



November 2019

Mon 18 th – Fri 22 nd	Y1/2 – Swimming Program
Tues 26 th	Y5 – Sunbury College ‘Show Off’ (10.00am-1.00pm)
Thurs 28 th	Y3/4 – Enterprise Ship Excursion
Fri 29 th	Whole School – Casual Clothes Day 2020 Foundation – Transition (9.00am – 11.00am)

December 2019

Thurs 5 th	Whole School – Colour Run
Fri 6 th	Whole School – Curriculum Day
Tues 10 th	2020 Foundation – Transition (9.00am – 1.30pm)
Fri 13 th	Whole School - Casual Clothes
Tues 17 th	Year 6 – Graduation
Fri 20 th	WHOLE SCHOOL - Casual Clothes Day END OF TERM - Early Dismissal (1.30pm)

Happy Birthday!
 21st – 27th November

Tyson C, Evie R, Enzo, Anthony, Kyida, Chloe M, Mackenzie, Jaiden, Skyla P, Rayah, Akshay, Leigh & Caleb M

Year 5/6 Poetry

Students are starting a unit of work on poetry. This morning the students from 6KW explored colour poems and wrote some amazing pieces of work.

Blue to sound of crashing waves
 and the pitter patter of raindrops
 Like the sky on a sunny day
 An element of peace
 - Charlotte L



Yellow is the sun
 It shines over the sea like a sunset
 Reflecting on me
 Full of happiness
 - Chanelle M

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Term 4 – Week 7 – 21/11/19

At Tuesday’s School Council meeting Rebecca Lewis and Penny Wilson presented council with the whole school approach to Respectful Relationships and our 2020 plan. Council was pleased to hear that the approach is going to be across our community and beyond the students. There are many relationships in a school and the way we treat each other is paramount to our school being a successful organisation. We cannot expect our children to be kind, respectful and responsible if we don’t display the same values. In 2020 Council will work on putting together some protocols and things that you can expect from us and that we expect from you in our daily dealings with each other.

School Council expressed their thanks to our Indian Community for their donation towards students’ wellbeing. The message from our Indian Community thanked Sunbury Heights for welcoming them into the school and also for allowing Hindi and Punjabi classes to be run after school in the Hub

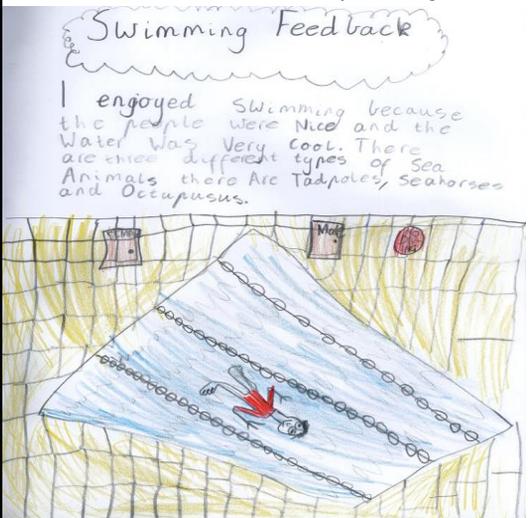
The Mobile Phone Policy was presented and ratified at the meeting. As stated in an earlier newsletter mobile phones are banned from 2020 in Victorian state schools. A secure locker will be purchased for the Library and all students’ phones will be required to be locked in there for the duration of the school day.

Our School Council members look forward to catching up with the broader community at the Colour Run or the Thank you Morning Tea.

Y1/2 Swimming Program

Splash, Splash, Splosh! There was lots of this with our Year 1/2 students at the Sunbury Pool this week. Much fun was had and we are very proud of the behaviour they exhibited. For some it was water familiarisation and for others it was about developing swimming strokes. All classes also learnt about the importance of being water conscious and safe around water.

We do have some lost property that remains unclaimed, so please see a 1/2 Team member for any missing items. A great effort 1/2!



Grade Placement 2020

Classroom teachers have all but finalised our grades for 2020. Our final structure will depend on our student enrolment numbers, available classrooms, teacher schedules and possible changes to government policy that may impact on our decision-making. Regardless of these factors there is always some very relevant information that parents convey to us that we take into consideration when arranging student groupings. Some examples of parent requests we consider have included: Siblings may be in consecutive year levels e.g: a Year 5 and a Year 6 and the parent wishes that they are not placed in the same class. Eg the separation of twins or alternatively parents may prefer the twins to be placed in the same class.

Each year, we ask parents to inform us in writing of relevant information. Please note that this is not a teacher selection opportunity but one which may influence the children's social and academic grouping to ensure all students' needs are met. Whilst we cannot guarantee your requests will be met, we assure you that the information you present will be carefully considered. Requests must be made in writing and should be addressed to Mrs Mills as follows - '**Confidential – 2020 Grade Placement**'. Requests for grade placement should be lodged at the office no later than **Monday 25th November 2019**. Any parent, who has lodged a request in a previous year, should resubmit their request in writing, even if their circumstances remain unchanged.

Premiers' Reading Challenge

Congratulations Fraser Premiers Reading Challenge Winners

The 2019 House Spirit winners are

1st Fraser 93 2nd Bradman 92 3rd Laver 91 4th Elliot 87

All students in Fraser House who completed the Premiers' Reading Challenge will get to pick a book to keep during their library time next week. This is the 15th year our school has participated in the challenge and we had 363 students finish. Congratulations to everyone who took part and to Mrs McIntyre for all her hard work in ensuring the books were purchased for our Fraser House students and for always instilling in our students a love of reading.

Our Young Entrepreneurs

This term the Year 5/6 students have been working hard to create their own businesses. Students have had to come up with a concept, a name for their business, a logo, business cards and a financial plan. Money raised will go towards our end of year celebrations. On **Tuesday 3rd December** this will all come together in a **Market Day**. Students from Foundation to Year 4 are invited to come along to our Market Day and **purchase items from individual stalls**. Our Market Day will start at **10.00am and run until 1.30pm** on the basketball courts. Children are encouraged to come along with some **gold coins** to purchase items. Please help support our Year 5 and Year 6 students.



KINDNESS RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY



Student of the Week

Presented at Assembly on Friday 29th November at 2.30pm

FA	Katelyn	For her hardworking attitude during Math lessons
FH	Nate	For improved effort when writing
FB	April	For pushing yourself in all you do!
FD	Kaleb	For showing kindness to others and being a respectful student
1/2D	Ruby R-T	For demonstrating all school values consistently
1/2M	Ndeti	For enthusiastically singing along to Peter Combe
3/4D	Ruby D	For working hard to make good choices
3/4B	Cooper C-J	For his improved effort & focus across all curriculum areas
3/4C	Iana	For her creative and well researched journal entry of a convict child
3/4M	Jacoby	For his great work with fractions
5A	Khalil	For a great attitude on the Rugby Gala Day
5U	Andrew	For showing kindness to all students and staff
6A	Lily	For great cooperation working on her business
6KW	Pippi	For a smooth and positive transition to Sunbury Heights
PE	Denver	For always listening & executing skills correctly
Art	1/2M	For a fantastic effort with 'Art in the Outdoors'
Italian	Audrey H	For consistently working well
Science	1/2L	For awesome focus & persistence while learning how to play connect with a Bee Bot

Sunbury Heights Primary School

is fundraising for JDRF

On Friday 13th December 2019
with a casual clothes day!



JDRF is the leading supporter of type 1 diabetes research in the world.

A world without type 1 diabetes.

Type 1 diabetes (T1D) is an autoimmune disease destroying our body's ability to process sugar by attacking the beta cells in our pancreas that produce the hormone insulin. Insulin helps convert sugar into the fuel our bodies need. Without insulin, sugar builds up in our bloodstream in life-threatening amounts. Multiple times each day insulin needs to be injected into the body of someone living with T1D.

Through your generosity and kindness we are able to improve the lives of millions of people around the world living with type 1 diabetes, those who love them and the communities we all live in.

Together we will destroy T1D.

Italian

Trulli houses.

Students studying Italian in Years 1-4 have learnt about the wonderful houses called "Trulli". Trulli are limestone houses with coned roofs that date back to the 14th century. These house have been classified as UNESCO world heritage site for their unique structure. Students made their own Trulli.



THANK YOU

Your help and support over the past year is much appreciated.

To show our appreciation, we would like to invite you to a

Thank You Morning Tea

on Thursday 5th December 2019 at 11am.

This will be followed by our end of year Fun Day/Colour Run

You colour our World

Sunbury Preschools' Parents and Friends Association Inc.



We are excited to announce the upcoming
Preschool Kids

DISCO

When: Friday 29th November 2019
Where: Sunbury Primary School Hall
Time: 4.30 - 6pm

Entry fee: \$5 - Accompanying adults: Free
****Children must be supervised by an Adult at all times****

Strictly only for 5year olds or under Pre-sale
Tickets available NOW!

Bring gold coins on the night as food, drinks, face painting, glow sticks and coloured hairspray will be available.



Contact Jamie Stephan on 0400 964 283 or Jade Anderson on 0499 559 587
Alternatively, email us at sppfa@hotmail.com

kindly join us for our
MARKET DAY

DECEMBER | 3rd | 10-1:30pm

CELEBRATING YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS!

SUNBURY HEIGHTS BASKETBALL COURT

STALLS INCLUDED:

- Paper planes
- Basketball & soccer
- Jewellery
- Food stalls
- Ice-cream
- +Lots more

SUNBURY HEIGHTS COLOUR RUN



\$5
ENTRY
PER STUDENT

INCLUDES
SUNGLASSES
PAINT
CHUPA CHUP

BBQ
SAUSAGE
SIZZLE LUNCH
(PAY ON DAY)

OTHER
EXCITING
TREATS &
ACTIVITIES

THURSDAY 5TH DECEMBER 2019

9:00 – 11:00 (House Spirit Activities)

12:15pm – 1:00pm (Musical Performances)

1:00pm – 2:00pm (Whole School Picnic Lunch Sausage Sizzle)

2:00pm – 3:15pm (Colour Run Fun)

Families Welcome All Day