



Japanese calligraphy lesson – students wrote 'Nihon' (Japan) in Kanji characters

A Message from the Principal

Curriculum Day Reminder

This coming Monday 5th August our school will be undertaking the second module of the Berry Street Education Model <https://learning.berrystreet.org.au/focus-areas/berry-street-education-model>

⇒ *Please be aware that on this day students are not required at school. Out of school hours care is available through Extend OSHC.*

Riley Road Carpark Access

Over the term break, 3MDR kindly organised for the driveway to be gravelled and potholes filled. As we continue to work to improve access, due to recent poor weather we have had to rope off areas of the Riley Road carpark to protect the driveway edging. Therefore, for the foreseeable future we are discouraging community members from using this carpark; unless you are unable to find parking in surrounding streets. If you are entering the Riley Road carpark, please be mindful of others and drive carefully.

At this stage we will continue to monitor use of the carpark, and provide firmer guidelines to our community in the coming weeks.

Where are our chickens?

Due to the poor weather of recent weeks, our chickens are having a Winter “staycation” with a local family. Unfortunately, they were becoming quite ill within their current facility, and hence are enjoying being pampered off-site. At this stage we are unsure of when they will return to school, due to their current poor health. Fingers crossed that they are able to regain their health quickly.

Important Dates and Book Week Competition

Please take the time to add our important dates to your calendar, and read up on the information in this newsletter which tells you about our exciting Book Week “My Secret Power” Competition.

Foundation Enrolments for 2020

Confirmation of enrolment, and transition information will be sent home to enrolled families this week. If you know anyone who is intending on enrolling, but has not yet done so, please ask them to contact the school.

Damien Kitch

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Important School Term Dates – Term Three

- please refer to the following link for a list of important school term dates:

[Term Three Important Dates](#)

Learning Enrichment Schedule

We have a number of new clubs running for Term Three. A poster providing details of clubs and schedules is displayed in each classroom.

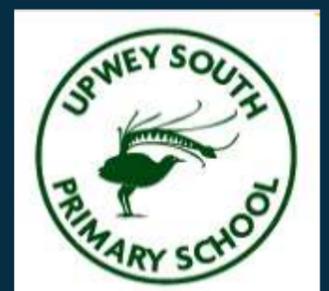
OSHC Hours

Before School Care
7:00am - 9:00am

After School Care
3:30pm - 6:30pm

Holiday Program
7:00am - 6:30pm

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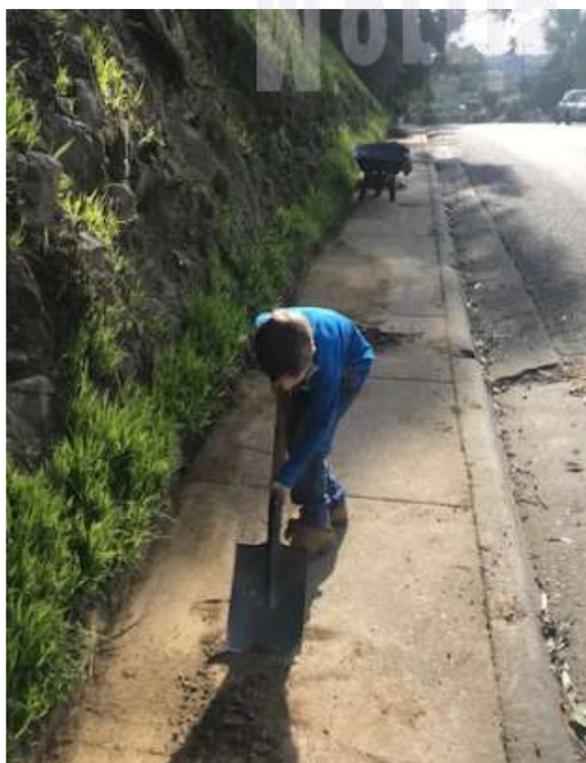


Student of the Week

Acknowledging positive learning behaviours

Student	Class	Positive Learning Behaviour
Hugh	FA	Congratulations! You have been persistently working on improving your handwriting and focus during class sessions. Keep up the good work Hugh!
Cayd	FB	Congratulations on the positive start you have made to Term 3! You have been consistently working with increased focus and concentration during all learning tasks. Well done Cayd!
Mitchell B	1/2A	Thank you for always having a positive attitude and for taking responsibility for your learning always trying your best. You are a great role model for your classmates. Keep up the great work Mitchell!
Lilly G	1/2B	For having such a positive and friendly attitude in class. We are super excited to have you in 1/2B Lilly—keep up the fantastic work!
Dylan B B	1/2C	For your amazing start to Term 3. You have come back to school with a positive and happy attitude everyday and have shown the school values in every task. Well done Dylan!
Ethan C	2/3A	You are receiving this award because you have made a wonderful start to Term 3! You have demonstrated the positive behaviours for learning when completing your school work. You have shown that you are a resilient young learner. Mrs McQueen and Mrs Lang absolutely love being your teachers!
Luke P	3/4A	For approaching his learning with enthusiasm, continuing to improve his reading and consistently making the effort to follow instructions quickly demonstrating his attentive listening skills. Well done Luke!
Charlize	3/4B	For her ongoing positivity and dedication in all learning tasks. Charlize your determination, passion and creative spirit is inspiring to those around you. You make 3/4B a happy place to be. I am so incredibly proud of your efforts!
Teagen W	5/6B	For being unfailingly respectful and responsible within the classroom. Teagen is always prepared to work her utmost to produce work at an exemplary level. Fantastic work Teagen!
Blake K	P.E.	For making a great start to Term Three in P.E. It was great to see you challenge yourself with the fitness testing and achieve some great results. Keep up the great work.

Morris Road Footpath Cleanup



One of the great things about the USPS Community, is that when we see something that needs doing...we just get in there and do it!

Over the holiday break, Cayd and Archer (Foundation) spent a number of days clearing the footpath along the Morris Road entry of the school.

It has been wonderful to see so many of our parents comment on the efforts of the boys.

Great work guys!!!



Check out the path now. WOW!!!



Division AFL Champions

On the 22nd July 2019 our Year 4/5/6 football team represented the Dandenong Ranges at the Division Finals. After a successful district carnival, we had set a great foundation to give ourselves the best opportunity to once again be successful. There were five other schools present on the day and our students played once against each school. We started off with a great win against Selby and the highlight was the great team performance every player put in. From here, we continued to play some quality team football which continued our winning run.

Our last game was against Emerald Primary who also had not lost a game. What a build-up for the crowd!!!

Without it being labelled a grand final, this game truly was going to determine the premiers for the day.

We lost the toss and had to kick against a strong breeze. To the players credit they followed all of the coach's instructions very well which even enabled us to kick a goal. We knew that if we could carry that form into the next half that it would go a long way to winning the game. With that, I am very proud to say that our boys were crowned the 2019 Division Football Champions.

We now move on to the Regional Finals on August 7th at Bulleen Park.



A big thank you goes out to all the parents who came down to support on the day, fuelled the boys with oranges, sugar and water.

We could not have done it without you all.

Justin Scicluna– Health and Physical Education



2019 UDEC JAPAN TRIP REPORT



Hiroshima Bomb Dome

Welcome back, Cody-kun, Declan-kun and Riley-kun! At the end of Term 2 through to the holiday, three of our students participated in an exciting 2-week trip to Japan accompanied by Mr. Thompson from Tecoma Primary and Masae-sensei. This trip included 4-day schooling at our Japanese sister school, 5 night-homestay, sightseeing in Tokyo (science museum, Odaiba, Tokyo Skytree) and Kyoto (temples and shrines), a visit to Hiroshima Bomb Dome and the Peace Museum, and of course, Tokyo Disneyland! Let's ask them about their experience!



Japanese calligraphy lesson – students wrote 'Nihon' (Japan) in Kanji characters



In Japan, it is a tradition for students to clean the whole school every single day! Our students are expert cleaners now!



It was a very emotional moment when the whole school came out to see us off...



Tokyo Disneyland!





Konnichiwa!!! The highlight of my Japan study trip was Tokyo Disneyland! I loved all of the rides my favourite being space mountain which was like a roller coaster that travelled up to 500 Km per hour. It was pitch black with flashing lights.

I enjoyed all of touristy spots with Hiroshima being a very memorable experience. My Japanese family were so warm and welcoming and I had fun with them. Going to school in Japan was different but good. I have made some great friends for life the best experience ever! - Riley

I was one of 18 students that went on a school trip to Japan in June. We started with a home stay and attended school in Mito Eiko School. I shared a host family with Riley and the family was very nice. They all clean the school every day and also have class on Saturday mornings. My favourite place was Disneyland. We were there for nearly 12 hours. The most interesting thing I learnt was in Hiroshima where I met a survivor. His mum is also a survivor and is still alive at 102 years old. Japanese people are very respectful and thank us for coming to visit. The country is very clean and the Japanese people are very proud of this. I had a really great time. -Cody



Best things about Japan

Hello I'm Declan Rogers. I have recently gone to Japan. These are the best things about my travel;

I went to Disneyland and rode at least 15 rides and ate at Pizza Planet from Toy Story. We drank golden Fanta and I don't know what flavour golden is. It didn't taste like anything I know.

I rode Space Mountain it apparently went faster than a bullet train (500 KM PH). As I was going down it felt like I was going to fly out.

I rode Big Thunder Mountain it was a train that went under jagged rocks and went super-fast. It looked like both trains would crash into each other because they got so close.

I drove a robot Segway it was made by Honda you sat down on it you lean forward to move forward and put both hands to one side to turn. I thought I was living in 2034.

I ate Japanese food for example eel, sushi, inaris and much more. The eel tasted like steak fat.

I went to the top of Tokyo Sky Tree first we got to the final floor and went around in circles to the top and there was a great view.

I did homestay it was the best thing about Japan because you got to experience what it's like to be in a Japanese Family. We set off fireworks in the front yard it was really fun. - Declan



Thanks to Mr. Kitch's great idea, we could bring to Mito Eiko School these 6 UDEC Australian animal toys with the school emblems as the token of our friendship. Lastly, special thanks to everyone who supported us to make this trip successful and fun! Arigatou!!! Masae Uekusa



On Wednesday 24th July, 20 of our students attended the first full-rehearsal for the upcoming VSSS.

Our 20 students are part of the mass choir, which is made up of 1500 students from across Victorian government schools, encompassing both secondary and primary schools.

This year, we are very fortunate to be the only primary school in Victoria who has been provided with the opportunity to have our students as members of the "back-stage technical crew". Our school was invited to do so, based upon exemplary performances and commitment over the previous years.

This year Ryan and Angelica will both be helping with the technical aspects of backstage, and will provide us with some insights into their experiences in upcoming newsletters.

If you haven't been to the VSSS before, we highly encourage you to buy tickets. *It is spectacular!*



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TERM 3 UPDATE



BOGAN BARGAINS

Every good bogan likes a bargain buy! And at this year's bingo night, we got 'em! You will have the opportunity to bid on heaps of items for a great price as well as raising money for our school. Good onya!

- A brand spanking new iPad courtesy of Chandler & Co Real Estate
- A day at the races in a posh tent for you and ya mates from County Racing Victoria
- A ride on 4wd truck for the kidlets, valued at \$400, courtesy of the McCleary family and Hunter products.
- Our extremely popular and priceless VIP parking spot at school
- A 2 night escape to Rosebud for you and a friend, valued at \$500 from Sinead Phillips, Travel Managers.

Plus lots more grouse items such as Fernwood gym membership, Puffing Billing family pass, dining at Skyhigh Restaurant, bicycles, meat tray etc!

DOORS OPEN AT 7PM so you can get your bids in early or be first with the "buy it now" price!

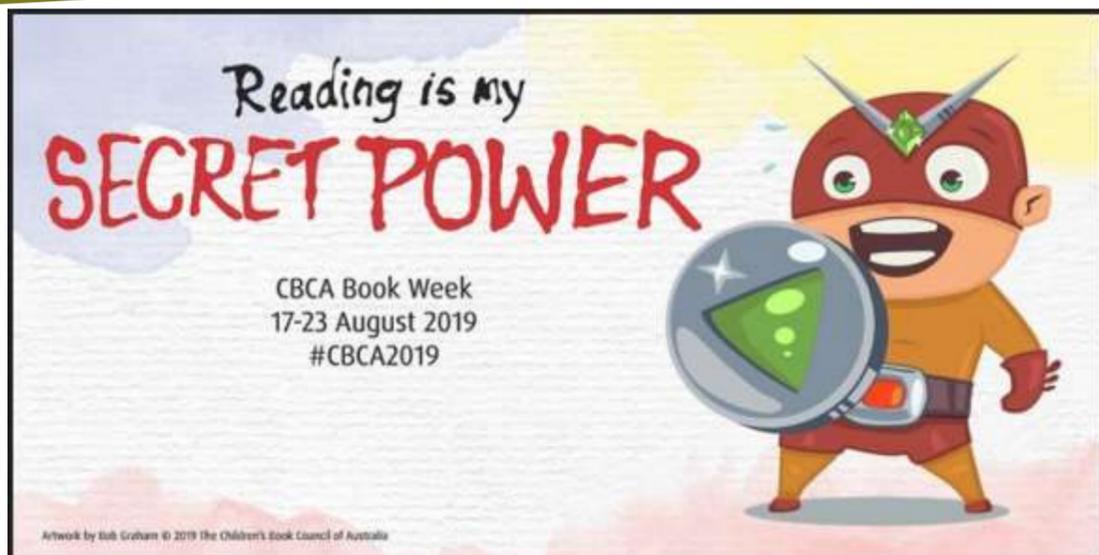
Oi! Don't forget you need to purchase your tickets via QKR or from the School Office. Better do it now, before they are all gone!!



The PTA thanks you for supporting our upcoming Term 3 activities:

- ✓ 10 Aug: Bogan Bingo (Parents night)
- ✓ 30 Aug: Father's Day stall
- ✓ 6 Sep: Hot dog lunch/Footy day

Look for further information in the coming weeks via Compass.



Book Week Writing Competition

*Would you love the chance to read YOUR story on 3MDR, and be part of a live-DJ set!
If this sounds like something you are interested in, then keep reading...*

This year our school will be celebrating Book Week during Week Seven (26-30 August).

As part of our Book Week Celebrations, we will be running a “Secret Power” 200 word writing competition. Your piece of writing can be written in any genre, and can revolve around anything you choose which is related to the theme of “Secret Power”.

Some ideas may to get you started could be:

- ⇒ A power which you have (real or imaginary) such as kindness, super cooking skills, musical talents, etc
- ⇒ A person who you think has a secret power (such as your mum/dad/ family, etc) and what it is
- ⇒ A secret power that you think could save the world (such as tree-planting, saving animals, etc)
- ⇒ What you think makes a “real” hero
- ⇒ An imaginative short story following the narrative story flow (situation, problem, solution)
- ⇒ A factually accurate retell or recall of “superhuman” achievements
- ⇒ Compare and contrast one super power vs another
- ⇒ A review of a character with powers and why you admire them
- ⇒ And the list goes on.... Be creative, be inspiring... use your secret powers!

How to enter the competition:

- 1) Talk with your family about your ideas...brainstorm...talk with your teacher...get creative!
- 2) All entries must be 200 words (or within ~10% of this target) and be written by you. Try to include a creative title for your piece of writing...*but don't put your name on the front!*
- 3) Once you have written your 200 words, type them up and print them out on an A4 piece of paper (you can choose the colour and an illustration if you wish). Choose a font style which is easy to read, and is at least 16pt in size. Set out your page so that your audience can easily read your writing.
- 4) Give your entry to your teacher; who will take a photo of your entry, mark it off as received, and record your name on the back.
- 5) Make sure you hand your entry to your teacher before 9:30am on Monday 26th August 2019.

How will winners be selected?

- ⇒ All entries will be “anonymously” displayed on the walls outside of the School Library, to be viewed by our school community. That way, the audience won't know who wrote which piece... secret powers!
- ⇒ From 2:30pm on Monday 26th August voting will be open for members of our school community. Voting will close at 4:30pm on Thursday 29th August. (Each class will visit and vote during this period).
- ⇒ The “Top Ten” will be selected based on the most votes received, with the Principal and Level Leaders holding casting votes if required. The “Top Ten” will constitute five students from F—2 and five students from 3-6.
- ⇒ Families of the Top Ten will be contacted on Friday 30th August to invite them to attend assembly on Monday 2nd September; at which the Top Ten will be announced.
- ⇒ The Top Ten will then get to read their stories on 3MDR 97.1FM, and play a live set of super/ power/ hero songs of their choice during “One Hour of Live Super Power” at 2pm on Wednesday 4th September.

Think U Know CyberSafety Information Evening- Overview

Our school will be hosting a ThinkUKnow presentation on Monday 2nd September @ 7:00pm. All parents, carers and teachers are encouraged to attend.

ThinkUKnow Australia is a cyber safety education program that educates parents, carers and teachers of how people are using technology, the challenges they may face online, and how to help them overcome these in a safe and ethical way.

ThinkUKnow Australia is a partnership between the Australian Federal Police, Microsoft Australia, Datacom and the Commonwealth Bank. The program is delivered in collaboration with policing partners New South Wales Police Force, Northern Territory Police, Queensland Police, South Australia Police, Tasmania Police, Western Australia Police, as well as Neighbourhood Watch Australasia.

THINK U KNOW
org.au

Comfortable talking to your kids about technology and the internet?

A ThinkUKnow cyber safety and security presentation will take place on

DATE: Monday 2nd September 2019

LOCATION: Upwey South Primary School

The session will cover:

- What young people SEE, SAY and DO online
- The challenges they may face
- How to report and get help if things go wrong

Visit www.thinkuknow.org.au for more information about online safety and security.

OUR PARTNERS

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The presentation will be delivered by a local law enforcement member and an industry volunteer. The presentation covers issues relating to children and young peoples' privacy and security online, their relationships with other users and their online reputation. It provides insight into the devices young people are using, as well as the popular websites, apps and social networking sites they're accessing.

This is a fantastic opportunity for you to learn more about young people and the online environment, and how you can help them to be safe and responsible users of technology.

For more information, you can visit www.thinkuknow.org.au or contact the school.

More information will be distributed to families in the coming weeks.



EXTEND OSHC CARE

OSHC Hours

School Days

7:00am - 9:00am and 3:30pm - 6:30pm

Vacation Care and Curriculum Days

7:00am - 6:30pm

Bookings: extend.com.au

Service mobile: 0487 700 024

Head Office: 1300 366 437

Book online for same day care

Did you know you can book online up until the last minute before the service starts?

We understand that unexpected events come up in work and life and we aim to help our families when circumstances change.

Log in on any device and book one minute prior to the session start time to avoid "Walk In" rates.

Enrol and book now: extend.com.au

Monday 22/07/19	Tuesday 23/07/19	Wednesday 24/07/19	Thursday 25/07/19	Friday 26/07/19
Goey Slime	Apple and cinnamon muffins	DIY soap jellies	Picasso canvas paintings	Pancake Friday

What's Been Happening?

Over the winter school holidays we've been super busy exploring a wide range of science, drama, sport and cooking activities. A highlight was conducting our very own science experiment by constructing a volcano and watching it erupt. Creating our very own canvas paintings was another highlight!



Important Dates for Your Calendar (as distributed via Compass)

Week One	<p>MONDAY 5TH JULY- TERM THREE COMMENCES</p> <p>FRIDAY 10TH JULY- PTA MEETING</p>
Week Two	<p>MONDAY 22ND JULY- KNOX/ DANDENONG RANGES DIVISION AFL FINALS (PARTICIPATING STUDENTS ONLY)</p> <p>Monday 22nd July- School Council</p> <p>Wednesday 24th July- Victorian State Schools Spectacular; city rehearsal (participating students only)</p>
Week Three	<p>WEDNESDAY 31ST JULY- MATH OLYMPIAD (PARTICIPATING STUDENTS ONLY)</p> <p>WEDNESDAY 31ST JULY- FRIDAY 2ND AUGUST- YEAR THREE/ FOUR CAMP</p>
Week Four	<p>MONDAY 5TH AUGUST- SCHOOL-WIDE CURRICULUM DAY (BERRY STREET PROFESSIONAL LEARNING FOR STAFF)</p> <p>Wednesday 7th August- Eastern Metropolitan AFL Finals (participating students only)</p> <p>Wednesday 7th August- Speechmasters Evening (Year Six students)</p> <p>Friday 9th August- Mont De Lancey Excursion (Class 12A, Class 12B, Class 12C)</p> <p>Saturday 10th August- PTA Bogan Bingo 7:30pm</p>
Week Five	<p>MONDAY 12 AUGUST- SCHOOL COUNCIL</p>
Week Six	<p><i>SCHOOL PRODUCTION WEEK (POSTPONED TO TERM FOUR- REFER TO ATTACHED LETTER)</i></p> <p>Wednesday 21st August- Math Olympiad (participating students only)</p> <p>Wednesday 21st August- Victorian State Schools Spectacular; city rehearsal (participating students only)</p> <p>Friday 23rd August- 100 days of school celebration (Class FA & Class FB)</p>
Week Seven	<p>BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS @ USPS (MY SECRET POWER)</p> <p>Wednesday 28th August- Como House excursion (Class FA & Class FB)</p> <p>Friday 30th August- Book Week Parade (school-wide)</p> <p>Friday 30th August- Father's Day Stall</p> <p>Friday 30th August- Father's Day Afternoon Tea</p> <p>Saturday 31st August- Upwey South Pre School Trivia Night</p>
Week Eight	<p>MONDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER @ 7:00PM- THINK U KNOW CYBER SAFETY COMMUNITY INFORMATION EVENING (ALL INTERESTED PARENTS) *REFER TO ATTACHED DETAILS</p> <p>Monday 2nd September- Think U Know Cybersafety workshops (senior students)</p> <p>Tuesday 3rd September- UNSW ICAS Digital Technologies (participating students only)</p> <p>Wednesday 4th September @ 2:00pm-3:00pm- selected Book Week "My Secret Power" DJ set and readings (selected students only) LIVE on 3MDR 97.1FM</p> <p>Thursday 5th September- UNSW ICAS Science (participating students only)</p> <p>Thursday 5th September- District Athletics (selected students only)</p> <p>Friday 6th September- PTA Footy Special Lunch and Footy Colours Day (all students)</p> <p><i>**TBC: Friday 6th September- Junior School Council Members invited to undertake planting at Upwey South Recreation Reserve with Southern Dandenongs Landcare Group.</i></p>
Week Nine	<p>MONDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER- SCHOOL COUNCIL</p> <p>Tuesday 10th September- Year Five- Year Six Camp Information Evening</p> <p>Tuesday 10th September- UNSW ICAS Writing (participating students only)</p> <p>Wednesday 11th September- Math Olympiad (participating students only)</p> <p>Thursday 12th September- UNSW ICAS Spelling (participating students only)</p> <p>Thursday 12th September- Victorian State Schools Spectacular; venue rehearsal (participating students only)</p> <p>Friday 13th September- Victorian State Schools Spectacular; venue rehearsal (participating students only)</p> <p>Saturday 14th September- Victorian State Schools Spectacular; venue performance (participating students only)</p>
Week Ten	<p>MONDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER- END OF TERM ASSEMBLY @ 3:00PM</p> <p>Tuesday 17th September- UNSW ICAS English (participating students only)</p> <p>Tuesday 17th September- Term Two Inquiry Celebrations (whole school) @ 2:30pm</p> <p>Wednesday 18th September- Eastern Metropolitan Athletics Finals (selected students only)</p> <p>Thursday 19th September- Math Olympiad (participating students only)</p> <p>Thursday 19th September- UNSW ICAS Mathematics (participating students only)</p> <p>Thursday 19th September- Foundation 2020 Transition Session One</p> <p>Friday 20th September- Final Day of Term Three; school concludes @ 2:30pm</p>



UPWEY SOUTH
Primary School

Tuesday 23rd July 2019

Community Notification of Alteration to School Production

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

Please note, the content of this letter is intended for parents/ guardians and is not intended for students.

We are writing to you regarding the current absence of Mrs Penelope Lang (Performing Arts), and the resulting impact upon our proposed School Production dates.

Mrs Lang has been granted bereavement leave, as she has recently experienced the death of her mother, and also her maternal grandmother, who both passed away within one week of each other. At the time of writing this letter, we are unable to confirm a return date for Mrs Lang; although her intentions are to return to school in early August.

Through discussions with the Principal, Mrs Lang has asked for her thanks to be passed onto community members who have already expressed their thoughts and wishes to her. As a community our thoughts are with Mrs Lang and her family, during what is a challenging time for all involved.

As a school we are mindful that the above situation may bring up thoughts, questions, or connections with events which are occurring, or have occurred, in the lives of our students and their families. We acknowledge that prior to the contents of this letter being shared with our students (at an age-appropriate-level) your family may wish to hold a discussion surrounding the concepts of mortality, illness, and related concepts with your children. *Therefore, classroom teachers will share the outline of this letter with students during a class discussion on the morning of Friday 26th July 2019.*

As a result of the above circumstances, the Principal has made the executive decision to defer the dates of the School Production. In making such a decision, many factors have been taken into account; ***with the highest priority being the ability to "set our students up for success."***

Therefore, our advertised Production dates of 19th- 22nd August will be deferred.

We are committed to continuing with the Production, with the tentative dates of November 11th- 14th 2019 booked with Burrinja. More information confirming these dates will be sent home with families upon the return of Mrs Lang.

We thank you in advance for your compassion and understanding of the complexities attached to the current situation.

Kind regards,

Damien Kitch

Principal

Reality

We are a Public School which means we have limited:



The dollars we do have are carefully invested in your child's educational resources
Which leaves the



for Infrastructure and the School Environment very

Stretched

This is where you come in!

We need (take a deep breath!) Arborists, Air-conditioning & Refrigeration Mechanics, Plumbers, Electricians, Bricklayers, Concreters, Cabinet Makers, Carpenters, Civil Construction, Motor Mechanics, Fencers, Fitters and Turners, Welders, Floor finishers, Gasfitters, Glaziers, Joiners, Indigenous Revegetation specialists and suppliers, Landscape Gardeners, Line Markers, Locksmiths, Metal Fabricators, Painting Trades Workers, Picture Framers, Roof Plumbers, Sheet metal Trades Workers, Sign writers, Solid Plasterers, Toolmakers, Upholsterers, Wall and Floor Tilers, Wood Machinists, Parks and Gardeners, Nursery Workers, Greenkeepers, Wall and Ceiling Liners and many more.....

Even if your professional skills aren't listed above and you have no idea how you could help, tell us anyway!

Do you have access to a trade account or know someone who can donate new materials for fencing, tree stakes, clean bark chips.....

As a school community, we all need to just jump in feet first and help in any way we can so that our school environment is the best it can be!

Please register your skills and (interest in donating them) with Rowan at rowanmillar26@gmail.com

Thankyou!

Vanessa (member of the School Council Facilities Sub-Committee, along with Rowan Millar and Mr Hennessy)

Community News

OnPsych School Psychology Services

Do you find that your child is displaying emotional or behavioural issues? OnPsych are a team of fully qualified and registered psychologists who specialise in child and adolescent services working in primary and secondary schools in both individual and group settings. Services are performed at NO COST to the school, student or parent through Medicare bulk billing.

We are now lucky to have an OnPsych staff member at Upwey South Primary School, Lily.

Who is Lily?

Lily is a passionate psychologist who works with both children and adolescents who are experiencing a range of psychological issues such as anxiety and mood disorders, Autism Spectrum Disorders, interpersonal, learning and behavioural disorders, exam stress, self harming and adjustment difficulties (social & situational). Lily employs psychological techniques such as Cognitive Behavioural Therapy, client-centred and solution-focused therapy with psycho-education. Lily firmly believes that a collaborative approach will produce the most successful outcomes for a child. If you believe that this might benefit your child, please contact your child's classroom teacher for further instructions.

If you would like any further clarifications about the onPsych service, please call us at 1300 659 350.



2nd Hand Uniform Shop

Open every Thursday 3 – 4 pm , behind the main office next to the staff room

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All Logo item \$2 All non-logo items \$1

Come and check it out!

Donations of old uniforms gratefully received and can be dropped off at the office at any time

Fresh Fruit Fridays

We value the support of our local community store!

Each class will receive a platter of cut up fruit.

If any parents could volunteer their time to cut up and distribute the fruit each Friday morning from 8.50am it would be greatly appreciated.

You must sign in at the office and have a current Working with Children check.

All fruit is donated by our local IGA in Upwey, we thank them for their continued generosity.



How the locals like it.

Lost Property is held in the school office.

Please ensure you name all items your child brings to school.

All named items are returned back to the classroom.

Now is also a great time to check your child's clothing to ensure they have their own items.

Thank-you for your assistance.

Community News

Every Child's an Artist

Belgrave Library Reynolds Lane

Tuesdays July 30th to Aug 27

4.10-5.20pm, 6-12 yrs

\$60 for 5 weeks *Includes Materials



*Try 1 class \$12

- 30 July Explore String and Print Patterns
- 6 Aug Flower Painting. Experimenting with Textures
- 13 Aug Create your favourite 3D Character using collage & construction
- 20 Aug What is a Monoprint landscape? Making prints
- 27 Aug Make a Creative Tea Light Lantern

Bev Ph 0449 654 343

bevpergl@hotmail.com "Open Heart Art and Healing"

Classes run by an experienced teacher and artist



After School Art and Craft Classes

Does your child want to develop their creative skills?

Our art and craft after school classes offer a safe, supportive, and encouraging environment for your child to nurture their creative talent. Small group sizes mean that your child can learn and explore at their own pace and develop their confidence with a qualified, encouraging art teacher. A variety of materials and techniques will be explored throughout the term, such as sculpture, printing, collage, and drawing. Everything they make they get to keep and take home with them.

DETAILS

Cost: \$184 for an 8 week full term or \$100 for a 4 week half term.

Age: 6-12 years

Where: Tecoma Uniting Church Hall

When: Every Wednesday 4 - 5.30 pm.

All materials supplied.

For more information please e mail Lisa at hi@artfulspodgers.com.au

