

12 May 2020 | Term 2 Week 3

Welcome from the Principal

Happy Mother's Day to all our Mums. I hope you had a wonderful day and perhaps caught up with some of your extended family members while social distancing.

Due to Covid-19 NAPLAN testing has been cancelled for 2020. It was due to commence this week.

Please supply your child with a drink bottle filled with water only.

Now that our weather is cooling down – please make sure that you have a school jacket or jumper with your child's name on it. They do tend to take them off during the day. Please no hoodies or logo jumpers.

Please remember the safety of your children and others by remembering to follow the road rules and parking rules. I am concerned with the number of parents parking in the yellow lines in front of the main driveway, parking on the opposite side of the road, across driveways, double parking and parking in the wrong direction, especially in the afternoon. At the end of this newsletter are the reminders of our parking rules. Perhaps park in different locations such as Whitworth Place or other places and walk to reduce congestion at Bunya St. Remember to social distance at all times.

Upcoming Events

Wednesday 13 May

- Nude Food Wednesday

Wednesday 20 May

- Nude Food Wednesday

Friday 22 May

- PA Assembly. Merit Certificates and SPORT certificates will be given out by the Principal in class.

New Phone number

Please be advised that the school phone number has been changed to 9218 1650. Our previous number will still be redirected to the school for a period of time.

S.P.O.R.T Virtue of the Fortnight - Positive

Being positive is having confidence and belief in yourself, your choices and other people. When you are positive you:

- Are enthusiastic and try your best
- Accept responsibility for your choices
- Have a confident and friendly attitude
- Keep trying and show resilience when things are difficult
- Ask for help when needed
- Use mistakes to learn
- Are a good winner and a good loser
- Encourage others and make them feel special/accepted
- Model correct behaviour and set a good example
- Encourage others to move correctly
- Greet other people
- Represent our school with pride

Perimeter Fence

We have been advised by the Department of Education that the construction of the perimeter fence will begin the week of May 18.

Nude Food Lunchboxes

Waste Wise Wednesday revamped! Nude Food begins again tomorrow. We encourage all families to say no to plastic wrap, sandwich bags, chip packets, juice boxes, muesli bar wrappers etc. Will your class be in the lead at the end of term and win the Term 2 prize?

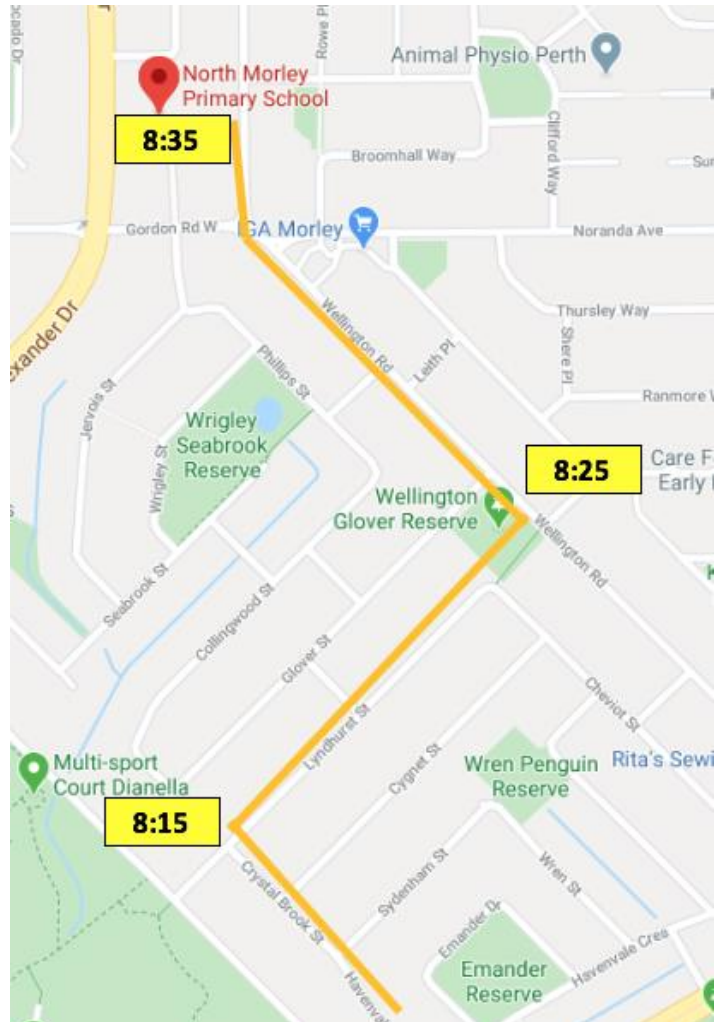
This initiative is run by our student Green Team. Get behind these champions and support our sustainability program at North Morley.



The Walking School Bus

NMPS P&C Association operates a Walking School Bus. A Walking School Bus is a group of students walking to school under the supervision of an adult volunteer.

We operate Monday and Friday mornings whatever the weather! A Walking School Bus offers positive and healthy travel choices to our children and supports our school's commitment to sustainability. Interested in joining? Please contact Robin Gage in the office to sign up!



Book Club – Orders close this Friday

Follow the link below for the virtual catalogue. If you click on any page in the catalogue it will take you directly to the **LOOP** ordering page where you can order online and pay by credit card. Orders are due in by **3pm this Friday 15th May**.

If you have an account and haven't used it lately, please check that your children are allocated to the correct class. If you don't have an account, there is a link on the LOOP page to help you create one. You can also use the Scholastic LOOP app.

<https://scholastic.com.au/book-club/virtual-catalogue-1/>

Parking

We would like to remind everyone about our parking rules and regulations here at North Morley. It is extremely important that everyone follows these restrictions for the safety of our students and the community. Attached is a map of our school grounds along with the road rules pertaining to our school.

Be aware and be careful...

City of Stirling and City of Bayswater rangers have the power to issue infringement notices to motorists who park illegally around schools. It is against the law to:

- Park in residential driveways and verges across from the school
- Park in NO STOPPING and NO PARKING zones
- Park in unmarked bays
- Double park
- Make u turns

