



MOSSFIEL PRIMARY SCHOOL 5002

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We are a resilient, respectful community of learners.

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NEWSLETTER – 20 July 2018

MOSSFIEL SCHOOL LEADERS

PRINCIPAL	Maureen Price		
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL	Dennis Osborne	ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL	Andrew Morrison
INSTRUCTIONAL LEADER - Foundations	Craig O'Donnell	INSTRUCTIONAL LEADER - Years 1 & 2	Heather Clift
INSTRUCTIONAL LEADER - Years 3 & 4	Carmen Morrison	INSTRUCTIONAL LEADER - Years 5 & 6	Peter Cashin

MOSSFIEL SCHOOL COUNCILLORS

Andrew Graham – President	Jo Brown	Loren Hewitt	Sarah Hulme
Emma Bartlett – Vice President	Catrina Macleod	Nick Mullens	Jody Phillips
Dennis Osborne - Treasurer	Ameeqa Waqas	Jessica Webb	Jacqueline Drew
Maureen Price – Exec Officer	Louise Price	Lauren Wellsted	Linda Spencer – Minute Sec

DIARY DATES

Thursdays	19 July – 6 Sept		Foundations – Year 2 Swim Program
Mon	23 Jul		Mid-Year Reports sent home
Thu	26 Jul	am	56 group visit to Mossfiel kinder
Fri	27 Jul	2:30pm	Assembly
Mon	30 July	6pm	OSHC meeting
Thu	2 Aug	9am	School Council Finance sub-Committee meeting
Mon	6 Aug		56 incursion Start Smart Money Management
Wed	8 Aug	7pm	School Council meeting
Wed	14 Aug		Hoppers Crossing District Athletics
Wed	15 Aug		56 Hoop Time
Mon	20 Aug	8:50am	Book Week Parade in gym
Mon	27 Aug	6pm	OSHC meeting
Tue	28 Aug		34 Hoop Time
Thu & Fri	30 -31 Aug		Fathers' Day stall
Wed	5 Sep	7pm	School Council meeting
Tue	11 Sep		BBQ lunch
Wed	12 Sep	7pm	Years 3 to 6 CONCERT
Tue	18 Sep	3:30 – 6pm	Parent – Student – Teacher Conferences
Wed	19 Sep	12:30 – 8pm	REPORTING DAY TBC – NO CLASSES Parent – Student – Teacher Conferences
Fri	21 Sep	8:50 – 9:40	Footy Day Parade
Fri	21 Sep		Last Day Term 3 1:45 Assembly 2:30 DISMISSAL

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

REPORTS

We are currently printing the mid-year reports, which will be issued on Monday. We apologise for the one day delay as we were having difficulty with our student photos. We are very pleased with the fact that the majority of our students achieved at least the 6 months learning for the semester. Well done to them. Any parent who would like to speak with your child's class teacher as a follow-up to the report can make an appointment with the teacher.

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SWIM PROGRAM

We started our Swim Program for our Years Foundation to 2 this week and all went smoothly. Thanks to Joanne Maclean for her excellent organisation and to the many parents who were able to attend. The Swim Program runs for 8 weeks on Thursdays.

PARENT SURVEY

Over the next couple of weeks, a random selection of parents from Mossfiel will receive an email with a link to an anonymous survey for the Education Department. We encourage all parents who receive this email to find to 10 – 15 minutes or so to complete the survey for us. If you have any difficulties with the survey, please let us know.

LEARNING SPACES FOCUS

Last term we started a drive to improve our Safe and Orderly Learning Environment and we saw great improvements in our focus on Moving Around our school. We will continue this focus for a couple of weeks before starting to focus on the Learning Spaces expectations, as below. It would be great if families could discuss these issues when they arise at home.

Learning Spaces	THINK Excellence Be the best I can be	THINK Respect Follow teacher instructions.	THINK Resilience Have a go and don't give up.	THINK Community Help others and co-operate.
	Wear my uniform with pride.	Be kind and fair	Use the chill out space correctly	Take turns and share
	Be organised and prepared.	Speak appropriately to others		Allow others to learn and value their ideas
	Always participate			Congratulate others on their successes.

BOOK WEEK PARADE

We will have a Book Week Parade on Monday 20 Aug at 8:50 to 9:40 in our gym. All Mossfiel community are invited to dress up in a literature character.

CONCERT

Our students in Years 3 to 6 will take part in a concert on Wednesday 12 September. Please keep the date in your calendar.

REPORTING DAY

School Council will discuss a Reporting Day on Wednesday 19 Sep. There will be NO classes for students on that day. Students are expected to accompany their parents at the conference in the allocated time slot.

*Keep Smiling
Maureen Price*

BOOK CLUB

The due date for Book Club Issue 5 is **27 July 2018**. You can download the loop app from the app store and order online or send in your order form with cash via the classroom teacher or office



Congratulations to the next lot of Mossfiel students who have finished the Premiers Reading Challenge:

Gerald T	Foundation F
Acho J	3/4S
Caris Y	5/6S
Eugene Zeus G	1/2Z
Aahana G	1/2MW
Hadassah M	1/2F
Daniel C	5/6G
Chenele F	5/6D
Draedyn T	Foundation F
Angel H	Foundation B
Isaia F	1/2Z
Aleia F	3/4W
Khushi M	5/6P
Alina S	5/6P
Caelyn Y	5/6H
Nhi N	1/2C
Dinh Bao Nam H	1/2C