CARE, INNOVATION, OPPORTUNITY, SUCCESS
Experienced and Dedicated Staff

The magic number will be drawn this Friday at assembly.
What date is the MEPS Fete on?
Quote for the Week:

“If you do not hope, you will not find what is beyond your hopes.”

(St Clement of Alexandria)

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Until next time ...

Warm Regards

M. McKeev
Shonnalea Smith has worked very hard to produce excellent handwriting! Her work was voted the best effort by her year 6 peers.
**SPECIAL EVENTS—TERM 4 WEEKLY AWARDS**

**Week 1/2 Awards**

**PRINCIPAL AWARDS**

- K-23—Jessica Pitt—Great co-operation with her classmates
- 1-24—Hailee Hunt—An excellent attitude towards schools
- 2-21—Janaya Hinch—Showing confidence when reading
- 3/4-20—Jalika Leslie—Showing great organisation
- 4/5-10—Branden Barker—Always being a caring and responsible member of 4/5-10
- 4/5-10—Izaak Dittmer—Making 5 star choices within the classroom
- 6-12—Sam Ronan—Consistently displaying all 5 keys

**WEEKLY MERIT AWARDS**

- K-23—Tabitha Cobb—5 star student in K-23
- 1-24—Mika Tyson—An excellent effort during maths
- 1-24—Malakye Smith—A great effort during reading
- 2-21—Jermaine Smith—Having a go during reading activities
- 2-21—Alfie Duncan—An excellent student in our class—best wishes for his new school
- 2-21—Beatress Luka—A great effort reading a chapter book
- 3/4-20—Daniel Smith—Positive role model for others
- 4/5-10—Dwayne Smith—Being more confident when attempting tasks
- 4/5-10—Rehannah Haines—Giving tasks a go, even when they are difficult
- 6-12—Louisa Famalie—An excellent helper
- 6-12—Beverley Murray—An excellent start

**Canteen Awards**

Shaquill Smith

**Library Awards**

Year 1-24

**Attendance Awards**

Brandan Barker and Beatress Luka
PCYC SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Wednesday 17th October
FUTSAL Competition starts.
We still have space for more players in each division.
Results and Draw in the Moree Champion.

NEW SPORTS STARTING - $5.00 PER GAME

Saturday 20th October
JUNIOR BASKETBALL 9:30 AM

Monday 22nd October
TABLE TENNIS 4:00 PM

Tuesday 23rd October
SPEED LEAGUE 4:00 PM

NEW GOLD PASS - $10.00

This month we will trial a new payment method - The Gold Pass will be for children who play multiple sports and will cost $10.00 a week. This Gold Pass will allow the holder entry in to all the following sports - Archery, Karate, Gymnastics, Circus, Futsal, Basketball, Speed League, Table Tennis and Maui Thai. Plus access to games room and squash courts, when no competition on courts.

Moree Secondary College - Carol Avenue will be holding an information evening for parents and students already enrolled, or considering enrolling, in Year 7 in 2013. This will be held in the library at Carol Avenue Wednesday, 24th October at 6.00pm followed by a free BBQ. Uniforms will be available to order and purchase on the night. Note that Centrelink deductions for uniforms are also available for eligible families and can also be arranged on this night. For more information please contact the school on 0267 506500.

Paula Barton
Principal
Movies and books
Is your child a reluctant reader? Why not try helping them find the book that goes with a movie or DVD they’ve enjoyed, or are about to see. Encouraging your child to read can help them to build their imagination.

Working children
Is your child under 16 and about to be employed in some form of modelling, entertainment or photography work? You will need to know about the employer’s obligations.

Rainforest creatures
Experience Taronga Zoo's stunning Wild Asia rainforest trail guided by volunteer researcher Heidi Greentree. Rainforest Heroes is a new, free iPad app that lets students capture their discoveries, on location at the zoo or from home, and then make a field report.
Find out more about the app: https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/taronga-zoo-rainforest-heroes/id558373157?ls=1&mt=8

Fitter, healthier, happier
Go4Fun is a free lifestyle program being run across NSW towns. For 7-13 year-old children who are above a healthy weight, activities aim for a long-lasting and healthy approach to living and are suitable for both kids and their families.
“You Can Do It” is the social skills program used at Moree East Public School. The program focuses on 5 Keys to success – **Organisation, Confidence, Persistence, Getting Along** and **Resilience**.

This week’s focus is **Resilience**

**Organisation**

Being organised means:
- Making sure I understand my teacher’s instructions before I begin work
- Keeping a neat desk and school bag
- Having all my school supplies ready
Planning when I’m going to do my homework so I have enough time

**Confidence**

Being Confident means:
- Trying something new
- Doing hard things without asking for help
- Sharing new ideas with my teacher
- Talking to someone new
- Standing up tall
Speaking with a clear voice

**Persistence**

Being Persistent means:
- Trying hard and not giving up
- Not letting others distract me from my work
- Checking that my work is correct
Finishing my class work and homework on time

**Getting Along**

Getting Along with others involves:
- Following classroom rules
- Solving conflict peacefully
- Listening and not interrupting when someone is speaking
- Working well with my classmates
Volunteering for jobs

**Resilience**

Being Resilient means:
- Staying calm
- Not losing my cool
- Not getting extremely worried, angry or down
- Calming down quickly
- Not fighting when upset
Bouncing back
Australia Word Search

Australia, boomerang, cassowary, crocodile, echidna, emu, eucalyptus, kangaroo, koala, kookaburra, marsupial, Melbourne, Perth, platypus, shark, sheep, Sydney, wombat
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