Morwell Park P S
School Community Newsletter

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OUR FUTURE TOGETHER

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Morwell Park Primary
School Official

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, 16th May	**School Photos. Online Order info on page 3.**
Monday-Friday, 19th-23rd May	Gr 3/4 Swimming in Schools Program.
Tuesday, 20th May	District Football / Netball for children participating.
Wednesday, 21st May	2026 Prep Open Day School Tours. 9.15am & 12.00pm.
Thursday, 22nd May	Gr 2 Dinosaur Dig Site excursion.
Friday, 23rd May	SSG Meetings.
Monday-Friday, 26th-30th May	Gr 5/6 Swimming in Schools Program.
Friday, 30th May	SSG Meetings.
Monday, 2nd June	District Soccer for children participating.
Monday-Thursday, 2nd-5th June	Gr 1/2 Swimming in Schools Program
Friday, 6th June	**Curriculum Day, NO children at school.**
Monday, 9th June	**King's Birthday Public Holiday. NO SCHOOL.**

Principals Report

School Photos – This Friday, 16th May
A friendly reminder that school photos will be taken this Friday, 16th May. All students are required to wear their full school uniform. Photo orders must be placed online through www.leadingimage.com.au using the ACCESS KEY provided on page 3, or directly using the QR Code on the same page.

Swimming Program – Grades 3 & 4
We're excited to announce that our Swimming in Schools program for Grade 3 and Grade 4 students will commence next week! This valuable program helps students build water safety skills and confidence in the pool.

Please ensure your child brings appropriate swimwear, a towel, and a plastic bag for wet items each day of the program. If you have questions about the program, please contact the classroom teacher or office staff.

New Healthy Eating Policy
At our recent School Council meeting, a new Healthy Eating Policy was approved to support the wellbeing of our students. As part of this policy students are not permitted to bring energy drinks or soft drinks to school.

We also kindly ask parents to limit high-sugar items such as lollies and chocolate in lunchboxes.

A full copy of the policy is available on our school website or can be viewed at the school office. Thank you for supporting our efforts to promote healthy habits at school.

Mother's Day Stall
A big thank you to all the wonderful volunteers who helped with our Mother's Day Stall last Friday! Your support made the event a great success. Funds raised will go to our Parents' Association, which uses the money to benefit all students in our school community.

School Refusal
We understand that, as parents, it can sometimes be challenging to get your child to school. While it's completely normal for children to have days when they feel reluctant to attend, it's important to remember that regular school attendance is part of their learning journey.

Just like us, students will face challenges in life, and part of our role as parents is to teach them perseverance and resilience. Insisting on consistent school attendance helps build those qualities, setting them up for success in the future.

If you're finding it difficult to get your child to school, please don't hesitate to reach out to our wellbeing team. They are here to offer support and help you access any resources that may be beneficial.

Winter Coats
The school has received a very generous donation of children's winter coats from the Sixth Child. If you are needing a size 10 or 16 winter coat for your child please contact the office.
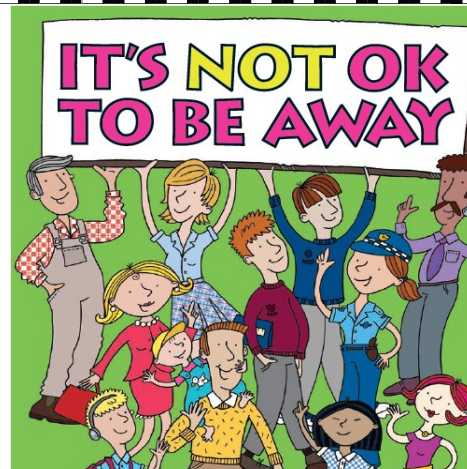
Simone Richardson, Principal.

WEEKLY AWARDS

Prep	Olivia L, Nate P
Gr 1	Heleyne I, Hudsen L-N
Gr 2	Faith Q, Theodore H-B, Chester N
Gr 3	Liam T, Gemma F
Gr 4	K-Rinda S, Tyler B
Gr 5	N/A due to camp.
Gr 6	Tyrell W S, Sadie H

ARTISTS AWARDS	1T	and	Nooria Z, 3D
PE AWARDS			
PERFORMING ARTS AWARDS	3D	and	Serenity D-G, 6G
SCIENCE AWARDS	5D	and	Renae C, 5H
LIBRARY AWARDS			Ranger M, 1L
AUSLAN			Abby W, 4F

SCHOOL VALUE AWARDS.

KIND:	Mary A, 2M
GRITTY:	Liam O, 6G
FOCUSED:	Spencer M, PH

IT'S NOT OK TO BE AWAY

ATTENDANCE AWARD

Grade

1L, 3D, 3M, 4P, 6M
Atticas S, 1L

STOP THE SPREAD OF
NITS

✖ **DON'T share combs, hair brushes, hair ties or clips**

✔ **Tie up long hair in a ponytail, bun or braid**

✖ **DON'T share hats or helmets**

✖ **DON'T touch heads**

✖ **DON'T share headphones**

✖ **DON'T share towels**

❗ **If you have an itchy head, tell a grown up in your home.**

Regional Public Health
HAUORA Ā IWI KI TE ŪPOKO O TE IKA A MĀUI
Better health for the greater Wellington region

SCHOOL PHOTOS
Friday 16th May

ONLINE ORDERS ONLY - **Instructions below**

Family Photos must be ordered by 4.30pm Thursday 15th May

Have You Ordered Your School Photos?

Your photo day is: **16/05/2025**

LEADING IMAGE School Photos

ORDER TODAY

leadingimage.com.au

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DON'T MISS OUT!

To order your school photos:
1. Go to www.leadingimage.com.au
2. Click on Order Your School Photos
3. Enter your Access Key

(!) Individual & family photos can be ordered with the same access key. Family photographs must be ordered **before 4:30pm the night before photo day.** Please ensure your orders are placed before this time.

Access key: **PQGTZWFK**

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Scan to order!

LEADING IMAGE School Photos

Morwell Golf Club Junior Golf Clinic

🏌️ **Fun & Inclusive Environment** 🏌️

📅 **Date:** Sunday, 18th May

⏰ **Time:** 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

📍 **Location:** Morwell Golf Club

🔗 **To Register: Click on Link**

https://www.golf.org.au/mygolf/programdetails?programId=46584

Swing into fun and learn the fundamentals of golf in a relaxed and welcoming atmosphere! Perfect for juniors of all skill levels.

A REMINDER TO:

PLEASE LABEL YOUR CHILD'S CLOTHING

IT HELPS US REUNITE LOST PROPERTY WITH THE OWNER