



## Principal's Report

I hope everyone has managed to get out and enjoy some of the lovely Spring sunshine over the past couple of days. With a bit of luck, this weather continues throughout the week and into the Term 3 break.

As we come to the end of term, I'd like to congratulate all Osborne students for their hard work, commitment to improving and for the continued growth we see in all curriculum areas and in the students' interpersonal development. Also, to the teachers, ES, and staff for their dedication and focus on the learning and well-being of students throughout the term.

Reflecting on the many events of term 3, it has been an action packed 10 weeks.

Some of the highlights include:

- NAIDOC Week
- Pajama Day
- Incursions and excursions
- 100 days of Prep celebrations
- Student Led Conferences
- Science Week
- Hoop Time basketball comp
- Science Week
- Year 4 Dandenong market excursion
- Footy Colours Day
- 2023 Foundation playgroups
- Year 3 & 4 Clubs
- Life Education
- Book Week & Book Fair
- District Athletics and Cross Country
- Mornington SC visit
- Year 6 Leadership exp at St Kilda FC
- Literacy and Numeracy Week
- Bring a bloke to Brekkie
- Father's Day stall
- Senior Production – IMAGINITIS
- Ski development camp – Mt Hotham

### Senior School Production – IMAGINITIS

Congratulations to the Year 5 and 6 students who performed the amazing production of IMAGINITIS! Not only did students showcase their creativity, performance, and circus skills they worked collaboratively to write the story of IMAGINITIS! It truly was a sensational production.

This event would not be possible without the talents of our Performing Arts teacher Ms. Jones and the work, collaboration, support, and expert coaching from Bron and Marcos from Soul Circus.

### Spotlight Info



A reminder to please be mindful when crossing the road to & from school.

For the safety of all students, please ensure you use the supervised crossing.

#### 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.

### Last Day Term 3:

Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Sep

2.30pm DISMISSAL



Term 4 begins:

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct

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

Thank you for giving our students the opportunity to perform at such a high level. Also, a big thank you to Sean for your support and I'd like to acknowledge the hard work of our Year 5 and 6 and Specialist teachers. To all staff members for their contributions on the night collecting tickets, greeting the audience, supervising the students, assisting backstage with props and the list goes on, thank you. Your support with this Osborne event is very much appreciated. And lastly, thank you to everyone for coming along and supporting the students and for being fabulous audience members. USBs of the production night are available to purchase via Compass.



### Ski Development Camp - Mt Hotham

Very early on Monday morning, 33 Year 5 & 6 students along with Mr. Cheverton, Mr. Pieters, Mrs. Brown, Mr. Hose, Mrs. Peters, Doug Peters, and Petra Gallagher headed off for the 5-day ski development camp at Mt Hotham. Reports coming from the mountain are extremely positive and everyone is having a wonderful time. The students are doing a terrific job and skiing independently and even tackling some big jumps! The ski development camp is a fabulous opportunity for students to experience the challenge of skiing, try new skills, build resilience, and enjoy the beautiful alpine environment. Thank you to Mr. Pieters and teachers and people assisting for organising such a fantastic week!





### **Blokes for Brekky and the Father's Day stall**

What a terrific turnout we had for the 'Bring a bloke for brekky' morning on Friday September 1<sup>st</sup>. It was fantastic to see so many of our special blokes enjoying a delicious breakfast and joining in with some games. The work and organisation of our FOS group are to be commended. Thank you to Tim Brading and the dedicated team for running such a fabulous event and for their work, along with other helpers who assisted with the Father's Day stall.



### **SunSmart and Lost Property**

With the return of the sunny Spring weather, it is time to wear hats once again during outside times at school. This week it's been pleasing to see most students wearing hats, but if you need to find your child's hat over the holidays please do so. Alternatively, hats are available for purchase at the uniform shop. Also, a reminder to ensure your child's school uniform, lunchbox and drink bottles are named clearly. This ensures the safe return of items left in the yard. If your child has lost an item of clothing, classroom teachers can support students to find misplaced items in lost property box.

### **Final assembly and EAGLE Awards**

This term's final assembly will be held in the gym on Friday September 15<sup>th</sup> at 1:45 pm. We will be presenting our EAGLE Awards for term 3. EAGLE is an acronym, and the letters stand for 'Effort And Growth in Learning Excellence'. At Osborne PS we place a large emphasis on learning growth and effort. That means no matter where students sit on the achievement scale, each day students are encouraged to improve and be the best that they can be. When selecting students to receive an EAGLE award, teachers look for children who continuously show maximum effort throughout the term, ultimately achieving excellent growth in one or more areas of their learning. Our EAGLE awards also link to Bunjil, the eagle from our local indigenous culture who watches over us. I'm looking forward to congratulating our EAGLE award recipients.

Lastly, I'd like to wish everyone a lovely and well-deserved break. On behalf of Mr Miller, Mr Cheverton, myself, and the entire Osborne staff, I'd like to express our appreciation for the invaluable support and active involvement of our families in fostering a strong home school partnership. Your commitment and involvement in classroom activities and school events enhance the educational experience for all our students. We look forward to seeing everyone back for the beginning of Term 4, Monday October 2<sup>nd</sup> and also welcome back Mr Miller.

Warm regards,

**Melanie Webb**

Assistant Principal



## TERM 4, 2023 DATES TO REMEMBER

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
O C T	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1 <sup>st</sup> Day Term 4	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> ○ Yr. 3 Forest Edge Camp ○ Divisional Aths	5 <sup>th</sup> Yr. 3 Forest Edge Camp	6 <sup>th</sup> Yr. 3 Forest Edge Camp
	9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup> Yr4. History Box	11 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>	13 <sup>th</sup> Yr4. Bike Ed
	16 <sup>th</sup>	17 <sup>th</sup> 2024 Foundation Storytime Session 1 & 2	18 <sup>th</sup>	19 <sup>th</sup>	20 <sup>th</sup> Yr4. Bike Ed
	23 <sup>rd</sup>	24 <sup>th</sup>	25 <sup>th</sup> 2024 Foundation Storytime Session 3 & 4	26 <sup>th</sup>	27 <sup>th</sup> Yr4. Bike Ed
	30 <sup>th</sup>	31 <sup>st</sup>			
N O V			1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
	6 <sup>th</sup> Curriculum Day Student Free	7 <sup>th</sup> Melb Cup Day Student Free	8 <sup>th</sup>	9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup> Walkathon
	13 <sup>th</sup>	14 <sup>th</sup> 2024 Foundation Transition	15 <sup>th</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup>	17 <sup>th</sup>
	20 <sup>th</sup> Yr.6 Camp	21 <sup>st</sup> Yr.6 Camp	22 <sup>nd</sup> ○ Yr.6 Camp ○ Foundation 2024 Transition	23 <sup>rd</sup>	24 <sup>th</sup>
	27 <sup>th</sup>	28 <sup>th</sup> Yr.5 Aspire Leadership	29 <sup>th</sup>	30 <sup>th</sup> 2024 Foundation Transition	
D E C					1 <sup>st</sup>
	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup> End of Year Concert	8 <sup>th</sup>
	11 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>	13 <sup>th</sup> Yr.6 Gumbuya World	14 <sup>th</sup> ○ Yr.6 Graduation ○ Yr. 5 Beach Day	15 <sup>th</sup>
	18 <sup>th</sup>	19 <sup>th</sup>	20 <sup>th</sup> Last Day Term 4 1.15pm Dismissal	21 <sup>st</sup>	22 <sup>nd</sup>

School Holidays

Student Free Day

Excursion

Incursion



# ASSEMBLY AWARDS

OSBORNE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
8TH SEPTEMBER

## CLASS AWARDS

FKB - KARDA M  
1JD - GABRIEL C  
2FQ - HUGO C  
3JK - LUCAS A  
4MF - BENTELY M  
5BH - CHARLI T  
5KH - DANIEL R  
6AC - SAMSON D

## P.E GOLD CLASS

KFB, 2JF, 4MF, 6JH

## STEM AWARD

3CV, 5KH

## NUDE FOOD AWARD

1RH







# ASSEMBLY AWARDS

OSBORNE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
1ST SEPTEMBER



## CLASS AWARDS

FRM - JACK C  
FIA - MATEO M  
1RH - HARRY W  
1BH - HARLEE M  
2EB - HENRY A  
3SV - JAYDEN L  
4JF - MARLEY R  
5LF - DOROTHY K  
6JH - LUCAS B  
6SB - CHARLOTTE D



## INDONESIAN GOLD CLASS

FSS, 1MB, 2FQ

## STEM AWARD

3CV, 5KH



## SCHOOLYARD SUPERSTARS

1BH, 1JD

## PERFORMING ARTS GOLD CLASS AWARD

FRM, 5LF, 5KH, 5BH, 6AC, 6SB, 6JH, 6MB



## 150 NIGHTS OF READING

FINN H FSS, LEVI D FRM, HEIDI B FRM, SPENCER D FRM, OSCAR M FSS  
LEWIS D FSS, OTIS L FIA, MATEO M FIA, ALEXANDRA G FIA, SEBASTIAN B FIA  
KELLY M FKB, CHARLI R FRM, JAX R FRM, MARLEY P FRM, ALFIE B FRM, LEVI E 1JD  
GABRIEL C 1JD, OSCAR B 1RH, ALEXI O 1MB, LEISEL S 1JD, NATE D 1JD, ZAHUA C 1RH  
LACHIE T 1MB, AMELIA K 2EB, THOMAS J 2EB, DYLAN R 2EB, ZOE J 2FQ, GRACE W 2JF  
BEATRICE H 2FQ, JAMES S 2SD, YARRAN N 3CV, JAMES W 3JK, VIOLET H 3SV, NELSON B 3SV  
JOSH M 3HH, OLIVIA C 3HH, KEANNA B 3HH, PAIGE C 4JF, BAILEY M 4ND, JACK B 4ND  
ARCHIE C 4JF, SCARLETT B 4MF, RUBY E 4MF, CALLUM B 4MF, NOAH W 4MF, ALEXANDRA K 4MF  
RUBY P 5LF, MARGOT L 5LF, THUIS S 5BH, SIENNA M 5BH, OSKAR M 6JH, MADISON E 6SB  
VANESSA G 6AC, GABRIELLA R 6AC, MILLY A 6MB, MACKENZIE L 6MB, PARKER L 6MB, LEVI M 6MB  
MILLY L 6MB, ELLIE J 6MB, GRACE L 6MB, MILLA M 6MB, EVELYN H 6MB, LILY D 6MB

## PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

SOPHIE J - 2EB  
MAX B - 5BH  
HUDSON T - 5BH  
ELLIE J - 6MB





# CONGRATULATIONS



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR  
ATHLETICS TEAM WHO WON THE  
DISTRICT DAY ON FRIDAY THE 1ST OF  
SEPTEMBER.

YOU ALL TRIED SO HARD AND  
REPRESENTED THE OSBORNE GREEN  
SO WELL.

IT HAS BEEN A VERY LONG TIME  
SINCE WE HAVE WON A DAY LIKE  
THIS AGAINST OUR 8 NEIGHBOURING  
SCHOOLS.



WE ARE ALL SO PROUD OF YOUR  
EFFORTS.





## CATCHMENT WORKSHOP WINTER FUN!

We had such a great time at our Catchment Workshops this term! Ambassadors began at Narambi Reserve with Mandy explaining how stormwater drains lead to the litter catchments to trap litter from flowing into our waterways. The awesome folks from Greenworks explained the huge costs associated with our waste and lifted the litter bags from the traps to highlight the huge volumes of litter discarded in our parks and streets.

Ambassadors participated in a Healthy Waterways Workshop with a water pollution testing lesson, and a hunt for aquatic macroinvertebrates, focusing on their pollution tolerance. Ambassadors learned how important wetland systems are to trap the pollutants not caught in litter traps such as oil, and chemicals from our lawns.

At Mornington foreshore we conducted a litter collect, sort, and report session focusing on the sources of litter. Then it was onto a Climate Change Game focusing on global emissions and the huge volumes of waste from food production. We finished off with a frog identification lesson looking at how species of frogs help determine the health of local environments alongside the issues they face such as pollution and land clearing. Thank you to our partners at the Mornington Peninsula Shire, the folks from Greenworks and Melbourne Water, and of course the ISIC teachers and parent/carers for transporting the Ambassadors to the Workshops.



*"No one is without power. Everybody has the capacity to do something"* Sylvia Earle

## RICKETTS POINT WORKSHOP SO MUCH FUN IN THE SUN!

We had a fantastic workshop for Ambassadors who missed out last term! We began the day with a rockpool ramble and Ambassadors loved searching for all the beautiful critters that call this Marine Sanctuary their home! Then it was on to a seagrass activity where Ambassadors searched through the microscopic world of seagrass and found animals such as centipedes, crabs, and flatworms whilst learning about the critical importance of our seagrass habitats. Ambassadors also got hands on during the Sand Sort session racing each other to correctly identify and name the sources of a range of marine debris items buried in the sand. We then conducted a dolphin identification activity and Ambassadors raced to identify some of our resident dolphins. We were so impressed with their identification skills and strategies and their support for each other was inspiring!

We finished with a Climate Change game, learning about the impacts of food production, and all were surprised at the hidden carbon emission costs of local to global food production. We are so grateful to the Mornington Peninsula Shire, and our ISIC teachers and parents/carers for supporting Ambassadors throughout the term!





# OSBORNE PS PERSUASIVE WRITING



This term, students at Osborne Primary School have been learning how to write persuasive texts that are engaging for the reader and include persuasive techniques. Some of the techniques students have used are strong arguments, rhetorical questions, statistics and emotional appeal. Enjoy some of the amazing pieces of writing below. We hope that we have convinced you!



**No Extra Recess!**

Written by  
Eva McGregor

I strongly believe that we should have no more recess.

Firstly, I know that we should have no more recess because sometimes you do not have any more games to play.

Secondly, your teachers still plan fun things to do.

Thirdly, the specialists are like having more recess and recess wastes your learning time.

I strongly want a class pet because it will help us learn more about animals.

Secondly it will help us with our learning.

Thirdly we can feed it.

**At Osborne PS, we should have...**

Written by  
Aaliyah Wallis



**Should Animals be kept in Zoos?**

Written by  
Gabriel Laube

Have you ever wondered how animals get treated in zoos? I strongly believe that animals should be left in the wild, so there is no animal abuse, no aggressive animals and they are free.

Animals should definitely be left alone in the wild because in a zoo they can get treated badly. This is called animal abuse. It is important not to have animals in zoos so they don't become extinct!

Any animals can get aggressive if they have been in a small space for too long. The animals would actually attack humans.



The crowd was going crazy around him. He sprints down the pitch and shoots. Time seems to slow down. Everyone watches the ball as it soars through the air. Then the crowd erupts. The ball hits the net. He scored. He is Lionel Messi. In my opinion, Messi is better than Ronaldo. He's better at dribbling, was great in the World Cup and has won so many trophies. It's crazy. Those are only some of the reasons Messi is better.

Imagine a player that can dribble through an entire team's defence and score! Well lucky for you, you don't have to. Messi regularly dribbles through players, whereas Ronaldo doesn't do it anywhere near as much as Messi, the far superior player. This player has run through defenders and scored more than Ronaldo has so it is easy to say that Messi is better at dribbling.



### **Messi is Better Than Ronaldo**

**Written By  
Hudson Curry**

### **All Schools Must Have a Therapy Dog**

**Written By  
Evelyn Brading**



All kids love dogs! So, a therapy dog would be incredible for all schools around Australia. Although it could be distracting, kids would have someone to talk to about things that happen at home or school. It is essential each child feels safe and happy at school, but that will certainly not happen if a therapy dog isn't around. Do you want kids to struggle with depression or have mental health issues? According to research, dogs are great for teaching responsibility and showing empathy for others.

It is certain all schools must have a therapy dog. Most don't show it but loads of kids really struggle with anxiety or mental health issues. According to research therapy dogs help cure anxiety and make kids happy! 45% of students all over Australia get bullied every term and a therapy dog would definitely help. If a child's mental health isn't good, then it can lead to more severe things in the future.



### **Healthcare!**

**Written by  
Samson Duggan**

Imagine a world where health care isn't free, well that's our world. In many places, health care isn't free for the public like in the U.S.A Canada, China, and some places in Australia. How would you feel if you had to pay to have your child? Bad right? In fact, 45% of Aussies don't have health care. And as a result, PEOPLE WILL DIE!

Health care is very important for a good, healthy and sustainable life. But for some Aussies, they need to wish for it. Health care isn't free; in fact, it costs over \$2000 for 2 people to have private health insurance.







# SPRING Holidays

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IN-HOUSE INCURSION EXCURSION

MON · 18th SEP	TUE · 19th SEP	WED · 20th SEP	THU · 21st SEP	FRI · 22nd SEP
<b>Circusmania</b>	<b>Menu Masters</b>	<b>Ninja Gym</b>	<b>Spring Fling</b>	<b>Comedy Magic and Variety show</b>
Step right up! It's time for Circusmania! Learn jaw-dropping circus tricks, play exciting games, and unleash your inner ringmaster. Juggle and plate spin, you'll be the star of the show! Run away with the circus and let your imagination soar!	Calling all mini chefs! Do you have a taste for adventure? Join TeamKids for a bento box bonanza and let's get cooking! Roll up your sleeves and get ready to create the most delicious and adorable lunch boxes ever! *Allergy Alert	TeamKids is ready to prove our moves at Ninja Gym! We'll use traditional gym equipment, with a mix of martial arts, parkour, tricking and break dancing! Get ready to roll, jump and dive into an awesome day!	Our spring-themed spectacular will embrace the magic of the season and connect us with the natural world around us! They'll be outdoor-themed activities, exciting forestry crafts, and we'll also make a flower button vase kit that we can take home!	Get ready for the ultimate entertainment extravaganza! Join us for a side-splitting comedy magic and variety show that will leave you amazed and laughing out loud. Let's make some memories that will be nothing short of magical!
<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$17.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$105.00	<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$24.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$112.00	<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$28.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$116.00	<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$8.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$96.00	<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$19.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$107.00
After Max CCS* \$15.75	After Max CCS* \$16.80	After Max CCS* \$17.40	After Max CCS* \$14.40	After Max CCS* \$16.05
MON · 25th SEP	TUE · 26th SEP	WED · 27th SEP	THU · 28th SEP	FRI · 29th SEP
				<b>PUBLIC HOLIDAY</b>
<b>Hives Happenings</b>	<b>Junkyard Beats</b>	<b>Movie</b>	<b>Battle of the Bands</b>	
Calling all busy bees! Buzz over and get creative with bee-themed crafts, learn fascinating bee facts, and create your very own beeswax candle to take home. It's a hive of excitement, where imagination takes flight in bee-coming a crafty beekeeper!	One person's junk is another person's... musical instrument! Join us on the rhythmic adventure of Junkyard Beats where household items make music come alive, and the energy is contagious! You'll be toe-tapping, grooving and dancing in no time!	Lights down, popcorn ready! TeamKids is off to see Ruby Gillman, Teenage Kraken! Watch Ruby learn that she comes from a fabled royal family of legendary sea krakens and that her destiny lies in the depths of the waters! *Rated PG	And a one, and a two and a... Get ready to get groovin' as we experiment with different instruments, songs and sounds before battling it out in teams to see who will be crowned the ULTIMATE little rockers!	
<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$8.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$96.00	<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$21.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$109.00	<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$35.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$123.00	<b>Base Fee</b> \$88.00 <b>Exp Fee**</b> \$16.00 <b>Daily Total</b> \$104.00	
After Max CCS* \$14.40	After Max CCS* \$16.35	After Max CCS* \$20.83	After Max CCS* \$15.60	

\*Child Care Subsidies may apply. \$5 Admin Fee per family. \$5 Late Fees apply within 7 days per child. Payment plans available. | \*\*Experience/Activity Fee. Programs may be subject to change. Third Party Payment Fees apply. See Terms and Conditions for cancellation policy.





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# Mornington Peninsula's Koorie Kids Day Out FRIDAY 13TH OCTOBER 10AM-2PM



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Willum Warrain invites all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander  
primary school students from across Mornington Peninsula to  
attend our Koorie Kids Day Out.



Join us to participate in  
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**CULTURAL ACTIVITIES**



Please contact to register School attendance  
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