

Oxley Vale Public School

A quality education in a caring and innovative environment

MESSENGER



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Oxley Vale Public School acknowledges that the school is built upon the traditional lands of the Gomeroi/Kamilaroi people. We pay our respects to the Elders both past and present and ask for guidance and wisdom as we work towards improving educational outcomes for all our children.

Term 2 Week 6

3rd June, 2014

Principal's Message

Last week's PBL assembly was fantastic. It was a very proud day for staff and students here at OVPS. It was so wonderful to see so many people supporting our students and being part of them celebrating their achievements. I look forward to the next PBL assembly, Thursday 26th June, Week 9.

PBL Value: Respect

This week's value is RESPECT. Respect is defined as a feeling of deep admiration for someone or something elicited by their abilities, qualities, or achievements. Respect can be both given and received. Respect is another one of our important school values that we, staff and students at OVPS take great pride in exhibiting towards others and towards ourselves.

P&C News

The P&C supports the school in a variety of ways often through fund raising activities, running the school canteen and clothing pool. We are also the point of call for the parent voice of the school. If you would like to be involved in one or all of these activities all you need to do is join us at a P&C meeting. The P&C meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm at the school. The meeting is facilitated by the President or Vice President, the Principal reads his report,

reports are given by the treasurer, canteen treasurer, fundraising and clothing pool volunteers. Then we have the opportunity to discuss upcoming events for the school and P&C. I hope to see you all at the next meeting.

Kim Smart
Vice President

Year 5 Science "Matter Matters!"

5M are thoroughly enjoying their science experiments on the states of matter—solids, liquids and gases. This is one of our experiments where we mixed sugar, food colouring and water together to form a blue liquid. We put this in the sun for a week. Look what happened.



The heat energy of the sun evaporated the liquid, leaving coloured sugar crystals.

Mrs O'Neill

Library News

Book club orders were sent home last week and are due back by the 11th June. Please place your order and money in an envelope clearly

Upcoming Events

Wednesday 4th June

ICAS Competition
Science Yr 2 - 6

Monday 9th June

Public Holiday

Wednesday 11th June

Athletics Carnival

Friday 13th June

Regional Cross Country
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Monday 16th June

ICAS Competition
Writing Yr 3 - 6

Tuesday 17th June

ICAS Competition
Spelling Yr 3 - 6

Friday 27th June

NAIDOC Tabloid Sport Day

Friday 27th June

Last Day Term 2

marked with your child's name and class. Children are to take these directly to the office.

Respect rewards this week were finger knitting. What fun! Thank you so much Ella, Bella, Mel, Cassie, Billy and Amity for teaching the group.

Mrs O'Neill



School Photos Term 3, Week 1

School photos will be taken Thursday 17th July.

Students are to wear **FULL winter school uniform**.

Photo envelopes will be distributed in the coming weeks.

Voluntary Contributions

Every year schools send out information regarding the voluntary contributions, otherwise known as school fees. These contributions go towards providing valuable resources to assist students with their learning needs.

We are asking families to pay their voluntary contributions as soon as possible to allow for planning the purchase of resources. Yellow general contribution envelopes went home some weeks ago, please return to front office or classroom teacher. Individual student fees are \$55 and the contribution for a family of 2 or more students is \$90. Your support with these contributions is very much appreciated.

Reminder

Aussie Bush Camp 2nd instalment of \$100 was due last Friday. Also Band fees are due for Term 2.

These can be made payable via the classroom teacher.



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PBL ASSEMBLY AWARD WINNERS

Bronze

K-6P—William Jones, Jason Cook

KM—Laci Leslie, Levi Brown, Riley Curry, Tyran Hughes, Levi Mannion, Bailey Woods

KP—Harper Barker, Myah Meek, Jessica Pallot, Risha Pierce, Madison Sands-Green, Shakyrah White, Riley Broderick, Levi Cullen, David Field, Denis West

1C—Ellie Webster, Ben Browning, Blair Collins, Rhys Hanson, Dylan Hopwood-Young, Bayley Taymor

1E—Lily Heap, Dakota Hughes, Bianca Thompson, Paige Washington, Kathy Huang, Anthony Nicholls-Daley

1R—Savanna Brennan, Elisha Broderick, Miley Browning, Rhiannon Downey, Krystle Grzazek-Cross, Maggie Kemp, Abbey Reeves-Britz, Brae Cocking, Harry Gill, Bailey Harpur

2T—Maddison Higginson, Abbey Kelly, Emeline McCullough, Eva Scherf Taleea Wynne, Cooper Day, Braiden Muller, Riley Newton, Jesse Sylvester

2W—Chelsea McDonald, Brianna Moss, Jack Ellis

3/4E—Martina Chapman, Chloe Harpur, Caleb Griffiths, Luke Gurney, Connor Martin, Duran Graham, Liam McKillop, Daniel Myhill, Cody Sheridan, Hayden White

3S—Laila Browning, Shanieka Dewson, Paige Meek, Chanelle Squires, Sarah Turner, Nina Huang, Brady Hopwood-Young, Cameron Rake, Benjamin Trembath

4E—Shakaya Barber, Emma Gray, Alkira McGrady,

Tarly Olsen, Jarmarnus Geale, Jameson Madams, James Mallise, Jack Morris, John Renton, Ethan Woods

5/6S—Piper Death, Layla Klein, Georgia MacAlpine, Madison MacAlpine, Lily Pinchen, Hannah Woods, Connor O'Neil, Nikkita Barber, Dahria Burton, Chelsie Grant, Angelina Honess, Joshua Strong, Hayden Todd

5M—Amber Dawson, Montanna Ellard, Dani Penfold, Katelyn White, Jake Booby, Oseias Gois, Cody Howarth, Cooper Kemp, Hunter Mann-Barber, Hugh Morris, Felix Peake, Jack Wiseman

6L—Allana Carrick, Hannah Griffiths, Kaylah Higginson, Jada Ison, Brandon McManus, Troy Smart, Jack Williams

Silver

1E—Colby Jeffery, Harry Pinchen

2T—Bryce Rampling, Kirk Schimann

2W—Zoe Hartigan

3/4E—Ella Davidson, Lane Pittman, Kye Sharp, Alannah Klease, Charlee Marshall, Trista Thompson, Jai Thompson

4E—Chloe Dimer, Abigail Schimann, Jack Morris

5M—Azalea Dewson, Sarah Gill, Alira MacApline, Courtney Trembath, Danny Davidson, Mathew Peel

KP—Ryan Blanch

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