FROM THE PRINCIPAL’S DESK

BAND
Our year six band and the intermediate band from Mooroopna Secondary College had a rehearsal on Tuesday at MPS in preparation for the concert at Eastbank tomorrow. They sounded great at the session and we wish them good luck tomorrow. It was terrific to see many of our past students in the MSC band.

MELBOURNE ZOO
The long awaited Zoo Excursion for students in Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2 takes place next Friday. To ensure the buses are able to leave on time it is very important that students arrive at school by 6.45am. They will need to bring recess, lunch and afternoon snacks in three separate plastic bags, each clearly marked with the student’s name. The expected time of arrival back at school is approximately 5pm, this will be confirmed on Tiqbiz. See the office staff for information on how to download Tiqbiz on to your device.

MOTHER’S DAY STALL
A reminder that tomorrow the Parent’s Club will be running the Mother’s Day Stall. The stall will have a variety of items for sale ranging in price from 50 cents to $10.00. Money should be sent to school in a clearly named envelope and should be given to the classroom teacher. It would be a good idea if students could bring along a plastic bag to take home their purchase.

EDUCATION WEEK—EDUCATIONAL GAMES AFTERNOON
As part of Education Week we will be having an afternoon of Educational Games where Parents and Friends will be invited to come along and participate in games with the Students. More information to follow.

WELCOME
Congratulations to Kayla & Jesse Whittaker on the along awaited arrival of Harper Ivy. Harper was born last Friday and she was a very healthy 9lb 6oz. Mum and baby doing well.

Steve Rogers
CONGRATULATIONS TO THIS WEEK’S BEE AWARDS WINNERS:

Year 5/6  Riley Moon for the enjoyment and learning he’s showing during Maths.
          Nyeisha Lammon for the enjoyment and learning she’s showing during Maths.
          Preston Kennedy for the enjoyment and learning he’s showing during Maths.

Year 4  Tehlia Epps for being a positive and enthusiastic class member.
        Bianca-Lee Butcher for being a positive and enthusiastic class member.

Year 3  Jennifer Morehouse for having a positive attitude towards school activities this week.
        Liam Adams for completing all of his work to the best of his ability.

Year 2  Milllicent Lundberg for bouncing back and making great choices in the classroom and in the playground.

Year 1  Jessica Church for being a keen writer and trying her best.
        James Wyhoon for excellent effort in his Maths.

Foundation  Dylan Child for showing great persistence with his class work.
            Cody Leahy for persisting with all his tasks.

Art  Foundation D for following the Golden Rule.

Music  Year 3 McCann for being respectful & following instructions.

Happy Mother’s Day to our mum’s and grandmother’s. Hope you have a very special day.
For all students, please find a special recipe below which will ensure you spoil the person
you love.

Apple Crumble
  4 cooking apples
  3 tablespoons water
  3 cloves
  2 tablespoons margarine, mono- or polyunsaturated
  1/4 cup self-raising flour
  2 tablespoons brown sugar
  2 tablespoons coconut
  2 tablespoons rolled oats

Preheat oven to 190°C.
Peel, core and slice apples. Place in 2L ovenproof dish with water and cloves.
Rub margarine into flour until mixture is crumbly. Mix in brown sugar, coconut and rolled oats. Sprinkle over apples.
Bake at 190°C for 30 minutes.

Thanks Di

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Information Night and Open Days

MSC Information Night
Date: Tuesday 19th May 2015
Time: 7pm
Venue: ‘W Block’ front of school
Contact:
Alicia Cornelius – Student Engagement – 7 - 9 Junior School
Gary Fletcher – Principal - during school hours on 58252344

Open Day Tours
Date: Tuesday 26th May and Wednesday 27th May 2015
Time: 9.15am and 11.15am (or by appointment)
Venue: Meeting point – Front Office / Reception
Contact:
Alicia Cornelius – Student Engagement – 7 - 9 Junior School
Gary Fletcher – Principal - during school hours on 58252344

KESOs work with early childhood services, primary and secondary schools to support positive educational outcomes for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander young people.

This is done by:
- Supporting educational services to make their curriculum culturally inclusive
- Encouraging greater cultural awareness of early childhood and school staff
- Supporting parents to engage in their child’s education
- Supporting the transition between kindergarten, primary and secondary school
- Promoting educational initiatives for Aboriginal young people

If you would like to find out more about how a KESO can support your child’s education, please contact Shane Clarke on the below details:

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2016 ENROLMENTS
We have already begun to receive enquiries regarding enrolments for next year.

New families to the school are encouraged to contact the office to organise an appointment to be shown around the school.

Families with siblings attending MPS can call into the office to pick up an enrolment pack and advise the office staff of the new student’s details.

TISSUES
Winter is almost here and many students are already suffering from head colds. As in the past, we would appreciate if each family would please send along a box of tissues to your child’s classroom.

Children who are ill are best kept at home to recover and prevent the spreading of illnesses.