



Morwell Park P S

School Community Newsletter

7th November, 2024

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Morwell Park Primary
School Official

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, 8th November	Gr 1 Minibeast IncurSION.
Friday, 8th November	Prep Melbourne Zoo excursion. 7.00am-4.00pm.
Friday, 8th November	Gr 5 Scienceworks excursion. 7.45am-4.15pm.
Wednesday, 13th November	Gr 4 Melbourne Museum excursion. 8.45am-4.00pm.
Thursday, 14th November	Orders & money for Special Lunch day due in. NO LATE ORDERS.
Wednesday, 20th November	Parent Association Special Lunch Day.
Thursday, 21st November	Prep Get Ready day. 1.45pm-2.30pm.
Thursday, 28th November	Creative Arts Show & Shine. 3.00-4.15pm.
Friday, 29th November	Gr 6 Gumbuya World excursion. 9.00am-4.00pm.
Friday, 29th November	DOJO Reward—Inflatable World
Thursday, 5th December	School Council meeting 5pm.

Principals Report

Upcoming Excursions

As we near the end of the 2024 school year, some grades will head off on various excursions. Tomorrow, our Grade Preps will travel to Melbourne for the annual Prep Zoo excursion. Grade 5's will also journey to Melbourne to visit Scienceworks Museum. Next Wednesday, the Grade 4's will spend the day at the Melbourne Museum and our soon to be Graduates (Grade 6) have their end of year celebration at Gumbuya World.

All students are asked to be at school at the requested times (please check permission forms). Sadly, it seems most years that some poor child is late to arrive at school and misses out on a great day with their classmates. Parents please be organised as we simply cannot delay the buses to wait for your arrival.

Parents Association Special Lunch Orders

On Wednesday 20 November, our Parents Association will be providing a Special Lunch Order. Options include sausage rolls, hot dogs, juice or flavoured milk and a treat if desired. All orders must be returned to school by Thursday 14 November.

*** NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED ***

Speech Program for 2025

Our school employs a speech therapist through a private company in order to support the growing number of children with receptive (the way we hear speech) and expressive (the way we speak) speech challenges.

Speech is like all other skills, the more you use it the better you get. Some children may have medical reasons for poor speech such as hearing difficulties or cleft disorders, most however simply struggle from lack of experience.

Young children who come to school with speech challenges face hurdles from the very start. It is hard to navigate your way through education if you have difficulty understanding what is being said and/or difficulty speaking to others. The way we speak and hear words is extremely important.

Speech challenges can be overcome but require a lot of effort and sadly some children will be forced to play 'catch up' throughout their schooling. One of the best remedies for children is to be spoken to and listened to extensively – we get better with practice. Please model good speech to your children and importantly please listen to them.

We are often asked about homework. The best homework for a child should have taken place before they even came to school, but can certainly continue through school and that is taking the time to speak clearly and listen attentively to your child.

Simone Richardson,

Acting Principal.



WEEKLY AWARDS

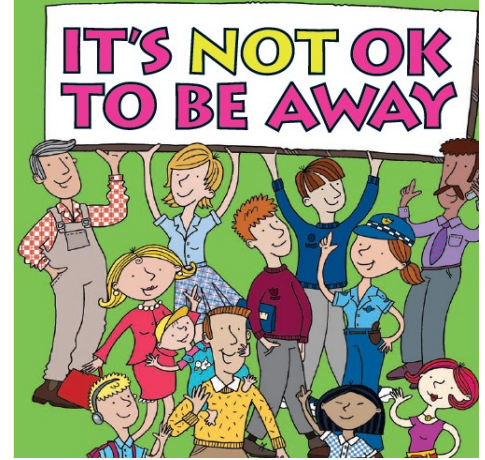


- Prep** Humyra A, Adelyn G T
- Gr 1** Kaia J, Jackson P, Daphne C
- Gr 2** Adisyn R, Amelia S
- Gr 3** Harley J, Amelia M
- Gr 4** Allira H, Hunter H, Phaze D
- Gr 5** Kadence C, Branigan K, Tommy S
- Gr 6** Akaydia G, Theo H

- ARTISTS AWARDS** 1A and Phoenix W 4F
- PE AWARDS** 1A and Ibrahim Z 4M
- MUSIC AWARDS**
- SCIENCE AWARDS** 3F and Michael S 3F
- LIBRARY AWARDS** 1B and Joshua B 1M
- TEACHER OF THE WEEK**

SCHOOL VALUE AWARDS.

- KIND:** Peyton L PH
- GRITTY:** Zak R 6D
- FOCUSED:** Tommy S 5B



ATTENDANCE AWARD
Grade

1T 1G 4F

LOST PROPERTY

Please check to see if your child/children's coat is at home as there are about 20 coats in Lost Property with NO NAME.

Thank you.

REMEMBRANCE DAY NOVEMBER 11TH

JSC members will be visiting all classrooms with the merchandise available for students to purchase.

- Wristbands** \$3.00
- Poppy Lapel Pins** \$2.00
- Poppy Lapel Pins** \$5.00

Thank you for supporting the RSL.



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Let's Not Forget

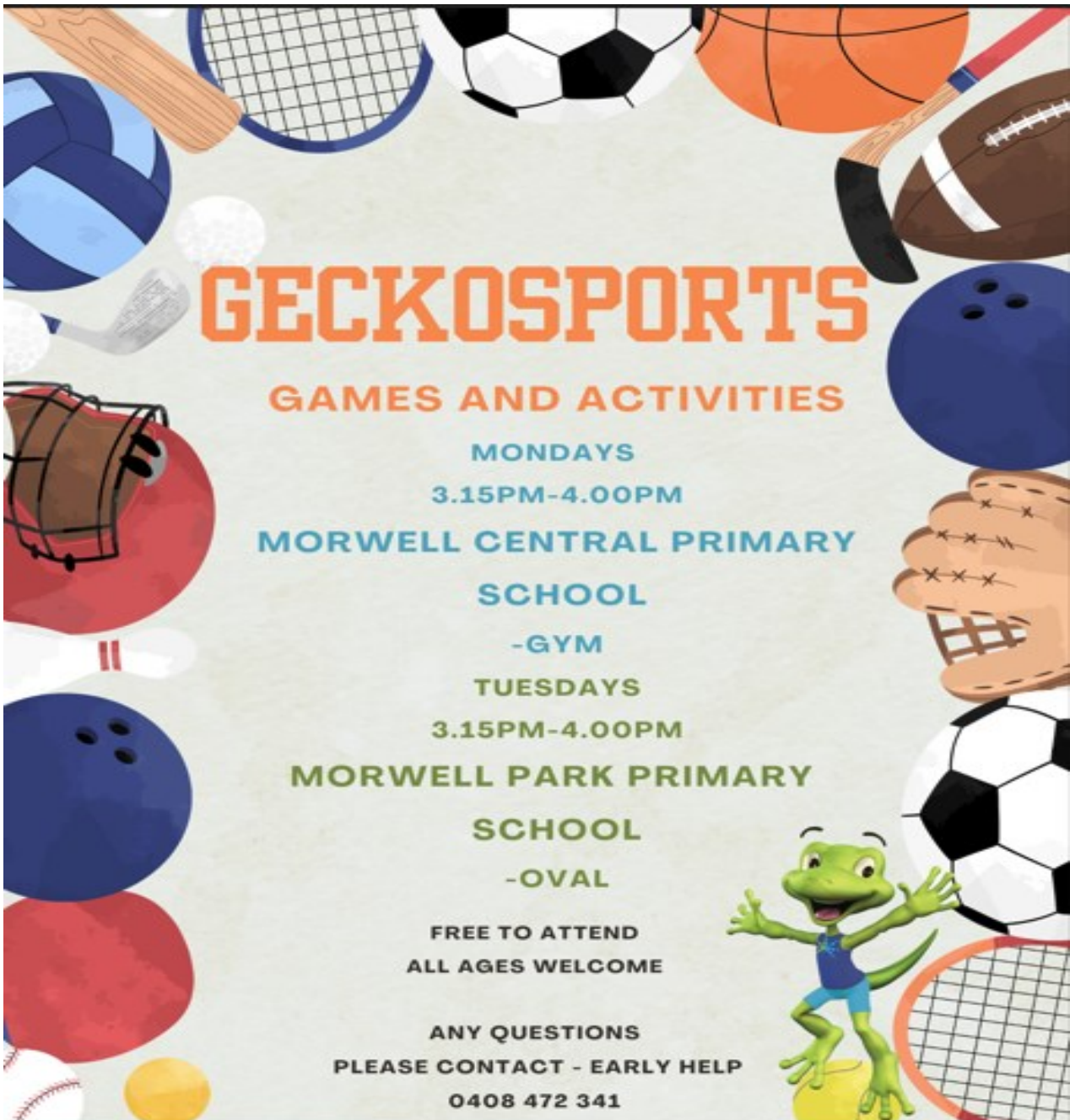
2025 Enrolments

Enrolments for next year are now well under way.

If you have a child who will be attending Morwell Park next year please contact the office to arrange an appointment to complete the necessary paperwork.

If you know that your child/ren will **not be continuing at MP in 2024** please notify the office.

Thank you.



GECKOSPORTS
GAMES AND ACTIVITIES


MONDAYS
3.15PM-4.00PM
MORWELL CENTRAL PRIMARY
SCHOOL
-GYM


TUESDAYS
3.15PM-4.00PM
MORWELL PARK PRIMARY
SCHOOL
-OVAL


FREE TO ATTEND
ALL AGES WELCOME

ANY QUESTIONS
PLEASE CONTACT - EARLY HELP
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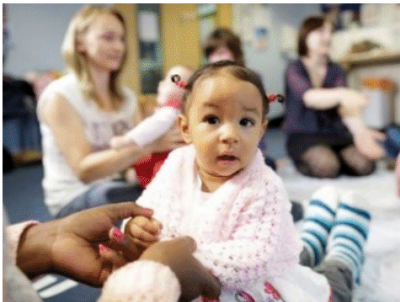
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Aboriginal Child
and Family Services



Come along to our Peep group 'Peep Explorers'

Peep is a fun and friendly group for parents and carers
with children from birth to five.

We share songs, stories, ideas and activities that support your child's
talking and development through play and everyday life.



Get to know other families while
finding out how the things you do
at home boost your child's
confidence and brain
development

Fridays - 9:30am-10:30am
Morwell Park Primary School,
Multipurpose Room.

To Register and any questions you may
have please Contact Early Help –
0483 332 948



Scan QR code to
watch video

peep

supporting parents
and children to learn
together

