

# Osborne News

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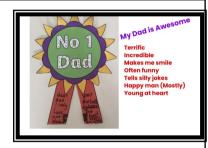
Onward and Upward

Osborne Primary School Newsletter

8th September 2020

## PRINCIPAL REPORT

Thank you to our students and community for their continued efforts with remote and flexible learning. The long awaited announcement from the Premier last Sunday sees the continuation of Stage 4 restrictions until September 28<sup>th</sup>. The "road map" out of lock down has a three step plan taking us through to late October. This includes the following decisions by the Victorian Government about school operations.



- All schools will continue to provide remote and flexible learning for the remainder of Term 3 except specialist schools in rural and regional Victoria, consistent with current settings.
- The first week of Term 4, 5<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> October remote and flexible learning will continue for all students, except in specialist schools in rural and regional Victoria.
- On-site supervision for children of permitted workers and vulnerable students will continue to be provided consistent with existing guidelines.
- From October 12<sup>th</sup> students in Prep to Grade 2 in metropolitan Melbourne return to full-time on-site schooling.
- Remote and flexible learning will continue for all students in Grade 3 to Year 10, other than for children of
  permitted workers and vulnerable students. A date for the return of these year levels to face-to-face learning
  will be subject to further health advice.

The Education Department will be providing further materials for communication to parents and carers shortly. I will keep families updated through Compass as further information comes to hand.

We very much look forward to the time when all of our students are able to attend school onsite. The disappointment our students and families may be feeling at this time with the extension of Stage 4 is acknowledged by the leadership and staff at Osborne. We will continue to make every effort to provide stimulating learning and a high level of support for students' learning and wellbeing needs. This week Student/Parent/ Teacher conferences



Osborne Primary School would like to acknowledge the Boon Wurrung People, the Traditional Owners of the land on which we are gathered and pay our respects to the Elders both past, present and emerging

Whole School Footy
Colours Day
17th September
Via Webex

OSBORNE Vision Statement
OSBORNE Primary fosters a caring, inclusive environment that develops values, attitudes, knowledge and skills in our students that will better equip each student to achieve a meaningful and fulfilling life in our complex, changing world.

are taking place via WebEx. The conferences will provide an excellent opportunity for students to reflect on their successes and set goals for further development. The conferences will facilitate open communication for parents, students and teachers as we continue with remote and flexible learning. All the best for the conferences and keep up the great effort students!

#### **Fathers' Day Best Wishes**

We hope that our fathers, stepfathers, grandfathers and special persons in our community had a happy Fathers' Day last Sunday. Our students still managed to provide some lovely messages and best wishes to their dads or special

persons during remote learning.

Claire FSS made a beautiful card wishing her Dad a Happy Fathers' Day.







Ethan FSS made two cards. One for his Pop and one for his Pa.

#### **Exciting Webex Events Coming Up!**

We have some exciting school events coming up for the last two weeks of Term 3. Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September we have Whole School Footy Day via WebEx. Get ready with your footy scarves, beanies, and footy paraphernalia for this session. Students - if you are not sure about your choice of colours could I perhaps help you by suggesting red, white and black – Go Saints!!

We also have a school assembly coming up next week including The Community Couch Concert. A reminder to students to have their entries in by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September for concert items. I am so excited to see the display of talent abounding at Osborne! Good luck to our performers and thank you to the SRC for coming up with the idea and our Performing Arts teachers for organising this event.

#### Transition for Foundation and Year 7 2021

Our Foundation 2021 Transition sessions via WebEx have been very well received. Last week the children experienced sessions in PE and Visual Arts. This week sessions in Performing Arts and Languages are scheduled for Tuesday at 2.00pm. We do hope our kinder children can join us again to meet the teachers and join in the fun activities.

Mornington Secondary College is providing two transition opportunities via WebEx this Wednesday. The first is a student session at 2.00pm followed by a parent information session at 4.00pm. All the best to those who will be participating.

#### **Building Program**

The progress of the capital works program at Osborne has been a positive focus during a very challenging year. The foundations are in for the next phase and we have heard that the modules are scheduled to arrive in the first week of the school holidays. The Principal team and administration staff love working in the beautiful new administration wing. We are very excited to see the developments of the next stage of the building program.

#### Pam Anderson, Principal







## Wellbeing

## **Some Things Children Need**



A reminder of ways we can support children on the Social and Emotional front lead a positive, happy, comfortable life.

#### **CHILDREN NEED:**

- To be accepted for themselves
- Security
- For people to take an interest
- Praise
- Understanding
- To be trusted
- Space of their own
- Independence
- To feel useful
- Reasonable rules and limits
- Appropriate affection

- To test boundaries
- Flexibility
- Responsibility
- To be taken seriously
- Consistency
- To be listened to
- To choose their own friends
- To be okay to fail sometimes
- To be an individual
- Help and advice when asked for
- To try out new things
- To be successful

#### Term 3 Teamkids Vacation Care at Osborne Primary School (OPS)

We are working with our long-time provider "Teamkids" to enable vacation care during the State of Emergency / State of Disaster.

Additional safety precautions have been put in place to help keep our community stay safe.

Bookings are only open to Osborne families with Permitted Worker's Permits and currently approved for On-site supervision only

Even though Teamkids are able to offer vacation care, unfortunately it is not "Business as Usual" for the holiday program.



#### 2020 Curriculum Days

Term 4

Monday 2nd November

Friday 18th December

#### 2020 Public Holiday

Term 4

Friday 23rd October

## Curriculum

## Indigenous literacy

## Day 2020



Last Wednesday, students from Osborne Primary School and around the country viewed a special YouTube live event to celebrate Indigenous Literacy Day. The aim of the event is to promote Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' first languages and highlight why learning in first language is important to help Indigenous children with their reading skills. Special guests such as singer, Jessica Mauboy and children's author, Andy Griffiths were featured during the show.

If you did miss the event, the video will stay on the Indigenous Literacy Day Youtube channel so you can view anytime that suits.

Here is the link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YtrOi2Y-B8A



## **LANGUAGES**

Nice





## Our students celebrated Fathers' Day







Danni 1AL

Fathers' Day Treats



Scarlett 1AL

# Cooking @ home with Cate





To

You are dad

To the Best Dad in the World, You are a super hero As kind as a dolphine As brave as a lion As loving as a baby kitten As strong as great grizerly bear As clever as an owl As funny as a the maned wolf As silly as a seal As helpful as a dog As thoughtful as a red panda As observant as a meerkat As smart as a chimpanzee Love from, Em

Emily 6AC



As kind as ... the wind As brave as ... lion As loving as ... dog As strong as ... elephant As clever as ... dolphin As funny as ... cat As silly as ... me As helpful as ... Computer As Supportive as ... the world As **positive** as ... a cute puppy prancing in a meado as ... Space As **nice** Love from, Darling daughter Charlotte

Charlotte 6AC



Fathers' Day cards from 1HB

## Fathers' Day





1AD

Annie



Ruby

Mya

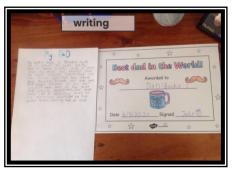
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Makena

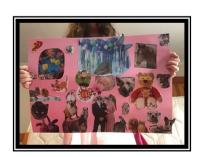








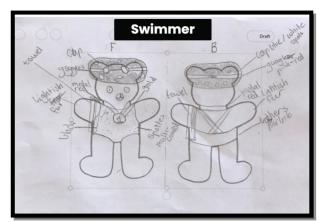






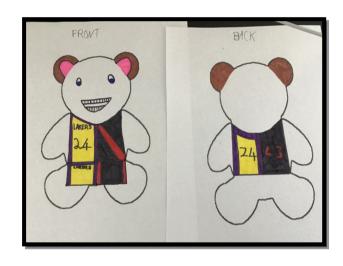
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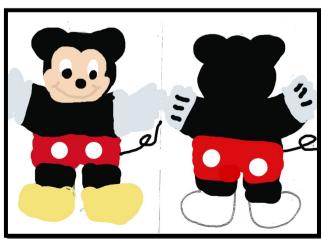




Like every other year at Osborne, the Year 6 students are a-buzz with excitement as they plan their Graduation Bears and really looking forward to making them when they return to school. Julie Oldenburger





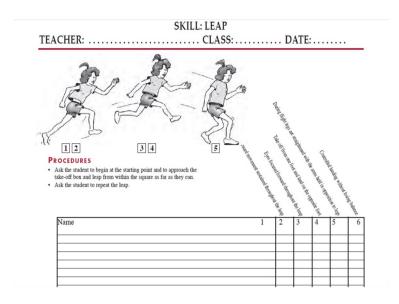




#### PERFORMING ARTS



## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION**







A big thankyou to all students and parents for participating in Specialists online lessons.

Here are some photos to celebrate learning Physical Education from home.

Seesaw has provided connectivity and engagement to both specialist teachers and students during these different times.

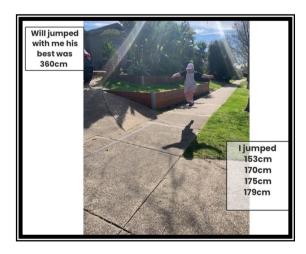
Stay healthy and happy and we look forward to seeing you all soon!

Whole School Footy Day, Sports Colours Day is coming up on Thursday 17th September. I look forward to seeing you all dressed in your favourite sporting team colours.

Coach Pieters











## LEARNING AT HOME

**1MO** 



Jack W playing shop with his sister

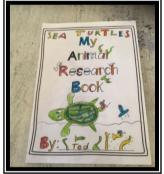
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Will book report

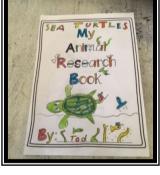
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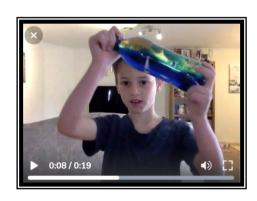
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Ocean in a bottle





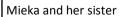








Bailey















2ND



Kayley



Nicole



Ryan







3LF



3LF Wacky Webex



Poppy practising SAKG cutting



Maths card game



#### **Year 4 – FUN FRIDAY RECIPES**

All through remote learning Year 4 students and teachers have been sharing their favourite recipes with each other on Seesaw each Friday. Apart from sharing some really yummy recipes, the students have had many opportunities to develop their skills of weighing and measuring ingredients and following the directions. The photos included in this article show we had an amazing range of recipes to try. A BIG highlight of FUN FRIDAY RECIPES was when Makena in 4F and Tayah in 4IA posted some sensational cooking video demonstrations. Thank you Makena and Tayah for sharing your banana bread, smoothie and mug cakes recipes.

Another BIG highlight last Friday was when Cate from SAKG, with her two sons, posted a lovely Father's Day Scroll recipe. Thanks Cate.

Yesterday, in our 4PM class Webex session I did a quick survey with our class to find out what their 2 or 3 favourite recipes were. Not surprising, Choc Chip Cookies was the clear winner, followed by Mug Cake and Sausage Rolls.

Maybe over the holidays you and your family could try out a yummy recipe and send it to us for our Term 4's FUN FRIDAY RECIPES posts.

Best wishes Mrs Matteson, Year 4 teachers and students



**CLEAR WINNER Choc** chip cookies



Easy pizza



**Roast Salmon** 



Easy Apricot Chicken



Chicken & Corn soup



Choc Chip Pumpkin cookies



Sausage Rolls





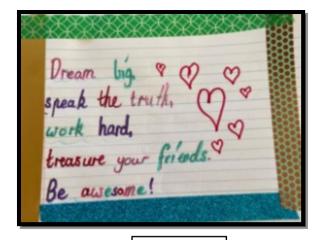
Ants on a roll



Banana Bread



Taylah



Imogen



**4IA** 



Aiden

Audra



Buster





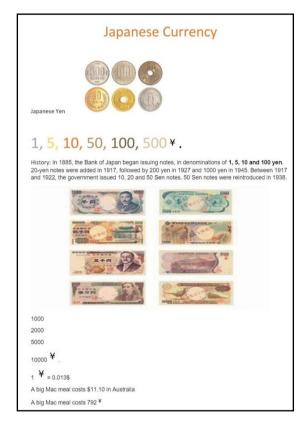
## **5SM**



Lilly



Ren



Riley

## 6AS

#### RECORDING COORDINATES OF PLACES ON EARTH USING LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE

LOCATION	COORDINATES
Mt Martha	38°S , 145°E
sydney	151° 14°E
Ularu	25°20′S
Paris	48 <sup>0</sup> 51′ 30″N
Great Bariar reef	148 °E

Shea—Maths coordinates and mapping skills

Task:
Go outside and look at the outside of your house or a part of your garden. Create a list of 20 things you notice
about it. Write down colors, shapes, details. Be as specific as you can. When you're done, pick three or four of
the most interesting things you noticed, and use those to write a description of the building or garden setting.
Make sure you use lots of interesting describing words!

Write your setting description paragraph here

The trees howl dancing with the wind leaves are flying. The bright green grass ready for a rabbit to munch on and the rocks bkending in the garden. the pool water waves at us as if its having a tantrum.

the wonderful, wacky, colourful plants sit in peace and the birds bringing happieness. The nature comes together and brings fun to everyone!

Lucy—Setting description



## 6TW





#### Fleanor 6TW

#### Stairs to the Underworld

'Happy birthday', my grandpa yelled as he came through the door. As always he had his mischievous grin and a twinkle in his eye. He winked at me and gave me a huge warm hug. "Last time a saw you, you were only 8! Now you are 12! Oh, I just can't believe how old you are now," grandpa sighed. He handed me a huge suitcase that had a ribbon around it. "I thought it was time. I gave you a proper present" grandpa said, with a smile. I ran outside after the party and opened the case. I had waited all day to see what was inside. I undid the ribbon and clipped open the case. I thought I was having a coma! Right down in the suitcase, there was a flight of stairs! It went to 'who knows where'. Nobody would realise if I went for a little while, would they? It felt like two sides of my head were wrestling. One side fought for staying here and telling mum. One side said to go and explore. I couldn't say no to exploring! Regret filled me half way down the stairs. There was huge manuscripts and carvings all around the walls. I had heard about many stories from grandpa. He told her Roman and Greek legends. I know from grandpa, some Greek and Roman numerals and letters, so I was able to figure out what most of it meant. It said, 'As the sun rises you shall fall, for the spirits of death know all.' Chapter 2. I was tired. I was sore. I missed the sun. I missed fresh air. Everything down here was dark and gloomy. I had to keep walking down. I couldn't stop anyway. I was

being dragged down here by the echoes of laughter. Not happy laughter though, it was evil laughter. As I descended the stairs, I saw a flash of light. A flash of hope. A warm, exciting presence that made me want to scream with delight. I looked up to see a young girl, about my age, with long blonde hair the colour of leaves when they start to turn gold. She wore black jeans, a sunflower yellow top with a brown leather jacket. In her hand was a small pocketknife and in her other hand was a flaming stick. "Well hello" she said with a cheeky grin that made me long for grandpa. "It's been years since anyone has come down here......anyway. My name is Zuri, what IS your name?" I hadn't told anyone my name for years. My friends just call my Coco because of my chocolate brown hair. But to reveal my real name? Maybe just one person could know it? "My name is ......my name is Nix". "Wow! I love that name, its wonderful," Zuri smiled. "So, your grandpa gave you this suitcase?" Zuri asked with a worried tone. "Yes, he did and he said that it was time to give me a proper present, but I don't really know why?" I answered. TO BE CONTINUED.....

