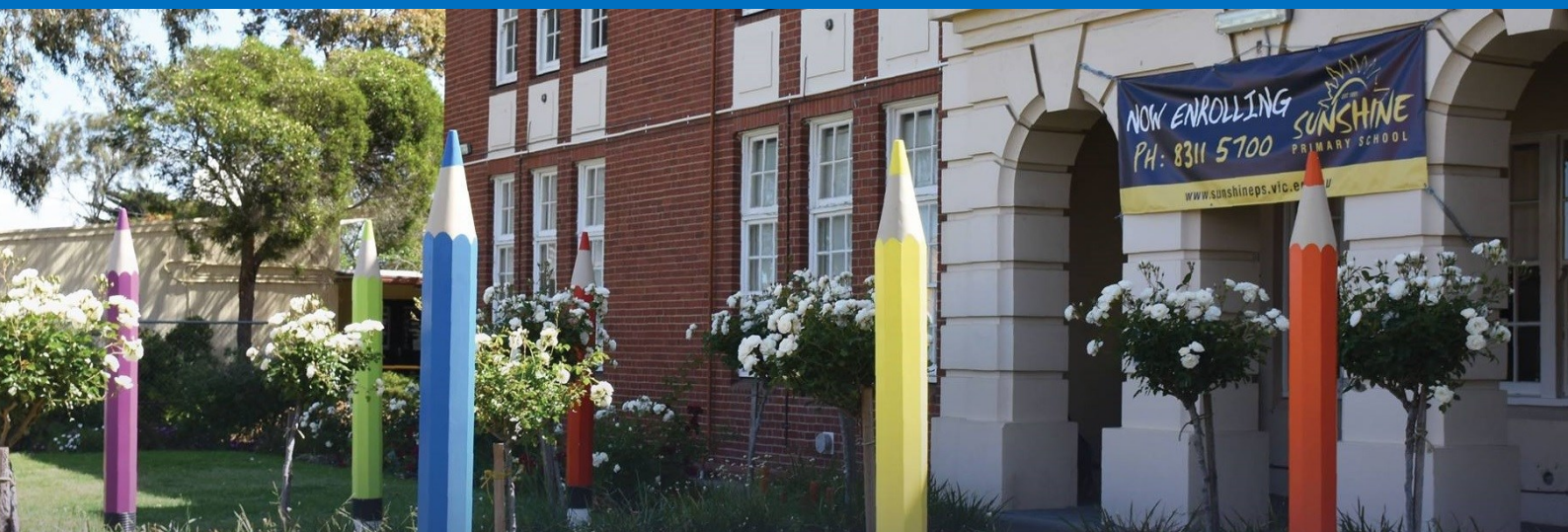


NEWSLETTER

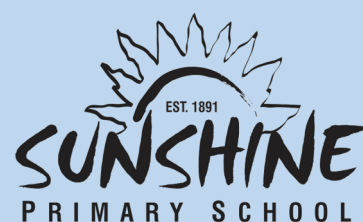


IMPORTANT DATES & EVENTS

- **Thursday 31 August**
School Gift Shop Open for: Father's & Special Person's Day 9:15 to 11:00 am
Year 6 Police Buddies Visit
- **Friday 1 September**
School Gift Shop Open for: Father's & Special Person's Day 9:15 to 11:00 am
Year Prep—2 SEDA AFL Clinic
DUE: Consent for the Year 5/6 Excursion
- **Monday 4 September**
Excursion: Year 5/6 William Angliss Institute (Learning through Lunch)
- **Tuesday 5 September**
Excursion: Year Prep—Queen Victoria Market 9:10 am to 1:30 pm
- **Wednesday 6 September**
Learning Investigations Celebration 2:20—3:05 pm
- **Friday 8 September**
2023 Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey Close
Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge Closes
- **Monday 11 to Friday 15 September**
Book Week Activities
Year 3-6 Drama Workshop
Annual General Meeting 6:00 pm in the staffroom
- **Friday 15 September**
Last Day of Term 3—Early dismissal 2:15 pm
- **Monday 2 October**
First Day of Term 4

INSIDE ISSUE 13....

- Father's/Special Person's Day
- Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey
- Book Week
- Facilities Update - Project Schedule
- Prep – 2 Swimming Program
- Annual General Meeting
- Community Notice



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

FATHER'S/SPECIAL PERSON'S DAY

We will be holding our school gift shop tomorrow and Friday morning from 9:00 to 11:00 am in the staffroom. We are looking for volunteers to assist students to select and purchase their gifts. If you are able to assist please comment on the Dojo post.

Students will need to bring a carry bag from home.

PARENT/CAREGIVER/GUARDIAN OPINION SURVEY

I would like to take this opportunity thank all our families who have taken some time out to complete this survey. So far we have responses from 45 of our families which is an all time high since the introduction of the survey online. There is still time to complete the survey if you have a spare 20 minutes. Details are below. The Survey will close on Friday 8 September.

To complete the survey, simply:

1. Click on the link below, or copy and paste the text into your browser.
This link will take you directly to the survey. <https://www.orima.com.au/parent>
2. Select the School and Campus name below.
School Name: Sunshine Primary School
Campus Name: Sunshine Primary School
3. Enter the School PIN below.
PIN: 828329.

When complete, please click on the tick button at the end of the survey to submit

BOOK WEEK

We will be celebrating Book Week in the last week of term with lots of fun activities to celebrate including the conclusion of the Premier's Reading Challenge which so far has seen 74% of our students complete which is a fabulous effort. A separate flyer will be published outlining the events taking place.

FACILITIES UPDATE - PROJECT SCHEDULE

Thanks to Evan from www.pixellife.com.au we are pleased to share part 2 of our video updates of the building project which mainly focuses on the internal section of the project. [Click here](#) to view the video.

PREP – 2 SWIMMING PROGRAM (MONDAY 16 – 27 OCTOBER)

As many of you are aware, prices for just about everything have increased significantly in the past couple of months. In particular we have noticed a significant change in the cost of bus transportation for excursions etc. The impact of this price increase means our annual intensive swimming program would have come at a cost to families of approximately \$190 per student. This includes the grant that the school receives. This cost makes the program unaffordable for many of our families.

We have managed to work with the Sunshine Leisure Centre to provide the same program for our Prep-2 students in Week 3 of next term. At this stage we anticipate the 10 day program to cost approximately \$60 per student with students walking to and from the venue which takes about 15 minutes each way but will require us to be ready for inclement weather. Further information to follow.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

We will be holding our Annual General Meeting to present the Annual Report to the community on Monday 11 September at 6:00 pm. All parents are welcome to attend. The meeting will take place in the staffroom or can be joined online via Webex. Further information posted on ClassDojo.

**Lyn Read
Principal**



Father's & Special Person's Day

The School Gift Shop will be held on:
Thursday 31 August & Friday 1 September
 from 9:15 to 11 am

Gifts will range from \$1.00 to \$15.00
 Students who wish to make a purchase at the gift shop need to bring:

1. Money (\$20 maximum) in an envelope or snap lock back with their name clearly printed
2. Bag to carry the gift home.
3. Bring a carry bag



Sunshine Primary School

TERM 3

LEARNING CELEBRATION

WEDNESDAY

6TH SEPTEMBER

2:20-3:00

(Gates open at 2:15)



If it's broken, fix it!

Help reduce waste, save money and resources, and reduce CO2 emissions! Sunshine Repair Cafe's volunteer fixers and menders can help repair broken items such as electrical appliances, bikes, clothing, toys, furniture and more! Repairs are free! The repair Cafe runs on the 4th Sunday of the month 12pm to 3pm. If you have an item that you would like to have repaired please send a picture with a description of the problem to sunshinerepaircafe@kcnh.org.au

This project is supported by the Circular Economy Communities Fund. The Fund is delivered by Sustainability Victoria under the Victorian Government's circular economy plan, Recycling Victoria: a new economy.