PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

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We are now at the end of the second week of an eleven week Term, that means nine weeks to go. Student attendance in the first two weeks has been excellent and with your support can be maintained right up until the end of the school year. Attendance is critical to student learning.

NAPLAN reports, for students in Years 3 and 5, have been distributed this week. If this important document has not reached you as yet please contact me at the school so I can follow up. If you would like some assistance in determining the content of the report then please make contact with Mrs Gallop.

Congratulations to the boys touch football team who are the official REGIONAL CHAMPS!! The boys had an amazing win over Tamworth South Primary School 7-2. The team is filled with class players who work brilliantly together, it’s just pure magic to watch. Branden Barker was identified as the most valuable player and was awarded an autographed hat by Titan’s halfback, Albert Kelly.

The team is now one of eight teams across the state that will meet at the Central Coast on the 28th October to play out the 2013 NSWPSSA Touch Knockout Finals until a state champion is determined. I am sure you will join me in wishing the boys well and no matter what the outcome I am so proud of them. Go MEPS!

Finally, the MEPS Connected Community Reference Group is seeking expression of interest from a parent or carer, who has a child at MEPS to join the group. This will increase parent representation from two to three. Having an additional parent on the group will strengthen the parent voice. If you are interested then please contact me at the school, personally or via the phone on 67521733 by next Thursday, 24 October, 2013.

Until next week take care of yourself and each other.

Muriel Kelly
Executive Principal
TERM 3—TEACHERS

Kindergarten: Ms Bec Batten
Kindergarten: Ms Courtney McLennan
Year 1: Ms Abby White
Year 2: Ms Beck Stavrou
Year 3: Mr Gavin Orgill
Year 3/4: Mrs Barbara Cutmore
Year 5/6: Mrs Christine Collins

Teacher Support: Mr Warren Dryden

Assistant Principal: Ms Kate Brennan
Deputy Principal: Mrs Michelle Gallop

Your child is invited to experience Kindergarten at Moree East Public School

During Term 4 we offer sessions to ensure your child makes a smooth start to school in 2014. Becoming familiar with their new school, classroom and teachers, making friends and preparing for English and Maths success.

Moree East Public School
6752 1733
Call to include your child in our Transition to School Program
NSWPSSA Touch Football

Last week Moree East Public School took on Tamworth South Public School at the Services Club for a place in the top 8 for NSWPSSA Touch Football competition. All students gave 100% and won convincingly.

With the final score being 7-2, tries were scored by Kaedyn Smith, Tyson Green, Daniel Smith and Dwayne Smith. Branden Barker was named Players Player.

Thank you to parents and community members who came up to support the touch boys.

- Abby White
Sports Coordinator
The Education Centre Against Violence (ECAV) would like to invite all Aboriginal men, both community members and service providers, to attend

**Strong Aboriginal Men Workshop 2**

*Looking at Our Communities: Talking about the Tough Issues*

**Date:** 28th, 29th & 30th October 2013  
**Venue:** Miyay Birray  
39 Herber St Moree  
**Time:** 9:00am – 4:00pm  
**Trainers:** Lee Murphy, Vic Morgan & Eric Hudson

This workshop will cover:
- Aboriginal men will have an opportunity to understand and apply the pathways to recovery through remembrance and mourning.
- Exploration about creating new possibilities as re-connections with self, family and community are established.

Darryl Smith is the Local coordinator and can be contacted at Miyay Birray. Ph 02- 6752 6038  
Or contact: Ivan Clarke on Ph. 02 9840 3752  
M: 0403 643 665 or via email at  ivan.Clarke@swahs.health.nsw.gov.au
MOREE EAST PUBLIC SCHOOL FETE

Friday 15th November 2013

Moree East PS
Adelaide Street
4:30-7:30pm

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For more information contact the MEPS team:
(02) 6752 1733
Email: moreeeast-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
FREE one day workshop for PARENTS/CARERS of school age students on the autism spectrum

Workshop: 23/10/13
Location: Moree

JOIN US FOR A “Get Together”

Where: Moree RSL Club
Albert St, Moree

When: One-Day Workshop – Wednesday 23rd October

Time: 10.00a.m - 2.30p.m (Registration from 9.15am)
Morning Tea and lunch provided

What is a “get together”?
- This get together is an opportunity for families and friends to come together to talk about the issues that are important to them about their child’s behaviour.
- The get together is a safe environment where families can talk about autism and other behavioural and learning needs that may be affecting their child at home or school.

The “get together” IS
- An opportunity to create a supportive, safe network for families, carers and service providers working with or supporting children with Autism or behavioural or learning needs.

The “get together” is NOT
- An autism behavioural or learning assessment
- A lecture or presentation

Each family is invited to bring a trusted service provider or support person/s with them.
I have asked trusted people in the community to distribute this letter to lots of people in the community. If you have this letter please consider coming along.

To book a spot contact Lee Casuscelli on 0425 287 426 or 0404 022 843
lcasuscelli@autismspectrum.org.au