**JUNE 9th**

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<td>14th Lapathon</td>
<td>Our staff enjoyed a great PD session with Julie Shepherd last Friday gaining more knowledge in teaching spelling – in fact we learnt about Peter Bowers ‘Structured Word Inquiry approach.’ We learnt about the Word Matrix which allows students to see the base morpheme and affixes. This helps students make connections between related words they might otherwise miss. Here is an example using the base word ‘rupt’ meaning – to break.</td>
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Using Word Sums students can generate words by combing prefixes, bases and suffixes.

**WORD SUMS EXAMPLE**

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A great site to find base words and their meaning is the Online Etymology Dictionary - [http://etymonline.com/](http://etymonline.com/)  Another great site is Peter Bowers own site - [http://wordworkskingston.com/WordWorks/Home.html](http://wordworkskingston.com/WordWorks/Home.html) and his link ‘WORD SEARCHER’ to access all the words associated with the base.

**SCHOOL SELF EVALUATION - PARENT SURVEY**

Every four years schools undertake a whole school review. The first step in this process is to conduct the Self Evaluation component which identifies what is working well, what needs to continue and which areas of the school’s work may need to be improved or further developed. It informs decisions relating to priority-setting, initiatives, strategies, targets and actions for improvement.
The final step in this process is the development of a Strategic Plan which defines the school's vision and values, agreement on the goals and targets the school is striving to achieve for its students, staff and community. Improvement priorities and initiatives are established for the next four years as informed by the school's self-evaluation process including the school community's perspective. The school's leadership team and the whole staff have recently evaluated the school's progress against the targets of Student Learning, Student Engagement & Wellbeing and Student Pathways & Transition aspirational targets set in 2012.

We are pleased to inform our school community that we have more than exceeded goals set in the Student Learning area e.g. in Reading we currently have 61% of students achieving 6 months or more ahead of their expected level and in the area of Number & Algebra, 52% of students are working 6 months or more above. There are many reasons behind this improvement and already we believe we can set even higher targets in the next Strategic Plan.

We are always looking to improve and have implemented new programs in response to great ideas from staff, parents, Department of Education and the wider school community. We would love to receive your thoughts in answering four key questions on a parent survey that will be distributed on Friday. Could you please return this survey by submitting it to the office no later than Friday 17th June?

**LUNCHTIME BOOKCLUB**
Commencing next term will are introducing a lunchtime Book Club for students each Tuesday from 2:00 - 2:30pm in the Library. Kylie Cribb has offered to run this session following a request from two Grade 5 students - Jacob Neil and Sam Ayliffe. We'd love to hear from any parents with a passion for reading to attend and assist Kylie - please contact the office or speak to Kylie in person.

**STUDENT JUNE REPORTS - COMPASS**
Shortly parents will receive an information guide about how to access their children's June reports online from COMPASS. We request parents keep this information booklet as a reference as we will be gradually introducing other COMPASS modules. Student Reports will become 'live' on the COM-PASS website towards the end of last week of term.

A major change from previous years is that there will be no hard copies supplied to parents. Reports can be accessed on computers, notebooks, tablets and smart phones. Parents without internet access can approach the office for assistance.

Parents will receive their very own COMPASS logon details - username and password.
Other COMPASS MODULES we plan to gradually introduce include - Student Attendance, a School Calendar, a Staff and Parent Communications module, Interview Booking and an Excursion Approval and Payment module.
HEADLICE
We are aware that head lice can be a sensitive issue and are committed to maintaining confidentiality. It has come to our attention that some students in the school have head lice and I seek your cooperation in checking your child's hair each week. Head lice do not transmit infectious diseases – they are transmitted by having head to head contact with someone who has head lice. Head lice are common in school-aged children and are the most adaptable of creatures. They have survived living solely on humans for 10,000 years!!!!

What can you do?
I seek your cooperation in checking your child’s hair and in those instances where head lice or eggs are found, treat your child’s hair.

How do I treat my child for head lice?
Information can be located on the Health Victoria website - https://www2.health.vic.gov.au/
If head lice or eggs are found on your child’s hair you need to inform: the school and advise when that treatment has started.

When can my child return to school?
Health regulations require that where a child has head lice, that child should not return to school until the day after appropriate treatment has started. Please note, this refers only to those children who have live head lice and does not refer to head lice eggs. To help stop the spread, children’s hair should be tied up at school and all home bedding thoroughly washed.

CHICKEN POX
This week we have been notified that three Grade 3/4 students have chicken pox. Children with chicken pox are to be excluded from school until all blisters have dried. This usually is at least 5 days after the rashes appear.

IMPORTANT TO READ NEWSLETTERS
On Friday once again we had a couple of children arrive at school on a Curriculum Day. We have four pupil free curriculum days each year and we notify parents via our newsletter. We urge parents to log onto our site and register to access our newsletter.

QUEEN’S BIRTHDAY LONG WEEKEND
The Queen’s Birthday long weekend is upon us – the school is closed next Monday 13th June.

END OF TERM DISMISSAL
Children will be dismissed at 2:30pm on the last day of Term - Friday 24th June.

Graeme Russell
The Apple man is back

Friday 10th June 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.

June

6th  Michaela Lewis-Lutwyche
8th  Dylan Goschnick
     Tyler Kober
     Flynn Russell
10th Jackson Pollock
11th Sienna Yeomans
     Cohen Chrystal
     Mia Duckworth
     Julie-Anne Roberts
12th Evan Hassing
     Teagan Gebing
### PUPIL OF THE WEEK

**WEEK 9 ENDING 10TH JUNE, 2016**

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<td>for giving challenging books a go to continue to extend yourself. You are an amazing reader, keep it up!</td>
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<td>PH Jai Montell</td>
<td>for terrific concentration and behaviour on our Woolworths excursion. Good boy Jai.</td>
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<td>Zara Nicholson</td>
<td>for terrific behaviour and answering lots of questions on our Woolworths excursion. Good girl Zara.</td>
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<td>PK Keira Lock</td>
<td>for her beautifully presented and detailed weekend writing. You are a star Keira!</td>
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<td>PS Jack Jiggins</td>
<td>for his amazing weekend writing with many sounds. You are a star Jack!</td>
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<td>PE Zara Preest</td>
<td>for the amazing effort she always puts into her work. Keep up the wonderful attitude Zara!</td>
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<td>1R Nathan Collins</td>
<td>for trying your very best when writing your spelling words. Keep up the great effort and practice Nathan!</td>
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<td>1M Isobel Cochrane</td>
<td>recognising and ordering coins according to their value. Keep up the great learning in class, Isobel!</td>
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<td>1W Tyler Kober</td>
<td>for making great choices when learning and for super deeper concentration during all activities. Keep it up Tyler.</td>
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<td>2D Teah Smith</td>
<td>for her beautiful illustrations on her &quot;Happy, Healthy, Mel&quot; alphabet chart. Lovely work Teah!</td>
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<td>2S Callum White</td>
<td>for his fantastic efforts in finding the solution to his addition worded problems. Keaton Furlong - for the amazing detail he put into his drawings for 'This Little Piggy'.</td>
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<td>2W Jordana Lutwyche</td>
<td>for her fabulous research about the human body and the great poster she did to show her knowledge.</td>
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<td>3H Taylor Callaway</td>
<td>for her excellent word investigations involving prefix and suffix meanings. Terrific job!</td>
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<td>for showing a great passion and engagement during our maths session learning about fractions. Super work Shaun!</td>
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<td>3/4P Charli Ellicott</td>
<td>for the wonderful effort she has put into drafting and publishing her picture story book. Great narrative writing skills Charli!</td>
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<td>4C Xavier Leather</td>
<td>for his excellent narrative writing titled 'Escape From Friends of C'. It was an entertaining story to read Xavier!</td>
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<td>4M Peter Hartley-Borazio</td>
<td>for his determined approach when writing a 'Sizzling Start' for his narrative! Keep up the great work Pete!</td>
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<td>5M Luke Marshman</td>
<td>for not being afraid to give the first draft of his narrative a solid restructuring. You made huge improvements on the overall story Luke. Great job!</td>
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<td>5S Jayden Willoughby</td>
<td>For your persistent and enthusiastic attitude towards all our Maths sessions. Keep challenging yourself Jayden!</td>
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<td>5/6R Kaity Mayfield</td>
<td>for her excellent mathematical thinking when problem solving and completing our math's games. Very clever Kaity!</td>
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<td>6G Lauren Hassing</td>
<td>for her outstanding visualisation. Lauren used detailed evidence from the text to justify her visualisation and took her time to ensure she had drawn everything correctly, resulting in a wonderful piece of work. Well done Lauren!</td>
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The Basin Primary School

Bounce Back Awards

Prep: Lincoln Bascombe Hay - for always showing great care for the welfare of others and always offering to help, you are truly a treasure!

Grade 1: Brock Lacy - for being the boss of his feelings and trying hard to remember to walk away when he is feeling angry. You are getting so much better at turning a bad mood into a good mood. Keep it up Brock!

Grade 2: Hayden Montell - for having the courage to stand up and talk about his emotions. It is sometimes scary to talk about how you are feeling in front of your friends. You are a real hero, Hayden.

Grade 3: Zavier Edward - for the willingness and confidence he shows when approaching challenging tasks. You give everything a go Zavier and you never give up! What a terrific attitude you have!

Grade 4: Teagan Gebing - for always being so thoughtful and considerate of other people’s thoughts and feelings. Teagan consistently uses kind words and gentle actions towards others and endeavours to include them in activities.

Grade 5: Travis Hillier - For your excellent sportsmanship during our first round of Winter Sports. You were a fantastic role model for your peers and a did an amazing job representing our school. Awesome work Trav!

Grade 6: Jacqueline Dornbierer - for her outstanding attitude and teamwork when playing soccer. Jacqui put the team first by playing in defence, where she stopped the opposition from scoring several times. I commend her on her awesome skills and outstanding sportsmanship, she is a real asset to the team!
DIVISION CROSS COUNTRY

Last Friday at Knox Park 16 of our school’s best cross country runners took part in the Knox Division Cross Country Event. To qualify for this level they had all finished in the top 20 places at district level. Each of our students ran a terrific race and can be congratulated on their performance at a high level of competition. A special mention needs to be made of Olivia Curson who was outstanding in winning her event. By finishing in the top twelve places Jhye Smith (8th), Tylah Chrystal (6th), Zarah Smith (2nd) and Olivia Curson (4th) join Olivia in qualifying to take part in the Region Cross Country Event at Yarra Valley Racecourse on Tuesday 14th June. Thank you to all families who came along to support your children and helped with transport. Individual results were as follows:

10 Years Girls – Olivia Curson 1st, Zarah Smith 2nd, Alex Dummett 27th.
12 Girls – Lauren Hassing – 36th.

Dale Goldsmith
Phys-Ed and Sport
**RUGBY LEAGUE**

On Saturday night we were very fortunate to have a school rugby league team play during half time at AAMI Park in the NRL game Melbourne Storm v Penrith Panthers. It was a wonderful experience for the students and their families. The chance to be involved arose after all students in Grades 3/4/5/6 took part in a fantastic rugby league clinic at school run by Melbourne Storm development officer Len Mason. Len was so impressed with the enthusiasm and skill of our students he offered us the opportunity to play at AAMI Park. Our team played against a team from Manchester Primary school and in a game of strong defence it was a 0-0 draw. We had many opportunities to score but couldn’t quite get over the try line. Other highlights included Melbourne scoring a try just before half time only metres from where we stood on the ground. We were also lucky enough to form a guard of honour for the players as they entered the ground after half time. All players slapped hands with our team and Melbourne Storm star Cooper Cronk had some fun with the boys pulling faces and pretending to be an aeroplane as he gave them “fives”.

If you are interested in having your child join a rugby league club please contact:

Steve Hoffman – Eastern Raptors RLC [president@easternraptors.com.au](mailto:president@easternraptors.com.au)
Schools with Students Participating in the Spectacular

Newsletter Template

Victorian State Schools Spectacular – Get your tickets!

We are proud and excited to have some of our students participating in the 2016 Victorian State Schools Spectacular: The Elements.

This year’s Spectacular will be held at Hisense Arena on Saturday 10 September, with two shows at 1pm and 6:30pm. The three-hour Spectacular will be filmed for broadcast by Channel 7.

For a fun, family entertainment experience, and to cheer on our students from the audience, be quick to secure discounted tickets.

Talented young skaters, musicians, dancers and singers will feature on stage, while many other students will work behind the scenes, gaining unique, on-the-job, professional experience.

This program, run by the Department of Education and Training, helps to develop each student’s performance skills, discipline, perseverance, cooperation and confidence under the training of industry professionals.

Discount Early Bird tickets for the Spectacular will be available for 11 days only from 10am on Friday 3 June. Standard ticket prices will apply after then.

Early Bird tickets – available for one week only from 10am on Friday 3 June

Adult – $35
Child Under 15 – $18
Concession – $30

Buy 10 tickets and get one adult ticket free (for group bookings please call 1300 364 001)

General Admission tickets – available from 9am on Tuesday 14 June

Adult – $40
Concession – $30
Child Under 15 – $20

Buy 10 tickets and get one adult ticket free (for group bookings please call 1300 364 001)

To purchase tickets, visit www.ticketek.com.au or phone Ticketek on 132 849.

For more information about the event and program, go to the Spectacular Facebook and website page:

https://www.facebook.com/performingartsunit

OSHClub News
Before School / After School Care Program

Program Update

This week we have been doing....
As the Term is coming to an end the staff here at OSH are in Holiday Program OVERDRIVE. The children have been working together with Jack on the new Rules and conduct display which looks great. (Perhaps you should come in and see) other than this we have just been in cruise control allowing the children to direct their play and inadvertent Learning.

WE NEED YOU
We are needing recycled materials (cereal boxes, Packing boxes, milk cartons ect.) for our art projects, if you have any lying around the home we would love to take them off your hands. Also Board games are pure gold here at OSH, if you have any that you are no longer using or are a bit worse for wear we would love to take them off your hands.

Booking In
Please ensure you are contacting OSHClub if your child is not going to be at a session to avoid us following the missing child procedure, please contact us on 0428162718 if you child is not able to attend a session.

Holiday Program
Planning is complete and we now know all the exciting activities and themes we will be doing each day of holiday Program. See attachment for more information, or come in and see us in the OSH Room. Please note number are Non negotiable and it is first in best dressed. Excursion and incursion days fill up the quickest so ensure you book in.

Enrolments
Now it is mid–year, please ensure that your enrolment is up to day with correct account authorities, contact details and emergency contacts.

Manner of the week winner:
Abbigail Jeffree – The Basin Primary school G6

This Week’s Activities

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Parent Information

OSH program phone: 0428162718
Coordinator: Arman Kumruyen
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.
The Basin Primary School
MONDAY 27TH JUNE to FRIDAY 8TH JULY 2016

Your fees are from:
$5.70 - $63.50 per day
Book early as $10 late fee applies for
any bookings made within 5 calendar days.
As assessed by CentralKids. Exclusions and Insurance are an additional cost on top of the daily fee.

Address: Mountain Highway, The Basin VIC 3154

Monday 27th June

Winter Wonderland
Each snowflake like a falling star smiling beauty that’s spun afar.
Come along as we create our own Indoor Wonderland!

Some of the activities today include:
Game: Indoor Snowball Fight
Craft: Water Bottle Snowman
Active Play: Snow Flakes Relay

Tuesday 28th June

A day in the Outback
Saddle up and ride into the great Australian Outback with us today.

Some of the activities today include:
Craft: Desert Designs
Outdoor Game: Kangaroo Hop
Group Game: Cattle Wranglers

Incursion: Reptile Show – Additional Cost: $15.00

Wednesday 29th June

EXCURSION TODAY!
Split your sides laughing at the latest Matt Grey Children’s performance “Grounded Show” at the Phoenix Theatre in Elwood today!

Please arrive by 8:45am
For updated departure and return times please confirm with the program coordinator a few days prior.

Additional cost: $25.00

Thursday 30th June

Red Rocket
I’m building a rocket, it will be finished soon then I’m taking my friends on a trip to the moon.

Some of the activities today include:
Challenge: Build a Rocket Ship
Experiment: Erupting Moon Rocks
Outdoor game: Outer Space Obstacle Course

Friday 1st July

Musical Madness
Share your musical talents with us today.

Some of the activities today include:
Active Play: Melodious Games – Craft: Rainbow Rain Sticks
Challenge: Make your own musical instruments

Monday 4th July

Our Kitchen Rules
Cook up a storm in the OSHClub Kitchen today as you learn new recipes and participate in challenges.

Some of the activities today include:
Game: Fruit Salad
Craft: Pasta Patterns – Quiz: Ingredients Quiz

Tuesday 5th July

Let’s Get Creative
Let your imagination run wild and get creative in the OSHClub artist’s studio today.

Some of the activities today include:
Active Play: Paint a Picasso Relay
Craft: Puffy Paint Art – Craft: Bath Bombs

Wednesday 6th July

Rio Olympics
Get dressed in your sports gear as we head to Rio for our own Mini Olympics.

Some of the activities today include:
Outdoor games: Mini Greek Decathlon
Craft and game: Olympic Torch Relay
Craft: Olympic Laurel Wreath Crown

Incursion: Proactivity - Olympics – Additional Cost: $45.00

Thursday 7th July

EXCURSION TODAY!
OSHCLUB is taking over Bounce Inc today in Blackburn! Make sure you have a big breakfast as it’s going to be an energetic day!

Please arrive by 8:45am
For updated departure and return times please confirm with the program coordinator a few days prior.

Additional cost: $25.00

Friday 8th July

Dinosaur Dig
Join us on an expedition to the jurassic jungle.

Some of the activities today include:
Outdoor game: Hadrosaurs and Velociraptors
Craft: Stand-up Stegosaurus
Challenge: Make your own Dino Fossils
YES FOR YOGA!

When: Wednesday lunchtime

Where: The Multi-Purpose Room

Optional gold coin donation to Beyond Blue

The Basin Primary School
School Holiday Program
Strikers Football Clinic

Tuesday : 28th June & 5th July
Wednesday : 29th June & 6th July
Thursday : 30th June & 7th July

Ages 5 - 7 years 8 - 12 years

Session 1 : 9am to 12 pm  Session 2 : 1pm to 4 pm

FULL DAY : 9 am to 4 pm

Cost : $25:00 per session OR $40:00 FULL DAY
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
B.Y.O. Morning Tea / Lunch / Drinks / Snacks
CANTEEN AVAILABLE
Doors open 8:30 am - Doors close 4:30 pm

Coaching and Fun Games

for information www.bayswaterindoorsoccer.com.au