Principal’s Report

Child Safe Standards
As part of the Victorian Government’s commitment to implementing the recommendations of the Betrayal of Trust report, there is a new regulatory landscape surrounding child safety, underpinned by new Child Safe Standards. The Child Safe Standards are compulsory minimum standards for all Victorian schools, to ensure they are well prepared to protect children from abuse and neglect. The Ouyen P-12 College draft Child Safe policy can be found on the school’s website.

Senior Athletics
The Years 7 to 12 Athletics were held last Friday. As usual Mrs Lonergan and her helpers did a great job preparing this event. Mr Vine worked hard to prepare the oval markings and to set up and pack up the equipment. The scores were the closest we have had for a few years with Olympic winning by only three points. I was particularly impressed by the efforts of our older students who did their best and competed in good spirit. Thank you to the parent volunteers and everyone who assisted with the day. The P-6 Athletics will take place next Friday, August 12th.

Garden Day
Last Friday while our senior students were busy on the athletics field, the P-6 students were busy planting trees, flowers, vegetables and shrubs around the school. Mrs Latta, Mr O’Neill and Mr Vine did a great job preparing for this day and our P-6 staff organised some great activities related to the environment for the students.

Revue
The Years 5-12 Student Revue took place on Tuesday evening this week with the theme - Movies. Each year level and our choir provided entertainment for all throughout the evening. Mrs Woodall worked very hard to organise the revue ably assisted by all staff and students. Thank you to everyone involved and to the parents and friends who came along to support our students.

Bullying Survey
This week Years 2 to 11 were surveyed around bullying. Our aim is to identify when, where and who is involved in bullying at our school. Students named as taking part in bullying will be counselled and their parents notified so that we can work together to ensure that the school is a happy and safe place for everyone.

More information about how to deal with bullying can be found at: http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/bullystoppers/Pages/parents.aspx

Leanne Dawes
Principal

Friday August 5th is Principals’ Day.
This is a day to recognise our wonderful Principal and Assistant Principal and to thank them for helping make our school what it is. Their leadership has put our school in good stead for the future and continues to move us into even more exciting times ahead. Thank you Mrs Dawes & Ms Cross

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SCHOOL PHOTOS:
The school photographers will be taking photos next Thursday, August 11th
Please ensure your child/ren are wearing correct winter uniform that day.

Next Parents Association Meeting - August 15th, Conference Room, 6:30pm
Super Star of the Week:
Prep: Jolie Latta
Grade 1 & 2: Nav Forse
Grade 3 & 4: Peter Ferrari

Literacy Award:
Prep: Tom Cronin
Grade 1: Claudia Maynard
Grade 1/2: Tanner Eames
Grade 3: Lukey Payne
Grade 4: Lara Cronin

Numeracy Award:
Prep: T’Arni Hodge
Grade 1: Claire Latta
Grade 2: Ava Wakefield
Grade 3: Hayley Downes
Grade 4: Lachie O’Callaghan

Attendance Bear:
Grade Prep

SHEEP SALE ROSTER:

August 11th
WORKERS
Jo Linklater
Marcella Sharp

COOKS
Trish Torpey
Mila Kerr
Jenna Singleton

August 18th
WORKERS
Melinda Lynch
5094 6238
Kerryn Harker

COOKS
Sally Renken
Vicki Manley

ONE MORE REQUIRED

August 25th
WORKERS
Jo Linklater
Seija Peck

COOKS
Kathryn John
Lois O’Callaghan
Debbie Rickard

SHEEP SALE CHANGES:
The cash tin and keys for the sheep sales can be picked up from the Ouyen Newsagency from 8am on sale days. However, due to an update to auditing processes, these must be returned to the Ouyen P-12 College General Office after each sale. If there is any need to pick the tin up earlier than Thursday morning please contact the school on 5092 1182. Arrangements will be made with the worker in charge during the school holidays.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
How wonderful that no one need wait a single moment to improve the world.
Anne Frank

YEAR 3/4 PROCEDURAL WRITING:
The 3/4s have been completing a unit of work on procedural writing. They have been writing about many different procedures, such as How to make Frogs in a Pond, How to play SPUD, How to make a gift box and How to draw a dragon.
In regard to the photos the students wrote a procedure on how to make a paper aeroplane and then they had a competition to see which aeroplane could fly the furthest.
Harrison Linklater was the overall winner.
Brittany Munro
TECH:
Our first model in technology this year was a Trinket Box.
Firstly we sketched an isometric drawing of our box. We then obtained the materials, marked out and cut the lengths.
After that we cut the top off and planed the front side so that the lid could slide in. We put the frame together with PVA glue and nailed it together. Using a square we measured so that the corners were 90 degrees. We then used some plywood for the base of the box. We used another sheet of plywood for the lid having to sand the lid so it could slide in and out.
After we finished sizing the lid, we used a burner to stencil a logo into it. We made a handle out of some of our scraps. Then we had to sand down the box so there were no sharp or spikey bits.
With our box put together we gave it a coat of shellac so it would give a nice finishing touch.
After we completed our box we had to write up our report and we could take them home.  

Nat Nihill

GOOD MANNERS AWARD:
Congratulations to Evan Comrie who was the General Office Good Manners Award winner for July. Well done to Tyson Manley & Samuel O’Shannessy who were also in the running for the award.

FOOD TECH:
This week, the students conquered cupcakes, parmigianas & hamburgers.
**Year 11 VCE Career Trip Melbourne**

**Sunday 7th August**

**Departure Time:** 5am sharp

Bus Shed, Bronzewing, Speed Pick Up

All meals & movie are at your own expense.

*Photo ID & covered in shoes are a must for Monday evening activity*

Students are encouraged to bring snack food and drinks,

Staff attending - Karen Pain & Sue Sly

Final Payment is required prior to attending.

**Uni S.A / Adelaide University - Open Day Bus Trip**

**Date:** Sunday 14th August.  Cost: $25 per person

**Open to:** Students and Parents

**Payment** required by Wednesday, August 10th

This trip will only go ahead if we have enough numbers.

**Names to Sue Sly or add your name to the list in the careers office.**

**Work Experience – Victoria Police 2017**

Applications Open in the fourth week of August.

Schools can arrange a one-day student experience, Year 10 – 12.

Ideally, this 5 day placement would be during school term holidays in 2017. If you are considering a career within Victoria Police and have a genuine interest in the program please give your name to Sue Sly.

**YEAR 12 NEWS – VTAC / SATAR applications**

Open Monday 1st August - Early Close date, last week Sept.

Check out course information in CourseSearch, VTAC or Explore SATAR website. www.vtac.edu.au www.satac.edu.au

Year 12 students and parents are welcome to make an appointment if assistance is required.

You can find more information about SEAS, scholarships, offers and changing preferences at www.youtube.com/vtacmedia.

You can apply for up to eight courses, placing them in the order you must want them. You will be offered a place in the highest course in your list for which you meet the requirements.

Check out the Selection Requirements for each course for which you apply. You will NOT be offered a place in any of these courses if you do not meet the selection requirements, regardless of your ATAR.

**SPECIAL ENTRY ACCESS SCHEME (SEAS)** – This Scheme allows selection officers at universities and TAFE’s to grant special consideration for course entry to applicants, but doesn’t exempt you from meeting course requirements. SEAS doesn’t change your educational results or qualifications but enables course selection officers to consider circumstances that may have affected your results or educational progress. There are four categories of special consideration:

- Personal Information and Location
- Difficult Circumstances
- Disadvantaged Financial Background
- Disability or Medical Condition

**Flinders University News - unitTEST** Entry pathway for 2017. An aptitude test that has been developed to assess the kinds of generic reasoning and thinking skills that underpin studies at higher education & that are needed for students to be successful at this level. For more information http://www.flinders.edu.au/unitest/ The online unitTEST will be held at the school under examination conditions. Names to Sue Sly by the end of today.

**University of Melbourne - Access Melbourne 2017**

Students from a rural or isolated area or who have a disadvantaged financial background could be eligible for a guaranteed place at Melbourne by applying through Access Melbourne – even if their ATAR is below the Clearly-in Rank. Eligibility checklist includes:

- The student satisfies the prerequisite subjects for their chosen course
- Achieved an ATAR or notional ATAR in 2016 of:
  - 78 or above guarantees a place in Design or Science
  - 80 or above guarantees a place in Arts
  - 88 or above guarantees a place in Commerce
  - 95 or above guarantees a place in Biomedicine

**Federation University - Open Access** programs are those whose entry is based on applicants meeting prerequisite study scores rather than a minimum Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR). For current Year 12 students this means that, provided you have met the prerequisites of your chosen program of study, your achieved ATAR is not a factor in our decision to offer a place; therefore, your study scores will indicate your eligibility for a place when you receive your school results in December.

**Plan your Year 28th Aug**

Federation University Sunday 28th Aug

https://federation.edu.au/openday

Flinders University Fri 12th Saturday 13th Aug

http://study.flinders.edu.au/open-days/

Deakin University Warnambool Sunday 7th August, Geelong Warn Ponds & Waterfront Sunday 21st August, Melbourne Burwood, Sunday 28th August

http://openday.deakin.edu.au/

La Trobe University

https://www.latrobe.edu.au/openday/planner/

http://www.latrobe.edu.au/openday/mobile

Longerengong College Sunday 14th August

http://longerengong.org

ICIM International College of Hotel Management Sunday 14th August www.icim.edu.au

Monash University www.monash.edu/openday

The University of Melbourne Sunday 21st Aug

http://www.unimelb.edu.au/openday

**SUE SLY**

Careers Coordinator
ATHLETIC SPORTS:
Students are encouraged to wear their Olympic or Insignia tops on the day. Any face paint or hairspray must be applied before students come to school. Students will go to their normal classes where the roll will be taken, then they will move to house meetings before making their way to the oval. The athletics will commence at 10am sharp. Students will be able to go home with their parents at the conclusion of the presentations, but parents must inform the class room teacher. Students cannot leave school with another family, unless a note has been provided.
A big thank you to the parents who have offered their assistance on the day. If anyone is able to help, please ring the school and leave your name at the office.

OYEN P-12 COLLEGE
JUNIOR CAMPS - ATHLETIC SPORTS
PARENT ROSTER - 2016

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HURDLES
22. Emily Johnson
21. Jodi Lavin
20. Jack O’Malley
19. Suza Brooker
18. Laura Bond
17. Tonya Atkins
16. Gemma Morrow

DISTANCE
9. Grace Latta
8. Danny Birt
7. Luke O’Callaghan
6. Laura Baskett
5. Elke Reilly
4. John Clarke

SPRINT
3. Morgan Smith
2. Emily Wadsworth
1. Alice Pegg
0. Ben Willy
-1. Melanie Clarke
-2. Tania Wiscoz
-3. Emma Hill

SHOT PUT
6. Bailey Pennington
5. Patrick Waddell
4. Johnnie Rook
3. Max Vass
2. Aurora Chapman
1. Scott Vass
0. Cameron Tarnowsky

DISCUS
5. Sam Willoughby
4. Dylan White
3. Harrison Laidler
2. Morgan Curr
1. Jack Laidler
0. Colby Howden
-1. Tom Morris
-2. Tom Flaherty
-3. Ben Murrell
-4. Thomas Vass
-5. Taylor Wicks
-6. Christian Dwyer
-7. Michael Smith

LONG JUMP
10. Regan Davis
9. Peter Ferran
8. Jono Coutts
7. Luke Coutts
6. Hamish Dwyer
5. Liam Catts
4. Harry Henry
3. Maclean Catts
2. Lachlan Latta
1. Ral Materials
0. Blake Murrell
-1. Adam Grace
-2. Adam McInerney

HIGH JUMP:
The high jump event will be conducted prior to the sports and will take place during classes next week when physical education staff are available. Students in prep – grade 2 are requested to have their gear – especially their runners with them on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Students in grades 3-6 should bring their sports gear from Monday – Wednesday. Unfortunately parents will not have the opportunity to watch the high jump this year, but will be able to see the high jumpers in action at the Underbool sports.

MINI OLYMPICS:
The prep students took part in the Mini Olympics yesterday. They were organised by the Year 11 Physical Education class.
A range of countries were represented including China, USA, Jamaica, Iceland and Australia.
A full report will appear in the newsletter next week.

LOST:
Mrs Morrish has lost her black Kathmandu gloves – last seen in her bike basket. If anyone finds them, can they return them to Mrs Morrish or her bike basket. Her fingers are a bit cold on these mornings!

NIGHT NETBALL:
Well done to the 2016 premiers Komodo Dragons (blue), and Geckos (green) who were the runners ups.
OLYMPIC OUST OPPOSITION 2016

In a very close competition, Olympic 338.4 were victorious over Insignia 336.3 in the Inter-house Athletics Carnival for 2016. A mild Winter’s day provided pleasant conditions for our 2016 Inter-house competition which was keenly contested as Olympic and Insignia battled it out on the Athletics field. It was great to see our students competing with enthusiasm and friendly rivalry.

Congratulations to all students from both houses who participated in numerous events, many filling in at the last minute when called upon by their house captains. Also, a big thank you to those students who competed out of their age groups for the day, enabling their house to have representative in all events for each age group and those students who were unable to compete, but helped out over the day.

Well done to 2016 Open Champions
Ellen Morrish & Madeleine Hahnel and
Harrison Jolly

Record Breakers 2016
(previous record holders in brackets)
Gemma French G12/13Yrs Javelin 20.88m
(Gemma French, 19.83m, 2014)
Jake Cresp B15Yrs Discus 36.80m
(Jordan Stratford, 1992, Thomas Elliott, 2010, 35.60m)
Jack Cook B16Yrs Javelin 40.88m
(Geoff Crook, 38.18m, 2004)
Greta Hayter G12/13 Yrs Discus 18.88m
( Greta Hayter, 17.24mm, 2014 )

SSV MALLEE DISTRICT ATHLETICS TEAM

The selected team is on the Noticeboards around the school. Challenges by students who were unable to compete in events on Friday or to fill * places must be completed by the end of next week, either in Sport or at Lunchtimes. All challenges must be supervised by a Sports Teacher.

MANY THANKS to Geoff Vine who worked to ensure the ovals were marked out for the Athletics Sports.

OYUEN P-12 2016

AGE GROUP CHAMPIONS

12-13 YEARS
1. Lauren Grace (O)     Tyler Dummett (O)  
2. Jaime Anderson (O)   Heath Smith (O)    
3. Ella Hastings (O)     Victor Quince (I)   
4. Molly Grigg (O)       Darcy Cresp (I)     

14 YEARS
1. Abbey Latta (O)       Liam Munro (I)      
2. Heidi Linklater (O)   Darcy Kerr (O)      
3. Sophie Nihill (I)     Casey Mitchell (O)  
& Greta Hastings (O)     & Conor Shultz (O)  

15 YEARS
1. Kaitlin Latta (O)     Benjamin Morrish (O) 
2. Hallie Wills (I)      Bailey Pengelly (I)  
3. Jessica Down (I)      Ryan Mudge (I)      
4. Lucy Morrish (O)      Nic Erhardt (O)     

16 YEARS
1. Laura Hayter (I)      Jake Cresp (I)      
2. Alana Linklater (O)   Adam Morrish (O)    
& Allie Winslow & Callum Nixon (I)  
3.                        
4. Megan O’Connor (I)    Alex Maynard (I)    

17 YEARS
1. Charlee Pengelly (I)  Tom Morrish (O)     
& Jack Cook (I)         
2. Annie Brown (O)      
3. Emma Birch (O)       Ryan McKay (O)       
4.                        

18-20 YEARS
1. Grace Woodall (I)    Matt Cresp (I)       
2. Eb Summerhayes (I)   Peter Hulland (O)    
3. Sarah O’Connor (I)   Kyle Sporn (I)       
& Aidan Down (I)        
4. Millie Gibson (O)    & Adriana Smith (O)  

OPEN
Madeleine Hahnel (I) & Ellen Morrish (O) and Harrison Jolly (I)

THANKYOU to

-Tania Down and other parents who helped throughout the day at the House Athletics Carnival. Your assistance is vital to the successful running of these important events.
-all staff members who worked on the various events and in the recording shed all day. A special mention to Mrs Michelle Morrish who helped out on her day off.
-Mrs Sue Sly for her assistance with the entry sheets - Mrs Michelle Morrish, Mr Clark, Mr. Hussey, Mr. Morrish, Mr. Amos and other staff members for their help in the setting and packing up of the event.
SECONDARY ATHS:
Congratulations to the Age Group Champions, the Open Champions and the Olympic House captains who accepted the winners cup on behalf of their team.
PARENTS ASSOCIATION NEWS:
Well done - to students and staff, performers, stagecrew, scriptwriters, sound and lighting for an entertaining Revue performance.

Catering – Thanks to those who were able to provide the sandwiches, savouries, cakes, slices and scones for afternoon tea last Sunday for the Gregg’s Electrical Golf Day. In return, the school received a generous donation from Gregg’s Laser Electrical to be used for the Cathy McKechnie Memorial garden. Well worth the effort. Thanks, too, to James Phillips, SRC, for accepting the donation on our behalf.

P.E Professional Development event – Monday, August 15 – morning tea for 20, lunch for some - Years 9/10.

SES Dinner – August 22nd - Years 5/6 are being asked to look after the SES dinner for 30 at the SES building [cooking in Community Centre].

Year 11/12 - A reminder to parents of students who may be heading to Uni/ TAFE/ Trade School in the next year or three that now is the time to be planning visits to Open Days, researching scholarships to apply for, and booking in for subject lectures for exam preparation. Sue Sly’s newsletter page is full of info.

Safe Schools program – Are you interested in how this will come into effect at Ouyen P-12 College? If there is enough parent interest, Parents Association will organise an event where the program will be explained along with what will be mandatory and what is optional, and what does it really mean for this school and the students/staff.

Still missing a dish? There are two good dishes/ plates left from the Cluster catering. Please contact the school 50921188 or Raelene 0407849174 if you think one might be yours. One is a white square platter, the other a blue fluted quiche dish with pink flowers.

CATERING:
Professional Development Day, August 15th – Year 9/10 families – contact Fiona Latta on 0427141515
Please deliver to the Community Centre by 9:30a.m.
1 small savoury platter
3 doz mixed cake/slice [3 or 4 varieties]
2L juice
2L soup
Small platter fruit
2 workers to serve and clear

SES Dinner, August 22nd - Year 5/6 families – contact Melanie Grace on 0437 865 010
250g butter
½ mini loaf bread crumbed
2kg carrots
1 bunch spring onions
17 firm medium tomatoes
1 small jar honey
35 small to medium potatoes
2 kg beans
500mL sour cream
1 Kent pumpkin
1 jar cranberry sauce
2 kiwi fruit
2 trays cauliflower/broccoli au gratin (tray supplied)
1 punnet strawberries
2L milk
2 large pavlovas
1 x 600ml cream
2 large lemon meringue pies [or suggested alternative]
Donations towards cost of meat, rolls, etc

Workers:
Monday 2:00p.m. – some food preparation: 2 or 3 people
Monday 5:30p.m. (TBC) – cooking, heating, gravy: 2 or 3 workers
6:45(tbc) – to transfer food from Community Centre to SES headquarters, plating up - 5 or 6
plus 3 or 4 to wait table
Clean up
Thanks in anticipation