“PREPARING FOR TOMORROW”

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL’S DESK
FAMILY FUN NIGHT - 5pm - 7pm TONIGHT!!
I would like to thank the parents and staff who have put in a great deal of work to ensure the success of tonight’s event. I look forward to catching up with students and their families at what I’m sure will be another great night.

BUSINESS MANAGER
Over the last couple of weeks I have had a number of conversations with Jane and am pleased to say she is doing well and is of good spirits. With regard to the Business Manager’s role; Narelle has been appointed Acting Manager and we are currently advertising for an Administration Assistant. In the interim, the office is a very busy place and I appreciate everyone’s patience and understanding.

TECHNOLOGY RAFFLE
Thank you to the families who have returned their raffle books and also to the parents who sold raffle tickets in the main street over the last few weeks. The draw will take place tonight at the Family Fun Night. Good Luck!

SWIMMING SESSIONS
Swimming kicked off this week with 4 groups attending the lessons. The sessions have been held at Advance Fitness Northside for the first time and the feedback from staff and students has been very positive. Next week the second group of lessons begin. Please ensure your child’s permission note and payment have been returned. These lessons are an important part of the PE curriculum and all students are required to participate.

YEAR SIX GRADUATION
The Graduation is on Tuesday, December 15th at 6pm here at the school. The Graduation Ceremony celebrates the successful completion of our Year 6 student’s primary school education and is an opportunity to wish them well as they move on into Year 7. After the ceremony the Graduation Dinner will take place at the Mooroolbark Golf Club.

A BIG WEEK OF MORNING TEA’S
Congratulations to the many students who this week exchanged their BEE tokens for morning tea with Mr Rogers and Mrs Goodwin. Well done.
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR BEE AWARDS WINNERS:

Year 5/6  Charli Law for her work ethic.
Sera Bostancioglu for the tremendous effort and ability to “get on with” everything.
Shanae Miller for displaying good effort during Writing.

Year 4  Thanwa Mingmueang for working hard in Maths.
Ryan Hallum for being the “Multiplication Fact” champion of the week and working hard to solve equivalent fractions.
Year 3  Kiara Lammon for showing great persistence and always having a positive attitude.
Tayte Smith for an excellent attitude towards class work.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT – TONIGHT!!!!!!
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Come along and have a fun night with your family from 5pm-7pm. This year we will have some familiar stalls but also some new activities to entertain the children. Sing your heart out at the Year 1 Karaoke stand! Check out the MPS “Art Show”. There will be rubber duck racing, target throw, coin toss, snow cones, cake stall, mystery jars, BBQ and much more.

We look forward to seeing you all there.
LIBRARY
Borrowing of Library books has now finished for 2015. Could you please help your child get their books returned over the next two weeks. Overdue notices have been handed out this week. Parents of Year 6 students please make sure all Library books are returned before your child leaves the school.
A red tub is outside the Library door for books to be put in.
Thank you for your help.
Robyn Grieve

U14 Training & Meet the Coaches
Pre season training commences for all under 14 and 16 kids on Friday the 4th December at 5.30pm. We will have a light training session and a welcome BBQ to follow. All new and existing players welcome. All parents welcome to come along and meet the new coaches and assistant coaches for 2016

Please Note: With changes coming through next year with Primary school aged footy moving to U10 and U12’s, All children born in 2003 are considered U14.
If any parents have any concerns please give me a call.
Corey Vanderwerf MJFC VP – 0414 978 394

DELIVERERS NEEDED URGENTLY
Get fit and become healthy, while earning extra money.

DELIVERERS NEEDED IN MOOROOPNA.
If you are looking for something to do on a Wednesday then this position is ideal for you and/or your family.

GUITAR & KEYBOARD LESSONS IN 2016
Cliff Doornkamp will be conducting both guitar and keyboard lessons at the school in 2016. Lessons are held each Tuesday with individual lessons lasting 20 minutes. The cost is $17 per lesson (payable at time of lesson). For more information, please contact Cliff Doornkamp on 0474 769 963. Please complete details below and return to the school office to express your interest.

Name ............................................................... Grade ......... Room .........................

Guitar □ Keyboard □ Parents Signature .......................................................... Phone ...................................