



## Important Dates

**Wednesday 21st August**  
Eisteddfod - Verse Speaking  
2S and 6M



Parent Information Session  
P.R.O.U.D. Recognition  
System  
5pm Library

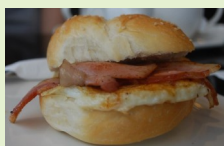
**Monday 26th August**  
4/5B Art Workshop



**Wednesday 28th August**  
Book Week Parade  
& Assembly



**Friday 30th August**  
Father's Day Breakfast  
8am - 9am School Hall



*Please RSVP by Monday 26th  
August*

# MORGIE NEWS

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Term 3 Week 5

Monday, 19th August, 2019



## Learning for all at Morgan Street

Welcome to the fifth week of Term Two. This week we hit the mid point of the term. As I type this we have the choirs (Junior and Senior) and Morgie Musos preparing themselves for the Eisteddfod today and 2S and 6M looking forward to the verse speaking on Wednesday. We wish them all the best and know that they will do themselves, the school and their families proud.

On Wednesday evening in the library at 5pm the Wellbeing Team will lead a Parent Information Session looking at the revised P.R.O.U.D. recognition system that we are trialling in Terms Three and Four.

Excursions are just around the corner. Please do not hesitate to ask staff organising the relevant excursion any questions that you may have. Excursions are special opportunities for creating lifelong memories and we want to make sure that you have all the information that you need.

Next Monday afternoon and evening our staff will be engaging in some numeracy professional learning looking at additive strategies. As a school we are always looking for ways to refine and improve our teaching and learning. It will fit in nicely as we continue to review and revise our English and mathematics scope and sequences.

If you have, or know of, a child going into Kindergarten next year and have not yet filled out enrolment forms, please come to the office so we can ensure they are included in our orientation program in Term 4. Information about the orientation program will be sent home to families before the end of this term. Have a wonderful week in learning.

**Thought for the week:** *"Vulnerability is the only bridge to build connection."*

– Brene Brown

Scott Sanford  
Principal



*Senior Choir performing at the Eisteddfod this morning*



**Thank you to everyone who has  
returned their Dance-a-thon  
sponsor sheets and money. So far  
we have raised \$1869.55**

# ★ K-6 Assembly ★

<b>KH</b>	Shakeal Farnham	Jaxsen Lingard
<b>KN</b>	Brax Mannion	Patrick Burke
<b>IA</b>	Jax Dare	Angus Stuchberry
<b>ID</b>	Imogen Nagas	Lucy Parker
<b>2K</b>	Alice Lewis	Chase Howse
<b>2S</b>	Urmi Patel	Leo Thavapalasundaram
<b>3M</b>	Victoria Hanson Gregory Wierzejski	Ella Deeble
<b>3/4S</b>	Isabella Sprigg	Isabelle Sabey
<b>4W</b>	Toby Merton	Honey McLeod-Hewitson
<b>4/5B</b>	Lewis Brain	Lani Wolstenholme
<b>5W</b>	Lachlan Glasson	Maddie Stuchbery
<b>6M</b>	Jade Sullivan	Ethan Phillips
<b>6P</b>	Javen Morris	Ainsley Arnold
<b>Miss Keenan:</b>	Jyh Thompson, Natalia Kloczko	

## ★ Peer Awards ★

Isabella Toigo, Charlie Glasson, Archie Moynihan, Elkie Ramsay, Sienna Hiscock, Samuel Callegher, Airlie Camilleri, Nate Shepherd, Lily Jinks, Lane Darley, Belladonna Quin, Molly Stewart, Cheyenne Lugg

## ★ Morgie Awards ★

Sienna Leayr

## Classes of the Week

**ID 3/4S 6P**

**Friday's Assembly will be at 2.20pm  
and hosted by ID**

## PROUD NEWS

*Congratulations to our four Public Speaking finalists, Lane Darley, Nate Shepherd, Esther Wenham and Elke Turley who participated in the Broken Hill District competition on Thursday. Nate received an Encouragement Award for his efforts, Elke was awarded first place in the senior section and Esther was Highly Commended. A fantastic effort by all students.*



## Eisteddfod

*Our choirs sounded absolutely amazing this morning at the Eisteddfod. Thank you and well done to Mrs Gibson for preparing the choirs for today's event.*

*The Junior Choir won their section and the Senior Choir came second.*



*The Morgie Musos, a group of 43, participated in the Instrumental section and were awarded first place which was a fantastic achievement. Thank you also to Mrs Winders for her commitment to this group and giving the students this wonderful opportunity to perform.*







During science lessons, Year 6 have had the opportunity to plan and conduct scientific investigations that answer testable questions. They have worked collaboratively in groups to test and present experiments of interest to them. Each group presented their experiments to their classes and then all of 6M and a few of 6P presented the experiments to the parents who attended the Science Expo last Wednesday. There was a great variety of experiments along with many successful outcomes and a few failures. However, students learnt that it is alright if an experiment fails. When they did we came up with various reasons as to why this might of happened and what they needed to do differently to obtain a different result.



## NOTES SENT HOME RECENTLY

If you did not receive any notes relevant to your child, please see the office staff.

NOTE	WHO?	ACTION
International Competitions & Assessments for Schools (ICAS)	3-6 Students	Please return note and money to classroom teacher by <b>Wednesday 21st August 2019</b>
Fathers Day Family Breakfast	All Students	Please RSVP by Monday 26th August 2019

## STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Mrs Naomi McCoy

### What is your role at MSPS?

I am a School Learning Support Officer currently working in the AMAZING class of 2S. (They told me when I started in 2S that the 'S' stands for superstars and I totally agree!)

### How long have you worked at MSPS?

I commenced working at MSPS in Term 1 this year.

### What's your favourite thing about working at MSPS?

There are so many things – the students, the staff and the sense of community but my absolute FAVOURITE thing is when I am privileged to see the look on a student's face when they realise they have learnt how to do something new that they previously thought they couldn't achieve. This is very rewarding and never ceases to put a smile on my face.

### What talent would you most like to have?

This is more of a superpower than a talent, but I would love to be able to time travel. It would be fascinating to go back in time to see what it was like hundreds of years ago. I would also love to be able to see a glimpse of life in the future.

### If you could meet anyone, living or dead, who would you meet?

David Attenborough (TV nature show presenter). I love learning about animals and nature. He has travelled to amazing places all over the world. I've loved watching his shows since I was a kid.

### Tea or Coffee? – Why?

Tea – real leaf tea from out of a china teacup. It seems to taste better and also reminds me of happy times with my grandmother who would NEVER use teabags or drink tea from a mug.



## Community News

As part of 'Speech Pathology Australia Week' local speech pathologists will be offering the following presentations:



Mealtimes and transitioning to solids  
&

Developing your child's oral language

26<sup>th</sup> of August, 4:00pm, Broken Hill City Library



Literacy: how to help your child learn to read  
28<sup>th</sup> of August, 5:00pm, Broken Hill City Library

## Excursions

Please finalise excursion balances by the following dates:

### Victor Harbor

Monday 26th August 2019

### Narrabeen

Monday 2nd September 2019

### Canberra

Monday 16th September 2019



2019  
Speech  
Pathology  
Week

Communicating  
with Confidence

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