



From the Principal

Formal Observations

Over the past three weeks leadership have been carrying out formal observations of teachers. These are a follow on from classroom walkthroughs that occurred in Term 1. The focus area has been Mathematics, which has included looking at Learning Intentions and Success Criteria, Differentiation, IT integration and Student Agency. Student feedback is also gathered as part of the process. Observation of practice is increasingly viewed as an important and integral component of professional practice because of its potential to support teachers to reflect on and improve their practice and student learning. At the conclusion of the observations teachers will be provided feedback on the lesson.

Pupil Free Day report - Friday 11th June

Last Friday all staff participated in professional learning that linked to our Site Improvement Plan. In the morning session, Sally Andrew talked about 'Word Cracking', with the focus on how to supercharge Vocabulary and Comprehension. This was followed with a presentation from Leah Draper, Senior Leader at Salisbury Primary School on Explicit Direct Instruction. It was fantastic to observe the engagement and high level conversation between staff throughout the day.

Approval of Mobile Phone/Smart Device Policy I am pleased to announce that the school's Mobile Phone/Smart Device Policy was approved by Governing Council at the last meeting (Monday, 7th June). All Department for Education Primary Schools are expected to have a Mobile Phone/Smart Device Policy in place by the end of Term 2, 2021. The policy had extensive input from staff and students before being presented to Governing Council. A copy of the policy will be uploaded to the school website shortly.

COVID-19

COVID-19 has seen a change in how we live our lives. Whilst this is frustrating, it is important that we continue to follow directions from the Department for Education and SA Health for the safety of our students and staff.

I have noticed a number of parents/carers that are staying on site well after the bell has gone. I ask that once children are dropped off or collected, that all parents/carers and their children please leave the site ASAP. Please also remember the following directions currently in place:

- 1. Students and staff must stay home if they are unwell. Please inform the Front Office of your child/ren's absence
- 2. Adults, including parents, must continue to physical distance wherever possible, including at drop off and pick up time or when attending school assemblies, school events or meetings. Parents are asked not to come onto the school grounds before 3.00pm
- 3. Please use the hand sanitisation when entering the Front Office
- 4. The current increased cleaning at school will continue.





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- 5. All adults, including staff and parents, are expected to use the COVID Safe Check-In (QR codes) when entering school grounds or classrooms/buildings.
- 6. All volunteers must continue to sign in at the Front Office.

We thank you for your ongoing support and cooperation with the above requirements.

Kind regards, David

Assembly Timetable - Term 2

Date	Host Class
18 th June 2021	Mrs Kearns/Mrs Hodgett's Class
25 th June 2021	Wellbeing Assembly
2 nd July 2021	Student Voice Representatives

Assembly Timetable - Term 3

Date	Host Class
23 rd July 2021	Wellbeing Assembly
30 th July 2021	Mrs Jones's Class
6 th August 2021	Wellbeing Assembly
13 th August 2021	Mrs Mickan/Mrs Valentine's Class
20 th August 2021	Wellbeing Assembly
27 th August 2021	Ms Conway/Mrs Worroll's Class
3 rd Sept 2021	Wellbeing Assembly
10 th Sept 2021	Mrs Schultz's Class
17 th Sept 2021	Wellbeing Assembly
24 th Sept 2021	Student Voice Representatives

Due to social distancing guidelines we are going to ask that no parents attend the wellbeing assembly and only 1 family member of the class hosting can attend the school assembly.



TERM 2

Wednesday 23rd June Rotary Achiever Award

Friday 2nd July

End of Term 2 - Dismissal 2.10pm

TERM 3

Starting Monday 26th JulySchool Swimming – The Rex Tanunda

Starting Sunday 8th AugustMusic Camp at Port Hughes

Starting Monday 9th August SAPSASA Soccer

Starting Monday 23rd August Book Week

Thursday 26th – Friday 27th August Year 3-4 Camp – Glenhaven

> Thursday 2nd September Book Week Parade

Friday 3rd September Pupil Free Day

Monday 6th September School Closure

Wednesday 15th September Rotary Achiever Award

Monday 20th September SAPSASA Athletics Adelaide

Friday 24th September End of Term 3 – Dismissal 2.10pm

Please note that these dates are subject to change

Interesting Fact

At the center of every raindrop is an impurity (dust, clay, soot, etc). It is physically impossible for raindrops to form from pure water.



Assembly Awards

Murray/Fahlbusch Jude Applebee Always being a helpful and kind person in the classroom Schultz Sienna Vivian For helping others and having detailed action sizzling starts Rvan/Watters Billie Leslie Excellent dictation and writing Madeline Mosey Well done with writing and measurement tasks Applebee Kade Pfeiffer For being proactive and innovative with our guernsey activity Horne Hamish Kerr A positive attitude towards learning and fantastic Maths work Amelia Wendt A positive attitude towards learning and improving her reading skills Jones Ella Ellbourn Excellent effort and persistence in all learning tasks James Jones Consistent effort and persistence in learning tasks Wells/Brady Michael Cowley Persistence to develop quality art skills in still life drawing Persistence to develop quality art skills in still life drawing Riley Beaton Mickan/Valentine Mason Muir Being inclusive to others during recess and lunch times Sienna Jenke Having a growth mindset towards her learning in all subject areas Wood **Peyton Burgess** Working on her confidence in drama lessons Mitchell Opitz Always being on task and involved in the classroom and group discussions Her persistence and determination towards to her work Conway/Worroll Tayla Weltman Jacob Mudge His improved concentration and persistence towards his learning

Congratulations to all our Assembly Award winners!!





Miss Wood's 6/7 Class

Science

Separation techniques













Art

Vincent Van Gogh inspiration: Sunflowers

The fresh juicy pineapple running down your throat. The cheese melting down to the bottom of your stomach. Feeling the sugar rush running around in your head. Walking into the kitchen and getting that sudden gush of pancakes smell. It hits your face.

-James Wendt

I walked into the water as stiff as a penguin, the water finally reached my waist. I clutched onto one of the jerry cans. Wet, cold and soggy, we pushed off the river floor and dragged everything behind us. I bounded out of the water. Frozen like an ice cube, I shivered as the water dripped from my legs -Zali Schultz The luxurious stench flooded my nostrils from a kilometer away. One by one, the excited children's eyes lit up, the bells song infiltrated the grounds as the clock struck 5:30pm. The sound of feet on the concrete filled our ears and the room comes to a silence. A bite sized piece of lasagna hit my tongue. My taste buds grinned from ear to ear. My mouth watered, flowing like a river. With a big gulp, I swallowed and my tummy full once again

-Abbey Buchheister

Show, not tell stories

Showing using our 5 senses to build intrigue, rather than just 'tell'

As I jumped into the fresh water, goosebumps grew like mountains all over my legs. I quickly helped push the raft deeper into the river. The wood separated from everything else and sank to the bottom.

-Natalie Mickan













Walker Flat Camp in Week 2







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SANFL School holiday clinics are returning, providing a fun, safe and inclusive environment for children at any ability aged 5 – 12.

In small groups (less than 20), kids will participate in activities designed for fun, whilst developing skills and fitness appropriate to their age.

SANFL's priority is the safety of our participants and wider community, therefore all clinics will abide by COVID safe protocols.

VENUES AND DATES

Time: 10am-12:00pm

- 5th July Glenelg FC
- 5th July Lameroo Oval
- 7th July Woodville West Torrens FC
- 8th July Crystal Brook Oval
- 8th July Victor Harbor Oval
- 13th July Hectorville FC (Daly Oval)
- 14th July West Adelaide FC
- 15th July Mt Gambier, Frew Park

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supportive and encouraging environment. Our fully supervised sports-orientated holiday program is designed to provide fun, enjoyment and maximum participation with different sports throughout the day. Sports and activities will include: SOCCER, AFL, BASKETBALL, NETBALL, MINI OLYMPICS, ULTIMATE FRISBEE, PICNIC GAMES, ARTS & CRAFT & SCAVENGER HUNT

FULL DAY PROGRAM FOR \$50+GST (TOTAL COST \$55)

Sibling discount available - please contact lan on 0439 063 916

WHEN: Thursday 15th July 2021

TIME: 9:00am - 4:00pm

LOCATION: The FARM Centre, Freeling
SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN AGED 5 - 12

What you need to bring: appropriate clothing, jumper or jacket, hat, drink bottle and food for recess and lunch.

To enrol, register online at www.kellysports.com.au. Payments can be made online at www.kellysports.com.au or by EF to Kelly Sports Adelaide Metro BSB 035 045 A/C No 342581.

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