**MAY 26th**

**May**
- 27th Gr 5 Dancefair
- 31st 5/6 Winter Sports

**June**
- 3rd Curriculum Day
- Division X Country
- 7th Hot Lunch Day
- 13th Queens Birthday
- 14th Lapathon
- 15th 3/4 CFA incursion
- 16th 5/6 Winter Sports
- 20th School Council
- 24th Last Day of Term
  - 2.30pm finish

**TERM DATES FOR 2016**
- **TERM 1**
  - 27th Jan - 24th March
- **TERM 2**
  - 11th April - 24th June
- **TERM 3**
  - 11th July - 16th Sept
- **TERM 4**
  - 3rd Oct - 20th Dec

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**PRINCIPAL'S NEWS**

**CURRICULUM DAY – PUPIL FREE DAY**

A reminder to parents that the next day School Council approved Pupil Free Day is on Friday 3rd June and no children are required at school.

**DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY WIN**

Last Friday our Cross Country team became District Champions - the tenth time in 13 years. This result means that our students have won both major Athletic events this year. We are always very proud of all our students who represent our school and equally in the way they train and do their very best at these important sporting events. Thankyou to Goldie’s support team and to the many parents who attended and supported our team!

**EDUCATION WEEK SUCCESS**

Our Education Week was very successful with fun activities planned each day which the children enjoyed. A big thankyou our fantastic Education Week organisers - Claire Gooch, Marie-Claire Poulsen, Andrew Weekes, Kate Mitchell, Greg Oswald and Colin Hartley. Many new and prospective families attended the open night to look through the classrooms and speak to teachers as well as enjoying performances by our students. Since then several of these families have booked tours to see our school in action during the day.

**RANGES DANCE COMPETITION**

Following a very successful Education week with many highlights including the whole school aerobics session. 32 dancers competed in Ranges Dance competition on Friday night. Our dancers achieved 6 first places, 5 second places plus an ‘entertaining’ award to our tappers. At the end of the night we were awarded overall Ranges Dance Champions. Congratulations to the dancers, Colin Hartley & his helpers (makeup crew) and thankyou to the many parents who attended. We also extend our best wished to the Grade 5 dancers who will compete this Friday night at the Fairhills Dance Fair event.
NEVR MUSIC CONCERT
Students from Primary and Secondary Government Schools in the North Eastern Victoria Region performed in a variety of combined music ensembles including massed concert bands, string orchestra, stage band, symphony orchestra and our renowned massed primary choir. Enjoy a selection of music from the Masters of classical, contemporary and music theatre at Hamer Hall on Tuesday night. This was a great concert of primary and secondary students and the talent on display was amazing. Our 8 choir students loved being part of such a professional event, and having the opportunity to perform 'on stage' at one of Melbourne’s premier venues. Many thanks to Colin Hartley for providing this opportunity for our students and to Karyn Mitchell for accompanying these students on Tuesday. Thankyou to all parents who went along to enjoy the show.

UPGRADE NEWS
Last Friday we meet with our architects and Regional Education Department Facilities people to finalise the schools master plan. This plan has since been submitted for approval and in a week we'll attend a meeting in the city to have this plan ratified. The next step is for our architects to draw schematic plans for the tendering purposes. The order of upgrade works is firstly the new gymnasium, the administration building, the grade 3/4 building including the Artroom and Library, next the Grade 1/2 building then grounds work and the Prep buildings. Work will commence on the gymnasium next term and continue for 18 months.

2017 PREP ENROLMENTS
If you have (or know of someone else who has) a child to commence Prep in 2017 please contact the Office to book a school tour or collect an information pack and an enrolment form. We have already received over 50 Prep enrolments and we need to ensure all current families with a Prep child starting in 2017 submit their forms.

DROP OFF TIME BEFORE SCHOOL
The school yard is not supervised by staff before school until 8:45am. This means that children should not be dropped off before 8:40am in the morning. If you need to leave the children before that time they should be booked into the Before School Program. The OSHCLUB website is as follows - www.oshclub.com.au or ring 8564 9000.

OSHCLUB REQUEST
I have been asked by OSHCLUB to remind parents using their program to cancel bookings if their children are not attending. Thankyou for your cooperation in the future!

Graeme Russell
The Apple man is back

Friday 27th May is the next apple delivery. If you wish to place an order please make sure your order and money are handed into the office by 9am on Friday. Pink Ladies, Royal Gala, Granny Smith all apples $10 per 5kg bag.

School Fees

If you are paying the school fees by instalment the next instalment is now due.

Plan A $50, Plan B $80 & CSEF $65.
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<td>for making a big improvement in his colouring in, making sure he shades inside the lines and uses more than one colour. Keep up the great effort Oscar.</td>
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<td>Tyson Westerman-Morrow</td>
<td>for terrific counting to 50. Well done Tyson you're a star!</td>
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<td>Charli Donovan</td>
<td>for always going out of her way to help others in the classroom. You are an excellent role model Charli!</td>
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<td>Shakhil Macdonald</td>
<td>for his excellent adding of numbers whilst practicing addition stories.</td>
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<td>for his wonderful listening and participation during our visit with Sue from the Library.</td>
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<td>Isabella Stewart</td>
<td>for trying your best to keep your handwriting very neat! Keep up the great effort!</td>
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<td>Brody Kerr</td>
<td>For adding greater detail to his recount writing. Keep trying hard, Brody</td>
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<td>Ashlea Kelly</td>
<td>for always joining in class discussions, being a great listener and working hard. Thankyou Ash.</td>
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<td>Oliver Lindner</td>
<td>for a fabulous effort to catch up on all his Homework tasks. Awesome Oli!</td>
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<td>Jem Lock</td>
<td>his fabulous fruit he created with Ms Lloyd. Very creative, Jem.</td>
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<td>Jessie Ritchie</td>
<td>for always including lots of detail in her writing. Keep it up Jessie!</td>
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<td>Ivy Smith</td>
<td>for confidently answering questions in Maths and verbally explaining her working out of equations.</td>
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<td>Lilly-Ann List</td>
<td>for working hard to understand and analyse the author’s purpose. What a great investigator you are Lilly-Ann!</td>
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<td>Scarlett Stephens</td>
<td>for the terrific effort she has put in to learn vertical subtraction. Super effort Scarlett!</td>
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<td>Ava Bridges</td>
<td>for her fantastic work on the ‘digestive system’ this week. Keep up the great work Ava!</td>
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<td>Danah Mcross</td>
<td>for the marvellous effort she has applied whilst investigating faces, edges and vertices of 3D shapes. Super work Danah!</td>
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<td>Luke Marshman</td>
<td>for his excellent work identifying and measuring different angles and supporting his peers with his great understandings. Well done Luke!</td>
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<td>Mia Crowhurst</td>
<td>for your amazing understanding when using a protractor to measure the internal angles of polygons! Go Mia!</td>
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<td>Alex Lee</td>
<td>for his outstanding work defining, measuring and calculating different types of angles. You are very thorough in your mathematical work Alex. Well done!</td>
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<td>6G</td>
<td>Jade Yeomans</td>
<td>For her awesome effort in all she does! Jade consistently works hard to understand new concepts and do her best in her work. Keep up the amazing effort!</td>
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Prep: Kestra Furlong—for coming to school with a beautiful smile and positive attitude after breaking your arm. You try your absolute hardest in all your activities and never give up. Well done Kestra!

Grade 1: Jacob Fatur—for coming to school always so enthusiastic. You are a wonderful caring friend who understands how people are feeling and a great person to be around and have a little laugh with. Well Done.

Grade 2: Lily Daniel—for starting EVERY day with such a positive attitude, arriving with a big smile on her face, always doing her best work and for being a lovely friend. You are a star Lily and we love having you in our grade.

Grade 3: Skye Collins—for her fantastic ability to always find a positive in every situation, and avoid negative thoughts and feelings. Skye your positive attitude and calm manner help to make you the great person you are!

Grade 4: Connor Stephen—for the courageous attitude you have shown whilst having a fractured collarbone. You understand that challenges like this are a part of life and overcoming this challenge makes you a stronger person. Thank you for looking on the bright side of things.

Grade 5: Cooper Mason—for showing a great attitude and tackling all the challenges of each school day with confidence and persistence.

Grade 6: Ethan Bloomer—for working hard to be positive and remain optimistic when faced with challenges. You always ‘bounce back’ with a smile and try your best in all you do. Great work Ethan. We are proud of you!

BounceBack!
WEEK 6 AWARD WINNERS
DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS

Congratulations to the 58 students who represented our school so magnificently at last Friday’s District Cross Country Championships. The performance from each of our runners was incredible. We are very proud to say that we are the Wantirna District Cross Country Champions for 2016. Special thanks to Nicki Smith, Kate Mitchell and Karyn Mitchell for their help and support throughout the day. What a fantastic effort from Zarah Smith who won her event and received a medal for this achievement. Keep in mind that there are up to 160 competitors in each event. Congratulations to the following students who by finishing in the top 20 have now qualified to compete in the Division Cross Country Event on Friday 3rd June at Knox Park – Jhye Smith, Ethan Bloomer, Hayden Smith, Bailey Bascombe-Hay, Lauren Hassing, Piper Wilson, Lily-Grace Murrell, Ella McCallum, Maddi Price, Tylah Chrystal, Blake Rule, Taj Shoebridge, Chase Prescott, Olivia Curson, Zarah Smith, Taylah Malone and Alexandra Dummert.

Overall results were as follows:

1st The Basin 2,279
2nd Kent Park 2,205
3rd Mt Gate 1,646
4th Lysterfield 1,527
5th St Judes 1,078
6th Knox Gardens 988
7th St Andrews 846
8th Regency Park 854

10 years Boys:
Chase P 11th, Taylah C 3rd, Blake R 7th, Taj S 8th, Riley M 44th, Tahj G 29th, Rogan M 70th, Shaun M 39th, Kade T 58th, and Jordy Wayland 46th.

10 years Girls:
Zarah S 1st, Olivia C 2nd, Sonia C 28th, Taylah M 4th, Alex D 6th, Jacqueline G 105th, Tahlia M 64th, Indi- Lee R 36th, Abby W 54th, Jasmine K 69th.

11 years Boys:

11 years Girls:
Lily – Grace 10th, Piper W 7th, Maddi P 17th, Angel E 28th, Brailee C 41st, Ella M 16th, Brooke D 43rd, Alyssa D 73rd, Ashlynn G 59th.

12 years Boys:

12 years Girls:
Lauren H 19th, Kaitly M 47th, Breea N 25th, Caitlin Z 56th, Sara-Rose L 28th, Chelsea H 73rd, Jayde A 89th, Allannah M 83rd, Claire D 101st, Jade Y 103rd.
- Grandparents Day
- Whole school Walk/Run
- Meditation Sessions
- Yoga Training
- Life Education Van
- Acorn Challenge (Girls WON)
- Aerobics Session
- Whole School Lunch
- Nude Food day
- Active Wear Day
Masters of Music

2016 NEVR Music Concert

On Tuesday 24th May, eight 5/6 students from our school’s ‘Performance Choir’ participate in the North Eastern Victorian Region Youth Concert at Hamer Hall, Arts Centre Melbourne. The students had participated in 2 rehearsals along with 280 other students from a range of schools, before experiencing a full day of sound check, theatre prep and also a sneaky trip to the movies and dinner at a South Bank restaurant. They were then part of a concert involving over 890 students across the genres of vocalists, dancers, jazz bands, concert bands and orchestras. A massive thank you must go out to all the families that came along and supported us and also to Karyn Mitchell for all her help in the preparation and on the day.

Zephyr said ‘Hamer Hall was incredible, the choir sounded great together, we worked as a team to fix the problem we had, the bands were amazing, personally it was a great opportunity. I learnt a lot about singing technically and as a group and all the other activities were cool. Performing at Hamer Hall was an absolute highlight. Also thanks to Mr Hartley. ’

Angel said “My favourite part was definitely the performance. It was just really fun to be on stage.”

Chelsea said “My favourite part was playing with everyone on the fake lawn and the train ride! But in regards to the concert it was fun being involved in such a big event at a grand venue, the excitement and anticipation and learning about everything to do with a big production.”

Kaylah said “A lifetime experience, amazingly awesome. We enjoyed the whole day and Karyn took heaps of photos of us like we were famous. It was scary at first but then it was amazing. We sang with lots of other schools. The people performing were very clever and trumpets were very loud but amazing. I felt lucky to go into the city, walk the streets, see a movie and then have dinner at a fancy restaurant before the concert. Thank you Mr Hartley for entering us into it.

Students performed:
1. Stairway to Heaven
2. We Built This City
3. Dancing in the Street
4. Heal the World
5. We will Rock You
6. Hall of Fame
RANGERS DANCE COMP 2016

On Friday 20th May the Grade 5 and 6 Dance Teams competed at Monbulk College at the Rangers Interschool Dance Competition. Students represented our school in the four sections of team, duo, solo and.troupe. All our students put in a fabulous effort and did both the school and themselves proud. Congratulations to all the students and thank you to everyone who came along and supported the school. An extra big thank you to the parents who transported, filmed and took photos on the night. We couldn't do it without your support. At the conclusion of the night The Basin was awarded 6 firsts, 5 seconds, most entertaining number for all our toppers and "The overall school winner". For our Grade 6 students this was the last comp for the season but for our Grade 5 they will now focus their attention on DanceFair this Friday at FairHills High School.

Grade 6 TEAM

TEAM
1. Ashley Wittman, Martha Bone, Michaela Lewis-Lutwyche, Jayde Andrew and Lauren Fyfe (1st Place)
2. Jade Yeomans, Caitlin Zinnow and Kaylah Mitchell

SOLO
1. Breea Nunziante (1st Place)
2. Alex Bray (2nd Place)

DUO
1. Breea Nunziante and Jayde Andrew (1st Place)
2. Lauren Hassing and Kaylee Allen (2nd Place)

TROUPE

Lauren Hassing, Gemma Hargrave, Allanah Major, Ashley Wittman, Kaylah Mitchell, Ava Dreher, Brenna MacGregor, Martha Bone, Claire Dobson, Kaylee Allen, Breea Nunziante, Michaela Lewis-Lutwyche, Jade Yeomans, Alex Bray, Laura Fyfe, Jayde Andrew and Caitlin Zinnow (1st Place)

Grade 5 TEAM

TEAM
1. Maddie Price, Chelsea Gribble and Stephanie Osborne (2nd Place)

SOLO
1. Angel Winsor (1st Place)
2. Simone Martin (2nd Place)

DUO
1. Simone Martin and Hayley Kerr (1st Place)
2. Tahlia Saravanamutu and Sophie Gill (2nd Place)
This week we have been doing....

This past week the Osh Kids and Staff have been busy working on Anti Colouring sheets which leads the children to complete the picture according to their opinion and promotes abstract thinking. From this week on we will be following week long activities, this way all children that attend OSH can complete participate and our learning and skills are more in depth. We in leadership have started the busy period and in conjunction with Head Office are planning the ins and outs of holiday program...

Watch this space

Planning...

Moving forward we are trying to incorporate sustainability and life skills into our daily routines such as, composting, recycling and gardening. If you know of any exciting games or craft ideas please feel free to let us know. Any other suggestions? Give us a call or come and see us in the OSHClub room.

Booking In

Please note 3/06/2016 is a pupil free day at the basin, if your child is required to attend the whole day program please book in. If we do not get adequate number the curriculum day will not go ahead.

Holiday Program

Planning is already in full swing here at OSH and head office, We would love to see the old and new faces return. These holidays. Even if you’re are not an OSH regular your more than welcome to come in for day to play.

The holiday program activity guide will be released in the coming weeks. For more information please pop in and see us or call on 0428162718

Enrolments

Please ensure that your child’s enrolment is up to date and add any siblings that may be attending OSHClub in the new term.

Manner of the week winner:
Baxter Johnson – The Basin Primary school

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Parent Information

OSHCU program phone: 0428162718
Coordinator: Armann Kumruyan
Assistants: Jack Rountree and Pam Lecky
OSHClub Head Office: 03 85649000

All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is Free! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.
Perhaps you have been to Greece or know some Greek words. Have you seen pictures of Ancient Greek buildings that still stand today? Can you recognize their architecture in buildings in your home city? Learn to draw the columns in the buildings. How far did Pheidippides run at Marathon? Then what? Why did so many new ideas arise in Ancient Greece? What battle strategy was used successfully 2500 years later? Is China a democracy? Compare it with Australia and the first democracy in Athens? Learn to debate like they did. Try your hand at their kind of art. Or was it a craft? Great thinkers lived then so we will try some of their experiments. Why did so many things today come from Ancient Greece in the first place? Have fun learning all of this and more.

WiseOnes Application for 3rd Term 2016
This program is available for all Grade 1 - Grade 6 children who have qualified for WiseOnes.
The unit for next term will commence week beginning Thursday, 14th July, 2016.

WiseOnes Application for Term 3, 2016
This program is available for all Year 1 - Year 6 children who have qualified for WiseOnes.
The unit commences week beginning Thursday 14th July, and will run for 8 weeks.

I wish to enrol my child in the unit "Ancient Greece" starting week beginning 14/7/2016
I give permission for a copy of this slip to be handed to the WiseOnes teacher.

Child's Name ___________________________ School: The Basin Primary
Date of Birth ___________________________ Class (2016) ____________
Email: _________________________________
My child has already qualified for WiseOnes YES/NO
I would like a free test for my child YES/NO.
**Please send this slip and payment of $238.00 to your school by Friday 24th June, 2016.**

Please tick: □ Cheque □ Cash □ EFTPOS □ Direct deposit BSB: 063108 Acct:1009 3345
□ BPay (please contact the office for your BPay details)
Credit Card: Please debit my □ Mastercard □ Visa Card Expiry Date: __/___
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Telephone contact: ___________________

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