



PRINCIPAL REPORT – WEEK 3 TERM 3 2019

As announced at the end of last week, it is with great excitement that we see Mrs Lisa Knowles successful in her application for a Learning Specialist role at Kurnai College, beginning Monday August 12. In a little over two weeks, it has become obvious to me how much our school community values Lisa, her teaching, and her infectious personality. Although we sadly wish her farewell, we do so with the knowledge that our school has supported Lisa with her development as a teacher and leader. For those interested, the process for sourcing a teacher to take over from Lisa is underway and I anticipate this will be finalised at the time of Lisa's departure, allowing for a smooth handover.

As a matter of courtesy, I would also like to use this opportunity to inform our Grade 2/3 parents of the arrangements for covering Ruth Bone whilst she is on two weeks long service leave. As a school, we have attempted to minimise the amount of disruption to students through the appointment of consistent replacement teachers, those of which are detailed below. I trust you will welcome and support Justin and Sheridan whilst Ruth is on a much-deserved holiday.

TEACHER – MS RUTH BONE: GRADE 2/3	
WEEK 3 TERM 3	
Monday 29 July	Mr Justin Jankowski
Tuesday 30 July	
Wednesday 31 July	
Thursday 1 August	
Friday 2 August	
WEEK 4 TERM 3	
Monday 5 August	Mr Justin Jankowski
Tuesday 6 August	
Wednesday 7 August	Ms Sheridan Scott
Thursday 8 August	
Friday 9 August	

It was so lovely to see our Prep and Grade 1 students dressed up on Monday to celebrate their 100 days of school. A special thanks goes to Jo Morrison and Paula Landy for organising this special occasion, and to parents for the dress-up costumes. As parents, photos and memories of occasions like this are ones we think back of fondly, wondering where the years have gone.

Finally, as previously communicated, please be reminded of the invitation for all parents to participate in the Department of Education and Training 2019 Parent Opinion Survey. Survey login details have been sent home in a sealed envelope with your child, however if this has been misplaced, please let me know and I can reproduce this for you.

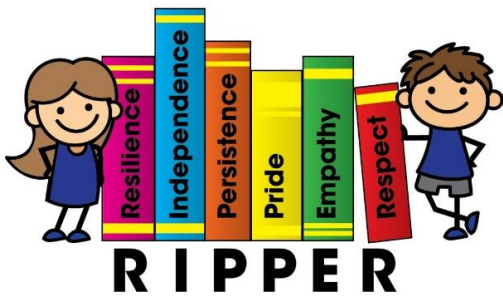
Take care

Joel Blythman

SWIMMING PROGRAM YEARS PREP-2

The swimming program for students in Years Prep - 2 will now be held in Term 4. Details and costs are currently being finalised and forms with full details will be sent home as soon as possible.

RIPPER Student Awards - Week Ending 26th July 2019



Prep	Lexi Walsh	For showing persistence when recording sounds she hears in words.
1	Imogen Rouget	For showing pride and persistence in writing time.
2/3	Sian Coulthard	For being a 'RIPPER' kid consistently.
3/4	Mia Jones	For always showing empathy inside and out of the classroom.
4/5	Matilda Peck	For persistence, pride and independence in all her learning.
6	Benj Selwyn	For working hard and displaying pride in his Big Write.
Art/Music	Adrian O'Loughlin & Emma Bates	For displaying excellent "tying" skills and helping their peers with their CD weaving.
P.E.	Piper Skurrie	For showing independence and maturity during dance lessons in P.E.

POSITIVE PARENTING SESSION

The Latrobe Health Assembly will be hosting a free 60 minute Positive Parenting seminar next week with Glen Gerreyn from the Hopeful Institute. The session will be focused on positive parenting techniques. The seminar is aimed at parents with children of all ages.

Date: Tuesday 6th August 2019

Time: 7pm

Venue: Morwell Central Primary School Auditorium

Address: 47 McDonald St, Morwell

RSVP: info@healthassembly.org.au buy Monday 5th August

DATES TO REMEMBER

11 th Aug	Sun	Last day for Parent Opinion Survey online access
14 th Aug	Wed	ICAS online payments close for Years 2 - 6 students participating
23 rd Aug	Fri	Musica Viva - No cost to families this year

100 Days of School - Grade Prep and Grade 1

The Preps and Ones had a lovely day on Monday celebrating 100 Days of School. Each day they have counted and recorded the number of days in various ways and now the long awaited one hundredth day has finally arrived. They have had a wonderful day of learning activities all about 100! The students wrote about when they were 100. Responses included:

When I am 100 I will...

- ☺ Be asleep and I will be slow - Cody
- ☺ Sleep and lay on the couch – Thomas
- ☺ Sit on the couch and watch Netflix – Imogen
- ☺ Sleep in bed – Nathaniel
- ☺ Sleep on the couch and make a Ferris wheel - Abraham
- ☺ Sit on the chair and sleep on the bed – Malachi
- ☺ Watch footy and mow the lawns – Errol
- ☺ Ride a KTM and watch TV – Liam B
- ☺ Sleep a lot, have a grandson, eat a lot and walk slow – Mia
- ☺ Sit on the couch and work doing the lawns – Levi
- ☺ Have grey hair and walk slow – Ruby
- ☺ Scare people – Harvey
- ☺ Sleep, be retired, walk slowly – Hollie
- ☺ Sit down and walk slow – Ahli
- ☺ Keep my eyes on my Grandma kids – Alice
- ☺ Sleep, do dishes and read – Amy
- ☺ Watch footy and make my kids go to school – Kyah
- ☺ Play with my grandchildren and sleep on the couch - Zach
- ☺ Sleep and write – Archie
- ☺ Stay on the couch and do nothing – Hunter
- ☺ Quit work and sit and watch TV – Macaitie
- ☺ Be retired, in a nursing home, watching TV & eating bickies – Piper
- ☺ Be retired from fishing – Murray
- ☺ Marry Imogen and have children – Amelia
- ☺ Sit on the couch and watch TV – Havana T
- ☺ Use a walking stick and have a beard - Cooper
- ☺ Get a letter from the Queen – Greta
- ☺ Sleep on warm day - Ryan
- ☺ Wear glasses and use a walking stick – Mia
- ☺ Sit on the couch – Lola
- ☺ Play with my grandkids – Blake
- ☺ Play with my old cousins, they will be 100 too! - Lexi
- ☺ Love sleeping lots - Sophie
- ☺ Watch cricket all day – Harrison
- ☺ A retired police cop – Buddy
- ☺ Sit on the couch – Cruz
- ☺ Listen to music and go to the plaza – Havana W
- ☺ Ride a motorbike and a push bike – Jordan
- ☺ Wear glasses and use a walking stick - Max
- ☺ Be a great old man – Brax
- ☺ Sleep all day – Meliah
- ☺ Sleep and lay down – Braxton
- ☺ Watch cricket for the whole day – Liam P
- ☺ Have grandchildren - Jake



ENROL NOW FOR 2020

Traralgon South Primary School are now taking enrolments for Prep students in 2020.

We encourage all families to enrol their child by Friday 30 August 2019.

Please contact the school for an enrolment package, and if you would like, to arrange a school tour.

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