read a book using their flash lights. It's just another strategy used to encourage children to read and enjoy books as they follow the words with a torch.



### Book Fair—"Hats Off to Reading"

Book fair is on it's way and this year's theme is "Hat's Off to Reading". Mrs Hunter has some exciting activities planned for this year's book fair and some awesome prizes to give away. Book Fair will be here from 27th July to 4th August, more details to follow next term.

### Albert Street Reading Challenge

Last week, students were invited to participate in the Albert Street Reading Challenge, and were provided with a reading record to keep track of the number of books read. Students in Prep to year 2 are encouraged to read (or experience) 30 books and students year 3 to 6 are encouraged to read or experience 15 books. The challenge is open now, so read as many books as you can to win the classroom challenge!



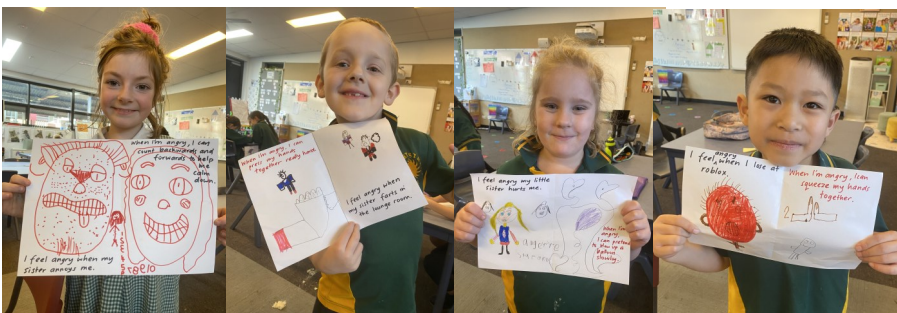
### Lions Club book donation

The Books4Kids program is an initiative of the Lions Club of Moe, established primarily as an aid to reducing the incidence of poverty based illiteracy within in the children of the Latrobe Valley. This initiative has been made possible through the Lion's alliance with the free Children's Book Charity 123Read2Me. We thanks Lion's for their generosity and will distribute the books to students very shortly.



### Expressing Feelings through Art

This term, Mrs Fraser has been working with students to help them create art that expresses an emotional type of feeling. The students have really embraced the activity and come up with some beautiful art works as part of the Respectful Relationships component of the curriculum. Students are currently learning coping strategies for difficult emotions.



**Albert Street Primary School is a Child Safe Community**

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

## Travel Expo

What a huge success last Thursday at the Travel Expo. The event was well attended by parents and family members and the students really enjoyed showing off their work. A hug thank you to the many families who got involved and helped to prepare food for the event so students could provide sample food items from their chosen country. There was even Escargot from France! All visitors were asked to vote for the display that encouraged them the most to visit that country.



## Donations Needed! - Small grocery cardboard boxes

Our Eco Warrior Team are looking for donations to prepare for a lunch time activity group next term. The team is looking for donations of small grocery sized cardboard boxes (cereal boxes, tea bag boxes etc,) and alfoil/cling wrap rolls.

**Due to OH & S we cannot accept toilet rolls.**

The Eco-Warrior Team will focus on recycling and how to utilise recyclables in the construction of craft goodies. More information regarding the lunchtime craft group will be coming in Term 3.



## 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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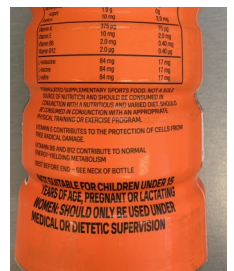
# House Point Challenge

Congratulations to Yellow house who have come from behind to eclipse everyone! Due to their amazing attendance and participation at Monday's PROP day focussing on Partnership, they have won the race. Well done to everyone and we look forward to next term's challenge.



## Energy Drinks

There have been a couple of instances where students have been bringing energy type drinks to school. These drinks are not suitable for children under the age of 15 years and therefore not appropriate to bring to school and do not support our healthy eating curriculum.



*"Dare to Dream"*