

25th July 2023. Term 3, Week 1

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Dates to Remember

Year 5/6 Basketball
Streaky Bay
Wednesday 2nd August

Jeans For Genes Day
Friday 4th August

9 a Side Football
Cleve
Thursday 10th August

Book Week Dress up
Wednesday 23rd August

School Photos
Wednesday 30th August

Hello everyone and welcome back to Term 3.

It was delightful to have all the students back at school for Term 3. It was also pleasing to see students wearing full school uniform with the school's navy t-shirt and jumper and blue pants. Their holiday stories are told with enormous expression and energy and we love that our students have returned to school with enthusiasm.

Wellness Puppy

Late last term we were made aware of a South Australian dog breeder who felt honoured to be in a position to donate one of their ethically bred, responsibly raised, groodle pups to a lucky South Australian School.

We undertook extensive consultation with our Staff and the Governing Council and researched the benefits and challenges around the possibilities of having a school wellness dog at our school. The application process was widely endorsed by all stakeholders and consequently we were one of three shortlisted schools lucky enough to undertake the interview process.

And then some wonderful news: Congratulations Elliston Area School: As you may have seen on social media, our school was the successful applicant and we were delighted to accept the gift of a wellness puppy by Adelaide Hills Groodles during the holidays.

Meet Haze our school wellness puppy.

Although Haze will undertake extensive training and commence a lengthy transition period into this new role, we are thrilled to have him as a member of our school community. Tannille and I will be Haze's primary handlers and he will live at our home and attend school on a regular basis.

We have engaged with the Dogs Connect program who offer all the necessary training and resources to guide our school through implementing a very thorough wellbeing program involving Haze.

We look forward to communicating with families more information over the coming weeks about Haze's training and transition to school and the measures in place to ensure we maintain a positive learning environment for all students.

For more information on the impacts of a wellbeing dog at school please feel free to access the following link on the 7 proven impacts, as well as the Dogs Connect Case Studies/Testimonials to see how wellness dogs are impacting school across Australia.

- [7 proven impacts a wellbeing dog has on a school](#)
- [Dog's Connect Case Studies/Testimonials](#)

We must extend an enormous thank you to Amanda and Sam from Adelaide Hills Groodles for choosing us as the successful South Australian School and for travelling to Elliston to deliver Haze during the holidays. We feel extremely grateful and honoured that Haze will contribute to the wellbeing program at Elliston Area School.

Adelaide Hills Groodles

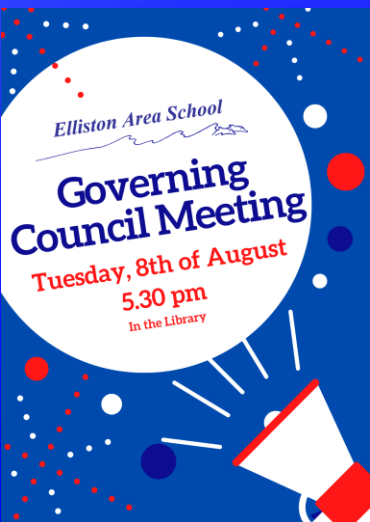
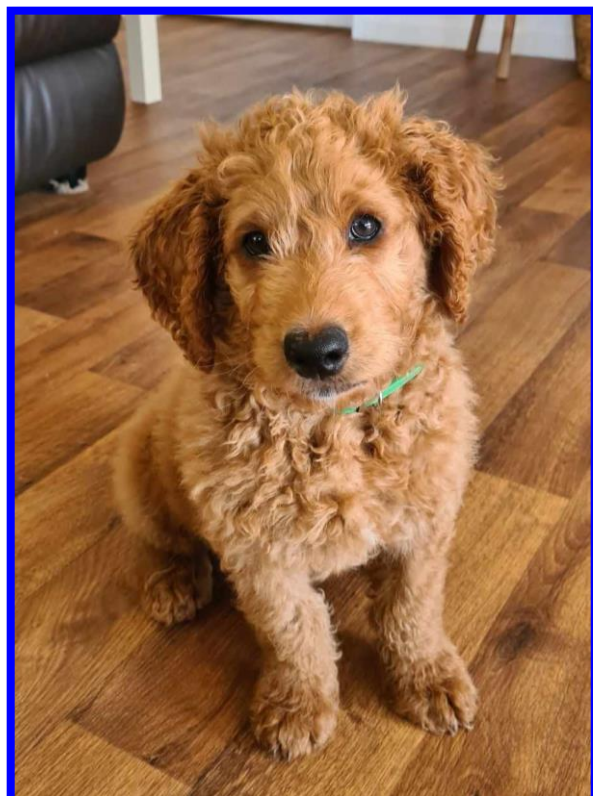
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CONGRATULATIONS TO ELLISTON AREA SCHOOL!!

We are so proud to announce Elliston Area School and their Principal Chad Fleming as the new home for Wellness Puppy - 'Haze'. We know he is going to have such an impact here and is already loved, respected and welcomed.

We look forward to the updates, photos and stories of this little guy as he grows into his role with Mr Fleming and the Elliston Area School Staff and Students.

We'll continue to look after Haze for another couple of weeks before he heads off for his new adventures.

Thank you so much to all of our schools who participated in applying for opportunity to have their very own Wellness Puppy from AHG.



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Open Parachute

This term we are delighted to introduce our students to the Open Parachute Program. We are extremely grateful to Andrew Taheny, the SANFL Game Development Coordinator - Eyre Peninsula and Brad Humphrey the SANFL General Manager of Game Development, who have been leasing with Casey Grice, Executive General Manager Community and Foundation at the Adelaide Crows Football Club, who have facilitated our involvement in this program in light of recent events. The Open Parachute Mental Health and Wellbeing resources are also supported by the Sebastian Foundation, Jules and Guy Sebastian.

The goal of the Open Parachute program is to teach practical mental health and wellbeing skills to students. The focus is on prevention, giving students an opportunity to practise skills for addressing any current or future challenges that might impact their mental health. By taking a proactive approach, the program helps schools move away from a triage response and towards a transformational, proactive approach.

The purpose of this program is to develop true, lasting resilience in students and will be delivered via the Health Curriculum by Stevie Romanowycz for the Primary students and Kristy Newton in the Secondary area.

Staffing

Ms Bourke is on LSL this week and Jay Dudley will be the TRT in the 4/5/6 class for the week. Trisha Tomlinson is also away on LSL for Week 1 and Julie Custance is away until Week 6.

Farewell

It is with a sense of sadness that we bid farewell to Kai and Jade Tesselaar who are moving to Port Lincoln to continue their schooling. We wish them both all the very best and look forward to hearing about your successes in the future.

Please have a wonderful week 1.

Kind Regards

Chad Fleming

Principal

School News

M&S Service Charges

Reminder - Material and Service Charges are due.

Outstanding Accounts were sent out last week.

A prompt payment would be appreciated.

Thank you to those parents who have already paid.

Payments can be made by direct deposit into the school account, EFTPOS, cheque or cash.

Direct Deposit Banking Details

BSB: 065 508

Acc Number: 00911342

Active After School

Football @ the oval

Thursday from 3:30pm - 4:30pm

4-11year old's

Please bring a drink bottle.



July Birthdays

25th Lily Tonkin

25th Jarrah Donovan

31st Beau Jacobs

SRC Canteen

CANTEEN – Friday

Pies	\$3.50	Large Spring Rolls	\$2.00
Sausage Rolls	\$2.50	Pizza	\$2.50
Lasagne	\$3.50	Fruit Box	\$1.50
Sauce Free			

Orders need to be put in brown paper bags with your name, class and correct money and delivered to the box outside the Home Ec room by 9am Friday morning. Thanks

Principals Read Aloud at Home CHALLENGE

A reminder: please listen to your child read for 10 minutes, 3 x per week and record or sign either their reading or school diary. Thank you kindly.



The more that you
READ,

the more **THINGS**
you will **know.**

The more that you
LEARN,

the more **PLACES**
YOU'LL GO
-Dr. Seuss

R/1 CLASS CELEBRATING 100 days of school in 2023

In the last week of Term 2 we celebrated 100 days of school! We talked about what things will be like when we are 100, practised counting to 100 and brought 100 items from home to count with friends.



I will have hair growing out of my nose. (Jarrah McLeod)



I will get a size 1,000,000 motorbike. I will be huge and wrinkly. (Billy Scott)



I will watch Spiderman revealed on TV. I will be old, my face will be wrinkly and I will have a wheelchair. (Bodhi McDougall)



I would have big white hair and a hairy nose. I would have an old house. (Lockie Barkway)



WHEN I AM 100 YEARS OLD.....



I will have earrings, cats and friends. My friend will be Ava. (Lotti Dudley)



I will snore, be wrinkly and my hair will be grey. I will do the dishes and have a walking stick. (Hazel Potter)



I will snore and do the dishes. I won't be able to see and will get glasses. (Hadley Pryor)



I will have glasses, sleep in and watch TV. My hair will be grey and my friend will be Lotti. (Ava Carter)



I will be old and big. I will be playing bowls. (Eddie Phillips)



I will snore and my hair will be grey. I will be too old. (Ashton Haagmans)



I will watch TV all day on the couch. I will look like an old Poppa and will watch my kid play footy versing the Saints. (Arlo Pryor)



I will watch YouTube all the time and I will have 100 bucks! (Brax Bascomb)



CELEBRATING

NADOC WEEK activities

- Colouring feathers to make an eagle
- Making Damper
- Cooking Kangaroo tails

For Our Elders



Community News

Elliston Districts Football and Netball News



Elliston Thursday Training Night

Football Training

U12 Auskick
3.30pm – 4:30pm
U12, U16 Colts
4.30pm
Seniors (Tuesday and Thursday)
6.30pm
Colts Welcome

Netball Training

E Grade, E Reserves and E3 Netball Training
4:30pm - 5:30pm
Senior Netball Training
5:30pm – 7:00pm



**ELLISTON DISTRICTS
FOOTBALL & NETBALL CLUB**

Thursday Night Teas

Elliston Sports Centre

Junior Netball and Football Families

(One volunteer per family please)

Date	6:00-8:30
Thursday 27 th July	Phillips, Fleming, Romanowycz (Stevie/ Todd)
Thursday 3 rd August	Nunan, Monaghan, Romanowycz (Rosie)
Thursday 10 th August	TBA
Thursday 17 th August	TBA
	Finals

We have employed a kitchen manager at the Elliston Sports Centre and we are looking for Volunteers to help out on Thursday nights.
Please organise your own swap if you are unable to make your shift.
Thanks for volunteering your time!

Community Health Nurse

Jess Bascomb - Registered Nurse
Available to all community members for non-emergency care.
Bloods, wounds, suture removal, and much more
Working - Monday Tuesday Thursday and Friday

Available Services:

Diabetes Educator
Counselling Services
Respiratory Nurse Home Care Package Co-Ordination
Allied Health Assistant
Home Support Workers
Community Nurse
Community Midwife
Occupational Therapist
Home Equipment Hire
Podiatrist
Dietician

Call the Elliston Health Centre for an appointment 86879012

Bushfire Ready Workshop You're Invited



ELLISTON

Invest in a **FREE** Bushfire Safety workshop. Protect you and your family for the 2023/2024 Fire Danger Season!

Can you CONFIDENTLY?

- Protect your family and home if threatened by a bush fire?
- Protect your family and home on your own?
- Say your property is prepared to be bushfire safe?
- Decide when to leave, stay or defend your property?
- Understand Emergency Warnings
- Read and predict weather conditions in your local area?

If you have answered NO to any of the above, this workshop is for YOU!

WHEN: Thursday 21st September 2023 from 6:30-8:30pm

WHERE: Elliston Community Sports Centre, Memorial Drive, Elliston

CONTACT: CFS Community Engagement Officer,
Kylie Kleinig to register your attendance Ph: 0428 891 745
E: Kylie.Kleinig@eso.sa.gov.au

2023 SHOW POSTER COMPETITION

ALL RECEPTION TO YEAR 7 STUDENTS

YOU ARE INVITED TO MAKE YOUR OWN SHOW POSTER FOR THE UPCOMING
97TH ANNUAL SHOW

YOUR POSTER CAN BE HAND DRAWN, COMPUTER GENERATED OR MIXED
MEDIA (A VARIETY OF MEDIA USED IN AN ENTERTAINMENT OR WORK OF ART ,
SUCH AS ROCKS, WOOL, DRAWING, TEXTAS, PAINTING)

PLEASE DO NOT MAKE THE POSTER ANY LARGER THAN A3 SIZE



ALL POSTERS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING IN THE MAIN (FRONT) CONTENTS.

WUDINNA & LEHUNTE DISTRICTS AH&F SOCIETY 97TH ANNUAL SHOW

SATURDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER 2023

ADMISSION: ADULT (MEMBER) \$12.00

ADULT (NON MEMBER) \$12.00

CONCESSION \$8.00

CHILDREN UNDER 16 FREE

EVERY POSTER MUST HAVE WRITTEN ON THE BACK -

ENTRANTS NAME

YEAR LEVEL (NOT CLASS LEVEL) EG YEAR 3 NOT YEAR 3 / 4

SECTION YOU WANT TO ENTER THE POSTER INTO E.G. HAND DRAWN OR MIXED MEDIA

GET CREATIVE, MAKE IT AMAZING AND HAVE FUN!

PRIZES ARE

HAND DRAWN 1ST - \$10.00

HAND DRAWN 2ND - \$5.00

MIXED MEDIA 1ST - \$10.00

MIXED MEDIA 2ND - \$5.00

COMPUTER GENERATED 1ST- \$10.00

COMPUTER GENERATED 2ND - \$5.00

ALL POSTERS MUST BE RETURNED TO YOUR SCHOOL FRONT DESK BY FRIDAY 28TH JULY 2023 (WEEK 1 TERM 3)