



SUNBURY HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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SCHOOLNOTES

Notes that have gone home this week

- Sausage Sizzle Lunch Order Form
 - 2017 Prep – Transition Letter to parents
 - G5/6 Interschools Rugby Gala Day Letter
- If any of these notes are relevant to your child/ren and you have not received a copy, please get a copy from the school office.*

October

Sat 22 nd – Sun 30 th	Children's Week 2016
Tues 25 th	Whole School – Sausage Sizzle Lunch
Wed 26 th	G5/6 – Rugby Gala Day
Fri 28 th	Whole School - Casual Clothes Day Whole School – Halloween Disco (Details to follow)
Mon 31 st	Whole School – CURRICULUM 'Pupil Free' DAY
November	
Tues 1 st	Whole School - Melbourne Cup HOLIDAY
Thurs 10 th	Prep – Aquarium & Beach Excursion
Mon 14 th	School Council (6.30pm)
Tues 15 th	Whole School - WW1 Puppet Show Incursion
Wed 16 th	2017 Prep – Transition Afternoon
Tues 22 nd	G1/2 - Fairytale Incursion G5 – Show Off Exhibition @ Sunbury College
Wed 23 rd	2017 Prep – Transition Afternoon
Fri 25 th	Whole School - Casual Clothes Day
December	
Thurs 1 st	G3/4 - Docklands Excursion
Tues 6 th	Whole School - Transition
Fri 9 th	G5 – Bendigo Golden Dragon Museum Excursion
Mon 12 th	Junior School - Concert
Tues 13 th	Whole School – CURRICULUM 'Pupil Free' DAY School Council (6.30pm)
Thurs 15 th	G6 - Graduation
Tues 20 th	Whole School - Casual Clothes Day END OF TERM – Early Dismissal – HOLIDAYS!



Tuesday 25th October 2016

LAST DAY FOR ORDERS
Friday 21st October 2016

CASH PAYMENTS ONLY.
LATE ORDERS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.
NO OTHER LUNCH ORDERS ON THIS DAY.

NEWS AND INFORMATION

It is hard to believe we are already well into Term 4 and dare I say it, the end of the year and Christmas will be here soon!

Term 4 is always a hard term for students and staff and we ask that parents are mindful of this. Lots is packed into this term from preparing your child for the next stage in their education as well as making sure it is a fun term with lots of exciting excursions. Students are also tired as the year comes to a close, and we take this into consideration when planning the term.

Within in the next couple of weeks we will be finalising the fees for 2017. Please can I remind parents who have not yet paid their outstanding fees that we offer a range of payments, including CentrePay where payments are made from you benefits before you receive them. This is a great way to keep on top of your fees and ensures that you do not have a large amount remaining unpaid at the end of the year. We understand that it is not easy to pay fees all at once, this is why we encourage families to make regular payments on their account. Myself, Karen Cocks, Sharon Ramunno or Jo in the office are more than happy to discuss payment options with you.

Year One - Old Toy Incursion

This term, the grade one students are looking at the history of toys, comparing the differences in toys from the past and present. On Monday the grade one classes had a visit from Karen Ralph who has collected many different and intriguing toys over the years. The toys that were presented ranged from 20 to 100 years old.

Students had the opportunity to see a 100-year-old doll, a ship that was made from a kettle, a string puppet, a billy cart and many more classic items.

Students were fascinated when shown that the game 'Pick Up Sticks' was originally played using twigs from trees rather than the plastic colourful sticks used today.

Year Two – Sunbury Courthouse Excursion

The grade two's had great fun on Monday visiting the Sunbury Courthouse and George Evans Museum. This was part of their topic on local history and was followed up by re-inacting a court case in the grade, complete with a judge and jury.... All the students enjoyed the drama of the occasion.



20th – 26th October 2016

Ally QUIGLEY
Rori WEBB
Tyler BULLEN
Zaelan STRACHAN
Hayden DE YOUNG

Have you heard?

At our Outside School Hours Care Program, children are involved in music, art, sport, relaxation, technology, role play and many more fun activities.

Don't miss out!

To book your place for Before or After School Care call 9740 2111



Children's Week 2016

Children's Week, Sat 22nd – Sun 30th October, is a national celebration which recognises the unique and important place of children in our community. The theme this year 'Children have the right to reliable information from the media'. This fits in well with our current work with ESmart.

Years Three & Four - 3D Play Dough

Learning was also fun in the middle school with years three and four making their own play dough and turning it into 3D shapes...not sure the cleaners had quite so much fun cleaning up the mess!



Congratulations – Somah Malseed

At the end of Term 2, Ms Smalley worked with a group of indigenous students to enter the Remembrance Day 2016 Poster Competition. We received notification today that Somah Malseed has been selected as one of twelve finalists in over 150 entries. Somah has been invited to the Remembrance Day Service at the shrine and participate in laying a wreath as part of the service. Well done Somah and all the students involved.



GRADE	STUDENT	REASON
Prep K	Zander Pittam Nikita Moretto	For showing persistence when writing For 100% effort in following the school rights
Prep C	Astarah Ryan	For improved efforts in reading
Prep B	Charlotte Bateman	For 100% effort in PMP
1R	Ali Abou-Eid	For having a positive attitude to everything
2D	Jimmy Prespakis	
2H	Tyhran Dadamian	For making a sensational start to learning at Sunbury Heights
3J	Joel Bonnici	For having a very positive start at Sunbury Heights
4d	Gracie Livermore	For staying on task for longer
5K	Zaelan Strachan	For making 66 hours of home reading in the first 2 weeks of term
5B	Corey Byron	For outstanding effort in all reading related activities
6PA	Tegan Newell	For an outstanding information report
ART (Mrs Caddaye)	Connor Koeppen	For being a wonderful help in art

