**ANZAC SERVICES**

Last Friday’s school ANZAC service was another proud moment for our school. The children showed great respect and made us all very proud. The special guests, including the Speaker of the House of Representatives in Canberra, Mr Tony Smith, returned serviceman Adam Reynolds, the Principal and School Captains from Mooroolbark College, Mrs Anne Stratford, Sean Frost and Courtney Brown all commented on how wonderful the service was and how respectful and well behaved the children were. Adam stated in his speech that if every school conducted a service like this the world would be a much better place. Thank you to the many parents and visitors who came along and to the many staff who helped organise the service and prepared the children so well.
**AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION**

A reminder to parents that teachers are rostered on to provide supervision after school until 3:45pm each day. Children who are still waiting for parents to collect them after 3:45pm will be instructed by the Yard Duty teacher to go to the area under the covered way outside the principal’s office window, well away from the front gate and where they can be seen from the office or staff room. If children are not collected by 4:00pm the school practice is that we attempt to contact parents and if necessary the children will be put into our Out of School Hours Care program (OSHClub) at parents’ expense.

It can be worrying or even distressing for some children who are collected late so please make every effort to collect your children before 3:45pm. If this is difficult for you, our OSHClub provides a very good quality program, reasonably priced, with snacks and activities for children until 6:00pm. If you are unavoidably delayed please contact the school to let us know so that we can reassure your child/ren. Thank you for your attention to this.

**SCHOOL PHOTOS**

Children will have their official 2016 school photos taken next Friday May 6th by our school photo company MSP, who do a fantastic job every year. You will have received a photo envelope with various order and payment options. Please send these along with your child on Friday so they can be handed directly to the photographer. Family portrait order forms are available at the office. If you have not received your photo envelope please call at the office as we have spares. Photos are usually returned within a few weeks and will be sent home with your child as soon as they arrive in our school.

Please ensure that your child is in full school uniform on Friday and is ready to look their best for these photos that will become lifetime mementos of their school life in 2016.

**MOTHER’S DAY STALL**

Next Friday we will also be holding our Mother’s Day stall. (On the same day as school photos.) This has been organised by Leanne Westall and Sonia McInnes along with a team of volunteers who will run the stall. It is a great opportunity for children to purchase some lovely, affordable gifts for Mums and/or Grandmums in time for Mother’s day on Sunday May 8. Please remember to send some money along with your children on Friday for this special event that children love to participate in.

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**PRINCIPAL’S REPORT**

**Final-Leigh:**

‘Ants are good citizens, they place group interests first.’

(Clarence Day)

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**TIQBIZ ABSENCE NOTIFICATION**

Tiqbiz has improved a number of things in recent times to include absence notifications. This is terrific as it is another way for parents to alert the school of a child’s absence. We have already had a number of parents find and use this feature. If you are not on Tiqbiz, here are some simple steps to follow:

When signing up, please ensure you use both your first and last names so we know who you are.

To access from your smartphone and/or tablet:

1) Visit the App Store on your smart phone or tablet
2) Search ‘tiqbiz’ and download
3) Open tiqbiz and register/log in
4) Inside the menu, click ‘Find & Tick’. Type our name in the search bar. Select us from the results OR search for us through the school, primary category.
5) Click the grey tick on the boxes that apply to you e.g. Year 6, but be sure to tick ‘all students’ as well. When the tick turns green, you’re connected
6) Click on the Inbox icon as this is where you will receive our instant messages, newsletters, notices and forms.

To access from a computer

1) Visit http://www.tiqbiz.com/
2) Click on ‘Australia’
3) Under Tiqbiz School app, click on ‘Find Out More’
4) Click on ‘Computer Download’
5) Follow the prompts to install Tiqbiz on your computer

To submit an absence

1) Open Tiqbiz
2) Select ‘all Students’
3) Select ‘Absence’
4) Complete the form

*If you have any questions about Tiqbiz please feel free to contact Melinda Ruscitti*
SCHOOL BANKING

Account Opening Day –
Wednesday 4th May  8:30- 9:30am
It’s never too late to get started!

We are excited to offer the Commonwealth Bank School Banking program to all students. The School Banking program provides children with an opportunity to deposit money into their Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account at school each week and is designed to develop the habit of saving. There is no minimum deposit; School Banking is about how often rather than how much your child banks. To encourage regular savings behaviour the program offers an exciting ‘Rewards Program’. Every deposit earns your child a Dollarmites token, and once they’ve collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for a reward.

The rewards available during 2016 are:
- Flying Snake Tail
- Wildlife Writer Set
- Mud Splat Handball
- Outback Pat Bag Tag
- Backtrack Eraser Pen
- Jump and Skip Rope
- Bush Fly Fan
- Wriggly Glow Worm

School Banking day is TUESDAY.

Each week books are collected from the classroom and returned after processing. School Banking is also a great fundraiser! Our school receives $5 when a student makes their first ever School Banking deposit and 5% on every deposit made through the school (to a maximum of $10 per individual deposit).

If you are interested in opening a Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account for your child, please bring along your current driver’s licence or another form of photographic identification. There is no need to provide identification for children enrolled at school. Alternatively, you can open an account at your local branch. All you need to bring is your current identification as well as your child’s birth certificate. If you are an existing Commonwealth Bank customer and have NetBank, you can open an account online.

FUNDRAISING

The Entertainment Books have arrived at Bimbadeen. They are still only $65.00 and can give you over $20,000 worth of value. For every book sold Bimbadeen receive $13.00. Please see the order form elsewhere in the newsletter.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS ON FRIDAY 6TH MAY 2016.

On this day whole class photos, family photos (if requested) and individual photos will be taken. You will have received some information and an order form envelope from your child this week. Please make sure that your child is in full school uniform on this day. Here are some helpful hints from the photo company:

- Don’t seal envelopes inside each other. You can pay for all children in one envelope however each child needs to have their own envelope on photo day.
- Family envelopes are available at the school office upon request.
- Please enclose the correct money as no change is given. Payment options are cash, credit card and online.
- Phone contact for the MSP Photo Company is 9466 7331.

Reminder Canteen Closed
Wednesday
4th May

SCHOOL ROSTER

TERM 2

Week - ending 6th May 2016

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If you are unable to attend your rostered shifts, could you please make arrangements for a replacement or ring Vicki Taylor on 9726-8170.
Lamont Book Fair 2016

This year’s Book Fair will be arriving at the Bimbadeen Library on Friday May 13th. From Monday morning for one week, the library will be open daily before and after school from 8.30am – 9.00am and again from 3.30pm until 4.00pm and on Open Night from 5.30pm till 7.30pm.

During these times students are able to purchase goods. Please take the opportunity to come with your child and browse through the books together. As always, the aim of the Book Fair is to build up the number and quality of books in our library and the classrooms. Most importantly, a percentage of everything you spend comes back to our school to further increase our resources.

If you are able to help with sales during the morning or afternoon sessions, please send back the following form by Friday 6th May. We are also in need of volunteers to help with sales during the Bimbadeen Open Night on Thursday 19th May 6.00pm – 7.30pm.

Thank you,
Karin Sansom

____________________________________________________________________________________

BOOK FAIR 2016

I am able to help with sales at the Bimbadeen Book Fair:

Name: ____________________________  Child’s Name: ____________________________

Contact No.: ________________________  Child’s Grade: __________________________

I am available to help on:  Monday 16th May  am  pm
(Please circle)  Tuesday 17th May  am  pm
Wednesday 18th May  am  pm
Thursday 19th May  am  pm
Thursday 19th May  Open Night
Friday 20th May  am  pm

"Reaching for the Heights"
Term 2

Friday 29th April - Sherian Genever
Friday 6th May - Jodie Griffin
Friday 13th May - Kenri Baker
Friday 20th May - Emma Woolhouse
Friday 27th May - Nancy Reeves
Friday 3rd June - Katrina Angus
Friday 10th June - Verity Sanders
Friday 17th June - Shelley Canning

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Details:
Al Dobie: 0430438166
Jess Willis: 0499511006
www.mooroolbarkauskick.org.au
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OSH Club
Before & After School Care

25 April - 29 April 2016

Dear Parents/Guardians,
Welcome back to OSH Club for another week! This term has already flown by
and we’re looking forward to another big week. This week’s focus is all about
reading and improving the children’s confidence!

Operating Hours
BSC: 7:00am - 8:45am
ASC: 3:30pm - 6:00pm
Late Pick ups will incur extra costs

What’s on next week @ Before & After School Care……

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Our building competition continues to be the talk of the OSHClub Town with so many awesome
and creative entries being entered every week! Along with the building contest, we have
introduced ‘OSHClub Student of the Week’!

The winner will be announced on Friday afternoon and receive a prize for hard work, helping
other students, following instructions and most importantly, HAVING FUN!

REMINDERS:

- Please contact us by text message - 0417 822 878
- Remember to leave a first name and last name of child(ren), the date and the session before or after School.
  Free to enrol your children
- Cancellations
- Made either online OR via OMS to Head Office 0417 266 909 24 hours notice to avoid fees.
  (You need to include the following details, child name, surname - Mooroolbark Heights session
  Before or after school and the date you wish to cancel.)
  If you don’t have access to a computer or the Internet you can always use the OSHClub computer
  (outside our busy times) to enrol, book or make your own cancellations.

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# Friday Afternoons @
**TERM 2, 2016**

## KIDZ ROAR
For Kids in Grades 1 & 2
Friday afternoons, 4-5:45pm
In the Oxley Stadium

Contact: Laura Harris
0421 274 621

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## ROAR ENERGY
For Kids in Grades 3-6
Friday afternoons, 4-6pm
In the Oxley Stadium

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0409 002 543 or 9726 8111

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## UPROAR
For Grade 6 only
Every 2nd Friday night,
7-9pm In the Oxley Stadium
Contact: Peter Harris
0409 002 543 or 9726 8111

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**COMING UP:**

For more details and to download the full calendar, check our website:
www.lmc.org.au

If you would like any further information regarding these programs, contact Peter Harris on 0409 002 543, or 9726 8111.
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OPEN DAY

May 21st

11am - 2pm

25 Bimbadeen Drive

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Tour Of Kinder
Meet The Teachers
Enrolment Enquiries
Colouring Competition
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Fun Activities
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