

From the Principal

Thank you to parents, carers and community members for your understanding and patience as we have now moved the Colour Run to a new date in term 4. The original date was changed due to a national day of mourning with the sudden passing of Queen Elizabeth II of England. At this stage the Colour Run will be held on 20th October 2022.

We are having a push on uniforms in the coming weeks, particularly as winter comes to an end. We do expect our students to comply with the school's dress code and demonstrate their connectedness to our community through the wearing of uniforms. Parents are able to review the school dress code on our school website. In particular, children should have school hats. Thank you to families for supporting us with this. Exciting news with regards to the double-sided hats which will be available for the start of the 2023 school year.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank parents, carers, Teachers and students for their ongoing support and flexibility that finally saw our Factional Carnival conclude. A fantastic few days were had with Bickley coming out victorious as this years Faction Carnival winners. Congratulations!

As we head into the term 3 holidays, can I take this opportunity to wish you a great break and time of refreshing for you and your families before we return and commence term 4 which promises to be a busy one!

Stephen Boon—Principal

From the School

INTERSCHOOL CARNIVAL

Interschool Carnival will be hosted by OGPS in Term 4, on the 25th (Jumps & Throws) and 28th October (Athletics.)

SUBWAY ORDERS FOR INTERSCHOOL CARNIVAL

The P&C will be organizing a Subway order for both Jumps & Throws and the Athletics events. Notes will be sent home in coming days to order. Please note neither the P&C nor the office will be able to provide change.

Rapid Antigen Tests (RAT's) Collection

Can be collected by parents from the front office. Each child has an issue of 20 RATs. Please be aware we cannot give RATs to children to collect as the product is marked "keep out of reach of children". The RATs being distributed in this round are nasal swabs.

Going to a New School in 2023?

If you know that your child will not be attending OGPS in 2023, please let us know as soon as possible. A note will be coming home shortly. Please complete it and return it to the office. It is not necessary to complete the form if your student is moving to high school.

Bushfire Season

Please refer to important information attached pertaining to our upcoming bushfire season and how Orange Grove Primary School is preparing for it.

Event Calendar

Date	Event
15th September	Musica Viva Incursion
16th September	Assembly Hosted by Kindy
22nd September	Public Holiday— National Day of Mourning
23rd September	Last Day of Term
11th October	First Day of Term 4
25th October	Interschool Carnival—Jumps & Throws



FACTION CARNIVAL 2022

2022 WINNER!!!

BICKLEY

465 points



2nd Place

ELLIS

418 points



3rd Place

MASON

412 points



Champion Boys & Champion Girls

Junior Girl Runner Up—Arianna C

Junior Runner Up Boy—Jeremiah J

& Charlie C

Junior Girl Champion—Eleanor B

Junior Champion Boy— Elvin T

Intermediate Girl Runner Up—Stella T

Intermediate Boy Runner Up—Zavier N

Intermediate Girl Champion—Jasmin H

Intermediate Boy Champion—Jacob W

Senior Girl Runner Up—Inara S

Senior Boy Runner Up—Shane Q

Senior Girl Champion—Jaliyah A

Senior Boy Champion—Mitchell B





Term 3 Week 7

Honour Certificates

Arlo B.	Ryder W.
Estella S.	Nikolai R.
Shanay A.	Calio K.
Taika S.	Dean H.
Emma T.	Zavier N.
Carter W.	Jacob B.
Cole N.	Jett C.



Mathletics Award Winners

SILVER CERTIFICATES

Room 3: Jacob W , Charlee W, Sophie K, Abigail G, Peta A , Abhijot S

Room 4 : Oliver L Eve U Charlie C Jeremiah J

MATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Junior Mathlete : Oliver L (Room 4)

Senior Mathlete: Peta A (Room 3)

BRONZE CERTIFICATE

Awarded to Room 3



As we approach the warmer weather and the imposing threat of Bushfires, it is a timely reminder to ensure that we are prepared for a threat. As you will have seen from the media, the Fire Danger Rating System has changed and these changes can be revisited at the website [DFES - Department of Fire and Emergency Services](https://www.dfes.nsw.gov.au/About-DFES/What-we-do/Preparedness-and-response/Bushfire-preparedness).

At Orange Grove PS it is imperative that we are always prepared in case of a Bushfire event. We have our grounds monitored on a regular basis. We have also enacted a couple of drills recently to remind students of the expectations in such an event. All students have been seen to respond with a clear knowledge of processes and it has been fabulous to see older students show genuine care to our younger more inexperienced students. We also engage in professional learning from DFES to ensure our response follows the most up-to-date information.

Some information for your interest:

- When we practise an Invacuation, we congregate in a safe location on school grounds. This is the Pre primary building. In this building we have a variety of supplies should we need them.
- When we practise an Evacuation, we would be looking to use buses and move off site. We then either move to the Orange orchard at the bottom of Boyle Lane or walk out the back of the school to Dale Place.
- We use a messaging service in such cases so that parents and carers will be notified via SMS of what has happened and where and when to collect students.



RU OK? Day Celebrations at OGPS

Thank you Real Life Church!

Friday 9/9 saw Real Life Church come and put on morning tea for our staff in celebration of R U OK? Day. Many thanks to our Chaplain, Sandy for organising.



East Maddington Dental Therapy Centre's (DTC)

Sept/Oct 2022 School Holidays hours:

Closed – 27th Sept to 6th of October

For emergency only please call Gosnells Dental Therapy Centre between 8am to 3:30pm for assistance on 9398 4006.

For after- hours emergencies please call 1800 098 818.



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Maddington Little Athletics New 2022/2023 Season Starting



Family, Fun & Fitness

Athletes can compete in a range of different events including distance running, sprints, walks, hurdles, long jump, high jump, javelin, shot put and discus. We cater for all different fitness levels and abilities and welcome everyone. We compete with the Gosnells centre at Langford Oval, every Saturday morning from 7:45am.

Registration Info

Registration is for a twelve-month period that includes both the summer season (October – March) and the optional winter season (May – August) for athletes from age 5 through to 17. Fees per athlete are \$200.00, discounts apply for more than one child per family. Kidsports vouchers are available for families who are eligible. We offer 2 training sessions to try for free before you register.

Club Training Days

Training Days
Tuesdays and Thursdays 4:30-6:30pm

Training Venue
Harmony Fields, Alcock st, Maddington

Pre-Season Training Start Date
Thursday 22nd of September 2022

First competition
Starts 15th of October 2022



For more information



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