

5th August 2016



Moreland Mail Kids Version Newsletter



Calendar of Events

Wednesday 10th August	Foundation—Traffic School Excursion
Thursday 18th August	Mini Olympics
Thursday 18th August	Mobile Dentist
Monday 22th August	Book Week Dress up Parade

Student Achievement Awards



Did you know Moreland Primary School has a Facebook page?

We use it to show parents and the broader community all the fantastic things that happen at our school.

Take a look and remember to 'like' us while you are there.

<https://facebook.com/moreland.primary.school>

We also have a group set up for parents to communicate about upcoming events, fundraising, and other school related issues. Please join the group so you can stay connected.

<https://facebook.com/groups/867158563338436>

HEAD LICE—They're Back!

There have been a number of reports of head lice at **the school**. Please check your child's hair regularly for lice or eggs and treat accordingly.

MOBILE DENTAL SERVICE

The mobile dental service will be here on Thursday 18th August. If you would like your child to attend the mobile dental service please return the form by Tuesday the 9th August.

WORKING BEE

Calling all parents! We will be holding a working bee on Sunday 14th August from 12.30-3.30pm. Please note -This is a new time. Please come along and help if you can. Jobs will include pruning, removing broken boards from garden beds, re-painting twister court, removing rubbish from holding bay and general tidying.

It would be great to have as many hands help as possible, so even if you can only spare an hour please come along. Unfortunately due to OH&S restrictions no children can help on the working bee. Any queries, please call Nicola on 0432740171.

Many thanks, MPS Buildings and Grounds group.

BOOK WEEK is coming...

2016 Theme: Australia! Story Country.
20-26th August

We will be having a dress-up parade on Monday, 22nd August, 2016 where children come dressed up as their favourite character. Cross-age activities will follow which gives the opportunity for students to work with students from other grades and enjoy activities related to the picture story books.



Maths in the 1 / 2 learning area

Money, money, money!



We have been doing lots of fun activities about money. We made up money amounts using stamps and real coins. We also pretended that our 'piggy bank' broke and we had to use play money notes and coins to show how much money we had... some of us were very rich!

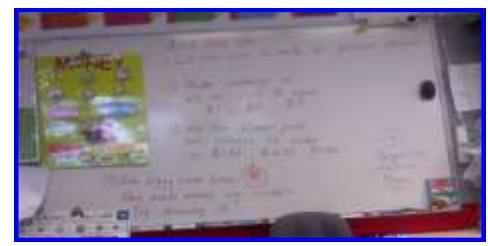


Lyre bird by Dama

A lyre bird can mimic sounds to get a girlfriend. It shows its tail. His mimic is amazing.

The lyre bird is on the 10 cent coin. It is amazing because it can mimic sounds it hears like other birds, a motorbike and a siren!

It is a rare bird and it lives in a rainforest in Australia. It is amazing where it lives and maybe one day you will see one. It is called a lyre bird because it mimics.



Cookbook drawing competition

Drawings for the new edition cookbook have started to come in - thank you to all students who submitted pictures.

This is your last chance - if you would like your drawing to be include in the cookbook please submit it in A4 size to your class teacher by Friday 26 August 2016. (We reserve the right to not include drawings submitted after the due date.) - I look forward to seeing your amazing artwork!



FAMILY COOKING



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100 Days of School



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Extend OSHC at Moreland

KIDS CLUB ART COMPETITION
WIN A \$200 TOYS R US ONLINE GIFT CARD

Entries are now open for Extend's Kids Club Competition! Submit your art entry online at extend.com.au between Monday 25th July to Friday 12th August 2016. This year's theme is "My Extend Friends" For further details and terms visit extend.com.au ...**BUT THERE'S MORE!** Help your After School Care service win a mystery incursion! Be sure to come along to After School Care to enter. See you there!

If any families have recyclable objects such as plastic bottles, soda bottles, containers or tins, we are looking for donations of these to help us implement recycling into our program. These can be left on the bench in the OSHC room.

This week at OSHC we took part in lots of fun activities. Although, the standout for this week was our Outdoor Pokémon Scavenger hunt on Wednesday afternoon. The children absolutely loved it and were extremely excited to compete against each other to win points for their team. On Thursday we continued on with the Pokémon theme and created our own Poke balls using paper plates, which the children really enjoyed!

Next Week's Activities:

Monday: BSC: Group Games ASC: A&C: Rio Carnival Masks

Tuesday: BSC: Cooking: French Toast ASC: Cooking: Rice Crispy Squares

Wednesday: BSC: Olympic Games ASC: A&C: Recycled Olympic Headbands

Thursday: BSC: A&C: Olympic Torches ASC: A&C: Moving Rio Chameleon

Friday: BSC: Free Choice Friday & Technology Time
ASC: Free Choice Friday

Watch this space throughout the term for regular updates from our Extend team!

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