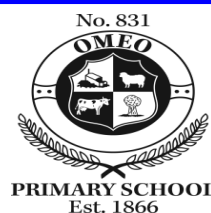


# Omeo Primary School Newsletter

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## Wednesday October 11th 2023

### Calendar dates

**Wednesdays 2:45:** Assembly in the Music Room, all parents welcome

**Monday & Friday:** Breakfast Club run by Mila & Erin

**October:** 11th October School Council

12th October - School Photos

18th October - School Bike Checks (Please bring bikes in). Omeo Power Outage (8am-4pm)

25th-27th October: Year 3/4 Camp.

**REMINDER - BROAD-BRIMMED HATS MUST BE WORN TERM 4 - Please pack one in your child's bag.**

### Birthdays

Happy Birthday for the 12th October to Ben Parry and Abigail Freestone.

### From our Principal

Dear Families,

**Mountain Bike Program and Safety Check:** On the 18th of October we will be having a bike safety check conducted by Jules Hill from All Terrain Cycles in the afternoon from 1:35-3:15

We also require that parents bring bikes in on this day or students can ride. Please contact the school if this is challenging.

### School Camps

Grade 3-4 Camp to Beechworth. \$250. I am looking forward to attending this camp and will also be attending the Grade 5-6 Camp to Camp Coolamatong for some of the camp. We are finalising the arrangements for this. Cost for families will be \$350 for the five day camp.

**School expected behaviours:** We continue to work on encouraging and developing our five expectations. They are: **We are safe, we are responsible, we are respectful, we are learners.** Each day we focus on these behaviours and give positive reinforcement when we recognise them. At times children will not get on well and this becomes a working ground to help children learn to solve problems and relearn how to be inclusive and fair. Please support your child in helping them maintain positivity.

Kind regards,

Jeff Wilson

### From the Office

**School bank details CBA: BSB: 063-857; Account No: 10006685.** Please mark your transaction with family name and what it is for eg: Shepherd Fees 22

**SCHOOL PHOTOS: Reminder:** Please ensure your child/children come to school on Thursday 12th October in neat, clean and tidy School Uniform and with those amazing SMILES- make sure you bring them along!

Information and order forms for School photo day, Thursday 12th October were sent home with students on Monday 2nd October. Ordering is online and must be done before photography day. If you have not got access to the online ordering system please contact ANDREA ASAP and she will assist you.

## Grades 3 &4 Camp- Beechworth

Thankyou to all parents for getting in the paperwork for the camp on time- it is much appreciated.

Please be reminded that payment of \$250 (this may be a mix of bank payment and money in your account) is due: **Monday 16th October.**

## Grade 6 2024 Jumpers

Edutreads have sent us information for the 2024 Grade 6 Jumpers, with suggested designs and colours. This will come home with the future Grade 6'ers next week and a decision will need to be made by the end of October.

### Student of the Week



Our Value Mascots  
Back: Emma Enjoyment, Pippa Persistence, Riana Respect,  
Front: Isaac Inclusion, Eddie Excellence

This week the junior room congratulates:

#### **Taj Van Heek**

For making such thoughtful and relevant contributions to class discussion. Well done Taj for always having a go at sharing your

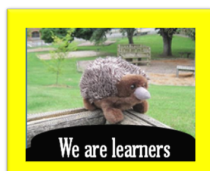
This week the senior room congratulates:

#### **Will Parry**

For taking the time to pause and help other students with tasks in mathematics. Well done Will for encouraging other students to think for themselves while supporting their thinking and learning.

### Behaviour of the Week - We are Learners

This week the junior room earnt **134** Dojo Points for demonstrating behaviours of a learner. Most of these were for the students who get to work straight away and remain focussed on their learning task.



This week the senior room earnt **124** Dojo Points for demonstrating behaviour of a learner.

### The Behaviour of the Week this week is:



We are on the lookout for students who listen to the teacher and others, plays games fairly, respects personal space and represents our school and community with pride.

### From our Classrooms

#### Junior Class News

We have had a busy week and students have been enjoying some new routines. We have a new Class Captain and Co-Captain each day this term and any student from Prep-Year 3 is eligible. It has been great to see the younger students step up into this role and also lovely to see the older students provide guidance. We have also been changing our seats for work time each day, with students getting a new partner each day and choosing different spots to sit.

In maths we are working hard on division, learning the language of 'shared between' and working out how the information we have been given can be used to represent a division number sentence. We are also continuing work with skip counting, listening to songs to assist us, and learning the 30 days has September poem.

In literacy we have finished writing our book review for the competition run by Reading for Kids East Gippsland, so we will be beginning to practice and record our review to enter into the competition. We will also be beginning our work on procedural texts. Students have also become involved in book clubs, and are reading the set text both within the group and independently.

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#### Senior Class News

This week it has been lovely to be back in our classroom. A big thank you to all of the senior students for embracing change last week while I was away, and to Ms Bannister and Jeff for teaching.

Senior students had the challenge to use their multiplication and division knowledge to redesign our classroom table workspace. They surprised me Monday with the design and it works fantastically for our range of learners and classroom routines. Well done!

This week we have elected our new class jobs and class captains for Term 4. Students are very excited to have their roles and have already demonstrated some great leadership!

Well done to class captains: **Arle, Imogen & Will** who were all voted in equally!

We have a very busy term ahead of us and are looking forward to finishing off the year strong!

As always, please feel free to contact me as required.

Gemma Rendell

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## School Information

### PIVOT Wellbeing survey:

Next week we will commence the PIVOT wellbeing survey, which will be completed in the classroom for the following 5 weeks. Students have been involved in mini lessons about the content of the surveys this week to ensure they understand what the questions are asking. The data from these surveys will guide Wellbeing Wednesday sessions and groupings this term. Please ensure you have signed and returned the permission form. This was given out last term, if

you haven't yet returned it you will receive another copy today.

## Community Information

### Omeo Community Hub:

This week:



Next week:

October 16th	October 17th	October 18th
OPEN 1-4pm OPEN	OPEN 1-4pm OPEN	Anticipated AusNet Power Outage
<b>GET ONLINE WEEK</b> <b>Get Online Week</b> <small>Want to feel safer and more confident getting online?</small> Self paced learning modules Assistance provided Lunch included – FREE 10am – 2pm	<b>GET ONLINE WEEK</b> <b>Get Online Week</b> <small>Want to feel safer and more confident getting online?</small> Self paced learning modules Assistance provided Lunch included – FREE 10am – 2pm	

October 12th	October 13 <sup>th</sup>
OPEN 1-4pm OPEN	 <b>Red Cross Wellbeing Journal – FREE</b> <b>10am -2pm</b> <b>Free Lunch</b>