EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

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Welcome to Term 2. Moree East Public School is off to a flying start. The trial of the new school hours is certainly having a positive impact on student engagement. At this stage it is way too early to identify outcomes; however, but I am appreciative of your support.

If there is anything that you feel you need to raise with the school in regard to time changes then please feel welcome to come on in. Our doors are always open.

To ensure that you are fully aware of any changes to school operation, detailed information is contained within this newsletter.

In assisting the school community to determine the outcomes of the trial ongoing evaluation process will be in put in place. All key stakeholders need to be inclusive of the development and implementation of the evaluation.

Opportunities will be available in the very near future that will give parents this opportunity. Moree East Public School welcomes your input.

Muriel

Executive Principal
SPECIAL EVENTS

WEEK 1

PBL Awards - Safe, Respectful, Learner

1/2J
★ Raymond Bently
★ Gregory Binion
★ Marri-char Binge
★ Alfred Duncan
★ Andrew Sampson
★ Jardie Smith-Brown
★ Ngateika Tighe
★ Isabelle Lysaght
★ Veronica Kelly
★ Christopher Tierney
★ Marsha Tighe
★ Rachael Tyson

1/2SM
★ Hermonie Hona
★ Kyleika Haines
★ Tiffany Brown
★ Brock Roberts
★ Jordan Weatherall
★ Matari Walker

K-B
★ Iszac Binion
★ Alcarrae Doolan
★ Kayne O'Neill
★ Harmony Oates
★ Olivia Pinner
★ Kariesha Roberts
★ Haru Smith

3/4/5T
★ Rory Hodges
★ Brandon Smith
★ Ronald Swan
★ Jakeob Lysaght
★ Donny Rose
★ Malakye Smith
★ Jaylus Swan
★ Chris Hona
★ Blake Hunt
★ Michael Leslie
★ Cody Picker

3/4/5/6M
★ Norman Roberts
★ Adam Paterson
★ Kaedyn Smith

3/4/5/6H
★ Haley Bentley
★ Narkeasha Smith
★ Hailee Hunt
★ Mackayla Ward-Hodges

K/1O
★ Leelia Haines
★ Eva Duncan
★ Tyhanna McKenzie
★ Braythn Hall

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Kyleika Haines
Leelia Haines
Andrew Pegus
Rachael Tyson
Winning Second Prize At the Show!!!!!!

This year 3/4/5/6H girls sent an artwork to the Moree Show to join in the competition. The chosen theme was ANZAC. The girls were inspired by a wreath artwork that Mrs Kate Warby found on Pinterest.

To make the artwork larger, we joined five wreaths together in a circular shape. For decorations, the girls traced their hands, cut them out and glued them onto the wreaths. They also made poppy blossoms that were stuck onto the wreaths.

Congratulations to all the girls for winning second prize!!!
You may have a lot of different feelings about your children including love, joy and pride. But sometimes you may also feel things like grief, anger, guilt and fear about the future. If a child in your family has a disability or developmental delay, it will be likely that you can experience a whole range of feelings about them and about how their disability is impacting on your life and on your family.

In our schools, all children in our community are welcome and valued and all are entitled to an equal and excellent education. For children with disability, this is especially important to know, because they may need additional support and encouragement at school. A lot of the work of the School Counsellor focuses on making sure that school teachers and communities understand the support needs of children with disability; and providing that quality support as best they can.

There are laws and policies to protect children and adults with disability from discrimination. At school, these laws and policies are taken very seriously. They are adhered to every day so that all children can learn to the best of their ability and enjoy real success in all aspects of their learning.

Ruth Jenkins
District Guidance Officer

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**BE PART OF HISTORy IN THE MAKING**

Join the Journey to Recognition and Uncle Steve Widders in Moree on Tuesday May 5th!

Join us for a day of discussions on constitutional recognition!

When: 10am-4pm
10-12pm: Panel discussion & morning tea
12-2pm: Free lunch
2-4pm: Yarn up & afternoon tea

Where: Dhiyaan Aboriginal Centre, cnr Balo st and Albert st

RSVP at recognise.org.au/thejourney

**WHAT IT’S ABOUT**

The Journey is an epic relay across our country campaigning for the recognition of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples in the Australian Constitution and to ensure there is no place for discrimination in our founding legal document. Be part of the movement as it travels through your town.
Dear Parents

Just reaffirming that Moree East Public School has commenced implementation of the **new school hours from Monday 20\textsuperscript{th} April.**

**NEW SCHOOL HOURS**

7.40am: School gates open. Playground supervision.

8.00am: Learning session 1

10.30: BREAK

11.00: Learning session 2

1.15pm: End of school day

**FRONT GATE** will open at 7.40am

**FRONT OFFICE** will be open at 7.40am.

**BREAKFAST CLUB** will be open from 7.40am.
BREAKFAST CLUB
Operational from Monday to Friday from 7.40am to 8am. Breakfast will be available in the new eating area, in front of the canteen (the cemented area).

Moree East PS would like to thank our sponsors Schools as Community Centres, Australian Red Cross, Sanitarium, Kelloggs, Capillano and Harvey Norman.

RECESS BREAK (10.30am TO 11.00am)
Snacks and drinks: for the 10.30am - 11.00am will be available from the schools canteen. A menu is attached.

Recess orders: Students wishing to place a recess order for the 10.30am – 11.00am break, then this must be done by 8.15am at the latest. A menu is attached.

Recess orders will be prepared by the Moree Secondary College, Carol Avenue Campus. I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for allowing Moree East PS to access their canteen.

However, just for our first day back for Term 2, Monday 20th April, our normal Moree East PS canteen will be catering for food orders. The regular canteen menu will apply.

FRUIT and WATER BREAK
A fruit and water break will occur daily in every classroom. In support of the Fruit and Water break please ensure that a piece of fresh fruit and a bottle of water is packed into your child’s bag.

Moree East PS would like to thank Woolworths for their support with this healthy eating program.

EMERGENCY SANDWICHES
Emergency sandwiches are available at the recess break from the canteen.

BUS SERVICE
For students who have a bus pass and generally catch a bus to and from school, a bus service will still be operational.

A bus timetable, identifying pick up / drop off points and times, is attached.

The bus drop off and pick point at the school will still be at the Balo Street gate.

At the end of the school day, students not accessing the Homework Centre are to go directly to the usual bus awaiting area at Balo Street gate.

Thank you to Reynolds and Fogarty for their continued support.
HOME WORK CENTRE
A Homework Centre, 1.15pm – 3pm, Monday to Friday, is available to students who’s parents work or study. However, to apply for placement in the Homework Centre an application must be submitted for consideration. An application form can be obtained from the front office.

The Homework Centre is a school based activity therefore school policy will apply that is school rules apply to students attending.

The students attending Homework Centre will need to proceed to the cemented area between the hall and canteen (the Breakfast Club area) immediately when the bell rings at 1.15pm where they will meet the Homework Centre coordinator.

After the Homework Centre concludes at 3pm parents are responsible for the collection of their child. However, for those students who generally catch the bus will do so at the Balo St gate.

STREET SWEEP
A street sweep bus service will be operating from Monday 20th April which will target our walkers. Designated pick up points and times are attached. However, prior to your child accessing this service a permission note will need to be completed and signed.

Please note that this is a forward journey to school service only and is not for students who have access to the Reynolds and Fogarty bus service.

AFTER SCHOOL - NON SCHOOL BASED ACTIVITIES
Non-school based activities will be available to Moree East Public School students from 1.45pm – 3.00pm, Monday to Friday. Local community and government agencies are supporting the trial of the new school times and a timetable in regard to these activities is attached.

I would like to thank Moree Community Library, Moree Gallery and Moree Family Support for their commitment and enthusiasm to working with Moree East Public School to make these opportunities available to our students.

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MOREE EAST PUBLIC SCHOOL
STREET SWEEP

Targeting walkers residing in the South East housing estate.

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## Assorted Sandwiches
- 1 Filling: $3.00
- 2 Fillings: $3.50
- 3+ Fillings (All Salads): $4.50

### Assorted Salad Rolls/Salad Wraps
(Fillings – Lettuce, Tomato, Cucumber, Carrots, Cheese, Capsicum & Beetroot)
- $4.50

### Toasted Sandwiches
- 1 Filling: $3.00
- 2 Fillings: $3.50
- 3 Fillings: $4.00

### Beef Burger
(Patty, Cheese, BBQ Sauce)
- $4.50

### Chicken Burger
- $4.50

### Chicken Gravy Roll
(Chicken Fillet Patty, Cheese & BBQ Sauce)
- $4.50

### (HOT) Chicken Mayo Roll
- $4.50

### Chicken Kebab
- $4.50

### Chicken Fillet Burger & Salad
(Chicken meat, Salad, Cheese & BBQ Sauce)
- $5.00

### Beef Burger & Salad
(Beef meat, Salad, Cheese & BBQ Sauce)
- $5.00

### Salad Tubs
- Sml $3.00
  - with meat or egg, extra $0.50

### Meat Pie
- $3.50

### Sausage Rolls
- $2.60

### Curry Pies
- $4.00

### Chicken & Corn Roll
- $2.00

### Pizza
- $3.00

### Garlic Bread
- $2.00

### Chicken Wedges (x3)
- $2.50

### Chicken Crackles (x6)
- $3.00

### Sweet Chilli Tenders (x2)
- $3.00

### Tenders (x2) with Bun (Mayo & Lettuce)
- $4.50

### Extras
- Plastic Forks/Spoons: $0.50
- Tomato/BBQ Sauce: $0.30
- French/Italian Dressing: $0.30

MOREE EAST PUBLIC SCHOOL

Orders will be prepared by the MOREE SECONDARY COLLEGE, Carol Avenue Campus.

**Orders must be in by 8.15am at the latest!!**

However, snacks & drinks for the 10.30am – 11.00am break will be sold from the MEPS canteen.

**MENU**

*Prices Subject to Change*

Sandwiches, Bread Rolls and Toasted Sandwiches, made to order, with your choice of white or wholemeal.
# Moree East Public School
## Canteen Price List

### RECESS SNACKS ONLY

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Should you be wanting to place a more filling recess order for your child than please refer to Moree Secondary College canteen menu were you will need to...
HOW CAN THE MOREE COMMUNITY ‘INVEST’ IN LOCAL EDUCATION?

- Do you want all local kids in Moree to successfully complete school and move on to lead great lives?
- Do you have things to contribute to this outcome such as ideas, time, expertise, skills, experience, contacts, resources, enthusiasm, local knowledge, compassion, opportunities, willingness, volunteering, mentoring, energy, etc.?
- Are you willing to share your ideas with others about how the community as a whole can ‘invest’ in education in Moree?

If you answered ‘yes’ to any of the questions above, then please register to come along to our Conversation Café to be held in Moree.

There is no homework and no pre reading!

Just bring yourself, and a friend or two if you like, an open mind, a preparedness to listen to others and to share your ideas during a conversation with others from your community.

You will be advised of the venue, date, time and other details of the Conversation Café once they are confirmed.

To register, or for more information please contact either:

Blaine Patterson: Blaine.Patterson@det.nsw.edu.au or 0477 319 331

Rowena Spink: Rowena.Spink1@det.nsw.edu.au or 0477 325 914

Communities Policy and Programs, Office of Communities, NSW Department of Education and Communities
Are you interested in gaining employment as a Permanent Firefighter with Fire and Rescue NSW?

Fire and Rescue NSW and the Aboriginal Learning Circle TAFE SWSi are offering a unique opportunity.

The Indigenous Fire and Rescue Employment Strategy (IFARES) program is designed to identify intelligent, fit, healthy and community-minded Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people to join its permanent firefighter ranks. If successful on gaining employment with Fire and Rescue NSW you will be stationed in the Sydney Metropolitan area.

Entry Requirements
You must be:

- residing in NSW
- be an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander
- have a minimum P2 driver’s licence
- have a minimum Year 10 Certificate
- attend a four day IFARES Orientation Workshop during May 2015 in Sydney
- participate in a 6 month training program over five residential blocks

How do I register?
Register by Thursday 30th April 2015 via the link or scan the QR code using your smartphone via the QR reader app: http://alturl.com/nikzm

For more information contact the Aboriginal Learning Circle TAFE SWSi on 9825 7333
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Stewart House Day  
Mother’s Day Stall |
| 4    | 11th May | 12th May | 13th May | 14th May | 15th May  
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