



Moulamein Public School

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Diary Dates:

June

- ⇒ 26th & 27th Athletics Carnival

July

- ⇒ 5th last day of Term 2
- ⇒ 23rd Students return for Term 3

August

- ⇒ 5th - 9th Education Week (incorporating Book Fair)
- ⇒ 6th P&C Meeting
- ⇒ 16th Variety Bash visit

EXCURSION DATES

- 28th - 31st October
Canberra Year 5 & 6
- 30th October K - 6
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2024 Term 2 Week 9

Relieving Principals Message - Jacinta Wheeler

Athletics Carnival Wednesday and Thursday

Just a reminder that our athletics carnival will be held Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Both days will commence at approximately 9:30am at the Moulamein football/netball oval.

Field events will be held on Wednesday with students 8 years and older working through rotations of long jump, shot put and discus. The high jump finals for the girls will be held on our return to school.

Track events will take place on Thursday. Events include the 800m, 200m 100m and 1500m. Students under 8 years will join us mid-morning for their 100m race and shuttle relay. The high jump final for boys will be held when we get back to school.

We look forward to family and friends coming along to cheer on our athletes.



Parent Teacher Interviews

Thank you to those parents who attended interviews last week. These conversations are a valuable insight into your child's schooling. Teachers know your child and focus on their strengths, but also identify areas for growth. It is an opportunity for teachers to demonstrate their plan to support and challenge students in the classroom.

Feedback from parents and teachers for next year is to implement a timer system so that the interviews run smoothly, and no one is left waiting for long periods of time.

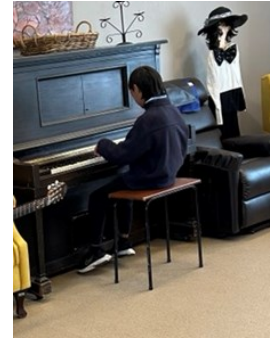
School Disco

Next Wednesday July 3rd, students are invited to attend a disco to be held at the school. Our P&C are providing a sausage sizzle with a drink for \$5. Please return the order form asap for catering. See invitation for further information.



Edward River Gardens Visit

Yesterday students visited Edward River Gardens to showcase their musical talents. Glenn Wright, our music teacher, has done a magnificent job with our students. Music lessons are a valuable extra curricula subject, and our students are working hard to learn their instrument. Nate, Mila, Jaime and Marlee played numerous songs for the residents and represented our school with pride. Well done!



Kinder Transition Program

We are excited to be running our Kinder Transition program again in 2024. Children who are eligible to begin school in 2025 are invited to attend transition days in Term 3. To attend these days an enrolment form **MUST** be submitted to the school. Children cannot attend without being enrolled as it is a Department of Education requirement. Enrolment forms can be picked up from the front office next term. Enrolment forms will be sent home with children who attend pre-school.

Term 3 dates:

- ◇ Week 6 - Monday 26th August
- ◇ Week 7 - Monday 2nd September
- ◇ Week 8 - Monday 9th September
- ◇ Week 9 - Monday 16th September.

Further information will be sent out in Term 3.

Grab Quick & Easy Snacks



Try These Quick, Easy, Healthy Snacks

- ▶ Popcorn or pretzels
- ▶ Snack size yogurt or pudding
- ▶ Fresh, canned, or dried fruit
- ▶ Celery sticks with low-fat cream cheese
- ▶ Frozen grapes, banana slices, or popsicles made from 100% juice
- ▶ Peanut butter and fruit sandwich (try apple slices, banana, or raisins)
- ▶ Whole-grain crackers and cheese
- ▶ Baby carrots with a low-fat dip
- ▶ Rice cakes with peanut butter
- ▶ Tortilla with refried beans, cheese, lettuce, and salsa
- ▶ Pita sandwich with tuna and lettuce
- ▶ Mini-pizzas made with English muffins or pita bread
- ▶ Vegetable and noodle soup
- ▶ Baked or microwaved potato topped with plain yogurt or cheese

Did you know that healthy snacks...

- ▶ Can supply a big part of the food and nutrition kids need for energy.
- ▶ Are a great way to get kids to eat more fruits and vegetables.
- ▶ Are great as mini-meals in addition to regular meals.
- ▶ Make get-togethers with friends more fun.



Year 5/6 What we've been up to so far...

Almost completed term 2, and Year 5/6 are buzzing with energy and determination! Here's a little overview of Term 2!

LITERACY

This term we are exploring the world of myths and legends. We've investigated Greek, Egyptian, Maori and Japanese. We have loved delving into mythical worlds and learning about ancient stories from different cultures.





Mother's Day Cooking

Back in May, 5/6 decided what our Mums really needed... was chocolate. So, we ventured to the cooking rooms to create our Mums rocky road! With a few sneaky taste tests along the way, we made our Mum's sweet treats and resisted the temptation to eat it ourselves.





Want \$500 to help you with school costs?



Saver Plus is a financial education program for families and individuals on a tight budget to develop life-long savings habits.

To join Saver Plus, you must:




- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card **AND** an eligible Centrelink payment*
- ✓ Be studying yourself **OR** have a child in school (can be starting school next year)
- ✓ Have regular income from work (either yourself or your partner)*
- ✓ Be 18+ years old

*Many types of income and Centrelink payments are eligible

Here are some of the school costs the \$500 can be used for:

		
laptops & tablets	uniforms & shoes	books & supplies
		
sports fees & gear	lessons & activities	camps & excursion

For more information, please contact your local Saver Plus coordinator:

-  NSW/Act - Saver Plus Team
-  SaverPlusNSWACT@thesmithfamily.com.au
-  1300 610 355

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Moulamein P&C



Cook Book

The P&C are seeking your favourite recipes for their cookbook.

Please email to

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**send a photo to the school mobile on 0428 313 580 or drop into
the office and we can photocopy it.**

