From the Principal's desk...

I hope you enjoyed the beautiful autumn weather over the weekend and the huge swell.

Professional Learning

Jo Penna is attending an Early Childhood Educator's Professional Development in Port Lincoln today on Preschool Indicators- Numeracy and the connections to the Australian Curriculum. This is presented by Deb Lasscock, Project Officer at the Flinders Centre For Science Education in the 21st Century.

On Wednesday, Chad Fleming and I will be attending PAT-R and PAT-M training in Wudinna. This day is an information session about how to use and interpret data from the PAT Tests. Progressive Achievement Tests (PAT) are diagnostic and standardised tests for each year level in various areas such as Reading, Maths, Comprehension, Vocab and Science. The Department of Education and Child Development has requested all schools to conduct the PAT Reading Comprehension test and the PAT Maths test in Term 3.

Growth Mindset update

A person’s mindset dictates the way that we approach issues, subjects, challenges, hard work and practice. An open mindset means that we accept challenges and put the work and practice into improving and overcoming. A closed mindset means that we blame our lack of success or ability on our genetic makeup and accept that we can’t do it. We aim that through hard work and practice our students can all improve their work and their results.

NAPLAN dates

Please note that students in Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 will undertake NAPLAN in Term 2, Week 2 - May 10 Writing and Language Conventions, May 11 Reading and May 12 Numeracy.

Reminder—Assembly, next week, Wednesday April 13th at 10am organised by the Year 6, 7 students. All welcome.

Enjoy the week.

Cynthia O'Neil

April Birthdays

5th Miley Agars
17th Cameron Westwood
18th Rachel Scott
23rd Finn Nunnan
30th Melanie Hull

SRC News

We have our Milkshake Day this Wednesday, 6th April. We have chocolate, strawberry and caramel flavours for $2.50 a milkshake. We also have our Paper Aeroplane Competition during lunch time. The paper will be provided and there are prizes to be won.
Second Hand Couches - WANTED
Do you have an old/second hand couch you would like to sell (cheap) or donate to the secondary area? We would love to take them off your hands. Please contact Chad 0488 546 188

School Uniforms
All sizes are now available in new and old fabrics. Call in and check them out.

Sporting Schools Tennis
At the tennis courts.
Thursday 3.30 to 4.30pm
Kindy age 4 – 11yrs
Please bring a hat and drink bottle. Healthy snack provided.

Elliston RSL Memorial Children’s Centre News

- Today we are in Port Lincoln for numeracy training and development. We are looking forward to learning about the Australian Curriculum in Early Years.
- Tomorrow we are cooking toasted sandwiches with the children and beginning our autumn craft and art.
- Thursday we are visiting the R/1 class. This will be a lovely opportunity for the children to socialise with their peers before the holidays.

Have a fantastic week.
Annie, Teresa, Sonia, Julie, Lari, Zali and Ayesha

Community News

Ayurvedic Massage
Available every day at new location, 7 Waterloo Bay Drive. A pamper package now available which includes foot spa, facial, and massage all with quality essential oils of your personal choice.
Book now and treat yourselves ladies.
Tanya Tessehaar 0428 827628.

Do you use or are you interested in learning about ESSENTIAL OILS?
Introduction to doTERRA Essential Oils Class at 1.30pm
Come along to this informative class and learn how you can use doTERRA 100% pure essential oils for your family’s health to:
* Boost your immunity
* Support respiratory function
* Protect against seasonal threats...
* Promote calm, relaxation and restful sleep
* Soothe sore muscles and joints
* Reduce head tension... and more!

Moods and Emotions with doTERRA Essential Oils Class at 3.30pm
In this beautiful two hour class Jo will go beyond and explore the science behind the emotion of Essential Oils. You will learn tools and habits to assist your wellness and maintain healthy body chemistry as well as practical emotional wellness tips for a vibrant healthy life. Learn how to tap into emotions and support yourself and families wellbeing using essential oils for mind, body and spirit, using these amazing oils.

1.30pm to 5.30pm - Saturday 9th April
at the Elliston Hall

FREE!
Choose to attend one or both of these classes
ALL WELCOME
For more information please call or text Tracy on 0427802657
or go to www.mydolerra/zensationlife

Mid-West Health, Community Health Services (Elliston)
PHYSIOTHERAPY
Monday 4th April
Monday 18th April

SPEECH, DEITITIAN, OT
Friday 8th April

COMMUNITY COUNSELLOR
Every Thursday

HEARING
Having trouble hearing, need your hearing checked
Contact Robyn and we will arrange and appointment.

COMMUNITY NURSE
Elliston – Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday
Wudinna – Monday and Thursday

For appointments phone Robyn on 8687 9012

Elliston Golf Club — AGM
The AGM is to be held on 15th May at 12 O’clock at the Golf Club. All positions are vacant and all are welcome, it would be great to see some new faces!

ELLISTON NETBALL & FOOTBALL CLUB
Hope you are all getting very excited.......Thursday night teas start this Thursday 7th April......yippee!
Due to the scratch match being cancelled this Saturday 9th April, we have decided to hold a family fun day at the oval. Lots of games, fun, laughter & club bonding is going to be had. Please meet at the oval 1pm, bring hat, water & sunscreen. BYO. May end up at the beach for a cool down so bring your bathers just in case. Late afternoon bbq supplied.
Only 2 weeks until the first game at Streaky Bay on 16th April.
We look forward to seeing you for a snitfa on Thursday at the sports centre.

ROOSTARS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANTS COMMISSION

The South Australian Local Government Grants Commission is a statutory authority responsible for advising the Minister for State/Local Government Relations on the distribution of Commonwealth Financial Assistance Grants to local governing authorities in South Australia.

These grants are untied and decisions on their expenditure are the responsibility of individual councils.

For 2015-16, a sum of $152.1 million has been allocated to 74 councils/communities in the State.

The Commission does not provide funds for specific projects

Grants are provided under the Commonwealth Local Government (Financial Assistance) Act, 1995. Under Section 11 of this Act the Commission is required to hold public hearings in connection with its recommendations. The purpose of these hearings is to provide clarification of the Commission’s operations and the opportunity for members of the public to raise issues with the Commission.

The Commission will be visiting District Council of Elliston at 10:00 am on Wednesday, 27 April 2016, to hold discussions with elected members and staff, and with any members of the public in attendance at the hearing.

Persons wishing to attend this public hearing are asked to register their interest by 5:00 pm, Wednesday, 20 April 2016 and provide either a written submission or an indication of the issues they wish to raise.

Registration of interest can be made by contacting:

Local Government Grants Commission
GPO Box 2329
ADELAIDE SA  5001

Telephone:  (08) 7109 7164

Mary Patetsos
Chair
National Youth Week
Cultural and Community Festival
@ Streaky Bay Foreshore

Calling all YOUTH aged 12-25

FREE EVENTS!

MONDAY 18TH APRIL 2016

Enjoy a drug, alcohol and smoke FREE day packed with Bubble Soccer, Archery Tag, Stand up Paddle Boarding, Music and much more!!!
Free lunch supplied and mingle with Youth from the Eyre Peninsula.
Because it’s YOUTH WEEK it’s all FREE!!

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Can you work them out?

These are all made up from maths words.

An anagram is a word or phrase made up of

Mathematical anagrams.

Anagrams

Puzzle Time