



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.

Osborne Primary School Newsletter

15 th October 2019

PRINCIPAL REPORT

We encouraged all of our students to come to school by active means last Friday for the annual walk to school day. It was great to see so many of our students walking, riding or scooting the whole way or part way to school. The students also enjoyed their complimentary piece of fruit on arrival! As the weather gets warmer we hope to see more of our students come to school by active means each day of Term 4.



Building Project

Plans for the capital works program at Osborne have now been signed off and this term preparations for construction will be in full swing. Over the next few weeks an administration portable will be delivered to our school for use during the construction period. We will commence the shift from the Craigie building to the temporary portable as soon as we are able. Stage One of the building program will include the building of a lobby and general administration area, offices, 5 classrooms, a staffroom and amenities for staff and students. This stage is scheduled to be completed by July 2020. During the second half of the year the Hawker building will be demolished and replaced with a further three classrooms, an art room and a library resource centre.

We are currently devising an action plan for the construction period. Fortunately the first phase of the building project will see only the Craigie building demolished, so we will be able to utilise the Hawker building up until occupancy of the first phase of the project, and the Dava building until final completion of the whole project. As with all major building projects there will necessarily be some changes to

Calendar of Events

Year 5 Camp	Wednesday 16th—Friday 18th October
Yr 2 Somers Day Camp	Monday 21 October
Wellbeing Incursion Whole school	Wednesday 23rd October
Osborne Healthy Body and Healthy Mind Expo	Thursday 24th October 5.00pm—7.00pm
Book Fair	Monday 28th—Friday 1st November
Instrumental Concert	Wednesday 30th October
Curriculum Day Student Free Day	Monday 4th November
Cup Day Public Holiday	Tuesday 5th November

October is

“Walk to School Month”

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school organisation during construction. Every effort will be made to keep the disruptions to a minimum and to accommodate the smooth running of the school for our students. The works will commence next January and are scheduled for completion by December 2020.

Healthy Expo

Our healthy bodies, healthy minds expo is fast approaching. Hats off to our Arts team for organising an exciting evening of events of activities. We urge all our families to support this event by coming along and joining in the fun on October 24th from 5.00pm to 7.00pm. You can order healthy hamburgers for dinner and have a night off from cooking!

Year 5 Camp

We wish our Year 5 students all the best for their camp being held at Camp Adanac in Yarra Junction this week. Camp Adanac offers fantastic opportunities for our students to try new and challenging activities, develop great team work, as well as developing their resilience and skills of independence. We do hope they have a lot of fun along the way.

Foundation 2020 Story Time

This week we welcomed our Foundation 2020 students for Story Time sessions held in the library. The sessions follow on from our playgroups offered last term. Story Time has provided an enjoyable school experience for our future Foundation students and helps towards a smooth transition. We look forward to our formal Foundations transition sessions commencing on Tuesday 12th November.



Well done to all of our students who competed in the Divisional Athletics last week. I am aware they were excellent ambassadors for our school, displaying sound sportsmanship and putting in a great effort. Special congratulations to the students who qualified for the Regional finals. We wish them all the best for the next level of competing. See page 5 for Mr Pieters report.

Pam Anderson, Principal



Term 4 Menu now out!! Available from the Canteen and the office.

Lunch time Lasagne has been removed this Term but Take home lasagnes are still available.

We now have Sushie available on Wednesdays only. These need to be ordered online by 9.05am Tuesday.

Baked potatoes are now available on Mon/Tue & Wed. Nachos will not be available on Wednesdays. Pizzas will return very soon....

Spotlight Info

**Curriculum Day
Student Free Day
Monday 4th
November**



**Instrumental Concert
(Various instruments)
Wednesday 30th October
in the Gym
Two sessions
5.30pm Juniors (F-Yr 3)
and
7.00pm Seniors
(Yr4 -Yr6)
All welcome**



2019 School Term Dates

**Term 3—15th July-20th September
Term 4—7th October—20th December**

Curriculum Day

Term 4—Monday 4th November

Wellbeing – Cyber Safety Session & esafety Facts

Cybersafety Parent Evening Information Session by Susan McLean Thursday 30th April 2020

Susan McLean is Australia's foremost expert in the area of Cybersafety and young people. She will present an informative and entertaining session for parents and carers on 'Growing up Online'. Susan will cover the positive benefits of technology as well as what parents need to be aware of, such as:

- What are kids doing online
- Online Grooming
- Cyberbullying
- Sharing Nudes
- Top Tips
- Problematic Internet use and gaming issues.
- Time for questions.

So keep the evening of Thursday 30th April 2020 free to come to this imperative, informative session.

Further details coming early in 2020.

Social media

Fact: On average, children aged 10 to 14 years have 2 active social media accounts

1. Talk regularly with your child about privacy settings on social media. Updating your own privacy settings sets a great example and helps you understand potential safety issues. Be aware of any minimum age requirements.
2. Keep your ears and eyes open. Other parents and the media can be a great source of information when it comes to the latest or most preferred app.
3. Let your child know that you're really interested in how they're connecting with friends. They might be more inclined to talk openly about social media if you talk about what others (their friends and peers) are doing online.



Screen time

Fact: On average, outside of school, 10 to 14 year olds spend 23 hours online per week

1. Try to encourage positive screen time, like content that you can view and enjoy together. Discourage anything that is overly aggressive or disrespectful.
2. Negotiate key rules together, such as when screens can be on and when they need to be turned off. Young teens are likely to respond better to rules that they've contributed to and see as being fair and consistent.
3. Agree ahead of time on the rules and strategies to get your child to switch off from the screen. With gaming, think about a timer that signals that game time is nearly over and be clear about the consequences for not switching off.



Personal information

Fact: 12% of 10 to 14 year olds share personal information online

1. Get your child on side with online privacy by exploring how their personal information can be used now and in the future.
2. If you have your own social media account, think about the types of photos and information you share. Do you post photos of your child that show details of their school, sporting club or other activities? Take the opportunity to review your own habits and model safe online behaviour.
3. Get involved—play along with your child to get a feel for how they are managing their online privacy in the gaming world.



UPCOMING EXPO

HEALTHY BODY, HEALTHY MIND EXPO

October 24th - Thursday 5pm-7pm

For this event, we would like to display a notice board advertising local community groups and clubs that help promote 'healthy bodies and healthy minds' - Surf Life Saving Clubs - Dancing Clubs - Scouts - Art Clubs. If you're interested in advertising/promoting your local group or business please forward any pamphlets, posters and/or brochures to our school office. By Tuesday 22nd October.

These will be displayed to families and our school community at the EXPO.

Dan Pieters and the Arts Team



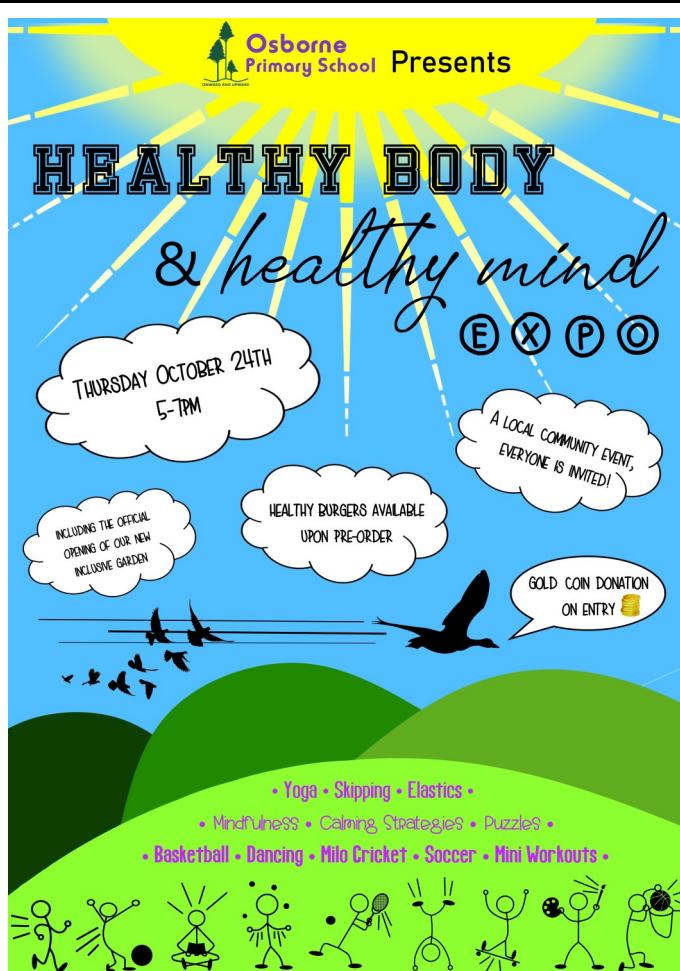
EXPO REMINDER



Volunteers Needed! - Thursday 24th October

We really do need a lot of help preparing for the expo, there is heaps to set up and plenty of food to cook. We urgently need volunteers and all volunteer helpers are appreciated. So, if you can please help on the day to set up and/or cook please let the office know.

Burger forms due back this Thursday 17th Oct, gluten free burger option is available please note on your form if this is required.



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Athletics

Congratulations to all 17 students who represented our school at the Divisional Athletics Day last week. A special mention to Mckayla K 1500m, Taj C Shot put and Charlotte P 100m for qualifying to represent our school at the Regional Athletics day. Best of luck, we are so proud of you all.

Kickball

All Year 3 and 4 classes played each other in a Kickball tournament over many weeks. A fixture of games and monitoring the results have ended in a victory to Year 4F in 2019. Congratulations to all involved it looked like lots of fun.

Coach Pieters



WALK TO SCHOOL

It was fantastic to see so many students walking or riding to school last Friday (11th October).

Students who actively came to school received stickers and a free apple or banana.

Just over 65% of students chose to walk or ride to school on the day. We would love to see this percentage increase to see less cars on the road, less traffic congestion and more students making a positive, healthy start to the school day. Congratulations to grades 2D and 2Q who had 85% of students riding or walking to school on the day. A great effort!

Walk to school runs throughout October so keep encouraging your children to make the most of this mild Spring weather by riding or walking to school every day.

Nick Drysdale



BOOK FAIR

CAN YOU HELP?

Monday 28th October to Friday 1st September

Our exciting Bookfair is coming to school at the end of October. Lamont Books is a family owned and operated business based in Hallam. The fair is filled with a huge variety of amazing, high quality books at excellent prices. The \$5.00 trolley is fabulous for those students and families on a budget, which enables all students to be able to purchase a good quality book. The bookfair is a great way for students to buy new books and help with fundraising at school with a focus on resources for the Library. Students will be able to make a wish list during their Library Session, then return to the Bookfair during open times to purchase them.

To help the Bookfair run smoothly we are asking for any parents that may be able to give some of their time to assist at the Bookfair.

Please tick the appropriate box to indicate when you can help during the week and return slip to classroom teachers. Alternatively you can email the time you're available to our school address:

Osborne.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au. Attention Library.

We will contact you to confirm your designated time to assist.



Name:

Telephone:

Your child's name:

Grade

	Before school 8.30am - 9am	Recess	After School 3.20 - 4pm
Monday	Esme H Kate Hamill	Open 1 helper	Kellie C 1 helper
Tuesday	Open 2 helpers	Open 1 helper	Open 2 helpers
Wednesday	Open 2 helpers	Open 1 helper	Open 2 helpers
Thursday	Open 2 helpers	Open 1 helper	Open until 5pm Esme H 2 helpers
Friday	Mark D 1 helper	Closed	Closed

Many thanks from the Library,

Kaye Lyddy

Osborne Primary School

book parade

Come dressed as your
favourite book character!

CHARLES DICKENS
GREAT EXPECTATIONS

Friday 1st November

junior (F-2): 9:15-9:45am

senior (3-6): 10-10:30am

parents & friends

welcome

STUDENT AWARDS



COMMUNITY NEWS



OPEN DAY

SUNDAY OCTOBER 20TH
11am – 1pm

Come and try being a Nipper with fun water and beach activities, a chance to meet our friendly coaches and volunteers, and a sausage sizzle. Learn how to register and join our fantastic family friendly club, the most successful club on the Mornington Peninsula in 2018-19.



MILLS BEACH, MORNINGTON

