



Mooroopna North Primary School

Respect, Resilience, Responsibility

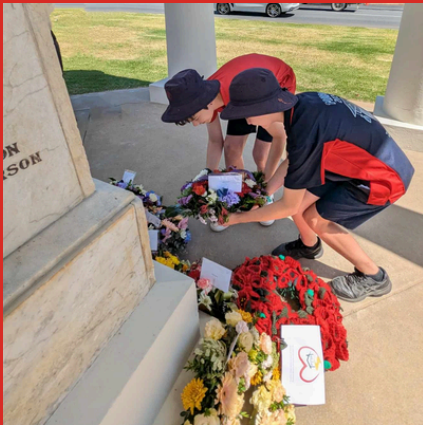
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Remembrance Day

Today, our school leaders, Chase and Hugh, joined Mrs. Leech for a meaningful visit to the War Memorial in Mooroopna to lay a wreath in honor of Remembrance Day.

It was a powerful and reflective moment, as we paused to remember the bravery and sacrifice of those who served our country.

We are so proud of our student leaders for representing our school in this important act of remembrance. Lest we forget.



★ Student Awards ★

RESPONSIBILITY

Jaxon: for taking responsibility for his education by being in the classroom

RESPECT

Jase: for using his knowledge and experience to support and encourage others

RESILIENCE

Hugh: for showing persistence during assessments





THE CURIOUS CASE OF THE DE-STUFFED, KIND, CUDDLY CARE BEAR

WE ARRIVED AT SCHOOL TO FIND A CRIME SCENE!
 FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM THOMAS IS GOING TO HELP US, AS WE LEARN SOME REAL INVESTIGATION SKILLS TO FIND OUT, WHAT EXACTLY HAPPENED TO
 POOR BARNIBUS BEAR!
 OUR FIRST LEARNING WAS NOT TO JUMP TO CONCLUSIONS! WE NEED TO USE ALL THE EVIDENCE AVAILABLE TO US... DID THE BLOOD BELONG TO THE BEAR? DO
 TEDDY BEARS BLEED? COULD IT BE THE CULPRITS BLOOD?
 THIS IS AN ONGOING INVESTIGATION

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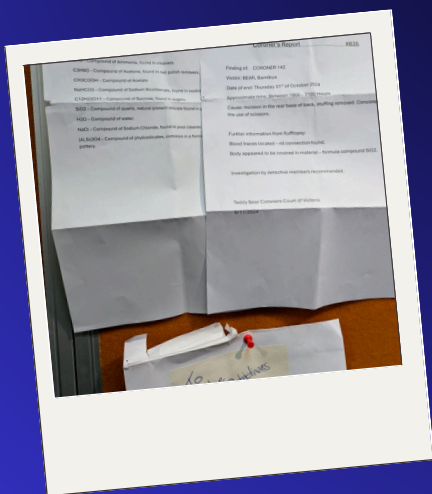
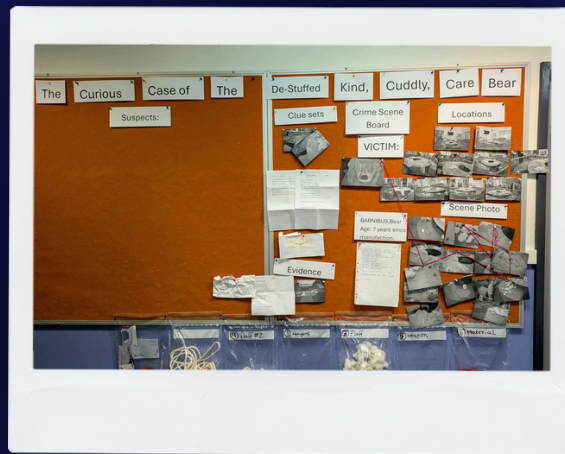
OUR FORENSIC REPORT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND DELIVERED TO SCHOOL.

FROM THE INFORMATION IN THIS REPORT WE WERE ABLE TO ESTABLISH THAT OUR VICTIM BARNIBUS BEAR WAS COVERED WITH TRACES OF CLAY AND SAND...

OUR SUSPECT MUST HAVE BEEN IN THE SANDPIT!

IN AND AROUND THE SANDPIT WE DISCOVERED FURTHER CLUES WHICH AFTER SOLVING A TOUGH RIDDLE, LED US TO A HIDDEN STASH OF EVIDENCE.

NOW WE HAVE A FINGERPRINT! TIME TO IDENTIFY SOME SUSPECTS!!





Ambulance Victoria

Alex, a paramedic from Ambulance Victoria came to visit MNPS!

There were so many highlights to his visit, like;

- Feeling like paramedics, wearing their gear
- Explored the ambulance van
- Sat on the gurney and were lifted up
- Took turns turning on the siren
- Got some gloves (way cooler than they seem!)
- Read the book "Ouch," that was gifted to our school
- Asked LOTS of questions about ambulance work

Some senior students learned about CPR

We were very fortunate to be able to have a medical incursion at school as they are very very busy and we really appreciate their time!



Mooroopna North Primary School NATURE PLAYGROUP

Remembrance Day Lest we Forget

Activities developed by MNPS staff
Fruit and sandwiches provided
Fenced and safe location
Toilets and change facilities

9:30-11am
Wednesdays

835 Ardmona Rd,
Mooroopna North



Nature Playgroup Acknowledges
Remembrance Day

This Wednesday 13th November at Nature Playgroup, we will be introducing the importance of Remembrance Day in a way that's appropriate for their age. Through simple, nature-inspired activities, we'll reflect on the idea of peace and gratitude.

We'll explore the beauty of the red poppy, make nature crafts, and share stories of kindness and togetherness—honouring those who have helped keep us safe.

Come and enjoy a meaningful morning of connection, learning, and nature play as we remember the past, and plant seeds for a peaceful future together.



**FOUNDATION
TRANSITION
DAYS**

**2025
PREPS**

GETTING READY FOR SCHOOL!

Supporting your child to be ready for their first year of primary school in 2025.

TRANSITION DATES AND TIMES

- ~~16th Oct 9am-11am~~
- ~~30th Oct 9am - 11am~~
- 13th Nov 9am - 12:30pm
- 27th Nov 9am - 12:30pm
- 10th Dec - 9am - 3pm (Full Day)



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November

Wednesday 13th	Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am Foundation Transition 9.00 - 12.30pm
Wednesday 20th	Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am
Wednesday 27th	Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am Foundation Transition 9.00 - 12.30pm
Friday 29th	Army Museum Excursion

December

Wednesday 4th	Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am
Friday 6th	School Council
Tuesday 10th	Statewide Transition
Wednesday 11th	Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am
Friday 13th	Grade 4/5 Excursion - GSSC Aspirations Day
Tuesday 17th	School Concert/Grade 6 Graduation



PROTECT

Protecting children & young people from abuse is our responsibility



The Child Safe Standards are compulsory minimum standards for all Victorian schools to ensure they are well prepared to keep children and young people safe and protect them from abuse. The Child Safe Standards include requirements to keep children, young people and students safe. There are eleven Child Safe Standards. Each newsletter we will introduce a one standard keeping you informed of our work supporting and implementing the standards.

Child Safe Standard 6 - Suitable staff and volunteers

At Mooroopna North PS our work within this standard includes;

- Our Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy outlines the controls in place:
- for child safe recruitment and screening practices for staff.
- to ensure staff are provided with an appropriate induction in the school's child safety policies and practices.
- to ensure ongoing supervision and management of staff is focused on child safety and wellbeing
- All actions and strategies outlined in our Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy are implemented
- Volunteer Policy outlines the controls in place to ensure volunteers are suitable to work with children including screening, induction, and ongoing management and supervision
- Volunteers who are not parents/carers of students will be asked to undertake additional screening processes including proof of identity (where this has not already been established), and references addressing suitability for working with children.
- Volunteers that are working with children or that may have access to students in unsupervised or high-risk settings will always be supervised by a member of school staff
- Volunteer behaviour that is inconsistent with the school's child safety and wellbeing policies and practices will be addressed by school staff swiftly and with a focus on child safety and wellbeing.

Child safety and wellbeing at Mooroopna North Primary School information for families and the school community.

The Victorian Government has announced new [Child Safe Standards](#) to further strengthen child safety across organisations, including schools. The new standards recognise the critical importance of families and the broader school community in maintaining and promoting child safety and wellbeing.

Mooroopna North Primary School has reviewed and updated our child safety policies and procedures to ensure they meet the requirements of the new standards. These are available to view on the school's website.

We are committed to continuous improvement in our approach to child safety and wellbeing and welcome feedback from families and members of our school community on ways we can further strengthen our child safety policies, procedures and practices. If you have any suggestions, comments or questions, please contact Bec on 58290141.



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Mooroopna Library Speechie Library Talk



Join us for
a Speechie
Library
Talk this
November!



Australian Library and
Information Association



Wed 13th November 10:30am

Meet and chat to a local speech pathologist.
Find out more about how you can support your child's language and
literacy development at home.

Enjoy a reading of one of the winning books from
Speech Pathology Australia's Book of the Year 2024.

For more information or to make a booking
Phone 1300 374 765
or email mooroopna@gvlibraries.com.au

2024 Speechie Library Talks

Develop your child's
language and literacy



Mooroopna Library
13/11/24 @ 10:30am
mooroopna@gvlibraries.com.au

Euroa Library
14/11/24 @ 2:00pm
euroa@gvlibraries.com.au

Shepparton Library
26/11/24 @ 11:00am
shepparton@gvlibraries.com.au

Bookings

Ph: 1300 374 765 or
email the branch you
would like to attend.

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Get \$200 to help
your child play sport



The Get Active Kids Voucher Program is open!

Victorian families with a Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card can apply for up to \$200 to support their child's sport and active recreation activities. Apply now at www.getactive.vic.gov.au/vouchers



Before School Care

TheirCare offers Before School Care from 6:30am to 8:45am daily for students arriving before 8:45am. School staff are not rostered to supervise students during this time, as they are involved in meetings and planning. If a child needs to be dropped off before 8:45am in a one-off situation, supervision can be arranged by prior agreement with the school staff. Students who regularly arrive before 8:45am need to be booked into Before School Care with TheirCare.

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SCHOOL *Savings* BONUS



Dear parents and carers,

In Term 4, 2024, families with a child enrolled in a government school from Prep to Year 12 in 2025 will receive the one-off \$400 School Saving Bonus.

The \$400 School Saving Bonus provides families with support for education-related costs, such as school activities and/or school uniforms and textbooks.

Actions for parents and carers

Before 18 October 2024, the Department of Education is asking parents and carers to:

- Complete enrolment: If your child, or children are changing government school for Term 1 2025, or starting Prep or Year 7 in 2025. For more information, read about [Enrolling in School](#).
- Check your contact information: Ensure your email address and phone number is up to date with us. You can check this information by contacting us directly.

We need to ensure your contact information is up to date as the Department of Education will email you twice:

- in October, to verify your email address
- in November, with your \$400 School Saving Bonus and access to an online system.

Please check your junk mail regularly to make sure you do not miss an important email.

To learn more about the School Saving Bonus, download the [School Saving Bonus Information sheet for government school parents and carers](#) or visit vic.gov.au/school-saving-bonus.

The School Saving Bonus is not available for full-fee international students, home schooled students, TAFE students and students attending kindergarten in 2025.



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Shepparton City Soccer Club



UNDER 14'S

2024 CHAMPIONS



UNDER 12'S



Now taking
Expressions of Interest for the 2025
season in the following age groups

Under 6 Girls Only & Mixed

Under 7 Girls Only & Mixed

Under 8 Girls Only & Mixed

Under 10 Girls Only & Mixed

Under 12 Girls Only & Mixed

Under 14 & Under 16 Boys

Open Girls

Visit our Facebook page
SHEPPARTON CITY SOCCER CLUB
and complete the JotForm

School, the way it
should be.



MOORROOPNA NORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Your small-school alternative:

- * Individualised teaching for each student's needs in all learning areas; support, at level, extension.
- * Full range of subjects and high student-teacher ratio.
- * Calm student-centred routines and inclusive practices.



TOUR OR ENROL NOW



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