INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS WIN

What a triumph it was to win the Inter-school Athletics Carnival! We have worked hard to improve our fitness through

- Twice a week Cross Country running
- Running Club each Thursday morning before school
- Morning Fitness for each class every day
- Team Games training
- Phys Ed skills lessons all year

Congratulations to all of our students who consistently showed a great attitude, displayed great sportsmanship and very importantly lived our school value Do your best. We are very proud of you all.

We finished in Outright First Place, with a huge 94 point lead over our nearest competitors Takari Primary School. We also finished 175 points ahead in the Meritorious Shield (which includes Handicap Points based on school size). As it is not possible to win both shields, this was awarded to Balcatta Primary School.

Thank you so much to every member of staff for their help in training our teams and for the specific jobs you fulfilled on the day. Everything ran so smoothly because everyone did their job so well. We would like to say thank you the P&C for running the wonderful Snack Station and to all the parents who contributed to that. Of course the Inter-school Athletics Carnival needs overall organisation and again we say a big well done to Mrs Allison McAuliffe and Mrs Letty Stasev for the detailed planning of this wonderful day.

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A great effort by a great team!

SPORTS NEWS

I am so proud of all the children who competed in the Inter-school Athletics Carnival last week. Your commitment to training has been outstanding and I was particularly impressed with the wonderful displays of sportsmanship that you showed towards children from other schools. You thoroughly deserved to win the Carnival! Congratulations to you all.
A big thank you also to all the teachers who organised teams, assisted in training the children, and helped during the carnivals. Enjoy your holidays, stay fit and healthy and see you next term.

Allison McAuliffe
Physical Education Teacher

**KINDY CLASS REPORT**
What a fantastic term we have had in Kindy. We have been working hard to develop our Oral Language by telling *News* once a week and also with weekly school library sessions. Transport has been a great fun topic for us to learn about and has given us lots of scope to work on our counting skills as well as other areas of the curriculum. We have learned how to make & read a graph this term, compared weights of objects and became master builders in the block corner. We finished the term designing our own *City Skyline* and our designs are so good that we are going to enter them in the Osborne Show next term! Have a great holiday!

**PRE-PRIMARY/YEAR 1 CLASS REPORT**
What a fantastic term it has been. The children have really enjoyed taking home their new home readers this term, and we are seeing great improvement in their reading and decoding skills. Next term we will be starting our tricky word lists. Wishing you all a safe and happy break. See you in the new term.

**PRE-PRIMARY 2 CLASS REPORT**
We are all about camping in the Pre Primary this week! The children are really enjoying the new home corner area as they go *Fishing* and enjoy a chat and a meal around the cellophane *Camp Fire*. The children are working really well in the new writing corner and have been writing some beautiful letters and cards for each other and their families.

We want to congratulate the year 1 students on their participation in the Inter-school Carnival last week! They were all fantastic in their events and did a great job as part of the Osborne PS cheer squad. Have a wonderful holiday everyone and we will see you next term.

**YEAR 1 CLASS REPORT**
The children have been learning about Biology. They all have their own individual plants. We are measuring the growth patterns of their corn seedlings. These measurements are to scale. Daisy’s seedling appears not to have grown yet, so she has taken Mrs Scholz’s plant. All seedlings are steadily growing, some faster than others. The children have learned about *seed dispersal* by wind and animals. Ask them about it and test their expertise. Term 3 maths tests were sent home this week for parents to view and discuss with their child. *Swimming lessons begin on the first day back.*

Please dress children in their normal school clothes and place towel, goggles and bathers and thongs in a plastic bag as these will be wet on the return home. Please make sure you have labelled all school clothes and swimming pool items as items are easily misplaced.

**YEAR 2 CLASS REPORT**
Congratulations to all the students at the Interschool Athletics Carnival. Although we didn’t see many races, I hear that our room 2 children performed really well. Certainly, those who stayed behind with me were beautifully behaved and thoroughly enjoyed re-visiting Pre Primary to play. They especially enjoyed the obstacle course!

Our plants are getting bigger all the time and coping with the spring sunshine. The children are rostered to water them each afternoon. Please keep an eye on them over the holidays and water if you happen to be at school. With the weather getting warmer please ensure the children bring their water bottles to school everyday!
YEAR 3 CLASS REPORT
Term 3 is drawing to a close and the year 3 class are looking forward to a well-deserved rest. Our favourite things this term were the Peter Combe incursion, the Book Week parade and Jumping Jack Flash. We were so excited when Osborne won the carnival last Friday. We also completed a great deal of work within the class and are looking forward to another busy and exciting time next term.

YEAR 4 CLASS REPORT
In Science we have been researching an animal, specifically a vertebrate, using the World Book website. The students then had to navigate the computer to find additional appropriate sites which had information they could include in their report. We are in the process of writing the report and will have it published by the end of term. In Maths we have completed tests on volume and area and are now looking at subtraction of large numbers with carrying or trading. In Guided Reading all groups will be finished their book by Thursday so they can start a brand new book in week one of next term. The homework for Guided Reading is important because it is discussed within the group before moving on to the next chapter.

We have planted seedlings in the garden and we are using our Worm Wee to promote their growth and development...so hopefully we can have something edible from the garden later next term. Have a safe and happy break. Students should remember to bring bathers, swimming goggles and towel for swimming lessons which will start on day one of next term.

YEAR 5/6 CLASS REPORT
We have spent some time designing and collating a survey on Computer Use at Home for students in years one to six. We asked three questions:
- How do you use the computer at home?
- When do you use the computer at home?
- How long on average do you spend on the computer?

We have finally graphed all our results and have made some interesting observations:
Only 12 students in years one to six don’t have access to a computer at home.
The majority of the year four to year six students spend three hours or more on the computer each day.
Time spent on the computer spikes on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.
The most popular use of computers is for games.
A high number of all year levels use the computer to be a part of social media sites.
We are now writing up our reports on the survey. Please feel free to come and have a look at the graphs on display in our classroom. They show some interesting (and surprising) results!

Talent Show
The Student Councillors will be organising the Osborne Primary’s Got Talent show next term. Students can enter as a solo act or part of a group. Acts are to be no longer than two mins. Auditions will be held during lunchtimes in week three with the Grand Finale to be held at a Student Council assembly towards the end of the year. If you are interested, give your name to the Student Councillors next term.

MUSIC NEWS
In music this fortnight our junior students are learning about Dynamics—the loud and softs in music. They have sung, moved and conducted their class using Forte and Piano dynamics. Recorder students are working hard to get to their next belt level and the years Five to Six have begun to play a new piece of the Xylophone.
The winners of the Grammy Award are Year Two, congratulations.
MATH QUIZ

Math Quiz Answers:

1. A 20cm  
2. D $3.35  
3. E  
4. E Friday  
5. 14 minutes  
6. 5 runners

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P&C NEWS

Thank you to everyone who donated cakes, quiche etc. to our Snack Stations at the Athletics Carnivals. We were able to raise nearly $800 which will go towards Edu Dance next term.

One of our sponsors for the Quiz Night, Kidsland Indoor Playground on Walcott Street, is having a special Magician show. If you mention Osborne Primary School you can buy four tickets for the price of three. This would be a fun way to end the term....maybe you can get a few class mates together and go along.

The Quiz Night is coming up very soon. We would like to get tables together of parents from each classroom...if you are able to organise a table for your class can you send an email to osbornepandc@gmail.com and let us know. Tables for friends, neighbours and family are also available.

Register your interest via email. We are still open to donations for prizes on the night. We will be displaying our generous sponsors on the P&C noticeboard next term.

Have a great holiday
Carole Shaw and the P&C team.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Osborne Primary School Family run Playgroup

When: Commencing Monday 19th October (week 2 of term), 9-10:30am for a 3 week trial

Who: Children 0-4yrs and their families

Where: Music room, Osborne Primary School

At playgroup you can come and have fun playing with your child, meet other parents, and your child can become familiar with the school environment ready for future years.

Tiny Tots Tennis and West Coast Tennis Academy

Has your child tried Tennis? If your child is aged between 3-13 and interested in a FREE trial lesson, please contact Daniel on 9243 8405 or email daniel@westcoasttennis.com.au Lessons conducted at UWA Tennis Club in Mt Claremont, Carine, Innaloo and Floreat.
I-2-3 Magic and Emotion Coaching Parent Course.
To help manage difficult behaviour in children 2 to 12 yrs.
All 7 to 9.30pm.
**WEMBLEY $180pp or $340 per couple**
Tue 29th Sept, Thurs 1st & Thurs 8th Oct (2 to 12 yrs)
Wed 14th, 21st & 28th Oct (2 to 5yrs)
Wed 4th, 11th & 18th Nov (2 to 12 yrs)

The following are available as ‘In House’ courses.
**Parenting Information Session (Including 10 take home tips)**
This 2 hr seminar is designed to improve your knowledge and confidence as a parent.
**Bullying – Don’t Just Stand There**
**Protective Behaviours.**
**Engaging Adolescents (11 to 16yo)**

Private Consultations Available.
To enquire/register call 9382 1182 or go to [www.behaviourtionics.com.au](http://www.behaviourtionics.com.au)

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**Osborne Primary P&C Nature Play fundraising**

**QUIZ NIGHT**

**FRIDAY 23RD OCTOBER**

Osborne Primary Assembly Area
Doors open from 6.30pm for a 7pm start.
Prizes/Silent Auction on the night include
Dinner Vouchers, Parliamentary dinner, Wine,
Kidsland Birthday party package
BYO snacks.
Drinks available for purchase.
Bring some extra money along for games and silent auctions on the night.
Price: $15.00 a ticket. Tables of 6-8.
Tickets Available Friday 25th September.
Limited number available.
Register interest via email only at [osbornepandc@gmail.com](mailto:osbornepandc@gmail.com)
Tickets available during holidays-contact Sarah on 0424480400
Or purchase before/after school at the beginning of Term 4.
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