

Oberon Primary Post Issue
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OBERON PRIMARY POST

A MESSAGE BY MR. MCCOOMBE

Dear Famillies,

Oberon has been a busy and exciting place over the last few weeks, with our students focusing on their learning in the classroom, whilst taking advantage of some terrific opportunities to learn and grow outside of the school grounds.

Opening of the bottom playground – Our new bottom playground has been a hit with the students, making it a very popular spot during recess and lunch. Whether it's utilising the space to run and play, taking a friend down the tandem slide, or challenging themselves on the climbing frame, it has been wonderful watching our students make the most of it!

District Athletics – Team Oberon certainly looked and acted the part as they competed at the district athletics last Thursday. Our students should be congratulated not only on their efforts and achievements, but also their attitude towards doing their personal best on the day.



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DATES FOR THE DIARY

Term 3:
August:
19th - Grade 6 Photos
19th - Prep Farm Excursion
20th - Special Lunch Order
21st - Assembly (2:45pm)
24th - Book Week begins
26th - Parents & Friends Meeting (2:30pm)
28th - Book Week Parade (9:05am)

September:
4th - Father's Day Breakfast
10th - School Disco
11th - Student Free Day (NO STUDENTS)
17th - ½ Sleepover
18th - Morning Assembly (9:05am)
18th - Last day of Term / Footy Colours (2:30pm Finish)



I acknowledge the Wadawurrung people as the traditional owners of the land. I pay my respects to Elders past, present and emerging, and acknowledge Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders as the first people of Australia.



The support they showed for each other was very clear, which is such a strength of our students here at Oberon. A big thank you to Andy Thornton, our PE teacher, for her work behind the scenes!

Marine Discovery Centre Excursion – On Monday, our 3/4 students participated in an excursion at the Marine Discovery Centre to build connections to their integrated topic, Marine Mania. From all reports our students were thoroughly engaged in the presentations both at the Discovery Centre and as part of their beachcombing activity.

Scienceworks Excursion – Our 1/2s are off to Scienceworks today! We look forward to hearing what their highlights have been. I'm sure visiting the planetarium will be one of them!

Curriculum Day – Oberon's curriculum day last Friday was a terrific opportunity for our teaching and education support staff to work together to strengthen our teaching and learning across the school. The morning was spent hearing from each year level about their teaching practices, all closely linked to the Victorian Teaching and Learning Model 2.0. Watching our passionate teachers present and then reflect on their collective teaching practices was inspiring. We are so lucky at Oberon to have a team of dedicated staff who are leading the way in promoting and utilising effective teaching practices. Our Education Support staff connected with staff at Newtown PS, to learn more about the functions of behaviour and how we can continue to support our students. I'd like to thank Shilo Stewart, our Learning Specialist, for creating such a purposeful day and Annalise Cooper, our Inclusive Practice Leader, who prepared and presented an extremely informative session.

Maths Competition – A big congratulations to our students who participated in the maths competition last week. To see so many students embracing the challenge and demonstrating the right attitude to problem solving is a credit both to the environment families have created at home and to the learning environment our teachers and education support staff promote at school.

Trivia Night – Our Trivia Night is here! The opportunity to get together this Saturday, paired with some healthy competition makes the night such a wonderful event. The Trivia sub-committee have spent countless hours preparing for the night, including the silent auction, for which we are extremely grateful for.

Have a terrific weekend and be sure to keep an eye on the staff table to ensure they are living up to the Oberon gr8 values of 'fair and trustworthy' and 'knowledgeable' on Saturday night!

Stu McCoombe

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Pyjama Day





Well done to everyone involved at OPS for helping raise $180 for Dolly's Dream and $254 through our PJ Day! 🙂



NEW PLAYGROUND



















¾ Queenscliff Excursion




















3-6 DISTRICT ATHS DAY















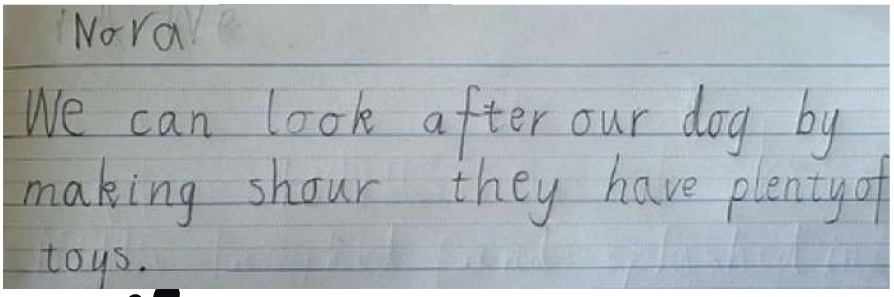


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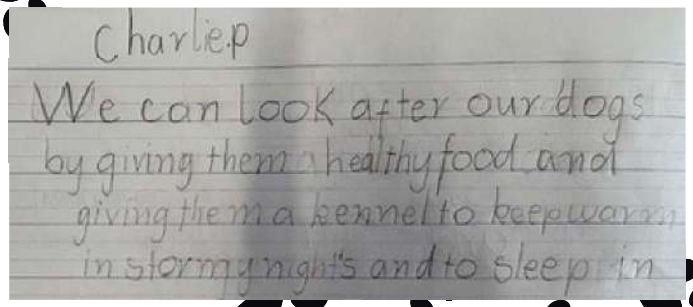
Prep & Grade 1/2











Felix M

Dont stair at a dog because thats how they show that there angry and fruitraited and thats where dog respect comes in. If your walking in the street and a dog walks up to you and you dont no what to do first put your hands straight by your side put your head down after you think its gone put your head up take three steps back and look around once more.And thats how to be safe with dogs.















Rnairi

Dogs need toys so they dont dig up the garden.

Oberon Primary School

Book Week–Symphony of Stories

August 22nd-
August 28th



Activities:

- Listen to stories from different teachers
- **Wednesday:** Multi-age Book Activities 11:30–1:30 (Read & Create!)
- Friday: Book Week Parade at 9:05 AM
- Guess the Teacher's Favorite Children's Book
- Buddy Reading
- Where's Wally Hunt
- BOOK FAIR - Monday-Friday 3.15-4.00 each day in the Library

By : One Hand



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