SCHOOL CALENDAR

September
Wed 16  State Schools Relief Fundraiser and Foxy Hot Dog Day
Wed 16  District Athletics Carnival Grade 3-6

October
Tues 6  Soccer Clinics commence - Gr3-6
6-30  Prep-Gr2 Gymnastics
Wed 7  Gr5 Bike & Helmet Safety Check
Wed 14  Gr5 Bike Education sessions begin
Fri 16  Whole School Photo
Thur 22  Prep Aquarium Excursion
27-29  Gr 1/2 Excursions to Mont de Lancy

November
Thur 5  Prep-Gr2 Gymnastics
16-20  Prep - Grade 2 School Swimming
Fri 20  Bike Hike - Warburton Trail
Wed 25  Prep Information Night
Mon 30  Grade 3 - 6 School Swimming (begins)

December
1-4  Grade 3 - 6 School Swimming (cont)
Tues 8  Orientation Day - Prep & Grade 6
Wed 9  Christmas Carols
Tues 15  Grade 6 Graduation

Other
Recess: 11.00am to 11.30am
Lunch hour: 1.30pm to 2.30pm
Uniform Shop: Wednesdays, 2.45pm to 3.30pm

2015 Term Dates
Term 3 - 13 July to 18 September
Term 4 - 4 October to 18 December

Canteen Lunch orders to be in by 9am Wednesday and Friday

REMINDER: All newsletter items must be in by Friday night in order to ensure they are included in the following week’s newsletter.

Message from the Principal

Hi Everyone,

Parent Interviews
Many thanks to all the families for helping the interviews run smoothly last week. As far as possible teachers attempted to keep on time and as I moved about I saw that queues were quite short. In discussing the new format with parents the response was positive and encourages us to stick with this setup next year. As always, a small number of families (and one staff member) had unforeseen issues arise and had to cancel the appointment. Please reschedule with your class teacher as these meetings are important.

Thanks for school camps
The drawing to a close of this fantastic term has seen the year 5 and year 3 camps being held.
By all reports (and photos) the experiences were as usual top notch, with the children coming home with a bag full of stories. I dropped into the year 3 camp yesterday afternoon and was mightily impressed with the enthusiasm, cooperation and supportiveness shown by all the children. The organisation involved in setting up a camp is immense... a huge thank you to Alana and Glenn for your efforts. These are great programs that bring so much to children in such a compressed period of time.

Sarah Court Spring Harvest Fair
Thanks to teachers Taryn, Kate, Melissa S, Lori Jennifer and Veronica who joined in the fun at the Sarah Court Preschool Spring harvest on Saturday. After a big night of interviews on Wednesday, these teachers attended the fair and supported one of our community partners. Well done to all!

India
Many thanks to Kylie, Glenn, Alana and Linda who ensured the school was in good hands as I took two weeks leave recently. I travelled to India spent time around Bangalore and Mysore as well as experiencing my wife’s sister school. The cultural explosion that is India will take some time to come to grips with, however the similarities with many of the elements of the school I visited show that there are many ‘universals’ in education... no matter what your circumstances or where in the world you are.

Arrangements for 2016
As term 3 comes to a close all schools are rapidly moving into the preparation phase for 2016. Please keep on top of what is going on by reading the newsletter and adhering to the timelines and deadlines. Enjoy the vacation and any extra time you can spend with your kids.

Neil Pollard
Thank you Annette Murphy and Kylie Sheperd for your help in the canteen on Thursday and Elle Marcombe for helping on Wednesday.

This week’s helpers are Emily Watson, Caroline Peat and Ruth Osborne for Footy hot dog lunch on Wednesday 16th September and Kate Critchley, Kate Stephen and Gemma Heemskerk for Friday 18th.

Don’t forget to dress up in your favourite footy colours on Wednesday and bring a $1 coin donation for State Schools Relief.

In term 4 please remember to use the summer menu for Wednesday canteen orders. A copy will come home in the first week of term.

Hope you all have a safe and happy holiday break!

Thanks.
Alison
CONFIDENCE is this term's YCDI Key for Success! You can show confidence this term by:

- Trying something new
- Talking with a strong voice
- Answering a difficult question in class
- Asking to play with others
- Volunteering to do a job

This week's award winners are:

Award winner: Laney J 5C

Why do you think you got the award?  
Because I was super confident

My Hero is:  
My Dad

My favourite things about school are:  
Sport and Art.

When I grow up I want to be:  
A hairdresser.

Award winner: Mason D 2P

Why do you think you got the award?  
I was confident in my work.

My Hero is:  
My mum

My favourite things about school are:  
Learning

When I grow up I want to be a:  
A policeman.
Award winner: Sarah-Jane K 6P

Why do you think you got the award?
I was confident with my work.

My Hero is:
My friends

My favourite things about school are:
Learning new and fun activities

When I grow up I want to be a:
A scientist.
Congratulations to the 3-6 Maths Masterclass Winners:

**Sarah-Jane (6F) and Tayla (5C)**

for correctly identifying the number of leaves (8889) and explaining their problem solving strategies!

Lookout for the P-2 Maths Masterclass first week back next term!
Self-described Rockstar Narrator Stig Wemyss visited our school last week, especially for grades 3, 4, 5 & 6.

Stig has narrated all of Andy Griffiths' books, and many other authors' books as well. He has lost count of how many books his voice has turned into audio books.

Stig was great fun & over the top! Did you see Mrs Reynolds kiss him...because he is a Rockstar Narrator?!

His show involved water, marshmallows, questionnaires & lots of kids to be part of it, and he gave away some fantastic prizes (copies of his audio books).

We laughed & laughed & made a racket!

Stig introduced us to some very funny games, like "Sausages"!

He also read us one of Andy Griffiths' stories, & challenged 2 very brave grade 6-ers to play the game "Chubby Wubby babies".

We did not stop laughing for the whole show!

Stig finished his performance by signing his name for almost every one of the 230 students who came to his show - what a mammoth effort!
Stig, you are a rockstar!

Thank you for visiting us Stig Wemyss & introducing a great new way to read books!

Don't forget to try out Stig's audio books at our local library & their website.
The Mango Fundraiser

Next term we are having our Annual Mango drive and each youngest child will bring home a form after the school holidays.

The Mangoes come from far North Queensland and will come in a tray of 14 to 20 mangoes (depending on size) and will cost approx. $25 per tray.

Ask your parents/guardians, grandparents, friends and neighbours.

Last year it was so popular that we sold a whopping 172 trays. Yum!!

The Earn & Learn Program has now finished. Thank you for your participation.

Can you please return all stickers and sheets to the office by Wednesday 16th September at the latest?

You have all earned 41,040 stickers for our school. Well done!! The teachers will be able to get lots of wonderful items with this amount.

The Parents Club will announce the final tally after the school holidays.
OUT NOW!!

Chalk & Parent Direct Catalogues

Get your Christmas or Holiday gifts organised without leaving home!

20 cents in every dollar goes back to Montrose Primary to spend on educational products!

ONLINE Ordering is now even easier!


**Select Montrose Primary School as your nominated school

Online orders delivered straight to your door – approximately 1 week from your order date!

OR Pick-up a catalogue from the school office

Inside the 2015 Chalk & Parent Direct Catalogues you’ll find these great products & more....

Eurotrike – BMX Scooter
ONLY $99.90
Parent Direct Catalogue P5273

Science Mad – Crystal Growing Kit
ONLY $32.90
Parent Direct Catalogue P5114

Thinkfun – Houdini Game
ONLY $29.90
Chalk Catalogue C5239

Mobilo Basics Set
ONLY $79.90
Chalk Catalogue C5055
Wow!

Thanks to your fundraising, we have made some amazing achievements in Term 3! These include........

- Apple TV in the art room
- The final stages of the Gaga Pit
- New Gym Mat and New Cover for existing mat
- Kitchen Equipment for the Canteen

Term 4 is coming and there is more to come! We will keep you updated.

Want to make a difference?

Do you want to be part of the Parents Club, do you want to have a say on where the fundraising money is spent around the school? Then come along to one of our meetings.

These are held monthly on a Tuesday from 9am for about an hour. Toddlers and babies are welcome and we have a fabulous coffee machine! Join us at any time of the year. We would love to see you.

If you have any ideas that you think may benefit the students but cannot make it, please leave your details and a brief outline with the office staff.

Enjoy the holidays. Be safe and have fun.
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TERM 4
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IN-SCHOOL TIME

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THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY

Enrol NOW in ............
Piano on Keyboard Lessons
$15.50 HALF HOUR lesson

* Convenient - in school time
* Inexpensive
* Learn with Friends
* All equipment provided
* INDIVIDUAL tuition

ONE FREE LESSON
IF YOU ENROL NOW
Phone 9761 9058

FOR SALE

Purebred mini-lop baby rabbits.

Please contact Rebecca on 0404 015 369 if interested.

2016 JUNIOR REGISTRATION DAY
COME ALONG AND SIGN UP TO
SECURE YOUR SPOT

Date: Saturday 24th October 2015
Time: 12:30pm - 2:30pm
Venue: Clubrooms, Pinks Reserve

Must pay minimum $50 deposit on the day to receive last years fees of $160
Also to go into a few draws to win FREE registrations
EFTPOS is available at the clubrooms on the day to pay fees

2016 JUNIOR FEES
• 1st year players to the club receive FREE registration
• Pay minimum $50 deposit on rego day
FEES $160
• After Registration day
FEES $185
GOODS AND SERVICES

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5 BENEFITS OF KICKBOXING
Kickboxing for women

1. Get and Stay Shape Fast
2. Improve your Stamina and Coordination
3. Reduce Stress and Frustration
4. Increase your Self-confidence
5. Keep yourself Motivated Exercise

Womens Only Monday nights
20A William St East Lilydale
97351138 any day after 3PM

MILO CRICKET
@ Mooroolbark Cricket Club

Registration Day
SUNDAY 4th OCTOBER – 11:00am-12:00pm
Mooroolbark Heights Reserve, Longfellow Ave, Mooroolbark

The season will run over the following Friday nights 6:00-7:00PM:
November 6, 13, 20, 27
December 4, 11
February 5, 12, 19, 26
March 4

Subscription Fee: $75 per child
Includes Cricket Australia Milo kit (t-shirt, hat, bat, back pack, etc)

For further Information
Contact: Bryn Griffiths
0429 925 242
b.griffiths@waterway.com.au

Paleo Piggies
Paleo/Vegan/Raw Treats
Email:paleopiggies@iprimus.com.au
Facebook: Paleo Piggies
Instagram: @paleopiggies

Montrose Community Market

Held 3rd Saturday of the month (except January). Next market is Saturday 19th September on the green by the library.

Stall space $20 per month.

For more information please contact
Lesley Moore on 9779 6057.

Montrose Tennis Club
TERM 4 Enrolment

JUNIOR GROUP PROGRAMS
ANZ Hot Shots program 4-12 years, Group Lessons, Private Lessons, Training squads,

ADULT PROGRAMS
CARDIO TENNIS: A fun 1 hr tennis workout for players of all ages and standards.

Private lessons. Ladies groups

HOLIDAY PROGRAMS
Tennis clinics and tournaments are run through the School holidays.

Web site: www.headstarttennis.com.au
Contact: Graeme Hill (TCA) Mobile 0409-016-022 or Email ghill4@bigpond.com
Location: Montrose Tennis Club: Mt Dandenong Rd Tourist Rd Montrose Mel Ref S2 D7
# Friday Canteen Menu 2015

Please place correct money in a paper bag / lunch wallet with your child’s name, grade and order on the front. Please include 20c if you do not have a lunch bag and we will provide one for you.

Snacks and drinks will also be sold over the counter at play times.

## Sandwiches/Rolls

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<td>Ham/Chicken (add 20c per salad item)</td>
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<td>Tuna (plain or tomato, onion flavour)</td>
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<td>Egg and Lettuce</td>
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<td>Vegemite / Cheese</td>
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## Jaffles

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<td>Cheese</td>
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<td>Cheese and tomato</td>
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<td>Ham and cheese</td>
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<td>Ham, cheese and tomato</td>
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<td>Chicken and cheese</td>
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## Salad Box

BYO fork please

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<td>Cheese salad</td>
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<td>Chicken salad</td>
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<td>Ham salad</td>
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<td>Tuna salad (plain/tomato, onion flavour)</td>
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## Wraps

½ wraps available | 2.70

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<td>Tuna, cheese and salad</td>
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<td>Salad and cheese</td>
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## Extras Add:

Salad item – 20c, cheese – 40c, avocado – 50c, tortilla chips – 1.00, tomato sauce & mayo – 20c each

## Sushi Rolls

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<td>Teriyaki chicken and cucumber</td>
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<td>Tuna and avocado</td>
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<td>Soy sauce</td>
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## Fresh Fruit Salad (ONLY TERMS 1&4)

(melons, kiwi, strawbs, grapes etc) | 4.00
ADD scoop of vanilla yoghurt | 0.50

## Fresh Fruit Bowl

– pieces of fruit in season sold over the counter

## Hot Food

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<td>Cruiser Pie (Mrs Macs light)</td>
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<td>Mini Meat Pie (Mrs Macs good eating)</td>
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<td>Pizza - Hawaiian</td>
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<td>- Margarita</td>
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<td>Sausage Roll (Mrs Macs good eating)</td>
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<td>Macaroni Cheese</td>
<td>3.50</td>
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<td>Fried Rice</td>
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<td>Hot roast chicken and gravy roll (long white roll – cheese extra 40c)</td>
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<td>Corn cobbett</td>
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<td>Tomato sauce</td>
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## Drinks

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<td>Just Juice (200ml)</td>
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<td>- orange/paradise punch</td>
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<td>Flavoured Milk (250ml)</td>
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<td>- chocolate/strawberry</td>
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## Snacks

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<td>Apple slinky</td>
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<td>Apple from home made into slinky</td>
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<td>Fruit cubes – strawberry or apricot</td>
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<td>Mini Wheats/Wild Berry Bites</td>
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<td>Dried fruit – apple - 20c or apricot -</td>
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<td>Piranha Vegie chips –</td>
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<td>bbq cheese/S&amp;V/honey soy</td>
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<td>Popcorn - butter, S&amp;V, cheese</td>
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<td>Sakata Rice Crackers BBQ/chicken</td>
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<td>Homemade Anzacs</td>
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<td>Buttered Raisin toast</td>
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<td>Homemade Fruit Muffin</td>
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<td>Choc Chip Go Cookie</td>
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<td>Jam Drop/Honey Butterfly(allergy friendly-GF)</td>
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<td>Fruit and Nut Balls (GF)</td>
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## Frozen Snacks

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<td>Golden Circle 99% fruit tube</td>
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<td>Moosies Milk Freeze (all flavours)</td>
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<td>Bulla Fruit and Yoghurt stick</td>
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<td>Frozen Juice cups (apple/or)</td>
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<td>Frozen pineapple rings (counter sale only)</td>
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