**SCHOOL CALENDAR**

**June**
- Fri 19  CSEF Application Forms Due
- Tues 23  Choir go to Tullamore
- Fri 26  Last day of Term 2, 2.30pm finish

**July**
- Mon 13  First day of Term 3
- 22-23  Whole School Production
- Thur 30  Australian Mathematics Competition

**August**
- Fri 14  Grade 6 Hoop Time - Kilsyth
- Fri 21  Grade 3/4 Hoop Time - Kilsyth
- Thur 27  Interschool Chess Comp-Montrose PS
- Fri 28  Grade 5 Hoop Time - Kilsyth

**September**
- 1-4  Grade 5 Camp, Coonawarra
- 14-15  Grade 3 Camp- Mt Evelyn

**Message from the Principal**

Hi Everybody,

**Chinese Hosts still required August 3-9**
Last Tuesday a small group of host families met to have preliminary discussions regarding the hosting of our Chinese visitors in August. During the get together questions were raised and answered, with us often referring to the feedback that previous host families had provided after our last visit.

At present we are still in need for families to volunteer. Many of the issues raised were around fitting the visitor in and around sporting or cultural commitments. Last time families tended to continue these, (sometimes with the opportunity for the visitor to have a go).

The school will be organising some excursions out to visit some of the local points of interest during the week, and some after school opportunities to get together.

The homestay commences on the Monday and concludes on the following Sunday morning. The children visiting are from upper grades, and it would be nice to match them to children of similar ages.

Please contact me for a chat if you are tempted and would like more information.

**Sunday July 19 Montrose PS is running the Bayswater Bunnings BBQ**
This is a great fundraising opportunity and we are needing some volunteers for sessions during the day.

Please join up with a friend to volunteer for a shift so that our roster is covered: Hours are from 8-4.30.

Simply fill in the volunteer slip in the newsletter or ring the office. We will contact you prior as a reminder.

**Disco: DJ Matt Stone Rocks Montrose!**
A reminder that the Parent Club is organising a disco next Friday. There will be 3 sessions held between 11.30 and lunch time. Entry is by gold coin donation and full details are in a separate notice.

Neil Pollard

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Canteen News

Thank you Paula Maki, Leanne Peacock and Nicky Thomas for your help in the canteen on Friday and Emily Watson for helping on Wednesday. This week’s helpers are Nicole Foster for Wednesday 17th June and Fran Speight, Julie-Anne Carlson and Annette Murphy for Friday 19th.

Soup for next Wednesday 24th June is Chicken and Sweetcorn Soup! Remember to get your order form in by the end of Tuesday.

Thanks.
Alison

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Chicken and Sweetcorn Soup  (& dinner roll) Wed 24 June
Name: .................................................................
Grade: .................................................................
$4.00 encl.  BYO SPOON
Please return to the office by 3.30pm Tuesday

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LOST
COULD EVERYONE PLEASE CHECK LABELS ON YOUR CHILDREN’S SCHOOL JUMPERS.
MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD HAS THE CORRECT JUMPER!!
Thank you.

LOST
Missing Size 16/18 Grade 6 hoodie named “Darcy S”.
Please check your jumpers and return to office if found.
Thank you.

LOST
Missing Size 8 hoodie named “Liam H”.
Please check your jumpers and return to office if found.
Thank you.
Montrose P.S proudly presents Circus Splendida

Production Tickets go on sale as of Monday 15th June 7am
Sales close for each night at 1pm on the day of that show.

VENUE: George Wood Performing Arts Centre,
Yarra Valley Grammar School, Ringwood
Enter from Kalinda Rd, Ringwood
(Melways: 50 D1)

DATES: Wed 22nd & Thurs 23rd July 7:30pm

TIME: 7:30pm prompt start,
anticipated finish 9:00pm (no interval)

TICKETS: All tickets are $15
➢ All young children will need to have their own seat for the
   performance in the interest of safety and visibility for other patrons.
   Toddlers should not be seated on the lap of an adult.
➢ Students performing on the night do not require a ticket.
➢ A small booking fee of 30c applies per ticket.
➢ There is a limit of 8 tickets per booking transaction.

ENQUIRIES: Mrs Kylie Fisher  BH: 9728-2203  E: montrose.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

Process For Buying Tickets

1. Internet Purchases through Trybooking
   a. Go to the website  http://www.trybooking.com/HXUP
      (Montrose P.S Circus Splendida page)
   b. Follow the prompts on the screen to order your tickets and select your own seats.
   c. Print your own tickets to bring along on the night.

      (Payment by credit card (Mastercard/Visa) accepted)

OR

2. Office Payment for families without Internet or Credit card facility
   a. Contact the office in person or by phone. You will need to place an order including
      night/s and number of tickets with payment.
   b. Best available tickets will be allocated every few days. The tickets will be printed and
      sent home with your child.
Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund (CSEF)

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund will ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities.

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. The allowance will be paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions, or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student will be:
- $125 for primary school students
- $225 for secondary school students.

How to Apply
Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Closing Date
You should lodge a CSEF application form at the school by 26 June 2015.

For more information about the CSEF visit www.education.vic.gov.au/csef
**Workers of the Week**

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**ART:** Holly J 6C  **WOW:** Ryan P 6F, Elle B 5C, Reece J 5N, Charlotte G 5C, Isobel C 6C

**SPORTS STAR:** Darcy S  **WOW:** Jemima W, Tayja M, Anastasia S, Maddy Mc

**MUSIC:** WOW:

**OSCAR:** Matilda P 1/2G

**PANDA:** Jamie S 5C

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**Value of the Week**

**Self-Discipline**

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What a fantastic Book Fair – thank you to everyone who came & supported it!
Our teachers will be able to purchase approximately $877 worth of resources for classrooms & the library.

Our charity guessing competition winners are:

There were 6 clever kids who had the closest guess at how many mints it takes to freshen a dragon's breath! (there were 84 mints in the jar & these winners guessed either 83 or 85!) Congratulations!

Co-winners – Cooper, 2P
Lachlan, 3GS
Felicity Dora c/- Lily W, 3GS
Toby, 4B
Ellissa, 4VW
Aliyah, 5N

Our 'loose change for charity' competition
'Guess how many mints it takes to freshen a dragon's breath'
The Australian Wildlife Conservancy is dedicated to the conservation of Australia's threatened wildlife and ecosystem. The money raised from putting a coin in the piggy bank to take a guess has been donated to this
TERM 2 WEEK 10

DIVISIONAL CROSS COUNTRY
Congratulations to the 8 students who competed at the Divisional Cross Country last Tuesday at Yarra Glen. There were approximately 60 runners in each race. Well done to:

- Jye – 1st
- Nick – 2nd
- Tayja – 3rd
- Jemima – 4th
- Anastasia – 6th
- Hayden – 14th
- Tyler – 14th
- Jett – 15th

Students who finished in the top ten progress through to the Regional finals on Tuesday June 16th. Best of luck!

INTER-SCHOOL SPORT RESULTS
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- Volleyball – Montrose won 2 sets to 1
- Mixed Netball – Montrose won 17-14
- Girls Netball – Rolling Hills won 27 – 7
- Football – Montrose won 42 – 32
- Soccer – Rolling Hills won 2-1

That is the conclusion of Inter-school Sport for Term 2. Congratulations to the Mixed Netball for winning the competition and progressing through to the Divisional finals (next term)

Miss Knell

SPORT STAR OF THE WEEK
Name: Darcy S Grade: 6F
Nomination reason: For always having a positive attitude and trying her best to improve

What’s the most important thing about sport? Great sportsmanship

My favourite sport is: Basketball and Netball
My favourite thing about P.E. lessons: Enjoying yourself
My favourite football team: Richmond
My sporting hero: Lauren Jackson
At lunchtime I like to: Play basketball
The best thing about school is: Sport
My favourite food: Meatballs
When I grow up I want to be.... A singer
Dear Parents,

The Art Room is in need of some bits and pieces so if you are looking to clean out your cupboards we would love your donations!

✓ Small containers (margarine, yoghurt, ice cream)
✓ Old towels (First Aid room needs them too!)
✓ Boxes (cereal, biscuit etc.)

If you are happy to collect them for us that would be fabulous! Thank you to all the recycling families who often leave bags of goodies at my door. Your donations are well received and used!

Thank you and regards,

Amanda Johnson
Visual Arts teacher

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Congratulations to all students who entered the Nude Food Poster Competition. We had lots of wonderful entries and it was very difficult to pick our winners!

Congratulations to Jennifer Bouwhuis, Ollie Lockhart and Ellena Glenk for your winning entries! These will be displayed around the school to remind people about the correct way to dispose of rubbish.

We would also like to congratulate Lily Moyes, Lucy Carlos, Coco Martin, Hudson Kuffer and Hayden Glenk for their exceptional entries.

If anyone would like their poster back please see Miss. Smith.

Keep up all of your good work with Nude Food lunches!

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MONTROSE PRIMARY SCHOOL
BBQ ROSTER
BUNNINGS BAYSWATER
SUNDAY 19TH JULY 2015

Please include me.

Name: ________________________________
Phone: ________________________________

Preferred Time:
8.00am - 10.00am  □
10.00am - 12.00pm □
12.00pm - 2.00pm  □
2.00pm - 4.00pm  □
Annual General Meeting

Come one, come all!

Dear families,

It's that time of year again and the Parents Club are having our Annual General Meeting on Tuesday 23rd of June from 9-10am in the Parents Club Room (opposite the drama room).

We are currently seeking new committee members and helpers. So if you've ever wondered what goes on, how decisions are made, have new ideas you would like to share, or would just like to offer a helping hand whenever you have time, we would love for you to join us.
There'll be cake and coffee!

Younger children are very welcome to all Parents Club meetings and we have some toys and colouring things available for them.

We are seeking nominations for the following PC positions:
- President
- Vice - President
- Secretary
- Assistant Treasurer
- Communications Officer
- BBQ Coordinator
- Volunteer Coordinator
- Raffle Coordinator

There are hardcopies of the nomination form and a Position Description Handbook at the office, or you are welcome to contact the current Co-President Priscilla on 0413664280 for more information.

When: Tuesday 23rd June, 9-10am
Where: Parents Club Room, opposite the Drama Room

Coffee and cake supplied
Children welcome
Disco AND Out-of-Uniform Day!

WHEN: Friday the 19\textsuperscript{th} of June.
Come dressed to school Out-of-Uniform for the day with your best dancing shoes on!
However, it is winter so don’t forget to dress warmly 😊

COST: Gold coin entry and receive a glow stick and a drink of cordial.

Prizes for the best male and female dancers in each group!

TIMES:
Prep - Grade 1: 11:30am - 12:10pm
Grade 2, 3 and 4: 12:15 - 12:55pm
Grade 5 and 6: 1:00 - 1:40pm (lunch bell will go at 1:45pm)
The disco will be held in the school hall.

Telstra Grant Buys New Sports Tops For Montrose

A big thank you to Mr John Stroud, grandfather of Brody D of 2N, and Telstra employee, along with the help of Mum, Nicki.

We were eligible to apply for a $1200 grant to purchase additional sports tops for inter-school sports and....... We were successful!
Now all inter-school teams representing Montrose can wear our beautiful new colours.
Thanks John, Nicki and thank you Telstra, we appreciate it!
ADVERTISING MATERIAL INCLUDED WITH NEWSLETTER
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This program incorporates the skills involved in developing ‘Mindfulness’ which teachers are practising within our classes. This program is FREE of charge!

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**Any Prep boys wanting to play After School Basketball? They play on Friday nights. Please meet in the hall on Wednesday after school if interested or contact Rebecca White on 0404 015 369.**

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