# Primary School



22nd June 2023

What's On...

June

23rd Last Day of Term 2
Early Dismissal 2.30pm
The school office will
close at 3pm

<u>July</u>

10th First Day of Term 3

11th-19th Somers Camp

14th July Curriculum Day Parent/Teacher/Student 3-way Interviews - No students at school on this day

27th Philippe et Jacques French Incursion Whole School

31st-4th Grade 6 Camp



# Principal's Message

**Dear Parents and Carers,** 

It's hard to believe that we are heading towards the end of the term. It has been a very successful second term with many high-quality programs and activities being offered to students at Pinewood PS. During our Education Week celebrations, we provided an opportunity for our families to visit classrooms and participate in many hands-on activities set up around the school.

The Preps continued to settle into their learning, experiencing a vast range of specialist programs the school has to offer (STEM, PE, Art, Music & French). The Preps have been meeting with their Year 6 Buddies sharing special activities together.

The Year 1 students enjoyed learning about 'Toys over Time' and our Year 2 students loved attending the Werribee Zoo excursion. The Year 3 students learned about caring for animals through the very popular RSPCA visit. The Year 4 students attended Camp Adanac for three days and enjoyed an excursion to the Moonlit Sanctuary. The Year 5 students enjoyed their camping experience at Arrabri Lodge and an excursion to the VSSEC. The Year 6 students designed and participated in a whole school Economics Fair and played a variety of Winter sports against other local schools. Lots happened at PPS!

# **FAREWELL**

This week we say farewell to Mrs Penny Farragher who is taking Family Leave. Make sure you come back and visit us soon Mrs Farragher with your new little bundle of joy! We also say farewell to Mr Clay Tait who has accepted a PE position at Glen Waverly Secondary College. We wish you all the best Mr Tait, remember to come back and visit when you can.

# **REPORT UPDATES**

The final reports will be made live for families to access today (Thursday 22<sup>rd</sup>June) at 4pm on Compass. We will be conducting parent/teacher conferences on Curriculum Day, Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July, which will be a student free day. OSHClub will be operating on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July for families who require child minding services

**REMINDER: ENROLMENTS for 2024 - SIBLING ENROLMENTS** 

The Department of Education enrolment process has changed this year, with all enrolments now closing on the 1<sup>st</sup> of August for Prep 2024.

If you are a parent at our school and have a younger child to enrol for next year, please download an <u>Enrolment Form</u> from the website and return it to the school, or see Estelle, Katherine, or Jan at our school office for an enrolment form as soon as you can. Further information about our <u>Enrolment Form</u> is available online.











# **LAST DAY TERM 2- Tomorrow**

Last day of School for the term is Friday 23rd June. A virtual assembly will be held at 9.30 am and the students will be dismissed at 2.30pm. OSHClub will operate on this day.

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# TERM 3

Term 3 will commence on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July @ 9.00am.

Curriculum Day is Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July. This will be the day we are conducting our 3 Way Conferences and as such will be a student free day. OSHClub will be operating on this day. Please make a booking with OSHClub should you require their services.



Wishing everyone a safe and happy end of term break.















# CALLING ALL FRIENDS OF THE ARTSHOW

We are currently calling for one or more parent or carer representative from each grade to help us hang the artwork for the 2023 art show, "From Cave to Canvas".

The commitment is minimal and will take no more than one hour of your day.

Details of the task are as follows:

Where: School Hall

When: Tuesday 29th August from 11am (or anytime up to 5pm).

Length of your time required: One hour

<u>Duty</u>: To hang the work of your child's class on a designated board in the school hall (hanging and layout details will be provided with the folio).

If you are interested in helping please register your interest at:

Francine.combes@education.vic.gov.au

Please state your name, your child's name and grade and the time you will be available on the day.

Thank you for your kind support of this fabulous school event in advance.

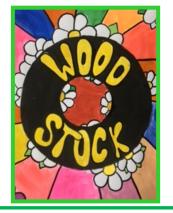
Francine Combes and Joshua Barrett

**Visual Arts Teachers** 

























# French News



Bonjour tout le monde,

What a fun filled term with so much rich learning in the French program!

The year 4's has just completed their unit on sport this week and had a great time making posters and sentences.

Bonne vacance,

Mademoiselle Cowie & Madame Slade

If you are looking for something French culture to do in the holidays? Check out the Pierre Bonnard at the National Gallery. If you do visit, take a picture of you visiting with your family to share with us!



# Pierre Bonnard: Designed by India Madhavi





Pierre Bonnard is one of the most beloved painters of the 20th century, celebrated for his use of colour to convey an exquisite sense of emotion. His close friend Henri Matisse declared that Bonnard was 'a great painter, for today and definitely also for the future'.

































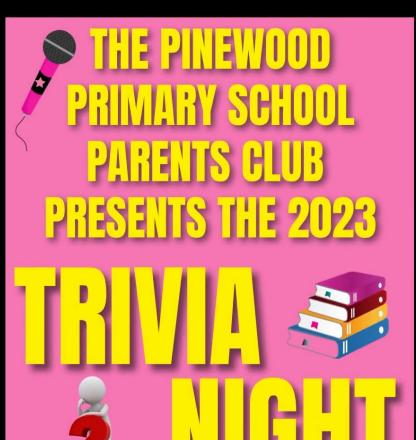












EACH TEAM CAN CHOOSE THEIR OWN DRESS UP THEME SAT 5TH AUG 7PM

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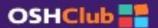












# Pinewood Primary School

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

NOTICE - ALLERGY - Please ensure all food is nut free





## Monday 26 June

A DAY IN SHANGHAI

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

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



(B) + \$7.00

# Monday 03 July

CLOWNING AROUND

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

Make your own circus popcom, create some circus dolls, and by drawing a clowns face of your own.



# Tuesday 27 June

BARNVARD BOOGLE

INCURSION - FOOTSTEPS FUN DANCE

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



# **Tuesday 04 July**

NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS

Celebrate and recognise the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Tomes Strait

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



# Wednesday 28 June

HOLLYWOOD HERDES

**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



EX) + \$45.00

# Wednesday 08 July

ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK

One, two, three o'dock, four o'dock, 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



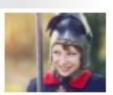
# Arrive by 8.30am

# uraday 29 June

MEDIEVAL MADNESS

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

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



# Thursday 06 July

LETS GET MOVING

## INCURSION - MULTISPORTS

Injoy a fun filled session of summer sporting where you will learn skills of vario summer sports? What sport will be your



# Friday 30 June

THE SMITH FAMILY DREAM RUN

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



# Friday 07 July

EXPERIMENT 626

Time to put on our lab costs 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!



1 7:15am - 6:00pm of Primary School - 0409 906 462 newood Drive Mount Waverley VIC 1149

Customer Service 1300 395 735

Book now at <u>osholub com, eq</u> | be quick as places are limited

RESPECT

**SELF CONFIDENCE** 

INTEGRITY

RESPONSIBILITY

**OPTIMISM** 







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



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### 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 1900 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 commerces. 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 Expursion surcharges.

Children with additional needs

We support all children including children with additional needs. If you would like to provide additional information about your contact us 6 weeks prior to program commencement on 0409 906 462 for staffing purposes.

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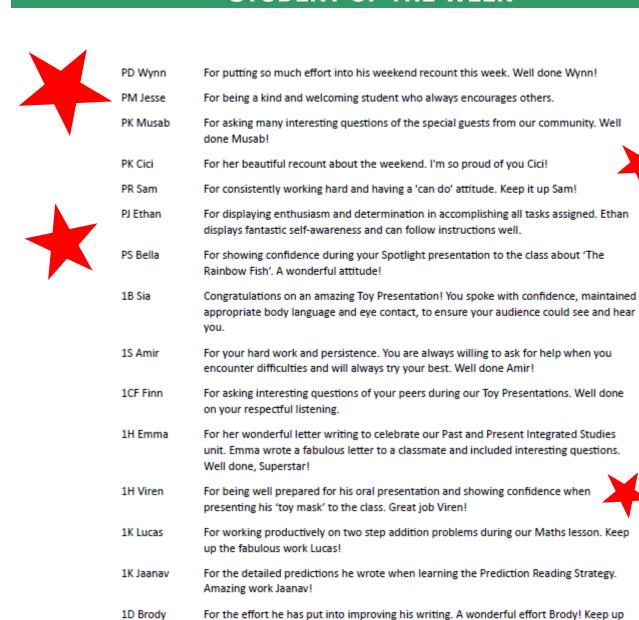


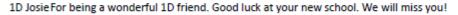






# STUDENT OF THE WEEK





1V Avery For her wonderful presentation about her favourite toy the 'LOL Surprise Doll'. You

showed great confidence, well done!

the great work!

2F August For contributing to classroom discussions with a positive attitude. Well done August!

2L Hashim For working hard to improve your handwriting! Incredible effort Hashim!

2A All of 2A For the terrific effort 2A have put into all their work this term! Well done!

2M Stefi For the terrific effort she put into her information report about dogs! Great work Stefi!

2M Siddh For the wonderful effort he has put into improving his handwriting! Well done!

2B Logan For your outstanding effort in maths with fact families. Well done Logan!







3T Eliana









# STUDENT OF THE WEEK

3S Alvin For always having a positive attitude and approaching his learning with enthusiasm.

Great work Alvin!

For the terrific recount she wrote about a favourite event this term. Eliana followed the correct structure and included a range of adjectives to describe the event. Well done

Eliana!

3L Aurora For working hard to complete tasks. You hold yourself to a high standard and it is great to

see you push yourself! Keep up the great work!

3H Iris For your outstanding efforts during the term. Your listening, focus and work ethic makes

you an amazing role model for the rest of the class. I am so proud of you!

3P Atharv For his fantastic fractions flower! Atharv was able to represent one quarter in many fun

ways! Excellent effort AT!

3U Kimberley For consistently working to the best of her ability. Well done and keep it up, Kimberley!

4F Jesse For the outstanding effort he put into achieving his pen license. Well done Jesse, keep up

the beautiful handwriting.

4F Anvitha For always working hard to complete all activities in the classroom to a very high

standard. Well done Anvitha.

4F Risa For working extremely hard this term to achieve her goals and for always being a great

friend. Keep it up Risa.

4F Oscar For being a caring and positive class member and for always being willing to assist other

students. Well done Oscar.

4M Arjun For making great strides with his effort in the classroom and taking great care to

complete his work to a high standard.

4J Aarav For having demonstrated a great improvement in his handwriting and the cleanliness of

his work. Keep up the good work, Aarav!

4J Aleksandra For being creative in designing food technologies for farm machinery. Great job,

Aleksandra!

4T Sammi For your strong work ethic and willingness to seek help to make the best use out of class

time. Well done.

4H Khushank For excellent behaviour all semester! Well done!

4H Shanaya For always trying her best. Keep up the excellent effort!

4H Mason For working hard all semester to produce excellent results. Well done Mason!

4T Myra For the positive attitude you bring to class every day and the strong contributions you

make to class discussions. Keep up the great work.

For the wonderful information booklet you created on South Korea! It was well designed

and had lots of great facts about the country. Well done, Chenul!

5MT Virain For always trying his best in class and having a consistently positive attitude. You have

worked hard this term, keep up the great work!







5M Chenul



5J Mohid









# STUDENT OF THE WEEK



5D Darcy For always helping his friends when they need assistance in class. You have shown great kindness and leadership skills. Keep up the great work, Darcy!

For consistently producing very high quality samples of his learning. Continue to keep

extending yourself, Mohid!

5T Miyuki For her brilliant work ethic in every class. You are a great role model to the rest of the

class Miyuki, Keep up the great work!

5C Kinsley For demonstrating good listening and co-operation skills with the whole class while your

teacher is away.

For being a quiet achiever and always managing class time effectively. Keep up the great 6F Tayha

work, Tayha!

6H All of 6H Congratulations on a great semester of work. You showed adaptability and flexibility with

your change of teachers. Well done!

6M Niklesh For demonstrating an unwavering commitment to the school values. He is an exemplary

role model for his peers and should be commend for the kindness he has shown

throughout the term.

6T Dylan For the enormous effort put into every piece of work. You take great pride in learning

and it's great to see you trying so hard every time. Great work!

60 Stephanie For showing resilience over the last 6 months. You are studious and give all work a go. I

am super proud of your achievements. You are making a positive difference in 60.

MUSIC Hayley 2M for volunteering to play her piano piece for the class. What a wonderful,

confident performance! Well done, Haylee!

MUSIC Qasim 6H for an outstanding composition for his selected film!

Angus 2B for amazing, detailed work on his Sydney Harbour Bridge. Great work Angus, Art

keep it up!

Art Darcy 3P for trying his best in every lesson and recently making good choices to benefit

his learning. Well done for being so helpful in the art room and for saying 'yes!' - Keep it

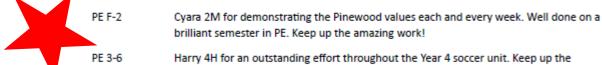
up, Darcy!

FRENCH F-2 Roselie Prep M for your outstanding efforts in French this week. You always have a go

singing the songs and saying the members of the family. Superb!

FRENCH 3-6 Vivash 6F for your dedication to learning the rooms of the house. You always put in 100%

to every French lesson. Tu es fantastique!



Harry 4H for an outstanding effort throughout the Year 4 soccer unit. Keep up the

fantastic work!

Hayley T PM for putting thought into the materials she was using to design her hat. Well STEM F-2

done!

STEM 3-6 Kayden S 3T for always trying his best in class and contributing his ideas to class

discussions. Well done!





















# Bring out the best in your child with singing.



Enrolments for mid year 2023 with the Australian Youth Choir are now open to boys and girls from 8 years of age.



A great opportunity to develop singing, build confidence, self-esteem and make new friends in 2023.



Weekly rehearsals in Canterbury during school Term with concerts included in the year.

# AUDITION NOW FOR 2023 EMAIL OR CALL TO LEAVE MESSAGE

office2@niypaa.com.au or 98362877

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The Australian Youth Choir is a division of National Institute of Youth Performing Arts Australia (NTYPAA)

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# INFORMATION

# MULTI-SPORT

Programmes run weekly on one day a week for one hour.

This term we will focus on the following sports:

Soccer

✓ Baskethall

Crazy Games

✓ AFL Hockey

This weekly programme gives children skills and confidence in a fun and enjoyable environment. It also encourages their enthusiasm for sport and the life skills that such involvement brings - giving them confidence to join sports clubs and teams in the future.

For Prep - Grade 4 students.

# \$160 FOR 10 WEEKS!

Sign up anytime, and only pay for the weeks remainir in the term, \$16 per week

School: Pinewood Primary School

When: Wednesday's

Start Date: Wednesday 12th July End Date: Wednesday 13th Septemb

Time: 3:40- 4:40pm



Book before July 9th to recieve one free session

kellysports.com.au Website: Ann Donnelly

Contact: southeast@kellysports.com.au Email:

0466501822 Phone: Focebook: Kelly Sports South East



# WINTER IS COMING.....

With the arrival of the colder weather there is an increase in 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

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.