



1st June 2023

What's On...

June

- 1st Year 6 Economics Fair
- 2nd Year 4 Moonlit Sanctuary Excursion
- 2nd Year 2 Werribee Zoo Excursion
- 2nd Winter Sport Round Robin
- 8th Community Members Incursion - Prep
- 12th King's Birthday Holiday
No children to attend school on this day.
- 14th - 15th Year 3 Soccer Clinics
- 16th Year 3 RSPCA Incursion
- 16th SDSSA Soccer Round Robin
- 23rd Last Day of Term 2
Early Dismissal 2.30pm
The school office will close at 3pm

July

- 10th First Day of Term 3
- 11th-19th Somers Camp



Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

PROPOSED CAPITAL WORKS PROJECT at PPS - Competition level gymnasium and music centre

We are all very excited about the proposed capital works project announced in the State Budget for Pinewood Primary School. We now commence the official government process with the VSBA and the Department of Education to secure the works, beginning with the Asset Management Plan, Phase 1 (AMP 1).

The purpose of the AMP 1 is to enable the school community to define its organisation, culture, aspirations, and learning and teaching model so that the architect consultants can match future design to the aspirational educational requirements of the school AMP2.

We have been given the wonderful opportunity to create a new learning environment and are seeking community input to best meet the needs of all members of our school.

To seek the necessary community information for the completion of the AMP 1, we have created a short survey based around 3 questions, designed to facilitate the school community with an opportunity to provide their input.

As your community representatives, members of the current School Council have been assigned a randomly generated list of parent names to call personally, and request feedback using the 3 questions to form the parameters of the conversation.

School Council members will then provide a summary of feedback contributed by the community to inform and complete the AMP 1. The School Council will commence contacting several randomly selected school community members to seek a brief survey response from between Friday 1st June to Monday 19th June. The School Leadership Team will also be seeking student feedback via a focus group, and staff feedback via a google form.

PINEWOOD DRIVE - Notice of Road Resurfacing Works

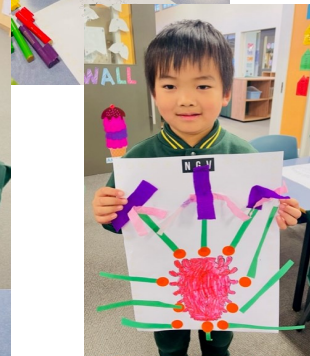
Monash Council has supplied the school with a 'Notice of Road Resurfacing Works' that will be occurring in Pinewood Drive next week. The scheduled road works are planned for Monday 5th June until Wednesday 7th June (inclusive), from 7am- 5pm each day.

Unfortunately, given the nature of the works, parents/carers will not be able to park vehicles in Pinewood Drive whilst the road works are occurring. This will impact parking opportunities for school drop off and pick up along Pinewood Drive on those specified days. Please seek alternative parking arrangements during these times. From Wednesday 7th June onwards, line marking works will occur.



EDUCATION WEEK -OPEN AFTERNOON

On Wednesday, we celebrated Education Week with an opportunity for our community to visit classrooms and teaching spaces at the school from 3.45-5.45pm. Many parents and carers attended enjoying classroom visits and participated in many of the hands-on activities provided. It was wonderful to see so many of our community members attending the event.



STATEMENT of VALUES and SCHOOL PHILOSOPHY

Pinewood PS is committed to providing a safe, supportive and inclusive environment for all students, staff, parents and members of our community. Please see the school website or the link below for information about how this is implemented at Pinewood Primary School.

[Statement of Values and School Philosophy Policy](#)

Karen Jenkin
Principal



AFL CLINICS

Last week, students from Prep to Year 6 participated in clinics provided by AFL Victoria. Each class received one AFL football session delivered by trained coaches.

It was a great opportunity to connect with the wider community and give students exposure to one of the most popular sports in Australia.



Last week, our school got to have AFL clinics from AFL Victoria. All grades got to engage in fun activities that AFL Victoria brought to us. They brought lots of footballs, and we got to do fun activities in groups and pairs with the balls. For example, we got to learn how to handball the ball to your partner. We learned how to kick the ball far by holding the ball in a specific position and pointing it towards your toe. Some of the games we played involved catching the ball with one hand or handballing the ball while standing on one leg. We even had to try to catch the ball with our eyes closed! Overall, the AFL clinic was a blast, and it was an awesome experience!- Akshadi, 6F

Last week, 2 AFL coaches taught us some Footy skills. We did some kicking and some handballing to a partner. When we handballed the football, we also had to complete different challenges such as catching with one hand, catching with one leg in the air and even doing it with our eyes closed. Overall, it was a really fun clinic. - Arth, 6F

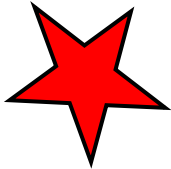
During the AFL clinics, we practised kicking the footy and hand-balling. Afterwards, we played a game focusing on each skill. We rotated between hand-balling and kicking. It was very fun.- Kanishka, 6M

The AFL clinic was great! We liked learning about a new sport and skills. The instructors were Jake and Josh. They had great techniques and taught us how to kick and handball.- Deedee, 3U



Bienvenue

French News



Bonjour tout le monde,

What another 'fantastique' week in French at Pinewood.

The students have been fully engaged and dedicated to practising French through songs, playdough, technology and of course charades, which we play often!

Some of the highlights were the year 5's playing their board games and then using a set criteria to self-assess and peer-assess their classmates. We were super impressed with their creativity!

The year 1's had so much fun playing roll the monster, it was helping them to learn the different body parts.

The Preps are learning about 'la famille' and you can see them drawing and labelling their own family on our whiteboard tables.

Au revoir,
Mademoiselle Cowie & Madame Slade

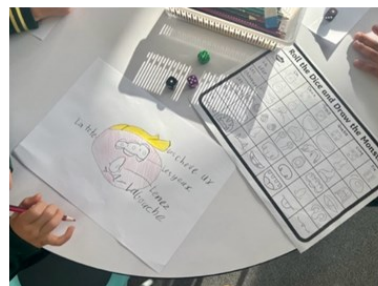
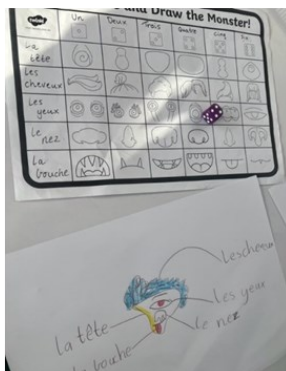
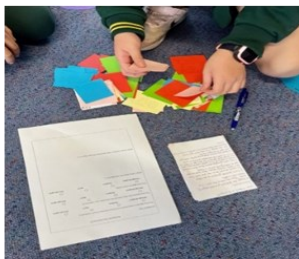
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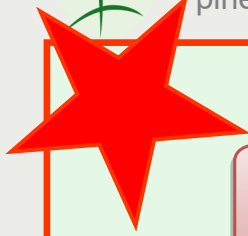
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father - le père

sister - la sœur

brother - le frère





Fantastic Fours!

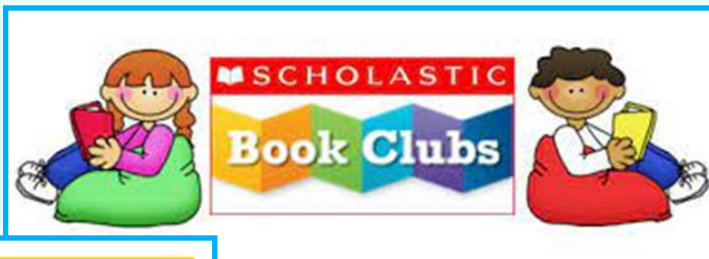


Hooray! Another fabulous week has passed in the art room, and we have seen some incredible work being finalised at this point of Term 2.

This week, the Year Fours have been working so well in creating their Optical Illusion Art. This piece has been made from poster paints, carefully following step by step instructions in drawing, colouring, shading/highlighting, and painting.

Below are some students from 4J, proudly showing off their finished Op Art pieces which look wonderful! We are super proud of the amazing work being developed by the Grade 4s, they are truly underway with their work for this year's art show!

Ms Francine & Mr Barrett,
Visual Arts Teachers.



**REWARD
OUR SCHOOL
EVERY TIME
you buy from
Book Club!**



****Issue 4**

****Out Now****

**** online orders only, please don't send
cash to the office ****

**Orders close
Friday 9th June**

**There are some fantastic deals in this catalogue,
with 40% of products being \$10 or under,
and Pig the Pug is only \$3!**





PARENTS CLUB

Chocolate Fundraiser

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO ORDERED AND SUPPORTED THE PARENTS CLUB.

IF YOU HAVE TAKEN HOME A BOX OF ROCKY ROAD BARS PLEASE RETURN \$ AND ANY UNSOLD BARS BY FRI 2ND OF JUNE.





**THE PARENTS CLUB HAVE
TEAMED UP WITH
"MARKETA & CO"
TO BRING YOU THEIR YUMMY
PENNE PASTA FOR LUNCH.**

**\$4.50 small
\$6.50 medium**

**Creamy Vegetarian
or
Napoli Sauce**



Wednesday the 14th of June

To order, please download the QKR app, select country of residence and follow instructions to register a profile for each child.

Then select Pinewood Primary School to view pasta options.

Orders open 25th May & close 3pm on the 9th June.

No late orders will be accepted.

**Ingredients: Creamy vegetarian has cream and cheese.
Napoli Sauce has cheese. Both options are vegetarian.**



Pinewood Primary School PARENTS CLUB TRIVIA NIGHT 5th AUGUST

DONATIONS NEEDED

Trivia Nights aren't possible without amazing support from businesses or individuals donating products, services or vouchers etc. How you can help? Do you own a business? Know someone who does? Maybe your workplace can help? Friends and family are also great to ask. Or you can donate any of the below items or anything else you like on behalf of your family. We are hoping to raise lots of \$ to buy additional seating and tables for the playground.

- Artwork
- Movie / theatre tickets
- Sports tickets
- Signed memorabilia
- Hampers
- Know anyone famous?
- Rounds of golf
- Restaurant/cafe voucher
- Weekend holiday house
- Experiences voucher
- New toys/books
- Candles
- Food or Wine
- Any type of gift card
- Unwanted gifts
- Jewellery
- Scratchie tickets
- Board games
- Bicycles / scooters
- Appliances

Please leave donations at the school office or call Vikkie on 0401559551. Deadline for donations 28th July. Any questions or if you need a formal letter from the school please call Vikkie.



A huge THANK YOU to these amazing businesses for their generous donation for our TRIVIA NIGHT ON THE 5TH AUG





STUDENT OF THE WEEK

PD Dev For showing kindness to his classmates. You always think of others and help them when they are in need. Well done Dev!

PM Roselie For being a responsible and organised friend. Fantastic effort Roselie!

PK Annabella For trying hard to read tricky words. I'm very proud of you Annabella!

PK Richard For using beautiful manners both in our classroom and outside.

PR Lexie For your growing confidence towards sounding out letters and words. Great work Lexie!

PJ Cindy For the outstanding effort you put into your recount writing. You did your best at sounding out the letters and using capital letters. Well done Cindy!

PS Mia For the outstanding effort you put towards describing characters this week. Great work Mia!

1B Karen L For the care, effort and detail that you put into each task. You always give learning tasks 100% and approach your learning with optimism. What a star!

1S Aarav For proactively following up on all your pending homework tasks. You have done a great job at making sure that your work is being completed. Keep it up Aarav!

1CF Louis For your increasing confidence when answering questions during our class discussions. Keep it up

1H Karina For your fabulous doubles addition work. Karina's 'Double Trouble' poster was outstanding! Keep up the hard work, Karina!

1H Rehan "For the amazing effort and responsibility Rehan is demonstrating with his daily reading program. Well done, Superstar!"

1K Narmi For working productively on her Skittles graphing activity. You carefully and correctly tallied and graphed all the information. Wonderful work Narmi!

1D Hunter For writing a great weekend recount, 'The Beyblade Game'. It's great that you included lots of adjectives in your recount! Well done Hunter!

1D Craig For the wonderful effort you put into making your number doubles windows! Great work Craig!

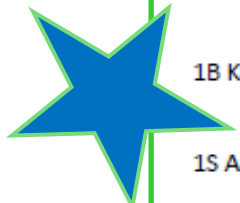
1V Olivia For her enthusiasm, and the sharing skills she displayed during our Toys Over Time incursion. Great job!

2F Joanna For persisting with her Kookaburra Information Report. Keep up the hard work Joanna!

2L Winston For setting and achieving SMART goals in all of his work, particularly with his information report. Fantastic job Winston!

2A Sarah A For doing an outstanding job on her information report on the Koala! Keep it up Sarah!

2M Vanya For speaking confidently and being well prepared with a wonderful science experiment for Fascinating Friday. Wonderful Vanya!





STUDENT OF THE WEEK

2M Burhan For being well prepared with a wonderful poster and notes for his Fascinating Friday presentation. Great work Burhan!

2B Rose For your outstanding 'Mystery Bag' presentation. You spoke confidently and knew exactly what to do. Fantastic work Rose!

3S Dusan For being well prepared for his oral presentation and showing confidence when presenting to the class. Great job Dusan!

3T Bonnie For preparing and presenting an informative Power Point about the RSPCA and its role. Keep up the great work. Bonnie!

3L Trinity For settling in well at Pinewood and getting out of your comfort zone to make new friends and try new things. Well done!

3H Adrian For your wonderful writing efforts this week. Your confidence has grown, resulting in a strong information report about your Jurassic Island. Excellent work!

3P Stevie For her ever positive attitude to learning. Stevie undertakes all tasks with a smile and is a joy to have in the classroom! Well done superstar!

3U Kailee For her HUGE improvement in the four operations task since last term. Well done and keep it up, Kailee!

4H Neya For working hard to put extra detail into the presentation of her work. Well done Neya.

4M Justin For making great learning choices and striving to finish all tasks to the best of his ability. Well done, Justin!

4J Lexi For taking the time out of her recess and lunch to help the class upload Seesaw tasks. Thank you!

5M Nicole For displaying our school values at Year 5 camp. It was wonderful to see you give all the activities a go and encourage members of your group. Great work, Nicole!

5MT Haitham For pushing himself out of his comfort zone on Grade 5 Camp. Well done Haitham, you showed great resilience!

5D Wardah For her positivity and persistence during Year 5 camp. Wardah had a positive attitude throughout camp and gave everything a go. Well done, Wardah!

5J Lucas R For the resilience he demonstrated while on Grade 5 Camp. He was challenged on several occasions, but he showed the strength to make it through to the end of camp and he had a great time! Fantastic effort Lucas!

5T Lily For showing a huge amount of resilience on camp, particularly the giant swing. It was great to see you step outside your comfort zone!

5C Jason For your enthusiasm and positive attitude towards all Year 5 camp activities, especially gold panning! Well done.

6F Keran For displaying confidence in class discussions. You always share thoughtful and perceptive comments.





STUDENT OF THE WEEK

- 6H Samaira For being a good role model to her peers and making good choices in the classroom. Fantastic work, Samaira!
- 6M Thomas For always paying attention and giving tasks your best shot. It was great to see your efforts during Volleystars training! Great work and keep it up Thomas!
- 6T Tony For the effort you're putting into your work in all areas. It's great to see that you have settled into Pinewood so well this term!
- 6O Olivia Z For working hard and being an excellent role model. You have displayed kindness and fairness which is respectful and displays integrity. You are making a positive difference in 6O!
- MUSIC Marlon 2M for the consistent effort and positive attitude demonstrated in every music lesson. Great job with the xylophones this week! Well done, Marlon!
- MUSIC Sienna 6F for a fantastic effort and application of prior learning during rehearsal time this week!
- Art Aarav 4J For making positive choices during art to benefit his learning. Well done for creating a wonderful Op Art piece and for trying your best. Great job!
- FRENCH F-2 Emily 2B for always making a great contribution to our French discussions and sharing her knowledge with her classmates. You are always the first person to put your hand up to share. You have worked hard to learn all the new vocabulary for 'Dans ma trousse'. Magnifique!
- FRENCH 3-6 Qasim & Momin 6H for your incredible effort creating your French board game. Your game effectively teaches animal names in French and includes extra game vocabulary. Super!
- PE F-2 Matias Prep S for demonstrating excellent listening in PE, following instructions, and showing determination to focus on his learning. Keep up the great work!
- PE 3-6 Rylie 4F for participating in PE activities to the fullest and showing commitment to improving her endurance at Cross Country training. You are a star!
- STEM F-2 Chloe R 1S for consistently engaging in class discussions with thoughtful ideas and completing detailed scientific drawings of her observations.
- STEM 3-6 Anna V 3S for demonstrating personal growth by making positive choices during STEM, participating in class discussions, and leading her group experiments. Well done Anna!

GREAT JOB!



WINTER IS COMING.....

With the arrival of the colder weather there is an increase of colds and flu at this time of year.

Whilst we understand that students want to attend school, it is important that they stay at home even if their symptoms are mild, and do not return to school until they are completely well.

If your child presents at school with coughs and sniffles, it places *all students and staff at risk*.

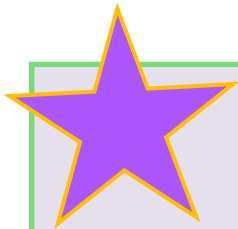
We appreciate your understanding.



Medication Reminder.

If your child requires medication at school. Please fill out a medication authorisation form these are available from the school office.

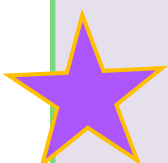
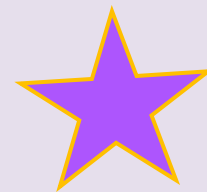
The medication must be in the original container, with the original label and within its expiry date. Please hand all medication to the school nurse or if unavailable to the office staff.



OSHClub News

We've been enjoying our cooking classes and our outdoor days, we've done so many new crafts but also explored our school yard with treasure hunts and obstacle courses.

Check out our holiday program brochure and book now!



Book it now / 0409 906 462 / Pinewood OSHCLUB team



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Monday, 26th June to Friday, 07th July 2023

NOTICE - ALLERGY - Please ensure all food is nut free

EXCURSION IN-CURSION

Monday 26 June

A DAY IN SHANGHAI

IN-SERVICE

Pack your suitcases and jump aboard! as we head on an adventure across the globe to enjoy the marvels of Shanghai!

Try cooking veggie spring rolls, making rattle drums, and engage in a game of 'Catch the dragon's tail'



Monday 03 July

CLOWNING AROUND

IN-SERVICE

Roll up, roll up, the circus is in town! There's plenty of fun, games and heaps of clowning around.

Make your own circus popcorn, create some circus dolls, and try drawing a clown's face of your own.



Tuesday 27 June + \$7.00

BARNYARD BOOGIE

IN-CURSION - FOOTSTEPS FUN DANCE PROGRAM

Get your dance shoes on, as we head to the dance floor, busting out some new and original moves!



Tuesday 04 July

AMIDOC CELEBRATIONS

IN-SERVICE

Celebrate and recognise the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Explore the story of the rainbow serpent, try your hand at traditional outdoor games, and make scratch art!



Wednesday 28 June + \$45.00

HOLLYWOOD HEROES

EXCURSION - VILLAGE FOUNTAIN GATE MOVIE AND POPCORN

Today we're off to the movies to see the latest children's release, popcorn and drink included. (Movie time to be confirmed, please see coordinator)



Arrive by 8.30am

Wednesday 06 July

ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK

IN-SERVICE

One, two, three o'clock, four o'clock, rock. Turn back time and pull out the disco gear as we rock around the clock.

Dance through the decades at OSH with a chalk art disco ball, and a photo booth and disco time!



Thursday 29 June

MEDIAeval MADNESS

IN-SERVICE

We will head back in time today to the Middle Ages for some Medieval madness.

Make a catapult, design a knight's shield, cook medieval honey cakes and prepare for some medieval games!



Thursday 06 July + \$12.00

LET'S GET MOVING

IN-CURSION - MULTISPORTS

Enjoy a fun filled session of summer sporting fun where you will learn skills of various summer sports! What sport will be your favourite.



Friday 30 June

THE SMITH FAMILY DREAM RUN

IN-SERVICE

Join us for our Smith Family Dream Run! A variety of active games and activities, all for a great cause! Please pack a spare change of clothes!



Friday 07 July

EXPERIMENT 626

IN-SERVICE

Time to put on our lab coats and do some experimenting. Will you create another experiment 626, or just a foamy mess?

Create your own experiment 626 from clay, explore reactions with mentos & oil, and go on a hunt for monsters!



Mon - Fri 7:15am - 6:00pm
Pinewood Primary School - 0409 906 462
27-35 Pinewood Drive Mount Waverley VIC 3149

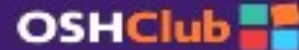
Daily price: \$52.80 | Excursions and incursions are an additional cost to the daily fee and are charged for each child that attends whether they choose to participate or not.

Book now at oshclub.com.au | be quick as places are limited

Customer Service 1300 395 735



Junior Adventures Group continues to pioneer the OSHC sector, building stronger communities and brighter futures for more than 70,000 children, 50,000 families and more than 450 schools across Australia.



Our Values

- Considerate - Be there for others
- Passionate - Bring energy and determination
- Courageous - Challenge ourselves

The values we share guide our behaviour as we work towards our vision to **build brighter futures together.**

What we offer

- A healthy, safe, respectful and engaging environment
- Caring, enthusiastic, fun and friendly team
- New and popular excursions, incursions and theme days
- Stimulating experiences tailored to children's interests, abilities and current trends
- OSHClub endeavour to link each fun experience to key learning outcomes



We are a child safe organisation



What Does My Child Bring?

Please bring breakfast, morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and a refillable drink bottle. If bringing food please make sure it's nutritious and doesn't require heating or cooking.

Please be mindful of the planned incursion/excursion and ensure your children are dressed appropriately. Don't forget your sun smart hat, comfortable clothes, closed shoes and a drink bottle.

To avoid loss or disappointment, please leave your valuables, money and electronic toys (including tablets and smartphones) at home.



Healthy Eating

OSHClub follows the Australian dietary guidelines which can be found at <https://www.eatforhealth.gov.au>

Activity Changes

If an excursion or incursion (if applicable) is cancelled, an alternate activity of equal value will be provided where possible.



Before making your booking & cancellations

Enrol your child with OSHClub prior to booking via oshclub.com.au. Holiday bookings can be made online up to 5 days before the session commences. To make a booking after this time, please contact our Customer Experience team on 1300 395 735. Late bookings will incur an additional \$4.00 fee. To avoid any out of pocket costs, cancellations must be made at least 7 days before the session commences. Cancellations within this period will incur the full fee, less any applicable CCS.

Child care subsidy

All our services are CCS approved. To find out whether you are eligible, please contact the Centrelink Family Line on 13 61 50. CCS is applicable to both the base fee and additional incursion and Excursion surcharges.

Children with additional needs

We support all children including children with additional needs. If you would like to provide additional information about your child and his/her needs or require inclusion support funding, please contact us 6 weeks prior to program commencement on 0409 906 462 for staffing purposes.

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ASHBURTON COMMUNITY RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION INC

PRESENT

ASHBURTON ARTISAN MARKET

Saturday 3 June 2023

10.00am - 2.00pm

Alamein Neighbourhood & Learning Centre
49 Ashburn Grove, Ashburton 3147

Speak to the artists & support the crafters at this handmade Market!



Enquiries:
Email: acraashburton@gmail.com
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