



# Moulamein Public School

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## Upcoming Events

- *Didgeridoo Show- 11<sup>th</sup> September*
- *Literacy Course -12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>*
- *Sovereign Hill Excursion 25<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> September*
- *K/1 Excursion 26<sup>th</sup> September*
- *Last day of Term -27<sup>th</sup> September*

## Principal's Messages

This week we have a really busy week! School photos were yesterday and we have a performance on Wednesday, finishing off with the Literacy course on Thursday and Friday. Thank you to the parents for who are again catering for the P & C and to the volunteers who work on these days preparing and organising the food. This term has definitely flown by and we only have three weeks remaining.



A big thank you to Miss Schupfer who organised a great excursion to Echuca last week for Year 2/3. They had a fantastic day and Mrs Mertz and Miss Gibson also accompanied them. Thank you to all teachers and Colleen for working together to provide great learning opportunities for our students.

A few reminders:

- **School uniform** must be worn each day. Black track pants and jeans are not part of the uniform.
- **Footwear**- Students must not wear long boots or dirty farm boots to school. We will ask parents to bring in an appropriate pair of shoes next term if they are wearing these to school.
- **School grounds are a non-smoking area**, this includes the parking bays. We have a build-up of cigarette butts around our school. Legally you must smoke at least 4 metres away from our school boundaries.
- **Please use the crossing** to cross the road with your children in the morning. If you cross at the incorrect spot, children will mimic this behaviour when alone leaving them in a dangerous situation.
- **Jumpers and hats** must have names on them, so they can be returned to your child. Some names have worn off jumpers.
- **School excursions** must be paid for prior to the event, otherwise students cannot attend. This is the responsibility of parents to follow payments up and not the responsibility of office staff.
- **Arrival Times**- Students are turning up before teachers some days and this is increasing. You cannot legally send your child to school this early. There is no supervision for students who at this time and therefore are unsafe. The recommended time to arrive is 8.45am.

- **End of day arrangements-** please notify our school office with any changes for safety purposes.
- **Don't forget to use our Facebook page** for updates and to keep informed about what is happening at our school. You can find out about what your child is learning about, see some of their work, learn about events and organisational routines through our Facebook page. Like our posts so we can see the number of people who read and use it. This is a great source of information for our parents and community.

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## Thank you



I just wanted to acknowledge Jack Benfield for keeping our Lone Pine alive in the Triangle. He continually looks after it by weeding and maintaining the area and I just wanted to thank him for doing this. It has not gone unnoticed by the school and the community.

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## Incursions- Didjeribone Show

Brisbane Based International Didgeridoo performer Adrian Fabila Tjupurrula aka Tjupurru is a proud descendant of the Djabera Djabera tribe of the West Australia Kimberleys. Born in Port Moresby P.N.G. He moved to Cairns (North Queensland) where he first heard the didgeridoo music of Gondwanaland.

Tjupurru & Charlie McMahon (Gondwanaland) came together for all night outdoor corroboree jam sessions on the beach, as an alternative to pub & club venues. The atmosphere of playing music & dancing around a campfire encouraged improvisation and trance like endurance playing.





***Tjupurru captivates students with his extraordinary live interactive performance of the “Didjeribone Show”. Students contribute as he interacts with them using his Face Bass – a unique seismic sensor, to create ingenious and innovative songs and sound-scapes that blend elements of the traditional with contemporary, using a combination of masterful sequencing and sampling technologies along with traditional instruments and live organic sounds.***

Tjupurru has performed at many festivals and on Spicks and Specs. He is a well-known and seasoned performer and are really excited to have him at Moulamein Public School. This incursion has been paid for by school funds, and remains cost free to families and students.

More information can be found on Tjupurru’s website: <http://www.tjupurru.com/>

## News from Miss Schupfer

On Thursday, 2/3 travelled to Echuca for their excursion. The children had a great day participating in Science workshops at TwistED and exploring science in the TwistED play zone. 2/3 were also lucky enough to go on a carriage ride through the main street of Echuca. A great fun day was had by all, including the teachers.





Jennie Wilson- Principal