



### IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, 16th December	Reports to be given out.
Monday, 19th December	Gr 6 Gumbuya World excursion.
<b>Tuesday, 20th December</b>	<b>Last day of Term Four, children dismissed 1pm.</b>
<b>Monday, 30th January, 2023</b>	<b>First day of Term One for students.</b>
Tues-Wed, 7th-15th February	Somers Camp for children attending.

### Principals Report

#### Merry Christmas

I would like to wish students, parents and all involved in our Morwell Park community a safe and happy Christmas. Once again it's been a complex year navigating our way around a global pandemic although it is fair to say we are becoming more accustomed to the COVID world order!!

While we shut down for a month over Christmas we will be up and running again on Monday January 30 when our students return for the 2023 school year. I will be available on site from Tuesday January 24.

#### School's Are Not Public Places

Morwell Park PS is not a public place; to be on our site or in our school buildings people must have an approved purpose. Obviously for children it is for the purpose of going to school. For parents and caregivers entry can only be through the main office. The general public however have as much right to enter the school grounds as they would your home – in other words they don't have a right of entry unless invited.

Over the school holiday period I would ask our community to please look out for our school, if something looks suspicious it most likely is. The cost of vandalism is a pointless waste and it is paid directly out of the school's budget which is obviously money that cannot go towards our students.

Ring 000 to report any concerns.

#### Early Learning Centre Construction Works

Construction work around our school will continue while we are away. Fingers crossed everything should be completed by February.

#### Grade 6 Graduation and Gumbuya World

Our grade 6 students had their graduation on Monday evening at the Performing Arts Centre at Morwell Central PS. On Monday they will be having their final school activity at Gumbuya World which has always been a great day of fun.

#### 1pm End of Year Dismissal

The school year formally ends at 1pm on Tuesday following the final school assembly. During the final day many children will be involved in classroom clean up as children should have taken their belongings home.

Children will not require lunch on the last day.

*Chris Joustra,*

Principal.








# WEEKLY AWARDS

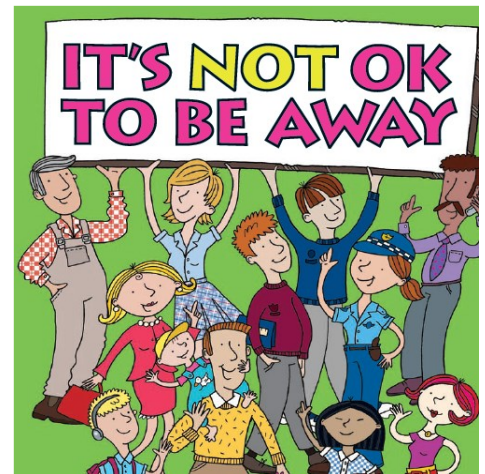


- Prep** Violet J, Amelia S
- Gr 1** Zavier G, Jaykeasha B, Shaheena S
- Gr 2** Mabek A, Jayden P, Tyler B
- Gr 3** William A S, Nada I, Addysen R, Ellie R, Aurnyn H, Aaron J
- Gr 4** Mohammed A S, Juztice D, Aiden T
- Gr 5** N/A due to camp
- Gr 6** Isaiah S, Rory P, Indi M

- ARTISTS AWARDS** Gr 1 Ants, 3A, 5B, 6A
- PE AWARDS** 3A, 6B
- MUSIC AWARDS** 3B, 4A & B

### SCHOOL VALUE AWARDS.

-  **KIND:** Jaykob A, Preps
-  **GRITTY:** Tracey F P, Gr 3
-  **FOCUSED:** Austin S, Gr 6
- ENVIRONMENTAL:**



## ATTENDANCE AWARD

### Grade 3

2/12 88.2%

9/12 88.2%

TO THE CHILDREN, PARENTS AND FRIENDS OF MORWELL PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL, WE WISH YOU ALL A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A SAFE AND HAPPY NEW YEAR

## From all the staff at Morwell Park



# **Grade 6 Graduation 2022 Awards**

**Congratulations to the following  
students who received awards.**

**Kurnai Scholarship:**

Ronan R

**Helen Tipping Excellence Awards:**

Kailee C, Zac T

**Morwell Park Academic Excellence Awards:**

Mackenzie P, Rory P

**Morwell RSL Bill Brennan Award:**

Ladu A

**Morwell Bowling Club Sports Awards:**

Keira R, Yahya A-S

**Fossick & Find Community Values Awards:**

Amber H, Calin McD

**Morwell Newsagent Literacy Award:**

Ella C C