



NEWSLETTER | TERM 2, WEEK 10

JULY 1, 2021



Community. Confidence. Respect.

Key Dates

Last Day of Term 2 Friday 2nd July

NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS Sunday 4th July

Dental Visit 5th July - 17th July

Term 3 Starts! Monday 19th July

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

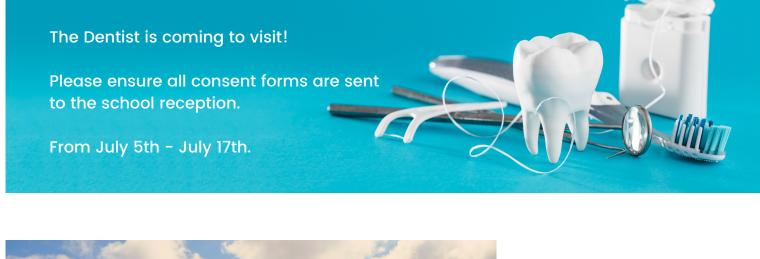
Term 2 Reflections and Term 3 Movements

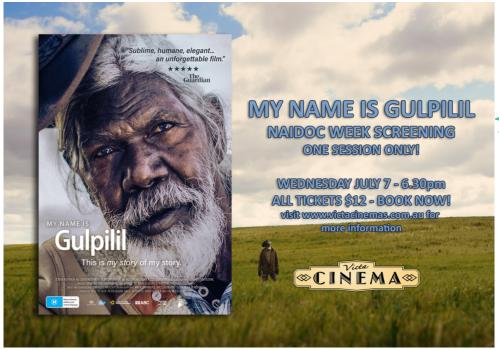
As we come to the end of Term 2 and reflect upon the first 6 months of 2021, I'm glad to say this has certainly been a much smoother year so far than 2020 was. Students have settled well into their classes, undertaken a range of high quality learning opportunities and enjoyed many camps, excursions and fun activities.

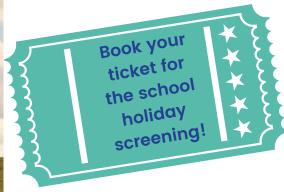
Your child's report is coming home today, 1st July 2021, and will provide a good summary of their learning. The student's own comments have been so interesting to read as they tend to be very truthful in their achievements and in the areas they need to improve.

Term 3 will see some changes in staff as we welcome back people from leave and say farewell to those heading to other opportunities. Thank you to Sam Hage who has been one of our Intervention and Support teachers in The Switch room. Sam has supported many students and families during his time at Port Elliot. He has also been able to bring therapy dog Eddie and Eddie's buddy Bailey. The two dogs have been popular visitors to classrooms and the yard. Sam is moving on to a classroom position closer to his family for Terms 3 and 4.

REMINDER









Flying Fish Awards

Community

Danielle D Kooter K Aledia W Hunter B Lyla T Maddison H Blair W Halle D Zeb B

Confidence

Eliza T Alex H
Jasmine E Riley P
Arily N Nadia T-M
Katie W Zak S
Emily W Harper P
Lexi C Zara C
Rhys A Layla B
Lily B Marlon K

Respect

Holly R
Jordon M
Phoenix G
Sol G
Ayden D
Oskar S
Corey A
Ava D
Hamish E

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK, CONT'D

Anjie Collins will take The Switch Room teacher position 4 days a week and we welcome Starr Brown 2 days a week to support The Zone as this has been Anjie's role.

April Howes has been with us for 12 months as a Junior Primary teacher. April has been a welcoming person whom the students of Room 9:08 have bonded well with. She has worked to establish routines and expectations and I know many parents have spoken positively of her relationships with the children. While April finishes her time in Room 9:08 we are hoping to have her back regularly over the coming terms.

Welcome back to Natalie Mumford and Bryher Kelly as they return from maternity leave - Natalie, Mondays and Tuesdays and Bryher, Thursdays and Fridays - they will work alternate Wednesdays in Room 9:08 with the Year 1/2 class.

Also welcome back to SSO Cindy Kuhn, who is returning to Port Elliot after 6 months leave and will be working across various classrooms.

Some other staff information for next term; Vicki Lacey is on long service leave from Term 3. April Howes will take her class week 1, Justine Beadman will take Room 9:07 for the rest of the term. Sarah Slee returns for Long Service Leave Week 2 of Term 3. Justine will stay in Room 4:01 for the extra week before moving to Vicki Lacey's Year 1/2 class.

To all our students, staff and Port Elliot Primary School families, I wish you a safe and enjoyable mid-year break.

Brenton Hudson

UNCLE MOOGY VISITS PEPS

On Friday 25th June, Ngarrindjeri Elder Uncle Moogy Sumner visited PEPS with his three grandchildren, Major, Havana & Liana.

"They were all painted up. Uncle Moogy and Major were dressed in a traditional way, looking as though they were ready for the ceremony." "We watched them dance. The dances were mimicking the animals from Ngarrindjeri country, they are all a part of our Dreaming. PEPS students clapped along with the beat that Uncle Moogy kept with his boomerangs."

"Lots of PEPS students got up to dance with them, it was so wonderful to watch. Then some of the staff had the opportunity to dance as well. It was a lot of fun and felt great."

NAIDOC WEEK

NAIDOC week is coming up in the school holidays. The theme for 2021 is 'Heal Country'.

I have been busy co-ordinating two community NAIDOC events on the Fleurieu this year. MIPAAC are a local Ngarrindjeri Aboriginal Corporation, and for the first time this year, the NAIDOC events are being led and managed by MIPAAC - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community, rather than it being a council event. Council staff have been a terrific support in the handover of the events. All are welcome to come and celebrate our rich culture and history, our people, and achievements.

See NAIDOC flyer on the last page for further information.

Jade McHughes

WATERPORT RESERVE WITH YEAR 4/5'S





In Waterport Reserve there is an old Historic Well and Police Horse Stable. Our class have been studying the reserve and helping to add to its educational and recreational value for the whole Port Elliot community.

Waterport Reserve is very fascinating. I loved the old well and the horse shed.

On our excursion we took pictures of the old well. I'm sure that the Aboriginal People used the fresh water as there are heaps of old shells there.

I liked the information signs and we want to plant more plants in the local flora arboretum.

Waterport Reserve is full of history and my imagination showed me the Police horses in the old stables.

Our class walked on the boardwalk, saw the old well and read the signs to learn about the local history.

We are now able to enter Waterport Reserve through the gate and the Alexandrina Council are making more paths around the local native plants as well.

Mr Blacker's Class



Southern Fleurieu District Girls Soccer Trial Information

Information was given to any year 6 and 7 girls who were interested in attending selection trials for the district Soccer team to play against other district teams at the School Sport SA Sapsasa State Carnival.

The carnival will be played at Barratt Reserve, West Beach from Monday 9th August to Wednesday 11th August. To nominate for the trials please access this link and follow the steps.

http://bit.ly/SouthernFleurieuNominations2021

If you require any further information, please contact Trina.

Southern Fleurieu District Boys Soccer Trial Information

Information was given to any year 6 and 7 boys who were interested in attending selection trials for the district Soccer teams to play against other district teams at the School Sport SA Sapsasa State Carnival.

Due to the changes set to occur next year with both the year 6 and 7 students moving to High School, there will be a separate year 6 carnival and year 7 carnival to promote opportunities for those year 6 students before they transition to High School.

The carnival will be played at Barratt Reserve, West Beach. Year 7's from Monday 9th August to Wednesday 11th August. Year 6's from Monday 30th August to Wednesday 1st September.

To nominate for the trials please access this link and follow the steps.

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Southern Fleurieu District Hockey Trial Information

Information was given to any year 6 and 7 students who were interested in attending selection trials for the district Hockey teams to play against other district teams at the School Sport SA Sapsasa State Carnival.

The carnival will be played at Grange Reserve from Monday 9th August to Wednesday 11th August. To nominate for the trials please access this link and follow the steps.

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Local Sporting Success Stories!

On the June long weekend the Country Championships for netball took place in Adelaide. Our school had 3 representatives as part of the Great Southern Netball Association teams. Jade played in the under 13s and Alice and Lexi played in the under 11s.

Jade played GS for the under 13s. The under 13s won 10 games of their 12 and finished 3rd overall. The under 11s played 5 games won 2, drew 1 and lost 2 and finished 4th overall. Alice played GS and WA and Lexi played GD, GK and WD.

If you have any local success stories involving our students, please let us know so they can get a mention in this section of the newsletter.

Local Sporting opportunities

Please refer regularly to the PE section of the school website for information about numerous local sporting clinics, clubs and opportunities for the students to be involved in after school hours and within the holidays.

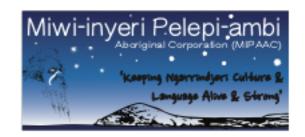


Congratulations to our Netball Champs!

Jade, Alice and Lexi had a great opportunity to play against players from all over the state.

Well done girls!







South Coast

NAIDOC Celebrations

Sunday 4 July 2021 11am-2pm

Ratalang (Basham Beach) Conservation Reserve, Port Elliot

Ngarrindjeri Welcome to Country, Smoking Ceremony, children's activities, music, didgeridoo performance and workshop, lunch provided.

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All types of School Card applications are now online.

You can access the online forms from any device that gets internet, including mobile devices, such as tablets and smart phones, as well as laptops and computers.

Applying online is easy! Simply follow the steps below.

- STEP 1 Visit sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard
- STEP 2 Select the type of School Card you would like to apply for (for example 'Type A') and follow the prompts.
- STEP 3 Complete all mandatory fields.
 Please note: you cannot submit your application unless all mandatory fields are complete.
- STEP 4 Once you have completed a page click on the 'NEXT' button.
- STEP 5 Once you have filled out all pages click the 'SUBMIT' button.

 Please note: if you exit the form without clicking 'SUBMIT' your details will be lost.

You can save the form, and return to complete it at another time, by clicking on the 'SAVE' button.



