Cooperation…….Responsibility…….Caring…….Respect…….Honesty

June 15, 2015
Term 2, Week 8

Principal’s Report

Congratulations to the SRC for a very successful ‘Old School Days’ dress up and fundraising day last Friday. Checkout the great photos on the back page.

Congratulations to the following students who participated in the Tcharkulda Rock fun run last week. Our students did extremely well given there was a record number of 235 participants.

Position Results:
Rebecca Wright 49
Indi Donovan 42
Demi Scott 43
Aleysha Penna 28
Natalie Scott 44
Skylar Agars 21
Noah Fleming 34
Jacob Newton 17
Jason Thompson 80
Benjamin Wandel 83
Adam Hull 46
Tyreece Watkins Injured
Brock Nuske 41
Harvey Fleming 6
Joshua Nuske 33
Marli Ryan 11
Zali Newton 10

Jo Penna and Trisha Tomlinson are taking the R, 1 class to visit Koppio Museum tomorrow as part of their Australian History studies.

Chad Fleming and I will be attending the Central Eyre Partnership Leaders day at Port Neill tomorrow.

On Thursday the 18th June, we have our Central Eyre Partnership Numeracy and Literacy Results + Facilitator, Teleah Wilson working here at school. The focus for the day will be our NAPLAN results.

Good luck to the Year 9, 10 students for their Indian Restaurant tomorrow night. I’m sure it will be a huge success as they have worked very hard at developing their dishes.

Enjoy the week.

Cynthia O’Neil
Principal
CLASSIES RESTAURANT - INDIAN NIGHT
16th June at 6.00pm
Senior Building - Elliston Area School
Book early – sms 0428879119 with your name and number/s attending. 36 seats are available.
Adults - $20
Children - $10
BYO drinks

BIRTHDAYS FOR JUNE
15th Aleysha Penna
24th Sienna Moyle
29th George Wilson

2015 DIARY DATES
16th June Classies Restaurant
23rd June Governing Council 4.30pm
26th June Bottle Drive
1st July Assembly 10am
3rd July End of Term 2

School Counsellor

PROGRAM ACHIEVE
Week 8 – Persistence
• I can do it
• Giving effort
• Working tough

SPORTING SCHOOLS/AUSKICK FOOTBALL COACHING
Thursday 3.30 to 4.30pm at the oval.
Kindy age – 11
Please bring a drink bottle.

BOTTLE DRIVE
Have you got a pile of refundable bottles lying around that needs tidying up? Never seem to find the time to do it yourself? Then let us help you out!
On Friday of week 9 (26th of June), the 4/5/6 class will be conducting a bottle drive as our major class fundraiser for the year. We will be doing the rounds of town, taking away any refundables that you want to get rid of.
So if you have a collection you are prepared to donate to a good cause please fill out the following form and return it, or contact Maree Bourke or Ian Dudley at the school on 86879167 to arrange for our dedicated students to collect them from your address.
Alternative collection options will be available for out of town residents who wish to participate.
Any help on the day from parents of 4/5/6 students would be greatly appreciated.
All money raised will go towards our class camp, which this year will be to Fowlers Bay and the Far West Coast.
Thank you for your support.
The 4/5/6 Class.

4/5/6 Bottle Drive
Friday 26/6/15
Name: _______________________________________
_____________________________________
Address: ____________________________________
_____________________________________
If I’m not home when you arrive, the bottles will be easily accessible by (any further instructions required):
_____________________________________
_____________________________________
_____________________________________

Children’s Centre News
• Following on from the hospital visit we have been learning ‘Five Humpty Dumpties’ and talking about how we keep safe. We also acted out the song using our big wooden boxes when we were outside.
• Children continue to enjoy taking Wirake home and sharing the stories in his diary when he returns each Tuesday.

R/1 MOVIE NIGHT
A big thank you to all those who attended our very successful Movie Night. With 40 students attending we made just over $200. It was great to see secondaries enjoying Paddington too. Thanks to Kate Jervis, Aleysha and James for their help.
Jo Penna
Two highlights last week involved playgroup children and their families. On Thursday the kindy children enjoyed playing with the younger children when they visited. On Friday there were 15 children who attended the first Teddy Bears’ Picnic with their favourite friend. Thank you Jay for organising this event. It was great to see so many children and adults in the Centre. We are looking forward to visiting the R/1 class at the school on Thursday.

The Governing Council meeting was well attended on Wednesday. The main task was to review and approve four policies. Our Healthy Food Guidelines produced some interesting debate and received some minor changes before being approved. Our Skin Protection, Parent Grievance Policies and the Behaviour Guidance Code went through with little change. Thank you to Sonia for running the crèche again. The new time of 9:30am seemed to work well.

Meat trays were a great fundraising success again on the long weekend. Thank you Jess Jacobs for organising the raffle and to all those who sold tickets. Many thanks to the Rumbelow family for allowing us to sell tickets.

Playgroup this Friday from 10am – 12pm. A second and maybe even bigger Teddy Bears’ Picnic is planned for this week. Please let families with preschool children know that it is on. All welcome! Remember that any parent or caregiver can collect the key from the shop to open up. Just sign it out and make sure that it is signed in when playgroup finishes.

Anne, Teresa, Julie, Sonia.

WOT BAND:
27th June at the Elliston Sports Centre
Time: 8.30pm til late.
Theme: Mexican dress for all and a moustache competition for the blokes.
Gold coin donation is appreciated. Hope to see you all there.

SPORTS CENTRE TEA ROSTER:
June 27th Elliston v’s Central Eyre
4.00 - 6.30
Andrea Kelsh
Renae Nicholls
Kylie Little
Kate Hood
6.30 - 9.00
Rosie Rom
Trudy Wadsworth
Tom Haarsma
Thomas Bascomb

Cooks Craig and Les

Audit Committee - Independent member
Council is seeking to appoint two independent members to its Audit Committee and therefore request expressions of interest from individuals. Consideration will also be given to the appointment of one independent member as the Presiding Member of the Committee. The Committee will meet four to six times per year and the term of independent member will be for a period of up to four years. The Audit Committee terms of reference are available at http://elliston.sa.gov.au/page.aspx?u=293
It is desirable that interested individuals have relevant financial, risk management & governance experience.
A sitting fee of $450 per meeting for the Presiding Member and $300 per meeting for an independent member, and travel expenses, will be paid to the positions.
Expressions close 5pm Friday 26 June 2015 and should be directed to:
Phil Cameron - Chief Executive Officer
PO Box 46, Elliston SA 5670
or by email to dce@elliston.sa.gov.au
For further information please contact
Phil Cameron, CEO, on 8687 9177 during office hours.

GOLF SEASON
It was great to see 14 golfers arrive and participate in our Open Day, especially all of the new faces. An Ambrosee Competition was held on Sunday and the results are as follows;
Winners: Clive, Flo, Smithy, Dazza & Rosie -4
2nd: Fred, Steve, John, Butch & Stewy -1
3rd: Lester, Whippet, Bobby Thompson & TK +1
Next week: Stoke Round possibly and hit off is at 12.30pm. Thank you Mandy Kelly & Michelle Scheidgen–Smith for helping to make the delicious curries!
Rosie & Smithy

ANGLICAN CHURCH SERVICE
St Andrews Elliston
This Sunday the 21st June at 3.00pm
All Welcome

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OLD SCHOOL DAY
12/05/15