



Curramulka Primary School Newsletter

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Working Towards Being Self Managing Learners.
Week 3

Volume 1 Term 1

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DATES TO REMEMBER			ATTACHMENTS
Wednesday	13 th February	R-4 Aquatics – PORT VINCENT	PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE FOR INTERSCHOOL SPORTS DAY.
Thurs/Fri	14 th – 15 th Feb	5-7 Aquatics – Port Vincent	
Friday	22 nd February	8:45am ASSEMBLY	
Tuesday	26 th February	Lawn bowls commences (Yrs 3-7)	Meningococcal Factsheet
Monday	11 th March	Adelaide Cup – Public Holiday	
Tuesday	12 th March	PUPIL FREE DAY	Child Protection Curriculum Factsheets
Friday	15 th March	Small Schools Sports Day @ Curramulka	
Tuesday	19 th March	Governing Council Meeting- 7:00pm	
Thursday	28th March	Interschool Sports Day - Minlaton	
Friday	29 th March	8:45am ASSEMBLY	
Mon/Tues	1 st -2 nd April	Student/Parent/Teacher Interviews	
Friday	12 th April	End Of Term 1	

Dear Parents,

ACQUAINTANCE NIGHT

Special thank you to the families and staff for the lovely catch up at Acquaintance Night. It was a very relaxing evening and the weather was very kind to us.

GOVERNING COUNCIL

We had our 2019 AGM and first meeting for the year on Tuesday. I would like to formally thank, the parents who attended the AGM and congratulate the following parents on being elected to the 2019 Governing Council -Emily Harris, Tom Short, Gavin Reade, Sarah Harris, Craig Hickman and Kim Hoskins.

Our first meeting followed the AGM where we elected our office bearers. Thank you to the following people for taking on these roles:

Chairperson – Emily Harris
Deputy Chairperson – Tom Short
Secretary – Gavin Reade
Treasurer- Sarah Harris

ATTENDANCE

We have had a great start to the year, with 100% attendance in Week 1 and 98.5% in Week 2. Well done everyone.

YR 3-7 STUDENT MONITORS

Our students have taken their roles and responsibilities seriously again this year, and the commitment everyday to their jobs adds value to our school and ensures that it continues to run smoothly, is kept clean and tidy and we present a positive and inviting environment to any visitors to our school.

SRC- WHOLE SCHOOL MEETINGS

Our year 7 students, Ayden and Christian ran their first meeting on Friday. Students were keen to have a reward system for students who are following the school rules and living our school values, as well as completing the work tasks to the best of their ability. Starting this week all students who have been responsible with their behaviour and learning will earn an extra 10 minutes free play on Fridays at recess time. Students who may have had a lapse in concentration will stay in the class with the teacher and complete the work before going outside.

We are expecting all our students to be outside enjoying the bonus "Positive Play".

Denise Rigby-Meth

STUDENT LEARNING

CROWS VISIT

We were lucky to have the CROWS visit us on Tuesday where they spoke to all the students about "Positive Reflection". This involved videos featuring CROWS players, and explaining "Positive Reflections 5 Positive Places" concept. Students received a CROWS poster, activity book and participated in a Quiz. Claude the Crow entertained us during the afternoon. Some players will visit again next week for some more activities.



R-3 PORT VINCENT

R-3 students really enjoyed a day out of the classroom and learning at the beach. We thank our wonderful Aquatics Instructors for their work with our students. The photos show some of the skills and activities they were involved in throughout the day.



LITERACY PLANET

We have added an extra element to our literacy programme which will reinforce concepts taught by the teacher and allow students to practice their literacy skills and extend themselves. A note home went home last week with their individual log in details as they can continue to practice at home if they wish, and if it suits your family routines.

The Yr 3-7 students have really enjoyed navigating this website and a few were amazed at how quickly they were challenged and learnt new and more difficult words.

We hope to get the R-2 students logged in this week, in and around the other activities they are involved in. If you as parents have any questions about this programme, please call in and have a chat with us.

The school has purchased a set of headphones for each student. These are labelled, and we expect the student to take care of their headphones and return them to the appropriate storage place at the end of the lesson. As this programme requires them to listen and respond, and they are all working at their individual level you can imagine how noisy it would be without headphones.

SPECIAL AND VALUABLE TOYS/BELONGINGS

We are seeking the assistance of parents to support students leaving their special and valuable toys at home. We do not want them to get lost or broken as this results in lots of upset people. As you are aware schools are very busy places with lots of people moving in and out spaces and sometimes accidents happen.

This term, the R-2 class will bring a note home when it is their turn to bring in something for a morning talk. These items will be stored safely in the staffroom on that day and sent home again that night. Or parents can bring it in, wait for the morning talk to be over and then take it home again if they wish.

We hope you understand our dilemma.

HEALTH CURRICULUM

Throughout 2019 students will be learning how to keep themselves safe through a variety of topics. A brief outline is included with this newsletter. More detailed sheets for your child's year level will be sent home as an attachment to the newsletter. If you have any questions please see the class teachers or me and we will be happy to discuss this with you.

General information

Keeping Safe: Child Protection Curriculum (KS:CPC)

The Department for Education *Child protection in schools, early childhood education and care services policy* (2015) states that 'all children and young people in DECD preschools and schools will access the approved child protection curriculum'.

The KS:CPC teaches children and young people to recognise abuse, tell a trusted adult, understand what is appropriate and inappropriate touching and ways of keeping themselves safe.

Themes

The curriculum is based on two main themes which are presented through topics and activities.

- Theme 1: We all have the right to be safe
- Theme 2: We can help ourselves to be safe by talking to people we trust.

Focus Areas

The two themes are explored through four Focus Areas, which are examined in growing complexity in accordance with the age of the learners.

1. The right to be safe
2. Relationships
3. Recognising and reporting abuse
4. Protective strategies.

More information can be found on the KS:CPC website: <http://tiny.cc/KSCPC-ParentCarerInfo>.

Early Years: Years R-2

Keeping Safe: Child Protection Curriculum (KS:CPC)

The KS:CPC teaches children and young people to recognise abuse, tell a trusted adult, understand what is appropriate and inappropriate touching and ways of keeping themselves safe.

For Years R-2, the following topics are covered:

The right to be safe	Relationships	Recognising and reporting abuse	Protective strategies
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Feelings • Being safe • Warning signs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights and responsibilities • Identity and relationships • Power in relationships • Trust and networks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Privacy and the body • Recognising abuse • Secrets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strategies for keeping safe • Persistence

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Primary Years: Years 3-5

Keeping Safe: Child Protection Curriculum (KS:CPC)

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For Years 3-5, the following topics are covered:

The right to be safe	Relationships	Recognising and reporting abuse	Protective strategies
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being safe • Warning signs • Risk-taking and emergencies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights and responsibilities • Identity and relationships • Power in relationships • Trust and networks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Privacy and the body • Recognising abuse • Cyber safety 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strategies for keeping safe • Network review and community support

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Middle Years: Years 6-9

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For Years 6-9, the following topics are covered:

The right to be safe	Relationships	Recognising and reporting abuse	Protective strategies
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warning signs • Risk-taking and emergencies • Psychological pressure and manipulation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights and responsibilities • Identity and relationships • Power in relationships • Trust and networks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Privacy and the body • Recognising abuse • Cyber safety • Domestic and family violence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strategies for keeping safe • Network review and community support

COMMUNITY NOTICES

ADELAIDE FOOTBALL CLUB



2019 AFL COMMUNITY CAMP FOOTBALL CLINIC

FREE EVENT

Hey kids!
You're invited to have some fun at a footy clinic with the Adelaide Crows. Come along for a 'kick and catch' with a host of your favourite Crows players and even grab some autographs. See you there!

DATE Monday 18 February 2019
TIME 4.30pm - 5.30pm
WHERE Kadina Football Club, Doswell Terrace, Kadina
AGE 5 - 13 years
COST FREE!




#aflcommunitycamp




WE FLY AS ONE MEMBERSHIP

SIGN UP NOW FOR FREE

Show your support for the Crows by signing up for our **FREE** We Fly As One Membership. Your We Fly As One Membership will get you a range of cool benefits, including:

- Priority access to Daily Tickets for the 2019 Season
- Exclusive Member-only communication from the Club
- 10% discount on Club merchandise at CROWmania
- The chance to participate in exciting Club promotions and prizes

SIGN UP TODAY AT
weflyasone.afc.com.au




Term 1 Kids Yoga Classes



Through storytelling, games, movement, sound, art and mindful activities students will:

- Develop strength, flexibility, balance, posture and spatial awareness
- Stimulate their imagination and creativity
- Build self-esteem, confidence and concentration
- Reduce anxiety and learn to cope with stress

10-week term beginning 4th February (week 2 of school term)

\$7 per class, all equipment supplied.
Book in for all sessions or come on a casual basis.

Monday

Lions (6-8)
4:00-4:50pm

Warriors (9-12)
5:00-5:50pm

Tuesday

Butterflies (3-5)
4:15-5:00pm



For Registration, please
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