



Osborne News

Onward and Upward

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OSBORNE Vision Statement

OSBORNE Primary School provides a collaborative and vibrant learning community that fosters the development of literacy and numeracy skills and challenges students to become creative thinkers, independent learners and globally responsible citizens.

PRINCIPAL REPORT

Calendar of Events

Education Week coming up – 19th-25th May.



Education Week 2019 will be celebrated in Victoria from 19th to 24th May. This years' theme for Education Week is "Celebrating Careers". At Osborne we will commence the week with a special assembly on Monday 20th May at 2.30pm. We are asking students to dress up on Monday as someone in a career that interests them.

As part of our Education Week celebrations we are also conducting an **open afternoon** on Friday 24th May at 1.45 – 3.00pm. Parents and carers are invited to join their child(ren) in class for an afternoon of fun and creative activities.

Election Day Barbecue at Osborne

Election Day is this Saturday 18th May and Osborne's school gym will be once again be used as a polling booth. Our "Friends of Osborne" group are running a barbecue and cake stall on that day. Children were given a paper cake plate and bag yesterday for donations for the cake stall. All assistance with the barbecue and cake stall on the day will be much appreciated. Please see the form on page 3 to fill in. Please send donations for the cake stall to school on Friday or if you are pressed for time, drop them in to the stall on Saturday. This is an excellent fund raising opportunity that taps into the market outside our immediate community members. Please support our barbecue and cake stall as helpers, as donators or as customers!

Year 4 Camp – Well Done Students!!

Well done Year 4 students on a very successful camp at Camp Manyung Mt Eliza last week.

NAPLAN Years 3 and 5	Tuesday 14th -Thursday 16th May
Election Day FOS BBQ & Cake Stall	Saturday 18th May 8.00am—2.00pm
Education Week 19th—25th May	Monday –20th May Themed Dress up Day Friday 24th May Open classroom afternoon 1.45pm—3.00pm
Indigenous Music Workshop	Tuesday 21st May
District Cross Country	Wednesday 22nd May

Education Week
Monday–20th May
Themed Dress up Day

Friday 24th May
Open classroom afternoon
1.45pm—3.00pm

The students gave it their all, participating actively in the range of wonderful outdoor and indoor activities on offer. The camp experience promoted strong team work, skills of independence, resilience, bravery and creativity. I commend our Year 4 students on their excellent behaviour and effort at the camp this year. Thank you to our staff and parents attending for making the camp such a memorable experience for our students.

Staffing

I will be taking long service leave from May 23rd until the end of Term 2 to travel to Europe. During that time Brett Miller will be Acting Principal and Kate Hornsby will be in the role of Acting Assistant Principal. We will be welcoming Courtney Vincent as teacher of 6H whilst Kate is Acting Assistant Principal. Thank you to Brett and Kate for taking on the responsibilities of the acting roles and assuring the smooth running of the school for Term 2.

Foundation 2020

Our information night for Foundation 2020 was successfully run last Wednesday with 60 prospective parents attending. A huge thank you to our student leaders Wes, Emily, Charli and Roy for delivering their presentation so competently. Thank also to Makayla for providing a delightful musical item to welcome our visitors. Our students can be commended on being terrific ambassadors for our school! Following the formal presentation, the parents visited the Foundation classrooms and were able to talk informally to the teachers and ask any further questions.



NAPLAN Assessment this Week

The NAPLAN Literacy and Numeracy assessments are being carried out this week on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for Year 3 and Year 5 students. It is very important for students completing the assessments to be on time for school on those days. We wish our students all the best for the assessments.

Pam Anderson, Principal



Osborne Primary School is once again participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn promotion. So please collect your stickers and hand them into the office.



Spotlight Info



ELECTION DAY

BBQ AND CAKE STALL

Saturday 18th May



Monday 20th May

Themed Dress up Day

“What I Want to be When I Grow Up”

Gold Coin Donation

(In the interest of representing a broad range of careers, children are encouraged to choose careers other than sports professionals)

Friday 24th May

Open Class Room

1.45pm—3.00pm

2019 School Term Dates

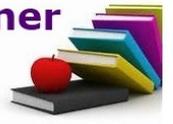
Term 2—23rd April—28th June

Term 3—15th July—20th September

Term 4—7th October—20th December

Curriculum Days

Term 4—Monday 4th November



Education Week 2019

Next week is education week and it always brings me a huge amount of satisfaction when we stop and reflect on all the great things that we do at Osborne Primary school. 2019 marks the 75th anniversary of the first Education Week. The theme for the original Education Week was: Lighting the way to a better world. This year's theme is: Celebrating Careers. Education Week 2019 is all about celebrating careers and pathways that will make your dream job come true. Education Week 2019 is a great opportunity for us to open our doors to the community and showcase the great work that is happening in the classrooms.

Next week will be a fantastic opportunity for our students and teachers to showcase the quality teaching and learning programs our enthusiastic students participate in and acknowledge the involvement of the wider school community. We invite all parents to come along next Friday afternoon to our open classroom activities session. A big congratulations must go to all of the students, parents and teachers at Osborne primary school who work hard to make Osborne what it is today – what an outstanding achievement! I commend you, the parents for showing your interest and supporting your children in the pride that they have for their learning.

Brett Miller

Assistant Principal



STEAM club is well underway this term and has been very popular with all students from Foundation to Year 6. It has been so lovely to see our students from a variety of year levels working on STEAM challenges together.

Our recent STEAM challenge has been inspired by the show 'Lego Masters'. Students have worked in groups to build bridges. The real challenge for them will be when we put weight on them next week.

As our STEAM club has become very popular we are in desperate need of Lego. If you have any unused Lego at home that you would be happy to donate to the Science program we would greatly appreciate it.

STEAM club – Monday lunchtimes – Science Room – See you there!



Osborne Primary is celebrating 'Education Week' by having a themed dress up day on **Monday 20th May**

"What I want to be when I grow up".

The students are to come to school and spend the day in their dress up. (No sports people) Gold Coin donation on the day – fundraising to go to Smith Family 'Learning for Life' education support programs

Friday 24th May

Parents are invited to an open classroom afternoon 1:45pm-3:00 pm



Election BBQ and Cake Stall—Saturday 18th May

We are asking families to donate cakes, slices, biscuits or treats for the cake stall. A paper plate has been sent home, please place your donation on the paper plate and wrap in a plastic bag (do not use your personal containers) and return to school on Friday 17th May or Saturday morning.

As we have no access to refrigeration we ask that you **do not make cakes containing cream products**. You may make cupcakes, muffins or cakes etc... Or any favourite family recipe. Thank you for your ongoing support.

For this to be a successful fundraising event for the school helpers are needed for the cake stall and BBQ roster . Please complete the form below and return to the office by Friday 17th May.

ELECTION DAY HELPERS

Yes I can help on the BBQ or cake stall on Saturday 18th May.

(Please select a time below and return form to the office by 17th May)

Name:

Contact no:

7:00am— 8:00am (Set up)	8:00am— 9:00am	9:00am— 10:00am	10:00am— 11:00am	11:00am— 12:00pm	12:00pm— 1:00pm	1:00pm— 2:00pm	2:00pm— 3:00pm (Pack up)

TREE OF LIFE MURAL

As you may have noticed this term the whole school has been involved in creating a special mural. Each student had the opportunity to paint and decorate a unique disc that was stuck onto the tree silhouette, acting as leaves. As the Visual Arts Leaders, we had the privilege to paint the background at help stick the discs on.

The mural is called Osborne’s Trees of Life. Each of the trees represents the Osborne values.

Written by Shine and Amelia Year 6 Visual Arts Leaders



STUDENT AWARDS





**Year 4
Camp
Manyung**

