EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

A big pat on the back to all Moree East PS parents for two very important items.

SCHOOL UNIFORM AND ATTENDANCE.

Your child, our students are looking very smart in their school uniforms. Also school attendance is good. It is important that your child attends school every day but critical that they are on time and in the classroom. Looking like a MEPS student and being a MEPS student certainly plays a huge role in them feeling confident and inclusive.

The first of our four visiting performances, ‘Excuse Me I Was Here First’ will be here next Tuesday 11th March, 2014. Mrs Cutmore has already provided detailed information about the performances and your responsibility as a parent, if you would like to have your child attend is to ensure that an entry fee of $5.00 is paid to the school. The visiting performances are especially selected to compliment your child’s learning and is an opportunity to good to miss.

All school activities, in school and out of school require a permission note which must be submitted in due time so teachers can coordinate these events. Further, participation of your child also requires regular attendance and acceptable behaviour.

Finally the first meeting of our ‘Connected Communities’ School Reference group for 2014 is Tuesday 18th March, 2014.

Thankyou to all our members who committed themselves to this very important role in 2013 and welcome aboard our new members. Once we have our first meeting, I will introduce the members to you in our school newsletter.

Until next week take care of yourself and each other.

Muriel Kelly
Executive Principal
Moree East PS
The ‘School Leadership Group’ represents students to promote their views and their participation in school decision making.

Students who have been selected for this group have demonstrated good leadership skills and are role models to others by being a safe, respectful learner.

Two students from years 3-6 have been elected to be part of the Moree East ‘Student Leadership’ Group.

These students include:

**Year 3:**
- Mika
- Donny

**Year 4:**
- Janaya
- Cody

**Year 5:**
- Malika
- Kayden

**Year 6:**
- Kalara
- Peter
20 YEARS OF SERVICE

CONGRATULATIONS AND THANK YOU

MR PATRICK

FOR 20 YEARS OF SERVICE
Attendance – Week 6 Report

Whole School Attendance
75%

Attendance Class of the Week
K/1-H

Rainy weather had a big impact on attendance last week. We want to get our weekly attendance back to 90% or above, please work with us by sending your child to school every day.

CONGRATULATIONS 100% ATTENDANCE THIS YEAR

The following students have not missed a day of school in the first five weeks. To celebrate these students will get to participate in special afternoon tea this Friday. We will do this each five week period so that we can celebrate with our students that are meeting the 100% attendance target.

Gregory Binion (K/1-H)                      Jessie Whitton (K/1-H)                     Tiffany Brown (1/2-J)
Alfred Duncan (K/1-H)                       Hermonie Hona (K/1-T)                    Veronica Kelly (1/2-J)
Eva Duncan (K/1-H)                          Rachael Tyson (1/2-J)                    Linda Whitton (2/3-C)
Jamaya Fernando (K/1-H)                     Hailee Hunt (2/3-C)                      Donny Rose (3/4-O)
Tyhanna McKenzie (K/1-H)                    Shakila Fernando (4/5/6-B)               Malika Smith (4/5/6-B)
Maverick Noakes (K/1-H)                     Neil Cutmore (4/5/6-M)                   Shanika Duncan (4/5/6-B)
Jardie Smith-Brown (K/1-H)                  Paul Hinch (4/5/6-M)                     Peter Knox-Wright (4/5/6-M)
Jalika Leslie (4/5/6-B)

Sick:
Please phone the school on the day to advise if your child is away due to illness. You can also send in a note on the day that they return that includes the date they were away and the reason. If your child is away longer than 2 days it is advisable to get a Doctors Certificate. The surgery can fax this to the school at the time of the visit or you can provide a copy to us when your child returns.

Sorry Business:
We understand that when there is a loss in the family you will need to have time away with your children to be with your family. If you can please contact the school to advise that your children will be away we can work with you to organise special leave that will not impact on your child’s attendance record.

Planned Absences/Holidays:
When you know that you are going to be away you will need to contact the Principal Muriel Kelly or myself Kate Brennan to advise of the dates that your child/ren will be expected to be away and the reason for absence. This way we can organise special leave and provide work if requested. This leave must be requested in advance.
VISITING SCHOOL PERFORMANCES FOR 2014

EXCUSE ME I WAS HERE FIRST
11/03/14 $5

YOU CAN DO IT TOO
26/05/14 $5

TO FEDERATION AND BEYOND
5/11/14 $5

READ YOU CAN ORANG-UTAN
26/05/14 $5
It is very important that we have up to date parent and emergency contact details so that if your child is sick or we need to contact you to talk to you regarding your child’s learning or behaviour we can do so quickly.

Only one contact form needs to be returned for each family.

Emergency contacts can be family or friends. If we are unable to contact the main parent/carer we will then contact anyone listed as an emergency contact. It is important that anyone listed knows that we may contact them.

Please complete the contact form below and return it to the school as soon as possible. Students hand completed forms to their classroom teacher.

★ The first child in each class to return their completed contact form will get a free lunch

★ The first class to return all their updated forms will receive a class reward.

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COMMUNITY

LITTLE ATHLETICS REGISTRATION

Moree Little Athletics Club will be holding the following registration days for the new Autumn/Winter season:

- 22/3/2014 at McDonalds (Maccas) between 11:00am and 2:00pm and
- 26/3/2014 at Boughton Oval between 5:30pm and 7:00pm.

Moree Motor Enthusiasts Club will have some restored vehicles on display for this occasion and a BBQ will be available for purchase.

Children registering for the first time must bring a proof of age document for sighting. Cost is $85.00. Children aged between 5 years and 17 years as at 30/9/2013 can join the club.

The Committee invites all interested kids aged 5 to 17 and their families to come along and enjoy some fun activities and a sausage sizzle.

Moree Junior Soccer Club

Junior Soccer will start on Saturday 3rd May 2014.

Registration Dates
Saturday 8th March 2014
Saturday 15th March 2014
Saturday 22nd March 2014

Where
Ron Harbourne Oval

Time
10.00-12.00pm

Registration Fee $110.00 per player

Ages 5-16yrs

Shinpads & Shorts for sale on day of Rego.

More information contact Terry-Anne 67528152
website www.moreesport.com.au
**COMMUNITY**

**MOREE PCYC**

**ST PATRICKS DAY**

**4.5KM FUN RUN & FAMILY WALK**

MOREE SERVICES CLUB CAR PARK

3:30pm registrations for a 4:00pm Start
(Registrations can be taken prior to the day at Moree PCYC)

Saturday 15th March 2013
Followed by a sausage sizzle at the Services Club back BBQ Area

Entry $10
(Includes 12 month exempt membership to Moree PCYC)
Gold Coin donation for children 0-13yrs
Raising Money for The Clean Slate Without Prejudice Breakfast Program

Distance 4.5km with the option of 9km

Awards for Best Dressed Family, Individual & Team
Come along get in the spirit and support your local PCYC

**First Race of Three Race Championship**

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