

MOULAMEIN PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Upcoming Events	
22 nd April- Wednesday (new day)	Easter Gala Day
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Friday 6 th April	Year 5/6 Girls Netball Trials
9 th - 12 th April	Grampians Excursion



Principal Message

This is a very short week, with Easter Holidays starting on Thursday afternoon. Miss Midson has put together a special gala day for students on **Wednesday.** We will be breaking up into groups and participating in extracurricular activities.

Students will have the opportunity to participate in:

- tabloid sports
- crafts
- cooking
- Easter egg hunt
- and finally watch the G rated movie 'Hop'

Students will be decorating and tasting cakes and biscuits. As well as participating in an Easter egg hunt. Please see the list food products below:



chocolate eggs

Originally this day was planned to take place on Thursday. With the sad news and loss of Edward Public School Principal, Judy McGuiness, after a short illness I will be travelling to Edward Public School to assist, allowing local teachers to attend her funeral in Barham. This has been a shock to the local community and our thoughts are with her family, friends and school community.

Year 5/6 Students- Easter Gala Day

On Wednesday students will be decorating an Easter cake and will need to bring a cake board or tray so that they can take the cake home. The board must be at least 40cm in length to accommodate the bunny cake. It also may be a good idea for students to be picked up on the day. If you would like to volunteer as a parent to help, we will be decorating from 9.20-11.00am in the green room.



Cross Country Training

We have started training for our cross country this week as part of our fitness program and preparation for this event. Students will be running for 10-15 minutes Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Students must wear comfortable shoes. Students can either wear joggers or bring some in their bags. Please ensure that your child also has a drink bottle.

Homework – Morning Tea Reward

To help encourage students to complete their home reading, sight words and assigned homework in Year 3-6, we will hold a special free morning tea for those students who consistently hand their work in as a reward. Students must complete 80% of their homework to attend the morning tea. This also means they must hand it in on time as well. We feel that students who consistently complete homework to a high standard deserve a reward. We must always find time to celebrate success and effort!

Technology Room

Our technology room is up and running. I am very proud that we have this facility for our students and that we can now embrace technology at our school. This was a collaborative effort from my family, Miss Midson, Colleen & Jacqui Scandolera. It looks spectacular! I was lucky enough to attend a coding and robotics workshop for principals last Friday in Deniliquin and look forward to establishing a new technology program once the students grasp the basics. This is an area I am looking forward to developing!

Here are some photos of the room for the community and a photo of our merit award recipients.

















