

Auburn Primary School



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DIARY DATES

JUNE

Week 10

Tues 05	JP prac. teacher visit, Sporting Schools 5 (cricket; final)
Wed 06	JP prac. teacher visit,
Thurs 07	Robogals workshops
Fri 08	Skipping JUMP-OFF! Early dismissal (2.15pm)

TERM 2

JULY

Week 1

Newsletter Week

Mon 25	Term 2 BEGINS
Thurs 28	JP prac. teacher visit
Fri 29	JP prac. teacher visit, Tree Planting

AUGUST

Week 2

Tues 02	OSHC meeting
Thurs 04	Musica Viva (Two-wheel time machine)

Week 3

Tues 09	Gov. Council meeting
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FROM THE PRINCIPAL...

Briony Ackland

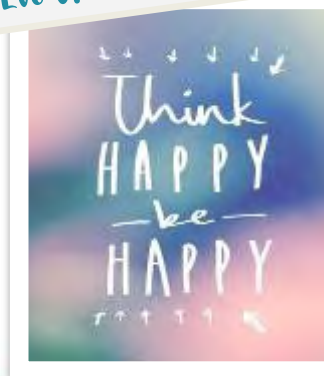
Another term and another 10 weeks of curiosity and wonder! As one of our recent Facebook posts highlighted, the learning experiences and journeys of our students have been many and varied, engaging and inspiring. From gardening projects to German conversations and everything in between, while we all feel a bit puffed by this time in the term, it is ever-rewarding to reflect on what we have achieved together and smile.

Yet still, in Week 10 we celebrate NAIDOC week, look forward to some robotics, hold the term's House Challenge (portrait competition) and finish with our much anticipated *Jump Rope for Heart* 'Jump-off'! (queue smile, here) 😊

With sickness that routinely comes with the cold weather, the holidays will serve as a timely break for rest. Celebrate all that has been achieved so far, and enjoy the down-time.

Kind regards,
Bri

Value of the week: HAPPINESS



30 June, 2022
WEEK 9 - TERM 2

THANKS TEAM!

I read a COVID meme the other day - 'Awesome Dads are harder to find than toilet paper!' (I also read that they have beards and tattoos, too, but...). I thought it was funny. But I had to disagree! Over the past few weeks we have had several small, yet significant jobs that have needed to be addressed and with a quick 'shout-out' to families via SeeSaw or SMS, have been overwhelmed with offers of support. A special thankyou to the following 'Awesome Dads' who have/will chip in to keep working away at our 'to do' list:

- **Robbie Macdonald** for cutting tiles for a new kitchen splashback and offering expert advice!
- **Brian Courtenay** for cutting logs from a fallen tree for the Jungle (waste not, want not!).
- **John Hogben**, who will shortly dismantle the old garden shed to make way for a new nest swing.
- **Scott Williams**, who will remove the cement base to the shed to prepare the site for installation of the swing.
- **Paul Kinnear**, who has started securing the new basketball score board.

Many hands make light work, and your ongoing support in this way enables us here at school to focus on our core business of teaching and learning, all the while ensuring we can provide the best learning environment for our children.

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SPORTING SCHOOLS - CRICKET

We have once again been fortunate to be able to receive Sporting Schools funding to provide access to a coaching program, this time in cricket. Despite it being winter, students were keen to learn more about cricket and so we were able to secure the support of Cricket Australia to provide a 5-week program during PE lessons. It is quite something to see the development in skills over this short period which is testament to the program and the experience provided by the coach. We are excited to try something new in Term 4 and extend the opportunity to additional sessions at OSHC. *What sport would you like to see your children access? We'd love to hear your thoughts.*



PARENTS IN PARTNERSHIP

Following our visit from Occupational Therapist (OT), Nathan Bailey, this week, we are busy preparing our Term 3 Parents in Partnership program with further face-to-face offerings. These will include a follow-up session on regulation and calming through the senses; and workshops to assist you to help your child at home with vocabulary development, reading and writing. *Keep an eye out for these fantastic opportunities with details to be released early next Term.*

OSHC AT AUBURN PS

We continue to work in partnership with Watervale PS to offer an after-school OSHC service with great success. With numbers rising, we are seeking a **Lead Educator** to work alongside the OSHC Director with a focus on the Auburn program. With a supportive team spread across two sites, we are thrilled to be able to collaborate with the new educator, including to support professional development and up-skilling, if required. *Please don't hesitate to be in touch should you be interested; and spread the word!*

R-2 garden label design project

'We identified a problem! Other people don't know what we are growing in our garden...'



Creating a detailed design

'We made some predictions about what materials would be the most weather proof. After a week out in the weather we decided what we should use for our labels.'



Surveying our garden to find out what vegetables and herbs we have so we can make labels for them. We created a list of 30 items for us to create.



PIC • COLLAGE



We used our iPad and followed an algorithm to type out our label. We also needed to google search to find a picture of the vegetable to add to the label.

1. Aa
2. type your veggie name
3. press T
4. choose AMATIC SC
5. press ✓



PARSLEY



SPINACH



Some of us also used some texas to add some design

Attaching our labels to our chosen material

We needed to think about safety when using the hot glue gun, and make sure we put the tape over our edges.



Placing our signs in the garden for the vegetables



Our finished products!



AUBURN PLAYCENTRE

This term we have introduced families to the Kimochis. Kimochi means feelings in Japanese and helps our babes to manage hard-to-have feelings. The children have loved meeting these characters and the Kimochis have become a part of our weekly story time. I have also introduced positive language that parents can use at home with their babes. The Kimochi program is a lovely addition to our school and now a lovely addition to playcentre with our babes being familiar with the Kimochi when they transition to school.

I look forward to seeing everyone next term for some Friday fun 😊 x





APS

JUMP OFF

FRIDAY
8TH JULY

FAMILIES ARE INVITED FOR AN AFTERNOON OF FUN!
CELEBRATE OUR SKIPPING SKILLS AND THE
ANNOUNCEMENT OF OUR TOTAL DONATION RAISED FOR
THE HEART FOUNDATION.

ENHANCING
OUR SKIPPING
SKILLS

1.45 AT THE
LUNCHSHED

RAISING
AWARENESS AND
FUNDS FOR THE
HEART FOUNDATION



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HAPPINESS



Auburn OSHC

Our Program is created with the children's interests, ideas and some new challenges to try. We would love to hear what ideas your children have. You can share these via seesaw or conversations.



Cooking



Social Interactions



Inquiry Projects



If you would like to book your children in contact via
Email:
dl.0470.oshc@schools.sa.edu.au or
Seesaw





INQUIRE NOW FOR 2023 KINDY ENROLMENTS

(Mid-year intake now available)

Preschool

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
9am-3pm

Playgroup

Wednesday: 10am-12pm

Funded Occasional Care

Thursday 9am-12pm



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ENROL NOW IN PRESCHOOL

Children who turn 4 before 1 May 2023 can access up to 15 hours of preschool per week

For a great start in life, enrol your child in one of SA's nation-leading public preschools

Register your interest by 30 June for the 2023 intake

Learn more

Saddleworth Early Learning Centre
 7 Saddle Road, Saddleworth SA 5413
 Ph: 8847 4245
 Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

Government of South Australia
 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

For more information visit www.education.sa.gov.au/government-enrolment

CLARE VALLEY CUBING

Be part of the very FIRST regional cubing competition in SA!

St. Joseph's School, Clare
 in the Gymnasium

Sunday 21st August, 2022

Events: 3x3, 2x2, 4x4, 5x5, 3x3 One-Handed & Skewb

Come, visit and explore the Clare Valley for this event. Limited number of places available - 75max.
 Canteen available on the day

Search and Register for the event at:
www.worldcubeassociation.org/competitions
 Registration (\$20) opens Friday 3rd June.