

MOUNT CLEAR PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter Date
25/07/2023 #11

Principal: Cameron Landry
Assistant Principal: Sam Cooper

Mount Clear Primary School acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of this land, the Wada-wurrung people.

We pay our respects to their ancestors and elders past, present and emerging.

We acknowledge their histories, connections to the land and continuous living cultures.

As we learn and grow, may we show respect to the knowledge embedded within the Aboriginal custodians of Country.



Principal's News

We strive to create resilient and successful individuals who are empowered to be themselves.

Upcoming Events TERM 3

28th July

“Ballarat Sounds”
Performance

Assembly

1st August

Foundation Transition
2.30 - 3.00
“Storytime”

3rd & 4th August

Year 5/6 Sovereign Hill
experience.

4th August

Foundation 100 Days of
School

8th August

Newsletter

9th August

Division Basketball

11th August

The NED Show

Assembly

15th August

Foundation Transition
2.30 - 3.00
“Storytime”

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

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PARENT / TEACHER / STUDENT CONFERENCES

Thanks to all the families that attended their conferences last week. These conferences have allowed our teachers and parents to discuss the reports and talk about the students learning goals for Semester 2.

NAPLAN RESULTS

We have recently received our NAPLAN Data for 2023. As a school we are extremely proud of the results we have achieved, particularly in the area of reading. These results support the adjustments to our teaching approaches we have made in recent times. Our staff work very hard to improve their teaching to ensure our students receive quality teaching.

In both reading and numeracy in the year levels assessed we are either above or equal to similar and network schools.

We are measured against Similar and Network Schools. Similar schools are schools that are very similar to ours in student numbers, demographics, family occupation and education. Network schools are schools within our local area.

Results from 2023 onwards cannot be directly compared with results from previous years. This is because a **new measurement scale that is more suited to the online tests has been introduced with the new standards.** The levels are now Exceeding, Strong, Developing, Needs Additional Support and Exempt.

Reading Results

Year 3

NAPLAN - Students by Proficiency Levels ⓘ



Exceeding or Strong students in 2023 (%) ⓘ

For students in Year 3, Reading

83%

Your school

64%

Similar

65%

Network



Students by proficiency level (%) ⓘ

For students in Year 3, Reading



Data breakdown ⓘ

For students in Year 3, Reading

	2023
Mean scale score	443.3
Participation Rate	90%
Student Count	39

Year 5

NAPLAN - Students by Proficiency Levels ⓘ



Exceeding or Strong students in 2023 (%) ⓘ

For students in Year 5, Reading

74%

Your school

72%

Similar

71%

Network



Students by proficiency level (%) ⓘ

For students in Year 5, Reading



Data breakdown ⓘ

For students in Year 5, Reading

	2023
Mean scale score	477.4
Participation Rate	97%
Student Count	39

Numeracy Results

Year 3

NAPLAN - Students by Proficiency Levels ?



Exceeding or Strong students in 2023 (%) ?

For students in Year 3, Numeracy



75%

Your school

61%

Similar

66%

Network

Students by proficiency level (%) ?

For students in Year 3, Numeracy



Data breakdown ?

For students in Year 3, Numeracy

	2023
Mean scale score	417.5
Participation Rate	92%
Student Count	39

Year 5

NAPLAN - Students by Proficiency Levels ?



Exceeding or Strong students in 2023 (%) ?

For students in Year 5, Numeracy



56%

Your school

56%

Similar

61%

Network

Students by proficiency level (%) ?

For students in Year 5, Numeracy



Data breakdown ?

For students in Year 5, Numeracy

	2023
Mean scale score	465.6
Participation Rate	100%
Student Count	39

FOUNDATION ENROLMENTS 2024

We are now accepting enrolments for Foundation Students for 2024. There are a number of transition activities that are occurring this term to support children's transition to primary school. Please contact the office to enrol your child.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Laycie Stannells (year 6) who represented the state in calisthenics in Brisbane over the recent holidays. Victoria were crowned champions. As are a school we are extremely proud of your achievement.

ASSEMBLY

We have our whole school assembly on Friday, starting at 2:30pm. We welcome all our families and friends to attend.

Cameron Landry

PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL TOURS FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

Thursday 17/8/23 9.15am

Wednesday 06/09/23 9.15am

Please call the office on 53 301 844 to book

BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast club is on every Tuesday and Thursday

In the Kitchen Garden building.

8.30am – 8.55am

EVERYONE IS WELCOME



Parents' Fundraising News

Find us at www.facebook.com/mount.pfundraising for reminders and more!

Upcoming PF Events

Fathers Day Stall
Trivia Night

September
Term 4

Contact Us

Message: www.fb.com/mount.pfundraising
SMS enquiries 0412563213 (Sarah)
For uniform contact 0425742516 (Amber)

Fathers Day Stall

The Fathers Day stall is fast approaching, and we will need volunteers to help staff the stall and ensure all the kids are able to buy a gift for the special person in their life. If you are potentially able to spare some time in the week before Fathers Day, please contact Sarah on 0412563213 via SMS or email to mcprimaryfundraising@gmail.com. We will update as more information becomes available.

We would also love donations of gifts suitable to sell in our stall. Currently we purchase all of our gifts for sale, so, with your help, we can increase the amount of money we are raising for the school. Please contact Sarah using the info above if you can help with this.



Second Hand Uniform Store

All items are \$5, and we also have free items with some staining or a small hole that doesn't affect use. The shop is open on Fridays after assembly (every second week) from when assembly finishes until 3.40pm. You can also contact Amber via our Facebook page at www.fb.com/mount.pfundraising or via SMS on 0425742516 to check if we have what you need. It can then be left at the front office for you to collect. All payments are made to the front office via cash or card. **We also need donations of clothes hangers – these can be donated at the school office.**

Volunteers Needed

Please consider joining us to help out! These fundraising efforts cannot be done without the help of volunteers. At the moment our team of volunteers is very small, which means all of the work is being done by very few people. We can accommodate for younger siblings if necessary, so please don't feel that this is a barrier toward helping. We are only running one event per term so it is not a big time commitment. If you'd like to find out more please SMS Sarah on 0412 563 213, send a message to our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/mount.pfundraising or send us an email to mcprimaryfundraising@gmail.com
***Helpers need to show a valid Working With Children card at the school office. Apply for a free Volunteer's WWC at www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au or any post office.**



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- QuickCliq is free to set up and easy to use
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- **SIGN UP** and complete the registration form
- Receive a link via email to **ACTIVATE** your account before logging in
- **ADD STUDENT**, add your child's details, select their school and save to your account
- **ADD CREDIT** to your online wallet before ordering
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Orders can be placed up to 28 days in advance. You can view your completed orders via the **Active Orders** or **Transaction History** tabs in your account.

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- ✓ It was designed by parents, for parents, so it's easy to use and incredibly intuitive!
- ✓ One family, one account – you will have one unique and secure login to manage all your children's orders, even if they attend different schools. QuickCliq saves you time and gives you complete visibility over your family's needs.
- ✓ Tired of scrounging around for loose change every morning before your kids run off to school? With QuickCliq, lunch money is a thing of the past.
- ✓ We're giving control back to you over your children's diets. By ordering their lunch ahead of time, you can ensure they are eating healthy and balanced meals.
- ✓ QuickCliq was designed with mobile access in mind. Simply login to add credit and order, all from the convenience of your smartphone or tablet.
- ✓ To top up your account you have three options; Direct Deposit / Credit Card / PayPal
 - Direct Deposit is free
 - The surcharge to add credit is 1.5%
 - The surcharge for PayPal is 3.8%
 - When placing an order there is a small booking fee per transaction per student.

Our Call Centre is here to assist your families with ordering online **Call 1300 11 66 37**



LUNCH ORDERS ARE AVAILABLE

EVERY WEDNESDAY

**Online ordering must be completed no later than
8.15am Wednesday (but can be done the day before)**

Mount Clear Primary School



Hot Food		Price
Meat Pie		\$4.90
GF Meat Pie	(GF)	\$5.50
Sausage Roll		\$3.90
Vegetarian Roll	(V)	\$4.50
Meat Pastie		\$4.90
Vegie Pastie	(V)	\$4.90
Party Pie		\$1.20
Party Sausage Roll		\$1.20
Mini Quiche (Meat or Veg)		\$1.40
Tomato Sauce		\$0.30

Lunches Off the Grill		Price
Chicken Snitzel Burger, Letuce, cheese, mayo		\$4.90
Sweet Chilli Chicken Wrap with Lettuce and Cheese		\$5.10
Vegetarian burger with salad		\$5.50

Other Hot Options		Price
Toasted Focaccia (Ham, cheese, tomato / BBQ chicken and cheese)		\$4.70
Toasties (Cheese/Ham & Cheese/Ham, cheese & Tomato/Chicken Avo)		\$3.60

Choose a Wrap, Sandwich or Roll		Price
Salad	(V)	\$4.80
Egg and Lettuce		\$4.10
Ham and Salad		\$4.70
Chicken and Salad		\$4.90
Chicken and Salad Roll		\$5.80
Note Rolls or Wraps Extra		\$1.00
Garden Salad Tub		\$3.80
Garden Salad Tub with Ham		\$4.80
Garden Salad Tub with Chicken		\$4.80
Garden Salad Tub with Tuna		\$4.80
Californian Sushi (small size)		\$3.05
Chicken Sushi (small size)		\$3.05

Fruit		Price
Fruit by the piece, Apple, Banana, Orange	(V) (GF)	\$1.10
Fruit Salad	(V) (GF)	\$3.00
Cheese and Biscuit Packs, with dried fruit	(V)	\$2.60

Drinks		Price
Fruit Box - Apple, Apple&Raspberry, Tropical		\$1.60
Fresh Orange Juice		\$3.60
Small Flavoured Milk - Chocolate, Strawberry		\$2.90
Bottled water		\$1.20

TERM 3 2023 MOUNT CLEAR PRIMARY - CALENDAR

Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	Newsletter
1 10 – 14 July	10/7	11/7 Newsletter	12/7 5/6 DASH Parent Evening 3:40-4:40PM	13/7	14/7 Assembly	Newsletter
2 17 – 21 July	17/7	18/7	19/7	20/7 Parent/Teacher/Student Meetings 9am – 5pm Students only attend for their meeting Cluster Meeting - Cameron Mentoring Meeting - Sam First Aid Training (ES)	21/7 Fun Fridays	
3 24 – 28 July	24/7	25/7 Newsletter School Tour	26/7	27/7	28/7 Assembly Ballarat Sounds Performance (F-2, 11:40 am and 3-6 12:40)	
4 31 – 4 August	31/7	1/8 Foundation Transition - story time in the library 2:30-3:00pm (parents attending)	2/8	3/8 Yr 5/6 Sovereign Hill Experience	4/8 Yr 5/6 Sovereign Hill Experience 100n Days of School Foundies Fun Fridays Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Children's Day	
5 7 – 11 August	7/8	8/8 Newsletter	9/8 Division Basketball	10/8	11/8 Assembly Principal for a Day! The Ned Show - Whole School 10:00am	
6 14 – 18 August National Science Week		15/8 Foundation Transition - story time in the library 2:30-3:00pm (parents attending) National Science week incursion 5/6 : Sphero Coding (robotics)	16/8 National Science week incursion 3/4 : Maths with Dash (robotics)	17/8 School Tour	18/8 Fun Fridays	
7 21 – 25 August Book Week	21/8	22/8 Newsletter	23/8	24/8	25/8 Assembly Book Week Dress Up Day! Michaela Settle MP - Visit 1:00pm	
8 28 – 1 September	28/8	29/8 Foundation Transition - Lunch and Play 12:45-1:30 pm (parents attending)	30/8	31/8	1/9 Father's Day Activity Fun Fridays	
9 4 – 8 September	4/9 Curriculum Day – Berry St: Module 2	5/9 Newsletter Division Track & Field (Llanberris)	6/9 5/6 DASH Presentation Night School Tour	7/9 Yr 3/4 & 5/6 AFL 9's Vic Park	8/9 Assembly	
10 11 – 15 September	11/9	12/9 Foundation Transition - Teddy Bear Picnic 12:30-1:30pm (drop off)		14/9 1/2 Earth Ed Excursion	15/9 Assembly Footy Colours Day Last Day of Term	



JOIN THE FUN!

Mount Clear PS Auskick Centre

Mount Clear Primary School

Starting Thursday 10th of August

For any enquiries, please email Mat Begbie:

mat.begbie@afl.com.au

Scan the QR Code to register!

