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

**June 22, 2015**

**Term 2, Week 9**

**Principal’s Report**

I hope people received some rain and that there is more on the way this week.

It was great to see Julie Custance back at work last week.

There will be an **Assembly, next week at 10am on Wednesday July 1st**, organized by Sheri Lapsley and the Year 2, 3 class. All visitors are welcome.

_A reminder that Governing Council is tomorrow, Tuesday, June 23rd at 4.30pm._

Tomorrow, Chad Fleming and I will be attending Leading Numeracy Improvement training module at Lock Area School.

On Wednesday, I will be attending a Far West Aquatics meeting at Ceduna.

It will be great to see all students at the Disco this Friday, supporting the Year 2, 3 fundraiser organized by Sheri Laplsey and Kristy Newton.

Check out the fantastic R, 1 class photos from their visit to Koppio last week. Enjoy the week.

_Cynthia O’Neil_
Principal

**BIRTHDAYS FOR JUNE**

24th Sienna Moyle
29th George Wilson

**2015 DIARY DATES**

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**School Counsellor**

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**PROGRAM ACHIEVE**

Week 9 – Confidence
- Accepting myself
- Taking risks
- Being independent
- I can do it

**SCHOOL DISCO**

Friday 26th June
At the Sports Centre 6-8 pm
Chips, chocolates and drinks for sale
$2.00 cover charge

**SPORTING SCHOOLS/AUSKICK FOOTBALL COACHING**

Thursday 3.30pm to 4.30pm at the oval.
Kindy age – 11
Please bring a drink bottle.

**SRC NEWS**

Two weeks ago was an excellent opportunity for the students to be aware of the history of school uniforms. It was great to see so many children getting into the spirit of the dress ups. The cupcakes were a lovely way to finish the week. All the money raised from the day will go towards the Nepal earthquake and Vanuatu cyclone appeals. Last week $150 was donated to Nepal and $237 to Cyclone Pam through UNICEF. All the students
should be very proud to be contributing to such worthy appeals.

Marli, Tori and Ree had a Video conference last Thursday to discuss the Eyre Peninsula Student Forum. We look forward to hearing their news at the SRC meeting on Wednesday.

On Wednesday, Week 10 (July 1st) we will be having our Footy Colours Day to celebrate the end of term and start of holidays especially as many students are going to see the Adelaide Crows game during the holidays. We will also be selling pizzas on this day, so get your orders in early. Have a sensational week on the countdown to Term 3.

Regards,
Annie and SRC members

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PIZZA ORDER WEDNESDAY 1st July

Name: ______________________________
Year Level: _______________________

$2.50 each

___ Ham and cheese Pizza
___ Ham, cheese, pineapple Pizza
___ Supreme Pizza single

Total: _$____________________

PROPOSAL FOR NEW SCHOOL SPORTS TOPS

When we started attending WICAC as Elliston Area School, we purchased sports tops in our school colours - navy and white. A couple of years ago Ceduna also updated their sport shirts which are also navy and white. After attending WICAC this year, officials and supporters found it difficult to decipher between Ceduna and Elliston competitors. Hence, the below proposal putting in the traditional Elliston red and white colours. This is one of many designs available. We are seeking feedback from students and parents on the design.

WOOLWORTHS – Earn and Learn

The Woolworths Earn and Learn program gives Schools and Early Learning Centres around Australia the chance to earn new educational resources. Simply shop at Woolworths and you will receive one Woolworths Earn and Learn Sticker for every $10 spent and then bring it into your schools collection box. Last year more than 14,500 Schools and Early Learning Centres benefited from the program, boosting supplies in classrooms, libraries, music rooms and science labs.

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.

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

- Boxes proved to be a real hit at kindy this week – huge towers, a tunnel, whole cities and games of ‘Jack in a box’ provided endless fun and imaginative play at each session. Thank you Cobb and Frank for bringing boxes from Council equipment around for the children to play with. Thank you to Sam and Kate for the surfboard box that turned into a tunnel with a twist!
- The children also enjoyed the new magnetic whiteboard. Writing and drawing standing up was lots of fun.
- Our eagerly anticipated visit to R/1 on Thursday went well. Kindy children listened to stories read by each of the R/1 children, played together with construction and other games in the classroom and then played in the playground before walking back to kindy.
- Brighter Futures will take place in Elliston on 28 July from 10am – 12pm in the Elliston Health Centre. Parents with children 0-4 years old please mark this date in your diaries. More information will be sent out soon.
- CaFHS visit with Di Habner is scheduled for this week. Di will attend during playgroup.
- Playgroup this Friday from 10am – 12pm. 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 and Sonia

Community News

GOLF SEASON
Sunday was a stroke round with few competitors due to the horrific winds and the cold weather.
Winner: Tyson McDougall
R/U: Fred Rom
Next Week: Stroke Round with hit off at 12.30pm.

COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSE
Jessica Bascomb
Monday to Friday 8.30am – 5pm
Phone: 8687 9012

Elliston Junior Netball Training
Training is cancelled for this Wednesday at Pork Kenny, however it will continue as per normal on Thursday.
Ella and Jess

Elliston Netball Club - Friday Night Raffle
1st - Roast Pork and Vegies - Alana Adams (Lock)
2nd - Twin Chooks - Marlene Slater
3rd - $5 - Glenda Fisher
Thank you for your support - I look forward to seeing you again this Friday night.
Cheers Monica

Elliston Sports Centre - Thursday Night Raffle
1st - Twin Chooks - Tim Kierse
2nd - Free Drink - Dianne Penna
Thank you once again for your support - another chook for this Thursday.

This Saturday I will have a raffle going around throughout the day for the Sports Centre.
1st Roast and Vegies, 2nd Chook and 3rd $5. I will draw it 1/2 time of the A Grade footy. Please be kind to our little girls and wind down your window if they knock - they are learning.
Cheers Monica

Elliston Rooster Jumpers
New Rooster jumpers have arrived so if you have ordered one with Kristy or myself then please phone 0428 446 157 or see me and I will drop it off. MUST HAVE $45 ready before I hand over the jumper Cheers Monica

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 with a piñata for the kids. A 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
AUSTSWIM – Swimming and Water Safety teacher Accreditation

AUSTSWIM is the peak industry body offering swimming and water safety teacher accreditation for those wishing to work in the aquatics industry. Secondary school students can undertake the AUSTSWIM Teacher of Swimming and Water Safety course as part of Stage 2 SACE under the recognised Community Development Program or VET program. On successful completion of all course requirements students can gain 10 SACE points and 7 VET elective points. It will be at the Port Lincoln Pool on Friday 3rd and Saturday 4th of July 2015. For more information please visit www.austswim.com.au or phone 1300885666.

July School Holiday Workshop

FREE Children’s craft workshops with Annalise Rees

Monday 6th July  Ages 8—12 yrs 1pm—4pm
Tuesday 7th July  Ages 4—7 yrs 10am—12pm

At the Elliston Community & Visitor Information Centre

“Making Place” is a drawing and sculpture workshop investigating how we connect to place. Each child will construct a small house sculpture that explores what makes their place special, incorporating 2D drawing, design and 3D construction. Participants will go away with a small artwork about their relationship to home and their community.

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R/1’s Adventure to Koppio
At Koppio we saw olden day things and we ate our recess and after recess we went on an adventure. My favourite thing was the crocodile skeleton. Then we saw the army tank. By Trent (Year 1)

R/1's learning about our pasts and changes that have happened in the past in History.

R/1’s went to Koppio Smithy Museum. We played with the water pumps and I saw an army tank. At the end we played on the playground and the tractors. By George (Reception)

We found lots of old things and were interested in how they have changed from the past to now. We made timelines of things and enjoyed dressing up in olden day clothing. We learnt about what a Blacksmith did and how technology has changed lots of the things we use today. We had a great day at Koppio.

R/1 Excursion to Koppio Museum