



# MACARTHUR PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Principal: Lynn Lyles

School Council President: Peter Musson

## Office Hours 2008

Monday - Friday

8:00am - 9:00am

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1:00pm - 4:00pm

## Term Dates 2008

### Term 2

7 April - 27 June

### Term 3

14 July - 19 September

### Term 4

6 October - 19 December

## Newsletter Date 18th June 2008

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### From the Principal's Desk

#### New Building

This week has seen much progress with our new building. On Monday the windows have been installed and we can start to see the final results with the large glass doorways allowing vision and light into our new library. The outside cladding is now being added to walls and the roof and guttering being completed. It is certainly exciting to see our building start to take shape and it will be fantastic when we are able to use the new facility next term.



#### Reading Helpers

I would like to take this time to thank the many parents who assist with daily reading. Each day our classrooms are alive with reading early in the morning. It has become part of the life of Macarthur Primary School to begin the

school day by reading. This has enormous benefits to all students and it is great to see the habit extend beyond the infant classroom. Thank you to the many parents who are making this possible.

#### School Council

A reminder that there is a School Council meeting tonight at 7.30pm in Miss Mulder's classroom.

#### Net Set Go

Leonie Dyson has asked that all students wishing to participate in Net Set Go in term 3 return their forms to school by Friday. It is important that all forms are returned promptly as Leonie needs to send off our enrolment form to Netball Victoria.

#### Catering Fundraiser

Next Wednesday the school is catering for a community function organised by Moyne Shire. Helpers and donations are needed for this event which can be a substantial fundraising opportunity for our school. Please assist if you can and return the form indicating your availability to school. This will be passed on to Leonie Dyson who is coordinating this event.

#### Family Photo Fundraiser

It has been planned to hold a Family Photo Portrait session during third term. Andrea Drendel is organising this and has sent home forms to parents this week.



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Darcy Lamplough (25th)  
Indi Jones (29th)

**Canteen**

**Canteen Duty Term 2:**

Mon 16 Sharyn Pye  
Wed 18 Sally Gay  
Fri 20 NO CANTEEN

The Canteen roster for Terms 3 & 4 will be organized during the 1st week of Term 3. Have we sighted your Working With Children card?

A huge thankyou to all canteen volunteers and students who have put up with the building works and some difficult work conditions.

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Many people indicated that they would be interested in participating in this fundraiser earlier in the year and it is a great opportunity to capture that family “moment in time” while children are young. Family photos make great Christmas gifts and are fantastic to send to relatives who may live a distance away.

**Student Reports**

Mid year reports will be distributed to parents next Wednesday June 25<sup>th</sup>. These will be sent home with students and parents are asked to complete the parent comment section on the report and return to school. Anyone with a query about their child’s report please contact the school and teachers are most happy to assist.

**End of Term BBQ**

Next week is last week of term. School will finish at 2.30pm on Friday June 27<sup>th</sup>. A BBQ lunch will be held at 12.30 followed by a T.Ball game of parents v students for the Macarthur Cup at 1.30pm. We will have a “friendly” of parents playing with the younger students beginning at 1.00pm. These games are always good fun and played in great community spirit. Please come along and join in the fun. You don’t have to be good, just willing. Hope to see you there.

Lynn Lyles.



**Classrooms at work**



*Fundraising Opportunity - HELP, HELP, HELP*

The school has an opportunity to cater for a function held by the Moyne Shire on the 25<sup>th</sup> June 2008. They require soup and nibbles from 6pm. We need your HELP in catering so we can make some cash, maybe \$600, this would be a big help toward our children's shade project.

Could you please fill in the form below indicating what you can donate, these are only suggestions, anyone with other suggestions please write it on the form: (the more we get donated the less we have to buy) and return it to the school in the next week or so:

Family Name .....

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|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Soup (Pumpkin, Vegie)          | <input type="checkbox"/> | Bread Rolls (for soup) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sausage Rolls                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | Nibble pies            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mini Spring rolls (oven baked) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Small Meat balls       | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Pizza bits                     | <input type="checkbox"/> |                        |                          |
| Anything nibblie               | <input type="checkbox"/> | Sauce                  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Tea                            | <input type="checkbox"/> | Coffee                 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sugar                          | <input type="checkbox"/> | Milk                   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Orange Juice                   | <input type="checkbox"/> |                        |                          |

We also need on the night: Dish washers  Kitchen helpers

I will be there early on the night to heat everything up. The food will have to be dropped off at the Senior Citizens room no later than 5pm. We will not know the exact numbers until a week before – so I will ring around the volunteers and let them know how many people.

Leonie Dyson  
Macarthur Primary School Fundraiser Committee

***Net, Set, GO - is starting in the third term***

*Final call*

*We are required to send payment to Netball Victoria TOMORROW*

Please return permission form by Thursday.

I hereby give permission for my daughter/son .....  
to participate in the Net Set GO program in term 3.

Registration	\$28 (includes insurance)
Kids Pack	\$ 4 (bag, netball, activity book)
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	\$32

If your child is over 11 years old registration is \$38 (plus the \$4).

If already registered with Netball Victoria through another sporting club Y/N  
If yes we need the registration number .....

Information was sent home in the June 4th Newsletter. If you require further details contact Leonie Dyson Ph: 55764251.



# Corangamite Library

The Corangamite Library will be closed over the school holidays and reopen on 14th July.

All books due back during the holidays have been given an extension of borrowing time.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
8	9 Queen's b/d Holiday	10	11	12 - Art - LL Prin Meet Warm	13	14
15	16 - JM PD Hamilt	17	18 - LL & SL - PD Asbestos Warm - School Council 7:30	19 - MARC - LL GRASS meetg Hamilton	20	
22	23 - LL - OH&S PD -Warm	24	25  - MPS catering	26 - Art	27 End of Term	28
29	30 Holidays	July 1 Holidays	2 Holidays	3 Holidays	4 Holidays	5
6	7 Holidays	8 Holidays	9 Holidays	10 Holidays	11 Holidays	12

**N.B.** - the correct date for SC meeting

Legend:  
 PD Professional Developmnt  
 Conf Conference  
 SC - School Council  
 MPS - Macarthur Primary School

LL Lynn Lyles  
 JM Jacinta Mulder  
 SC Shama Cunningham  
 JW Jan Wilson  
 SM Suzy Millard  
 JT Jullie Timms  
 SL Sylvia Luke