



# Morwell Park P S

## School Community Newsletter

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Morwell Park Primary  
School Official

### IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday, 17th September	Division Athletics for students participating. <b>8.50am-2.30pm.</b>
Tuesday, 17th September	Parent Association meeting at 9.00am in staffroom.
Wednesday, 18th September	Gr 1 & 2 Gippsland Heritage Park excursion.
Wednesday, 18th September	<b>Order form and money due back for Sausage Sizzle. NO LATE ORDERS.</b>
Friday, 20th September	<b>Last day of Term Three, children dismissed 2.30pm. Footy Dress Up Day/Sausage Sizzle</b>
Monday, 7th October	<b>First day of Term Four.</b>

### Principals Report

#### Award Nomination

Morwell Park Kindergarten, Morwell Park Primary School and Our Place have been announced as finalists in the Victorian Early Years Awards 2024 celebrating outstanding work in the early childhood sector.

This nomination recognises the amazing commitment, teamwork and collaboration that has gone into supporting “Continuity of Learning” for Kinder students transitioning to Primary school. Congratulations to all staff who support our students and provide wrap-around services to our families. Amazing work!

#### DOJO Reward

As part of our School Wide Positive Behaviour Support (SWPBS) commitment, we acknowledge our students’ appropriate behaviour with DOJO points. Students can then use those points as a form of currency within our school by purchasing instant rewards from the DOJO shop or save their points to buy bigger rewards such as excursion or incursion tickets.

Congratulations to those students who have purchased tickets to our DOJO Barnyard visit tomorrow. Keep up the great work!

#### Old Gippsdown Excursion

Our Grade One and Two students are off to Old Gippsdown on September 18<sup>th</sup>. This excursion offers a unique opportunity to allow students to see what it would have been like for the early settlers. Students will experience a range of educational and hands on activities such as watching the blacksmith at his forge and visiting the General Store to see the goods on sale from yesteryear. They will have a chance to experience school life in the Sunny Creek school of 1889 and play old fashioned games just as their ancestors may have done.

#### Last Day of Term

Next Friday we will be having a sausage sizzle lunch for students. We are delighted to be able to raise money for Food Bank as they support us with Breaky Club supplies.

Please make sure student get their order forms in by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September, unfortunately we are unable to accept late orders. All students can come along in footy/sport colours for the day, and we will finish at 2.30 pm.

*Simone Richardson*, Acting Principal.



# WEEKLY AWARDS



**Prep**

**Gr 1**

**Gr 2**

**Gr 3**

**Gr 4**

**Gr 5**

**Gr 6**

ARTISTS AWARDS

PE AWARDS

MUSIC AWARDS

SCIENCE AWARDS

LIBRARY AWARDS

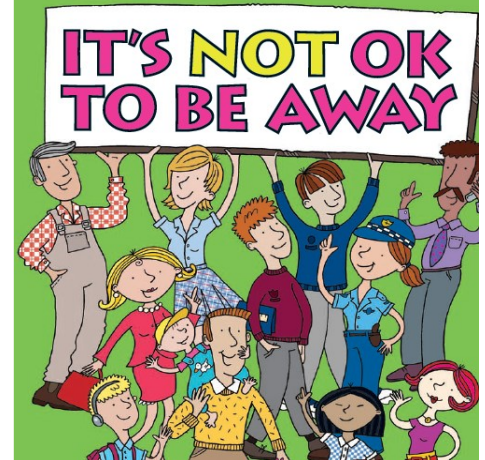
TEACHER OF THE WEEK

SCHOOL VALUE AWARDS.

KIND:

GRITTY:

FOCUSED:



## ATTENDANCE AWARD

### Grade

## FOOTY COLOURS DAY SAUSAGE SIZZLE

**Friday, 20th September**

On Friday 20th September we will be having a footy colours dress up day and a sausage sizzle.

Order forms were sent home last week to purchase a sausage.

Forms need to be sent back by **Wednesday 18th September.**

## HATS reminder

Morwell Park 'Sun Smart' hats are compulsory in Term 4.

Hats are only available from

**LOWES at Mid Valley.**



# FUN SWIM

FUN SWIM provides young swimmers with a fun and engaging program to explore racing, and develop and improve 'race ready' skills.



TOTAL SWIM TIME



7-12 YEAR OLDS



RACE READY SKILLS

5:00pm till 6:00pm every Monday evening  
October 7th to November 4th 2024 (5 weeks)  
at Latrobe Leisure Morwell.



Coach Melissa Scholes

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Scan to register!



# FOOD BANK

We have plenty of food for families over the school holidays.

We have a stocked pantry at OUR PLACE and we have Food Boxes donated by Food Bank here at school.

Please contact the school if you would like take home a Food Box or come in to Our Place and fill a bag of groceries from the pantry.

Food Boxes & pantry items will need to be collected by **Wednesday 18th September.**



**\$400 for ALL 2025 Prep - Yr 12 students in Victorian Government schools.**  
**2025 PREP students must be enrolled by 18th October 2024.**

**Save \$400**

**on school uniforms,  
textbooks and  
activities**

**Parents and carers  
of Victorian school-aged children  
will receive the one-off**

**School Saving Bonus**

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