Osborne Newsletter

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Principal's Report

I hope all of our amazing mothers and grandmothers have a very happy Mother's Day this Sunday. Thank you for all that you do each and every day. We can never thank you enough.

Mother's Day Stall and Morning Tea

I would like to acknowledge the efforts of our FOS group (and parent volunteers) for organising this year's Mother's Day stall. I visited the stalls today and the students thoroughly enjoyed it!

The FOS group are also running a special Mother's Day Morning Tea on Friday. This will be held 8:00am - 8:45am in the staff room. They welcome all mums, nannas, aunties and carers. Join them, along with your children, for a light breakfast including pastries, muesli and a cuppa.

It's not too late to add your name to the Google Doc below https://docs.google.com/document/d/19UFI4aBPA-donDdxODb5x4Aoh_pQD2gc6xxQOTZz3A/edit?usp=sharing

Jess Kindred baby

Congratulates to Jess Kindred (3JK) and his wife Ali on the birth of their second child. Luna Maeve and Ali are doing well.

Year 4 Camp

The students and teachers had a wonderful camp this week at Camp Manyung! They had amazing weather. It was great to see their excitement as they left on Monday morning. They did a lot of fun activities at camp such as the giant swing, flying fox, frisbee golf, tree rolling, risky kids, international games etc. They were a little tired when I had breakfast with them on Tuesday morning but keen to get outside and do their activities for the day. I know that there were a few activities that pushed the students out of their comfort zones (giant swing) and I'm very proud of the students that tried these activities. Thanks to the teachers and parents that went on the camp.

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.

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Term 1:

Monday 15th April

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Friday 28th June



SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE

Tuesday 14th May 3pm – 4pm *In the library*

YEARS 1-6
LITERACY & NUMERACY
PARENT INFO SESSION

Tuesday 14th May 5pm – 6pm

GRANDPARENTS, PARENTS
& SPECIAL FRIENDS STEM
AFTERNOON

Wednesday 15th May 2pm – 3pm

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.

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Second hand uniform sale

Next Tuesday (14th) we have a Second-hand uniform sale from 3pm to 4pm in the library.

These items of clothing are an affordable option for parents to purchase additional uniforms. It is a sustainable way to solve a problem as it reuses the MANY unnamed uniform items that collect at school. It also allows us to support students and families who need it. The money received from the Second-hand Uniform Shop goes into a welfare fund that allows us to support students in a number of ways:

- Attending camps
- Participating in excursions and incursions that are unaffordable for the family
- Giving some families in difficult circumstances, the uniform items they need

Please support our Second-hand Uniform Shop. The items are washed and sell for \$5 each piece of clothing.

Education week

As part of our Education Week celebrations, we would like to invite all parents, grandparents and special friends to an open classroom event next Wednesday at 2pm (until 2:50pm). Come and visit our classrooms, celebrating the wonderful achievements of all Osborne students and view our STEM showcase from participating students.

Location - Students' classrooms

The STEM showcases are in the following locations -

- Foundation Foundation building
- Year 1 Year 1 building
- Year 2 and Year 3 MSB (Middle School Building)
- Year 4 Library
- Year 5 and Year 6 Senior building ZOL (Zone of Learning)

Literacy and Numeracy evening

Next Tuesday, we have an information session for Years 1-6 parents about supporting your child's literacy and numeracy at home. It is a great opportunity to learn more about how you can assist your child's learning at home in a fun way. Information will be presented by our Numeracy Leader teacher Courtney Gibson and our Literacy Learning Specialist teacher Ashlea Cahir.

Session details:

Date: Tuesday May 14th Time: 5:00 - 6:00 pm Venue - School library

We are using the booking system CompassTix. Please use the link below to register for this free event and to receive your ticket. Alternatively, you can copy the link below and paste it into Google Chrome.

https://compasstix.com/e/b5y8yxwem5

Lunchtime Clubs

We provide quite an extensive list of lunchtime clubs and support programs for our students which are based on their interests and needs. These programs include: Happy POD, Library, Drawing Club, Singing Club, Running Club, Kayo Club and more. Parents might want to speak to their child about attending one of these during the week.



LUNCHTIME ACTIVITIES - Term 2

DAY	TIME	CLUB	LEVEL	LOCATION	STAFF MEMBER/S
MONDAY	10:40-11:10 Recess	RELAXING DRAWING	F-6	Year 3 Area	MRS. FOEHN
MONDAY	1:00 - 1:30	HAPPY POD	F-6	Library	MRS. MILLER MRS. MADDER
MONDAY	1:00 - 1:30	SOCIAL GAMES CLUB	F-6	5KH	MS. HORNSBY
MONDAY	1:00 - 1:30	BLUE COURT SPORT	3-6	Blue Court	YEAR 6 / YD Teacher
MONDAY	1:00 - 1:30	CODING CLUB (NEW)	4-6	Year 5 ZOL	MR. PARKER
TUESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	SING SQUAD	3-6	Music Room	MRS. GROLLMAN MRS. MILLER
TUESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	GREEN SCREEN	5	2EB - Portable 6	MS. BUCKLEY
TUESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	LEADERSHIP CLUB	6	Year 6 ZOL	MRS. MILES
TUESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	DANCE MONKEYS	1	Year 1 Area	MRS. CUTHBERTSON MRS. HOLZER
TUESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	RUBIK'S CUBE CLUB (NEW)	F-6	6DB	BRODIE WOOSTER/MRS. BROWN
WEDNESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	HAPPY POD	F-6	Library	MRS. MADDER MRS. MILLER
WEDNESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	BLUE COURT SPORT	3-6	Blue Court	YEAR 6 / YD Teacher
WEDNESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	DRAWING CLUB	F-6	Art Room	MRS. FLACK
WEDNESDAY	1:00 - 1:30	STEM CLUB (NEW)	F-2	STEM Room	MRS. THOMAS
WEDNESDAY	1:00-1:30	LEGO CLUB (NEW)	3-6	Year 4 Area	YEAR 4 TEAM
THURSDAY	8:30 - 8:50	RUNNING CLUB	F-6	Oval/Gym	MRS. MILES
THURSDAY	1:00 - 1:30	PUZZLE CLUB	F-6	6JH - Year 6	MRS. HODGSON
THURSDAY	1:00 - 1:30	HAPPY POD	F-6	Library	MRS. MORABITO MRS. MILLER
THURSDAY	1:00 - 1:30	DANCE MONKEYS	1	Year 1 Area	MRS. HOLZER MRS. CUTHBERTSON
THURSDAY	1:00 - 1:30	KAYO SPORTS (NEW)	F-6	Year 6 ZOL	PRINCIPAL TEAM
FRIDAY	10:40 - 11:10 Recess	HAPPY POD	F-6	Library	MRS. MORABITO MRS. MADDER
FRIDAY	1:00 - 1:30	GUITAR CLUB (NEW)	5-6	Music Room/Gym	MR. PIETERS / MR. BAKER
FRIDAY	1:00 - 1:30	DAVID ATTENBOROUGH CLUB	F-6	5кн	MS. HORNSBY
FRIDAY	1:00 - 1:30	SENIOR BAND	6	Gym Stage	MRS. GROLLMAN
FRIDAY	1:00 - 1:30	BLUE COURT SPORT	3-6	Blue Court	YEAR 6 / YD Teacher
FRIDAY	1:00 - 1:30	CARTOON DRAWING	2-6	3C/S-Portable 7	MRS. CAHIR

Lego Donations

I'd like to express our gratitude for the overwhelming response we've had from families in terms of Lego donations. Lego and Duplo have been steadily coming in since the start of the term to support our new Lego Club, which takes place each Wednesday. The more Lego we have, the more students we can have involved. Thank you to the Osborne community for the ongoing support.

Parking fine

I've been informed that parents have received parking infringement notices while waiting in line in the turning circle on Dunns Road. Please know that we share your concerns regarding the fines issued by the council in this area. Unfortunately, as a school, we have no control over when council inspectors patrol the roads surrounding our school. However, we believe it is unfair that parents have been fined for queuing in the turning circle. Each time this happens, we call the council and discuss the purpose of this turning circle and that parents shouldn't be fined.

I encourage parents to appeal their infringement notices. In your appeal, consider including the following statements:

- Your vehicle was queued in a line of traffic
- At no time did a passenger enter or exit the vehicle

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me if you'd like to discuss this.

Kind Regards, Brett Miller Principal

SAKG NEWS

Over the past fortnight, the Year 3 and 4 students have been busy baking ANZAC biscuits. They cooked extra biscuits to share with those who have provided donations to assist the running of our Kitchen and Garden Programs. We received a lovely message and photo from the staff at Woolworths Benton Square, who thoroughly enjoyed the baked goods!



Morning Karen,

Just wanted to say thank you too you and the grade 3 & 4's for gifting us the Anzac Day Cookies, well done to you all they were delicious, happy to take them all baking in our bakery when they are older.

Look forward to further supporting the school in future events.

Best Regards

Daniel Exton, Woolworths

A big thank you to all our kitchen and Garden volunteers, including Bunnings and Woolworths Benton Square.







STEM NEWS

We have had an overwhelming response to our Spotlight on STEM Showcase and it has been fantastic to see so many students, from a range of year levels, choosing to participate. We can't wait to see what our students come up with.

We would like to thank Farrells & Toy World in Mornington for their generous donation of STEM Showcase Prizes, which will be presented at next week's assembly (17th May)

On the following page is some important information regarding our Showcase and Open Afternoon which will be held on Wednesday 15th May.





EDUCATION WEEK

OPEN

AFTERNOON

WEDNESDAY 15TH MAY 2024

2:00 PM - 2:50 PM



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Fresh from the garden: Pumpkin, Silver beet

Equipment:

Large pot/Wok/deep fry pan

Wooden spoon

Measuring spoons

Measuring cups

Knife

Chopping board

Non slip mat

Ingredients:

1tbs vegetable oil

1 brown onion chapped

450g pumpkin, peeled, cut into 2cm

cubes

2 tsp/ 2 gloves garlic

2 1/2 tsp ground cumin

ıtsp garam masala

2 cups vegetable stock

400g can diced tomato

400g can chickpeas rinsed and

drained

1 cup baby spinach/ chopped silver

beet

1/4 cup coriander chopped

1/2 cup Greek yoghurt (optional)

What to do:

- 1. Heat oil in pan, cook onion, stirring 2-3 mins or softened
- 2. Add garlic, spices and pumpkin. Cook stirring for 1 min.
- 3. Add stock and tomato. Bring to the boil.
- 4. Reduce heat and simmer, uncovered for 10 mins.
- 5. Add chickpea and simmer a further 10 mins until pumpkin is just tender.
- 6. Add coriander and season with salt and pepper.
- 7. Serve in bowls
- 8. Optional top with yoghurt and additional coriander

Notes:

Freeze cooled curry (without yoghurt) for up to one month.