Dear Parents, Teachers, Students and Community,

CONGRATULATIONS
We congratulate our school Athletics Team for a terrific effort during last week’s Carnivals. Finishing second was a good result. Well done.

MUSIC EVENING
The big audience attending the Music Evening presentation last Thursday were treated to a fantastic display of musical talent. The School Choir presented a range of items and sang beautifully. Mrs Mew provided excellent accompaniament on the piano. The Instrumental Music students performed excellently on Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass, Guitar, Trumpet and Trombone, as well as in the Ensemble. Thanks to our Instrumental Music Teachers for their preparation of the students and their attendance on the evening.

Thank you to all of the students who performed and those who helped on the evening. Also to Mr Homes for his assistance.

A special thank you to Mrs Holmes for organising and coordinating a wonderful evening of entertainment.

P&C MEETING
The next P&C Meeting will be held on Tuesday 20 November at 7.30pm in the Staffroom. All are welcome.

FURNITURE
We have a fairly large number of second hand/used desks to be disposed of. If any readers know of any institutions or individuals who may be able to use some of these items, please let me know. All inquiries welcome. Otherwise we may have to dispose of them as rubbish, which we are trying to avoid. Recycling is the best option.

PARKING AND PICKUP
Thank you to all parents using the new ‘Kiss’n’Drive’ system in Nicholls Crescent. Please continue to use the system correctly.

- Please remember that there is NO PARKING in the Kiss’n’Drive areas from 7.30am to 9.00am AND 2.30pm to 4.00pm
- Due to the large number of staff – Staff Carparks are for Staff only

Thank you for your cooperation.

CLIMBING
We are requesting parent assistance in curbing the increasing incidence of children climbing on or over school fences. It is a school rule that no climbing is allowed on school fences due to safety issues and damage that may occur.

This is a particular problem before and after school when children are under parent supervision. Parents, please ensure that you child / children do not climb on or over school fences. This is particularly a problem in the Kindy / Pre-primary area.

CONNECT
Parents, please ensure that we have your correct email address so that you receive notifications through “Connect”.

DOGS NOT ALLOWED
This is a reminder about not bringing dogs to school when you bring your children. We cannot allow dogs on or near the school premises due to the safety risk.

Please note: In addition, dogs are not to be let off their lead on school grounds at any time.

LOST PROPERTY
We have accumulated a collection of lost clothing, hats, lunch boxes and water bottles. Please check the basket in the undercover area.

EARLY ARRIVALS
Any students who arrive at school before 8.25am must sit quietly on the benches outside the staff room until it is time to go to class at 8.25am.

** Parents, please ensure students do not come to school prior to 8am, unless it is for a scheduled school event.

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EMAILS
For general queries please use this email address oberthur.ps@education.wa.edu.au

Please remember to update your family details, including email address, by contacting the front office or advising of changes by email to Lyn.plowman@education.wa.edu.au
When emailing information through please provide parent’s name, child’s name, Year and Area and preferred email contact.

Have a great week!
Tim Bamber
Principal

THE NEXT VIRTUE WE WILL BE WORKING ON: RESPECT
Respect is an attitude of caring about people and treating them with dignity. It is valuing ourselves and others and acting with courtesy.

WATER WISE/SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM
Recycle and dispose of waste properly
Did you know?
By using a reusable coffee cup every day instead of a disposable one, you can avoid creating 1kg of plastic waste a year!

ICT CORNER
Oberthur Primary School is a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) school. Student owned iPads are used in the Year 1-3 classes, and student owned MacBooks used in the Year 4-6 classes. Students without their own, are supported in the classes with a shared device.

Technology is woven into just about every aspect of our lives. It is how we work, play, learn, communicate, shop, share information and so on. So the importance of integrating technology just makes sense.

Having a BYOD device for students is opening up a whole new world of engagement, personalised learning, creativity and collaboration in the classroom. School software added to the devices, is carefully chosen in order to meet pedagogical goals.

Computers are not the only tool we use in the classroom. There use is balanced with written and practical tasks. Cyber-safety and appropriate computer behaviour is continuously addressed and monitored.

In order to prepare this generation for their future, use of technology in the classroom is vital. They will be using these devices throughout High school, University and in their future careers, which are becoming more tech-based every day.

DAY FOR DANIEL
Congratulations everyone on a very successful Day for Daniel, Australia’s Biggest Safety Lesson fundraiser held on Friday 26th October. It was fantastic to see so many of you wear red in support of this great initiative. In total we raised $617.45, a tremendous effort, which will help the foundation with its new project, Daniels House.
Thank you again - Mrs Donohue

ICT Parent Focus
The Office of the eSafety Commissioner is committed to empowering all Australians to have safer, more positive experiences online. The Office was established in 2015 with a mandate to coordinate and lead the online safety efforts across government, industry and the not-for profit community.
https://www.esafety.gov.au

P & C NEWS
Any queries please feel free to contact the P&C at email: oberthurpnc@gmail.com

UNIFORM SHOP
TERM 4 –2018 Opening hours
Tuesday 6th November 9.00-9.30am
Tuesday 20th November 2.30-3.00pm
Tuesday 4th December 9.00-9.30am

ONLINE STORE
All purchases outside of the uniform shop need to be made through our online webstore:
https://oberthur-p-c-uniforms.myshopigy.com

Please note that at times ordered items may not be in stock and there may be a delay in filling your order. Orders are filled weekly and delivered to your child’s classroom (based on availability). Ordered items that are not in stock will be delivered once the items are back on the shelves.
Payment can be made with Mastercard, Visa or PayPal.

UNIFORM SHOP Updates
Keep up to date with stock availability, opening times and volunteer news.
https://oberthur-p-c-uniform.myshopify.com/blogs/news
### PRICES

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### Uniform donation box

A donation box will be placed outside the uniform shop. Place your unwanted uniforms in the box. Please only donate uniforms in good condition. Please **NO** leaver’s polo shirts or China tour jackets.

### Volunteers

The uniform shop is run wholly by volunteers. Volunteering greatly reduces the cost of the uniform for all families. If you can spare an hour or so once a week please contact Nikki through oberthuruniforms@gmail.com

### ICE CREAMS ARE BACK

Ice creams will be available for sale at lunch time, at the canteen, every Wednesday starting the 17th October in Term 4. Maximum cost for an ice cream is $2.10 and I would appreciated if your child brings no more than $5 as we do not have large amounts of change.

**PRICES**

- ICY POLE          various flavours 50c
- MINI CALIPPO      Raspberry 80c
- ICY TWIST         Lemonade $1.10
- VANILLA School Cup $1.30
- PADDLE POP        Rainbow & Choc $1.60
- CYCLONE           $2.10
- SHAKY SHAKE       Chocolate $2.10

Minnie Lauw – Ice Cream Coordinator

### COMMUNITY NEWS

**SAKAMOTO MATHS**

We make your kids fit better in school, not replace it. Replace rote learning with 21st century methods that are used successfully internationally but adapted to current Australian syllabus. Learn non routine strategies, solve word problems using patented methods in small groups. Or you just want to improve your math foundations? Develop confidence, resilience and independence in and outside the classroom.

Our classes are held after school and taught by experienced trainers. For more information, visit www.sakamoto.com.au or call Len 0430 487 243
Term 3 and 4 are two very rewarding terms for our students in their Chinese Learning Journey.

2018 CLTAWA State Chinese Writing and Speaking Competitions

Some students from Year 3–6 participated in the annual CLTAWA State Chinese Language Writing and Chinese Language Speaking Competitions organised by The Chinese Language Teachers’ Association of WA. Once again Oberthur students have performed outstandingly in both competitions and brought home prizes with pride.

1. 2018 CLTAWA State Chinese Writing Competition (Year 3-6 students)

The competition has two categories designed for Non Chinese background students and Chinese background students. Oberthur submitted six final entries in total to compete in this very high standard State competition. Congratulations to our six students who were selected to represent our school and won places in the competition. They have done a fantastic job:

Non-Chinese Background:
Category A: Year 3 & 4
Kezia Leeson Excellence Award

Category B: Year 5 & 6
Stephanie Irons Excellence Award

Chinese Background
Category A: Level 1-2
Xuan Ern Liang 2nd place
Yifei Chen 4th Place

Category B: Level 3-5
Daniel Bai 3rd Place

2. 2018 CLTAWA State Chinese Speaking Competition (Year 5, 6 Second Language)

This annual State competition was open to Year 5 and 6 Second Language students at Primary school level. Each school can enter two Year 5 and two Year 6 students for this very competitive competition. Our four wonderful year 5 and 6 students did a superb job at the competition and proudly brought home their trophies and medals:

Year 5 Category Winners
Matthew Bullard 2nd Place
Monisha Gupta Excellence Award

Year 6 Category Winners from OPS
Bronte Spencer 1st Place
Darcy Soul 3rd Place
3. Oberthur Chinese Speaking Competition

It is the first time for our school to organize our own Speaking competition this year. The competition information was sent out via class dojo or Connect. A big thank you to Sun Laoshi who has spent lots of time coordinating the competition in such a short time. We also thank parents for your support and students for your participation. Next year we will promote it earlier to the wider community so more students will be able to participate.

Here are the winners from each year level:

Year 1 Winners

Year 2 Winners

Year 3 Winners

Year 4 Winners
(Absent: Rohan Jayaram, Nuri Jung absent)

Year 5, 6 Winners
4. 2018 Australia China Friendship Society of Western Australia (ACFSWA) Students Awards

This is an inaugural award for selected primary and high school students who are learning Chinese at school. These students have a passion for learning Chinese and their efforts have been rewarded this year.

The Award has three categories for Chinese Second Language learners, Culture Link (background) learners and First Language learners.

Oberthur sent in 9 nominations and we have three finalists:

**Chinese Second Learner Category:**  
Emily Cook  
Year 2

**Culture Link Category:**  
Tres Ziyi Wong  
Year 5

**First Language Category:**  
Xin Yen Lai  
Year 6

Bronte Spencer was invited by ACFSWA to give a speech performance as she was the first prize winner at the CLTAWA Speaking Competition.