Friday 11 March 2016

School Assembly
Congratulations to the Year 5/6 class on a wonderful assembly. They presented several Safety skits which are a great reminder to students to keep safe. This was followed by a Safety song which introduced many more safety tips.

School Photos
Academy Photography will be at the school on Monday, 4 April to take the school photos for PP - Year 6 students. We will be starting first thing in the morning, therefore, students must be at school before 8.45am so they don’t miss out on their class photo. Please ensure your child is dressed in school uniform.
All information about ordering is on the Photo Envelope which has been sent home today. The envelopes have a bar code with your child’s specific information.
**ALL envelopes must be returned to school by Wednesday, 30 March** - whether you are ordering a photo or not.

NB: Kindy have organised their own photo day.

NAPLAN Testing
NAPLAN testing for Year 3 and Year 5 students will be in Week 3 of Term 2.
The 2016 Information for Parents pamphlets have been sent home with Year 3 and Year 5 students today.

Swimming Lessons
This was the first year the Pre-primary students attended with the rest of the school and their teachers are very proud of them. The Year 5/6 students should be commended on the way they accompanied and took care of their buddies to and from swimming lessons.

All students had a wonderful time and were exceptionally well behaved. Congratulations to you all on your excellent behaviour.

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**IMPORTANT DATES**

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Tiqbiz
Everybody is using the Tiqbiz App! It’s the easiest way for us to keep in touch. We can communicate with you quickly on your phone and you can communicate with us too! You can submit absences, send messages to your teacher and if there are any changes at school we can notify you. You can even read your newsletter on your phone too! It’s free and it’s available from your app store right now! Download Tiqbiz today!

Harmony Day - Helpers Needed
Harmony Day is on Tuesday 22nd March. The school has a tabloid rotation of activities before and after our whole school shared lunch.
The Room 2 class will be offering Henna Painting and we would appreciate some help. If you are able to come into the classroom to create some henna designs on the students either before or after lunch, please come and see me in Room 2 ASAP so that I can organise this activity.
Thank you.
Ruth Dorrington
Room 2 Teacher

KINDY CLASS REPORT
This week, the topic we have been learning about is Under the Sea. The children have had fun fishing in the clam shell and looking at the different animals that live in the ocean. We have made a Starfish and learnt that Starfish have five arms. We have also collaged a large Blue Octopus, a Green Turtle and made yellow jelly. We have also been learning about shapes and colours. We have looked at a Green Triangle, a Red Rectangle and a Yellow Star.

PRE-PRIMARY CLASS REPORT
The last two weeks have been a busy but fun-filled time for Pre-primary. Students have been engaged with a variety of enjoyable and educational activities focused around Jolly Phonics sounds. These have included constructing a K kite, making cracked E eggs and creating H heart shaped tracing. In Numeracy we have introduced the numbers in the tens and continue to count towards our 100 days of school.
There is also a focus on Students and Social Skills, - learning to share and cooperating with each other by opening up and playing in our classroom café. Lastly, congratulations to Mrs Taggart who has been requested to speak at a workshop about her involvement with the environmental program Waste Wise and Osborne Primary School.

YEAR 1 CLASS REPORT
The Year One Class is learning to get dressed and undressed from swimming lessons very quickly now! Parents you should be impressed. Today is the final day of swimming lessons. The children will be given swimming certificates which will let parents know the skills your child has achieved and those skills which the child will still need to work on in order to reach the next level. Classes will return to normal on Monday. We will resume our afternoon sessions with Literature Studies, History, Science, Health and Physical Education.

YEAR 2 CLASS REPORT
Miss Pittard and I have been very pleased with how well the children are managing swimming lessons. They are getting better at bringing their Crunch and Sip each day, which we have at 2pm. Parents, please send only fruit or vegetables - yoghurt is too messy for the classroom and new carpet! There are still some children without their basic school supplies like folders and scrapbooks. Please check with staff if you are unsure what your child needs. We are looking forward to getting back to our usual program next week!

YEAR 3 CLASS REPORT
The Year 3 students have been thoroughly enjoying their swimming lessons over the past fortnight and have coped well with all the changes to our normal school timetable. In Mathematics, we have been identifying Acute, Obtuse and Right angles in our environment and have started investigating how to flip, slide and turn 2D shapes.
In Writing, we have been continuing on with our persuasive arguments and have also started a Narrative Story about an Alien who comes to visit us at school.
Well done to those students who have been completing all their homework each week. We are proud of you. Homework is handed out each Monday and needs to be completed and returned on Friday.
YEAR 4 CLASS REPORT
This week, Year 4 has completed a number of tests on Representing and Ordering numbers into the 10,000’s and also on converting Written Numbers to Numerals and applying Place Value knowledge to solve problems. We will be moving on to adding and subtracting numbers when given a Horizontal Algorithm, with Trading and Non Trading. We have looked at what makes a good Narrative and had to listen to an audio tape about Cinderella and retell it using the structure of a Narrative. We have been reading a number of texts and have been using five explicit comprehension strategies to make sense of what we read. These five are Sequencing, Main Idea, Cause and Effect, Compare and Contrast and Fact and Opinion. Most people are completing their online homework. Keep it up as the computer marks the work immediately.

Worm Wee for Sale
The school has bottles of wonderful Worm Wee available for sale. This is a terrific fertilizer for your garden and is produced by the students as part of our environmental science Waste Wise program. It is a by product of our Worm Farm and can be purchased at assemblies at a cost of $1 per bottle. Try some - your garden will thank you for it.

YEAR 5/6 CLASS REPORT
In Science we have been studying Light and Shadow, which we are finding really interesting. We have been discussing different points of view and the advantages and disadvantages of Federation in History. We then created eye-catching posters which are on display in our classroom. In Math we are moving on to studying Distance and Weight. We have also had a lot of fun painting skeletons for our assembly item. These were then hung in the undercover area so that everyone could see them during our wonderful Assembly Item on Safety.

Malisha (Yr 5) and Fatema (Yr 6)

MATH QUIZ
Congratulations winners! Remember to come and get your prize over the next two weeks from Ms Lane in room 8.
1 Correct: Bileigh (room 7)
2 Correct: Simra & Jot (room7)
3 Correct: Milli (room 8) & Moon (room 9)
4 Correct: Kaiser (room2)
5 Correct: Lilli P(room 8), Karan & Arya (room 9), Purva (room2) 7Sierrah,Caesar, Grace, Prachi & Ayah (room 1)
6 Correct: Aan (room 2), Penny, Wesley, Fahad, Malisha & Farah (room 1)

P&C NEWS
We have had our first meeting of the year and it was great to see some new faces. Our Annual General Meeting has been rescheduled to Term 2 as a number of people have given their apologies for the meeting that was planned for next week. This will also allow for the return of our treasurer who is away overseas.
At my children’s previous school we used to have a morning tea which was put on by the parents of the class who were performing at assembly. I am considering whether this would work at our school. If you like this idea could you let me know and I will work on getting it implemented.
Ouronlinecanteen.com.au continue to supply lunches to our school on Fridays. If you would like to order then you will need to register on their web page.
Thank you to parents who have paid their $25 P & C levy at the start of the year. Payments can still be made using the silver box in the office.

Parking Inspectors regularly patrol around the school. Be sure to observe all verge side parking signs to avoid receiving a hefty fine.

Carole Shaw and the P and C team
Osbornepando@gmail.com
### Merit Award | Values Award
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**Music** | Grammy Award - Year 1
James Ornket and Cleo Scott | Vincent Pre

**Pre Primary** | 
Charmaine Levendi and Kavya Shastri | Alexander Antic

**Year 1** | 
Sidh Raval and Imogen Dyson | Drukdra Pelzang

**Year 2** | 
Lilli Peters, James Orknet and Amy Zhou | 

**Year 3** | 
Annabelle Wachmer and David Levendi | Jack Ruaya

**Year 4** | 
Denver Scott and Rhoea Gonzales | Purva Patel

**Year 5/6** | 
Sue Kaeoin and Cathal Barrett | Caesar Htat

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