Ardmona Primary School

19th October 2018 Term 4— Week 2

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Principals Message

What a fantastic week we have had this week with an abundance of learning happening in and around the school.

SWIMMING LESSONS

As you would have noticed the students have been involved in rigorous swimming program at Aquamoves in Shepparton and their enthusiasm in learning has been brilliant. Many thanks to the team who have supported daily programs that have been supervised by the skilled staff at the pool.

BUILDING READING STAMINA

It also has been a grant week in reference to the work that has been undertaken by *Mr Tunks* in his Professional learning community initiative" building reading stamina". This work has evolved across the senior room and is being embraced by the early years group F-3 incorporating building students efforts in sustaining reading over a period. Working alongside of Mr Tunks we have researched and responded to our observations of students in reading and celebrate with you that students attitude has improved to the maximum and goals are being set for learning also known as age levelled texts. The efforts of the students in particular those of Year four have ben brilliant with an increased focus and relevant comprehension. Great work in the senior room! This now is to be embraced by the entire school. Great work to you all for your continued support. Our students are moving forward!

WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST EVENT

Mr. Turner has been organising a great inclusive cricket event for the senior class that will happen on Friday 26th October 2018. Unfortunately, Mr. Turner will be away on that day, and therefore Mr. Tunks and Mr. Van Dorsser will be taking the students on the excursion as they attempt to play against other schools from around the area. This has been a great event where the students have learnt and expanded on skill development, like throwing, hitting and hand eye coordination. This is an exciting event that all the students are looking forward to, and representing our school proudly.

NUMERACY PRACTICES

Mrs. Jeanette Overall will once again be engaging with the team at school in the area of numeracy and will maintain links in classes building professional practice. She is a fun lady who engages well with all students and it shall be fantastic to for our stushare our resources and build and continually review the growth in learning outcomes Inside: dents. With Jeanette each visit collectively we celebrate our love of maths and Nu-Handley's Handful

WORKING BEE

meracy successes!

Don't forget working bee is on tonight1 come along as we plant and finalise the work for the memorial.

Happy Weekend to you all.

Ms. Jean Varty

SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY:

Now that we are in Term 4, we now need ALL students to be wearing their hats as per our Suns mart

Please make sure that the only acceptable logos on their jumpers and shirts are the School Logo.

Also, the dress code applies to all students during school hours and while travelling to and from school and in particular while students are on excursion.

For more information and the full policy, please check out our website!



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Principal's Joke of the Week

Star of the Week



Awards



Great effort to Beau for his work over the lunch break last week when he continued to challenge himself as to his reading level. Beau even forfeited part of his lunch time activities insisting to continue The end result has been incredible! A growing learner Beau! Beau is a true example of the heightened state of love of learning across the school! . If you are looking for someone with higher order thinking answers? Beau might have it! He's a gem when it comes to general knowledge.

Stars of the West

For achieving great results in mathematics. Trent has really been working hard and seeking extra help with his maths and it is really paying off.

Awesome work Trent!

Trent **BENJAMIN**(4-6)
Lennix **PONTING**(P-3)

For being a great role model and helper in the classroom. Lennix has been doing a great job with his schooling and also he is getting along well with everyone. Well Done Lennix





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 the Prep-3 we have been enjoying our swimming lessons and we have been really enthusiastic about them.

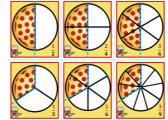
During learning time we have been looking at fractions and how many parts of a fraction put together make a whole. Encourage your child or children to talk about this at home in real life situations like cutting sandwiches in halves and in quarters or pizza into fifths and eighths. Maths is all around us.

We are submitting some art work for the Mooroopna Early Years Alliance Art Show, to be held on the 24th October. Details will be included in later in the newsletter. Please come down see our gorgeous art works.

Please keep reading every night and please make sure that your children are

bring their reading packets back to school everyday.

- Mrs. Sciuto





Week 2 and we are already super busy at school! We have started our swimming lessons this week at Aquamoves and the students are having a great time participating in these.

I have been away for the majority of this week due to professional development days and a big thank you to Mr. Paul Priest who has taken care of the class in my absence.

We have been continuing on looking at procedural texts in literacy and also continuing exploring time in numeracy. Keep up the great learning everyone!

- Mr. Tunks

Kindness Quote of the Week!



You are AMAZING. You are IMPORTANT You are SPECIAL. You are UNIQUE. YOU are KIND. You are PRECIOUS. You are LOYED

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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 October to 17th October, the following students obtained 100% attendance:



Get Perfect **Attendance**

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

> Aleeah Crespan (Gr.Prep)

Jedd Loffel (Gr.3)

Tayler Lummas (Gr.1)

Tyran Miller (Gr.3)

Lennix Ponting (Gr.2)

Oliver Webb (Gr.Prep)



Connor Barker (Gr. 5)

Izzy Barker (Gr.4)

Jaiden Benjamin (Gr.6)

Toby Breen (Gr.6)

Brad Handley (Gr.4)

Jodie Handley (Gr.5)

Melanie Handley (Gr.6)

Beau Lummas (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!

INTHE **COMMUNITY...**

16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence

"Respectful Relationships"

ART COMPETITION

(Print, Paint or Photography)

An initiative of the Greater Shepparton Family Violence Prevention Network

The competition is open to all Primary & Secondary schools with artwork to be

ayed throughout Greater Shepparton during the 16 days of Activism against Gender Based Violence from the 25th of November to the 10th of December 2018

The aim is to raise awareness of family violence and its affects on individuals, families and the community in Greater Shepparton

Entries close 9th November 2018 ers will be notified by the 22nd of November 2018 and 1st and 2nd place awards presented

ries to Joel at Greater Shepparton City Council (03) 5832 9792 or Vicky (03) 5831 2390 at The Bridge

Art work can dropped at either of the above locations or please call Joel or Vicky to collect

HANDLEY'S HANDFUL

Back by popular demand, Melanie Handley (Grade 6) has interviewed Izzy Barker (Grade 4) to find out a bit more information on her Grade 4-6 Classmate.

Hey Izzy, how are you today? I'm good Mel. How are you? Good thank you. Can you please answer the following questions for the newsletter for me? Yes, I can do that.

How old are you? I am turning 10 in 6 days.

What is your favourite sport? It would be football

What is your favourite thing to do on the weekend? To play with my brother, Harry.

What is your favourite football team? Collingwood!

Who is your favourite teacher? Mr. Tunks

What is your favourite song? Sad by XX

What is your favourite movie? Coco

What is your favourite colour? Blue

What is your favourite book? Cat in the Hat by Dr. Seuss

What is your favourite board game? Monopoly

Thanks Izzy for doing this. You're welcome Mel!





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MOOROOPNA EARLY YEARS ALLIANCE

MEYA Art Show

You are invited to view the artwork created by Mooroopna Kinder & Foundation students.

Activities and a light snack will be provided for the students.

All parents, families and friends are invited

to attend.

Wednesday, 24th October, 2018

4-6pm

Sir Ian McLennan Centre, Echuca Rd, Mooroopna

Please ask your School or Centre for further information.





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ACHIEVING PERSONAL SUCCESS

Students successes are celebrated both in the classroom and outside.

We meet the needs of each student where they are at.

Call TODAY for a private tour of the school - 5829 0273

