



Morwell Park P S

School Community Newsletter

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IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, 11th February	Meet the Teacher. 3.00-4.30pm.
Friday, 13th February	Issue 1 Book Club due ONLINE .
Monday, 16th February	Grade 6 shirt order due back.
Wednesday-Friday, 18th-20th March	Gr 6 The Summit Camp.

Principals Report

Safer Internet Day
On Tuesday 10 February we will be recognising Safer Internet Day. This is a great opportunity to talk with children about staying safe online, being respectful in digital spaces and making positive choices when using technology. Classes will engage in age-appropriate discussions and activities focused on online safety, kindness and responsibility. We encourage families to continue these conversations at home and support children to be safe, smart and thoughtful digital citizens.

Meet the Teacher
Next Wednesday 11 February, we will be holding a Meet the Teacher afternoon from 3.00 to 4.30 pm. All school gates will be open, so families are welcome to drop in with their child, visit their classroom and meet their teacher. Free icy poles will be available for students.

Annual Privacy Reminder
Each year we remind families about how our school collects, uses, discloses and stores student and parent information for standard school functions, or where permitted by law, in line with the Schools' Privacy Policy. Morwell Park Primary collects and uses student and parent personal information for standard school functions or where permitted by law, as stated in the [Schools' privacy policy](#) and the [Schools' privacy collection notice](#). Our [Photographing, Filming and Recording Students policy](#), describes how we collect and use photographs, video and recordings of students. The policy also explains when parent consent is required and how it can be provided and withdrawn. We ask parents to also review the guidance we

provide on how we use [Microsoft 365/Google Workspace for Education](#) safely at the school and what parents can do to further protect their child's information. If after reviewing the guidance, you have any questions or concerns regarding your child using Microsoft 365/Google Workspace for Education, please contact the school. For more information about privacy, refer to: [Schools' privacy policy: information for parents](#). This information is also available in eleven community languages: Amharic, Arabic, Chinese, Dari, Gujarati, Mandarin, Somali, Sudanese, Turkish, Urdu, Vietnamese.

Ready Room
At times, students may arrive at school unsettled or find themselves needing additional support during the day to successfully engage in their classroom learning. This is often due to social or emotional reasons and may mean they need some one-on-one support before they are ready to return to class. Our Ready Room is available to support students during these times and is staffed by our welfare team.

Simone Richardson, Principal.



SCHOOL WIDE POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT @ MORWELL PARK

Our focus for Term 1 Week 3 is:
We are SunSmart and we wear our hat

How you can help:

- Have a SunSmart hat ready for Term 1 and Term 4
- Check the UV rating on your phone
- Practice applying sunscreen at home

We learn about Expected
Behaviours to make sure we are
connected, safe
and **ready to learn.**

MORWELL PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

MEET THE TEACHER

START OF YEAR OPEN CLASSROOM EVENT

POP IN AND SAY HELLO TO
YOUR CHILD'S 2026 TEACHING TEAM AND
CHECK OUT THEIR NEW CLASSROOM

WEDNESDAY 11TH FEB 3:00 - 4:30PM



MEET YOUR
CHILD AT
THEIR GATE

FREE ICY
POLES FOR
ALL KIDS



Carer Camino

Tuesday 21st April to Friday 24th April 2026

Do you need a break? Some time to refresh and boost your wellbeing?

Join us for this Carer Camino as we walk the Great Southern Rail Trail from Fish Creek to Port Welshpool over 4 days / 3 nights.

Starting at the Fish Creek Hotel, we will walk 40 km to finish on the jetty at Port Welshpool, walking an average of 10 - 12 km each day (there is a bus available for those who require a pick-up along the way).

Meditation sessions and wellbeing workshops will also be facilitated. And each person will develop a Wellbeing Plan with simple strategies to care for your wellbeing when you are back at home.

Accommodation will be provided in Foster at the Prom Country Lodge, and meals at local venues. Accommodation and food included at no cost.

The Carer Camino is open to carers who live in Gippsland and care for a person who meets *The Disability Act 2006* eligibility criteria.

Interested? Use the QR code, call 1300 736 765
or email admin@icg.asn.au

SCAN TO EXPRESS



EOI closes 8th March 2026

TAKE A BREAK, YOU DESERVE IT!

YOUR INTEREST

Issue 1 of Book Club must be submitted by **Friday 13th February**.
Visit www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP or download the app to order online.
Each order helps the school earn bonus points that we can order free books for the school library and Lexile program. Thanks, Mrs Maruzza.

Book Club LOOP

LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club
Linked **O**nline **O**rdering & **P**ayment platform.

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using your credit card. If your school is not yet in the **LOOP**, speak with your school's Book Club Organiser.

Head to scholastic.com.au/LOOP

or



Follow these **easy** steps!

- 1 Simply grab your child's Book Club catalogue and either **SIGN-IN** or **REGISTER** your account.
- 2 Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for), then select your **SCHOOL** and your **CHILD'S CLASS**.
Note: You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school.
- 3 Click on **ORDER** and enter the item number from the Book Club catalogue.
- 4 All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date.

Looking for **MORE** product information? Additional content such as videos and downloads are available for select titles. Select your issue and enter the item number to view information on titles and some great resources, such as videos and reviews.

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Item No.

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That's it! There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school.

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