Ardmona Primary School

17 August 2018 Term 3— Week 5

NEWSROUND

Principals Message

Hi to you all. Hope that this quick update finds you all well.

REVIEW

The review is well underway and all is going well with this. With that in mind we are looking for parents to come in and talk to our reviewers on Tuesday at 2.30pm. They are wanting to check in with parents to see what your thoughts are in regards to the school and school community. So please make sure you come in and share your thoughts and celebrate the successes of the year. This will all give voice to the next 3 years of direction for your school.

FRIENDS OF ARDMONA GROUP

Mr. Tunks along with Mr. Van Dorsser are working with a couple of prominent members of the community to try and organise a Friends of Ardmona Primary School Group. There are some exciting developments happening in this space and your students will be involved in the creation of this early days. They are looking to interview some members of the local community and will be working to figure out what the best questions to ask would be. This is super exciting and we are looking forward to how this will turn out.

DRESS LIKE A FARMER DAY

Today, we had a Dress Like A Farmer Day and it was awesome to see all the kids doing their bit for farmers less fortunate than us and struggling to make ends meet. The school has been able to raise over a \$100 for Buy-a-Bale. This is amazing for all of us. Congratulations and this will look to buy a large bale of hay for some much needed farmers. Well done to everyone. Also make sure you catch the Shepparton Adviser on Wednesday to catch some great photos, while also ABC Goulburn Murray also came out today and there will be a report on the Country Hour probably next Friday. This is some great positive outcomes for the school.

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

Don't forget the next school council meeting, 27th August 2018 at 6.00pm. This will be a good meeting where we can discuss what is happening in and around the school about the Buildings happening with the review.

Talk to you Next Week!

Ms. Jean Varty

WE NEED YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT!!!!

Can you spend 15 minutes talking about OUR school?? Our reviewers want to hear from you. TUESDAY 21st AUGUST at 2.30PM they will be ready and waiting for you. We might even throw in an Afternoon Tea for you. Once you have had a chat with them your can pick up your students. Loooking forward to seeing you then!!

Inside:

- Calendar of Events
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and also what has been

Star of the Week



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WHO ARE THE STUDENTS:

Following the success of the Brad Handley's interviews over the last couple of weeks, **Mr. Nathan Turner** decided to turn his hand to be the interviewer and interview a student. He has even given it a name..

"MR. TURNER'S FAST10!"

This week he talks with Tyran Miller (Grade 3).

Tyran, how old are you? 8 years old

What's your favourite Disney Movie, Cars or Planes? Cars, because of Lightning McQueen

What is heavier, a tonne of bricks or a tonne of feathers? A Tonne of Bricks Frozen or Moana? Moana

Do you Floss or Dab? Definitely Flossing.

Which song is better? I'm a Barbie Girl or Let It Go? I'm a Barbie Girl.

If you were stranded in the desert, what 3 things would you take? Boat, Water and a Helicopter!!

What's your Favourite Song? Thunder by Imagine Dragons

What's your Favourite movie? Baywatch with Zac Efron and The Rock

Who's your Favourite AFL Player? Collingwood's Jordan De Goey

And your favourite Mooroopna Football Player? You of course, Mr. Turner
Thank you Tyran for doing this, it was great to get to know you more. Thank
you Mr. Turner!



	Calendar of Events SCHOOL OPIN-				
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	ION SURVEY
August	20	21	22	23	24th August
gust	27	28	29	30	31
S	3 SEPT	4	5 BOOK CLUB ORDERS DUE!	6	7
September	10	11	12 VISIT FROM SPACE EDUCATION	13	14
	17	18	19	20	21 LAST DAY OF TERM 3 - EARLY DISMISSAL



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Awards

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For working on his friendship with his classmates as well as the other students around him. Beau has been working really hard at being safe and respectful, which is awesome to see. I am very happy to see this. Keep up the good work Beau.

For putting in great effort in Maths and showing determination when exploring the topic of fractions.

Keep up the great work Connor!

Connor BARKER (4-6)

Jedd LOFFEL (P-3)

Jedd has been really persistent this week, in particular in his maths. It has been really great to see this and see him succeed in his work.

Keep up the great work, Jedd!





Prep Enrolments for 2019.



We are currently accepting enrolments for the 2019 School Year. There are information packs at the front office. If you have a Prep for 2019, or know someone who does please don't hesitate to contact the office on Wednesday's or Friday Mornings to arrange to collect a pick up of the Enrolment Pack. Also please pass this information on to any interested families you might know.

Classroom News:

This week in we have been learning about inferring and the importance of it when we read. We have been learning that every good reader infers. We have been doing informative writing and investigating the life of a caterpil-

lar. Please discuss their findings at home and you will be amazed at what they know.

We have been learning about patterns and what makes a pattern a pattern. We have also been focussing on tessellations and having fun with them. We are learning how food is processed and reaches supermarket. Ask them about it.

Please remember to read with your child every night as it really impacts their reading ability.

- Mrs. Sciuto



SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY:

Students may wear the new blue and red polo shirt or skivvy, a royal blue windcheater, zip jacket or hooded windcheater. Navy blue track pants or red shorts may be worn-no other emblems are acceptable other than the school logo.

The Principal / Welfare Officer may assist families experiencing financial difficulties to obtain the uniform.

In Literacy this week we have started a new topic of poetry and the students are enjoying this quite a lot. We have been particularly looking at the context, purpose and audience for a range of different poems that we have read.

At the end of last week students presented their Information Report posters, they have all put a lot of hard work into these and they look absolutely fantastic! In numeracy we are continuing on with fractions and have been counting by fractions including halves, quarters, thirds, fifths, eighths and tenths and also looking at mixed numbers and improper fractions.

- Mr. Tunks

Kindness Quote of the Week!



Principals Weekl

Joke of the Day

As always, "S4TC" (Safe for the classroom)

Teacher: Class, we will have only a half day of school this morning.

Class: Hooray!

Teacher: We will have the other half this afternoon.



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'ROAR' AWARDS

ROAR stands for "Recognising Outstanding Attendance Rewards" and we are weekly going to be congratulating students who receive have 100% attendance for the week prior:

For the week of **8th August to 15th August**, the following students obtained 100% attendance:



Harry Barker (Gr.3) Lilli Blake (Gr.2)

Jamie-Lea Lummas (Gr.3)

Tayler Lummas (Gr.1)

Attendance Tyran Miller (Gr. 3)

Lennix Ponting

(Gr.2)

Liam Trevena (Gr.Prep)

Jayden Young (Gr.Prep)



Connor Barker (Gr.5)

Izzy Barker (Gr.4)

Trent Benjamin (Gr.6)

Toby Breen (Gr.6)

Tiearne Flint (Gr.4)

Bradley Handley (Gr.4)

Jodie Handley (Gr.5)

Melanie Handley

(Gr.6)

Beau Lummas (Gr.4)

Kaileb Miller (Gr. 6)

Kydan Miller (Gr. 4)

Charlie Ralph (Gr. 4)



Congratulations to the above students and keep up the good work in making sure you are getting to school!

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COMMUNITY...



Mooroopna Hockey
Club is still looking for
players and if you are
interested in playing
then you are more than

welcome to come down and have a go.
Training nights are Tuesday Nights at
the Hockey Field at McEwen Reserve,
Shepparton and starts from 5.30pm. If
you are interested and would like some
more information, please contact Mr. V
at school. It would be awesome to see
people give this sport a go.



AROUND THE SCHOOL!!





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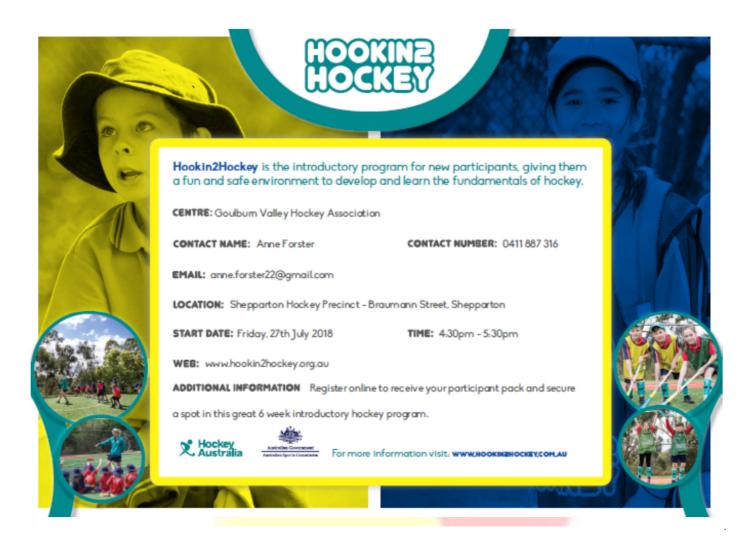
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PLACEMENT IN YEAR 7 AT A GOVERNMENT SECONDARY SCHOOL FOR COMMENCEMENT 2019

The following *Frequently Asked Questions* will help you understand the Department of Education and Training (DET) Placement Policy and the placement process implemented by government schools

Are all enrolment applications to government secondary schools accepted?

All applications for Year 7 enrolment at a government secondary school are subject to the following principles:

- each child will be provided with a place in the designated neighbourhood school (see FAQ below);
- parents/carers will be provided with an opportunity to enrol their child at the same school as that being attended by an older sibling who resides at the same permanent residential address and who will continue attending the school in 2019 provided the school has capacity
- parents/carers are able to send their child to any other school where space is available; and
- enrolments are contained in each secondary school within the limits of available resources as determined by the DET Regional Director.

What is a designated neighbourhood school?

The designated neighbourhood school is generally the secondary school within closest proximity to the student's permanent residential address, unless the DET Regional Director needs to restrict new enrolments at a school due to pressure on enrolment capacity.

The nearest school is determined on the basis of the child's permanent residence. Schools may request that parents/carers provide supporting documentation to assist in verifying a student's permanent residential address.

In some circumstances, where there is a need to restrict enrolments at a school, the DET Regional Director may have defined a different enrolment boundary for the school by establishing a designated neighbourhood zone. Where a zone is in place, a child's designated neighbourhood school may not be their nearest school.

For more information, please see http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/parents/secondary/Pages/boundary.aspx

All requests from parents/carers living outside the designated neighbourhood boundary/zone will be considered by the Principal at each government secondary school.

Where there are insufficient places at a school for all students who seek entry, students are enrolled in the following priority order as

outlined in the DET Placement Policy:

Where there are insufficient places at a school for all students who seek entry, students are enrolled in the following priority order:

- Students for whom the school is the designated neighbourhood school.
- Students with a sibling at the same permanent address who are attending the school at the same time.
- Where the regional director has restricted the enrolment, students who reside nearest the school.
- Students seeking enrolment on specific curriculum grounds.
- All other students in order of closeness of their home to the school.
- In exceptional circumstances, compassionate grounds.

The DET website contains comprehensive information on the transition from Year 6 to Year 7.

For more information for parents, please see http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/parents/secondary/Pages/starting.aspx

What is the process for a parent/carer lodging an appeal against an enrolment placement decision?

An appeal to the preferred secondary school against an enrolment placement decision can be made on the grounds that the priority order of placement has not been applied or, in exceptional circumstances, on compassionate grounds.

Any appeal by parents/carers regarding a decision not to provide a Year 7 placement must be lodged with the <u>preferred</u> secondary school by **Friday 17 August 2018**. It will be considered by the Principal and parents/carers will be notified of the outcome by **Friday 31 August 2018**.

If your appeal to the Principal of your preferred secondary school is unsuccessful and you believe that your grounds have not been adequately considered, you may lodge a further appeal in writing to the appropriate DET Regional Director by **Friday 7 September 2018.**

Year 7 placement appeals are considered by a panel of senior regional staff that assess the appeal against the priority order of placement. This panel provides advice and a recommendation to the Regional Director who makes the final decision. This concludes the appeal process.

Your regional office will provide contact details and a process for lodging an appeal to the Regional Director. Your regional office can be contacted on 1300 333 231



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CENTRAL VICTORIAN CHILD HEALTH PRESENTS...

DR TONY ATTWOOD Autism Workshop

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 2, 2018

WESTSIDE PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE, MOOROOPNA

MORNING SESSION

Cognitive Abilities: a different way of thinking and learning 9am-1pm

AFTERNOON SESSION

The profile of abilities in girls with ASD-Level 1 (Asperger's Syndrome) ipm-3pm Optional Q&A session 3-3:30pm

Parentsicarers of children who have been seen at one of our clinics in the last 12 months are eligible for a CVCH client discount.

Morning session includes morning tee and lunch. General admission: \$65 CVCH dient discount: \$50

Afternoon session General admission: \$50 CVCH dient discount: \$35

Whole day includes morning tea and lunch. General admission: \$110 CVCH dient discount: \$60

To purchase tickets: https://www.trybooking.com/VDMC Or phone our Shepperton clinic; 03 5831 2413

Esteemed Professor Tony Attwood is a clinical psychologist who has specialised in Autism Spectrum Disorders since he qualified as a clinical psychologist in England in 1975. He has worked with many thousands of individuals. of all ages with Asperger's syndrome or an Autism Spectrum Disorder, He presents for us sessions on cognitive abilities, thinking and learning profiles, and the presentation of ASD in girls.





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