



MCG Excursion

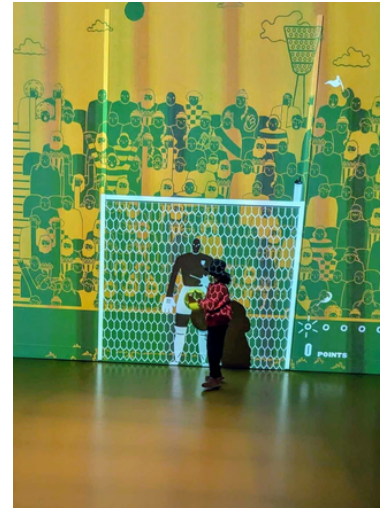
On Monday we wrapped up our learning about the Olympics this term with an excursion!

We jumped on the bus bright and early and headed to Melbourne.

We had a guided tour from John of the Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG) where we even got to see the grounds from inside a corporate box.

We also explored the Australian Sports Museum where students loved Game On! They competed in virtual races and competitions, practiced their footy and netball skills and even went rock climbing.

We met Australian Olympian Reba Stewart: Reba competed in the Taekwondo +67kg Tokyo 2020! Reba shared her story of how she began taekwondo and the hard work and practice she put in get to the 2020 Olympics. She even taught us a few moves. We were also told 'Don't try this at home!!'





15 Mile Creek

Day 1

On Tuesday, we kicked off our 4-day adventure at 15 Mile Creek Outdoor School! After settling in, we explored the area during some free time, went on a bushwalk with a creek crossing and cave exploration, and finished with night orienteering. It was an incredible start to the camp!



Day 2

Day two was focused on teamwork and resilience. We tackled some tough challenges and worked together using our strengths. Activities included damper making, bike riding, and initiatives. Despite a storm disrupting our night plans, we had a great time playing ball games in the shed!



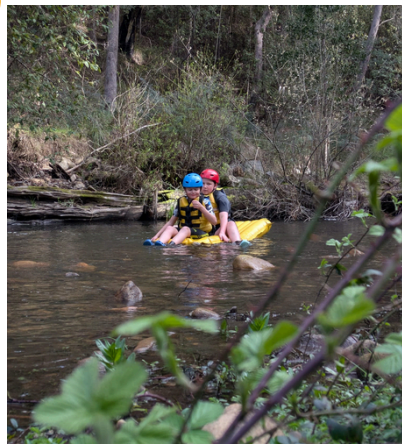
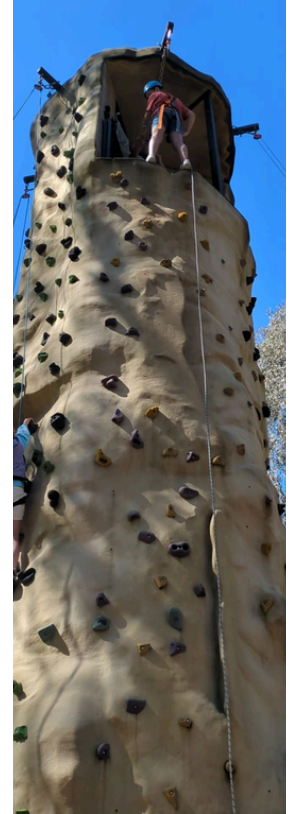
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Day 3

Our third day, began with an accidental sleep-in, leaving our breakfast chef wondering where we were! We then enjoyed rock climbing and abseiling, a creek walk and river boating, night ziplining, and a spot of fishing. It's been an action-packed day, and we're excited for the final day tomorrow. Looking forward to sharing all the camp stories!



Final Day

Friday was our last day at camp, and what an amazing time it's been! We each discovered more about ourselves and developed new skills. We spent the day reflecting on our experiences and appreciating the valuable traits in our peers, enjoying another bike ride and taking a drive around Benalla to admire the murals and playing at the park. A huge thank you to Stephen and Jack, our fantastic educators, and everyone at 15 Mile Creek Outdoor School for their hard work and dedication. We're so grateful for this incredible experience!



OLYMPIC VILLAGE



Between the Olympics and Paralympics, our Juniors students designed and created their very own Olympic Athlete's Village! The village was carefully completed with;

Accommodation

Event venues

Dining hall

Parks

Family-friendly facilities

Even a podium for medal ceremonies.

Students carefully considered ways to welcome competitors from around the world and help people of all abilities move around the village.

Event venues included skateboarding, diving, gymnastics and hockey.



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NATURE PLAYGROUP



- 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



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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FOOTY COLOURS DAY

Wednesday September 18 is Footy Colours Day.

Come to school wearing your team's AFL colours or team jumper.

There will be AFL activities on throughout the day.

We are raising money for the Fight Cancer Foundation and would welcome a gold coin donation, or you can follow the link on uEducateUs to donate





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Dates to Remember

September

Wednesday 18th Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am
Footy Colours Day

Friday 20th Cultural Day

Last Day of Term 3

October

Monday 7th **Term 4 begins**

Wednesday 9th Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am

Wednesday 16th Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am

Wednesday 23rd Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am

Wednesday 30th Nature Playgroup 9.30 - 11am

November

Friday 1st School Council

Monday 4th Curriculum Day - **No Students**

Tuesday 5th **Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday**



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 3 – Children are safe, informed and actively participate

At Mooroopna North PS our work within this standard includes;

- Our Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy outlines the controls in place to support child and student empowerment and is implemented
- Complaints Policy details how students can raise complaints and concerns and is promoted widely to parents and students
- Student Wellbeing and Engagement Policy outlines the controls in place to ensure student wellbeing is supported and prioritised
- Students are provided with age-appropriate sexual abuse prevention programs and relevant related information through [Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships teaching and learning materials](#), Life Education Victoria, Brave Hearts
- Students are educated about their rights through [School-wide Positive Behaviour Support Framework](#)
- Friendship and peer support are promoted through allied health placement students social skills target groups

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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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](https://www.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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YOUTH FEST

SEPTEMBER 2024

Art Workshops

Sports & Mindfulness Sessions

OMG!

Social Activities

and more!

Free and low-cost events for all to enjoy throughout the festival.

Scan the QR code to view the program or visit shepp.city/youthfest



Enquiries - email council@shepparton.vic.gov.au or call 5832 9700.

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SHEPPARTON SHRED

FREE SKATEBOARDING CLINIC WITH RENTON MILLAR

Sunday 29 September 2024 9.30am to 10.30am

Shepparton Skate Park Victoria Park Lake

Skateboards and helmets provided! Everyone is welcome.



Limited spots available. Scan the QR code for more info or visit shepp.city/skateboardclinic

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SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



All sessions 11am to 4pm

Join us for school holiday fun with inflatable pool games and jumbo outdoor activities!

MON 23 Jumbo Outdoor Games*	TUE 24 Small & Medium Inflatables	WED 25 Jumbo Outdoor Games*	THU 26 Inflatable Basketball	FRI 27 Small & Medium Inflatables
MON 30 Jumbo Outdoor Games*	TUE 1 Inflatable Basketball	WED 2 Small & Medium Inflatables	THU 3 Jumbo Outdoor Games*	FRI 4 Small & Medium Inflatables

Child \$4.70 | Adult \$7.20 | Group Swim \$19.10 (2 adults & 3 Kids)

*Subject to weather | 🏀 Outdoor Games | 🏊 Pool Games
Water slide and rapid river will also be running throughout the day.

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Cost \$9

Glow sticks provided

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DANCE

GLOW STICK PARTY

FRIDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

6.30pm to 7.15pm

For ages 12 to 25

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