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Department for Education

Term 3
Week 5
20 August 2020

★ ★ ★ Dates to remember ★ ★ ★

Wednesday 26 August	Nude Food Day	Whole School
Wed 28 – Fri 28/8	SAPSASA District Carnival – Soccer & Hockey	
Thursday 27 August	HIP Excursion - BEES	HIP students
Friday 28 August	Book week – Dress up Day	Whole school
Wednesday 2 September	Fathers' Day Stall	Whole school
Friday 4 September	School Closure Day – Pupil Free Day	Whole School Closed
Monday 7 September	Partnership Training & Development Pupil Free Day	Whole School Closed
Week 8	Student Wellbeing & Engagement Survey	Years 4 to 7
Wed 9 Sept – Fri 11 Sept	SAPSASA District Carnival – Netball & Football	
Monday 14 September	Governing Council meeting	STEM at 7pm
Friday 18 September	HIP Excursion - Botanic	HIP students
Wednesday 23 September	Lab on Legs	Year 3 & 4 classes
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Thursday 24 September	Lab on Legs	Year 3 & 4 classes
Friday 25 September	Last Day of Term 3	2.00pm Dismissal
Monday 12 October	First Day of Term 4	8.40am start

Dear Families,

Great to see some much needed rain this week and we hope that the rain is reaching the farming areas around SA. A big thank you to the community who are continuing to follow the social distancing rules and not entering the school buildings. We are continually reminding students about the importance of washing hands frequently for the health and safety of our community.

BOOK WEEK

Unfortunately, we have had to cancel the book fair for this year due to COVID safety. This would normally occur in the library with many families coming inside the building to select books to purchase. Students will still get the opportunity to be involved with their own classes with Book week activities. Reading books empowers us by building our knowledge and creativity and provides us with pleasure. Enjoyment of books can be an individual thing but can also be a beautiful experience between you and your child, whether it's a fiction or non-fiction book, cup cake recipe, magazine or the Football Record. Seizing moments to share in reading experiences will help your child develop a positive disposition towards reading.

Students can come dressed in their favourite book character on Friday, 28th August, but we won't be participating in a book parade in front of the whole school.

STAFF PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT

All teachers and leaders are currently meeting with their line managers for their 6 month performance review. We pleased to be able to report that of those teachers and leaders, are all on track to meet their performance targets. A particular highlight is the growth being achieved in student running record levels. Many students recorded an initial fall in their levels, however, this was expected as teachers began using balanced reader principles when conducting assessments. Following this, we have seen significant trends of improvement in reading from term 1 to term 3.

SSO WEEK

Week 6 is SSO week. If you see one of our wonderful, hard working and impactful School Services Officers, please thank them. They are absolutely essential for learning and

their hard work makes a difference in terms of student outcome.

Thank you to all of our SSOs!

Nick Papadopoulos & Kristian Rawlings

SCHOOL NEWS

FATHERS' DAY STALL

Students will be able to purchase gifts for Dad or Grandpa at the annual FNPS Father's Day stall. The stall will be held on **Wednesday, 2 September**. Gift prices will range in price from \$2-00 to \$6-00.

We hope everyone has a wonderful day on Sunday, 6 Sept.



SCHOOL UNIFORM

We have recently received quite a large number of donations from families of second hand school uniforms. If you are interested in purchasing any of these items please visit Pam in the uniform shop on Tuesday mornings from 8.30am. Most items are priced at \$5-00 and are in great condition. (Please note, whilst the covid-19 restrictions are still in place the shop is only open on Tuesday mornings. Please remember social distancing whilst waiting). All other purchases can be made directly through the QKR App.

LIBRARY NEWS

It is great to see how many students have finished the Premier's Reading Challenge, and many more are very close to finishing. Remember, the challenge finishes in **two weeks**, on 4 September. It is an expectation at Fulham North that all students will complete the challenge.

Due to coronavirus, students are able to record any 12 books they read that is at their reading level, rather than making sure they are from the PRC list.

Congratulations to the following students who have finished their PRC.

Kristin Martin and Michele Russell, Librarians

Room 1

Isabella C	Chloe S
Frank S	Lulu W
Ashton W	Zach P
Dario P	Amaia E
Yianni K	

Room 2

Kostya T	Lincoln F
Fletcher I	Isabelle L
Nathaniel N	

Room 9

Cohen S	Nate T
Jack R	Addison H
Eleni K	Lujain G
Luke H	Toby K

Room 11

Charli D	Grace H
Sara T	Josh C
Luka F	Wil F
Jai G	Cooper O

Room 12

Sienna C	Chloe R
Isadora T	Jack T
Anetta T	Owen R
Bella B	Charlotte R

Room 16

Bianca B	Siena C
Brooke H	Jade R
Bastien L	Gabriel P

Room 17

Maria I	Jye L
Oscar S	Giuseppe T
Max V	

Room 18

Leila B	Layan G
Nalani D	Annabelle P
Axel R	Jack H
David M	Sarah Mc
Charlotte A	Lachie G
Izyus M	

Room 19

Will K	Hugo W
Cody W	Sarina R
Alex R	Lilymai S
Anela S	Billy K
Abbie V	Ella F

Room 21

Laura H	Eva P
Milla T	Jackson Mc
Lola C	Hendrix G
Edwin J	

Room 22

Lara S

Room 23

Athena K	Oscar M
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YEAR 7 POETRY

Last term the year 7 students studied different types of poetry during their library lessons. Below are some of the poems that the students in Rooms 10 and 11 wrote. Ella's personification poem makes me feel sorry for the soccer ball.

Kristin Martin, teacher librarian

Game Day by Ella C

New and shiny, ready to go.
Ready for the game and to score the goals.
The net is safety, I need it now.

There is the whistle.
There's too many people,
I'm feeling scared.

'Ow! That hurts! Stop it now!'
Why are you kicking me in the dirt?
My white clothes now covered in mud.
Careful, you might break my skin.

There's the whistle again,
finally a break.
Please swap the ball.
Leave me alone.

No!! Don't start again.
I can't take any more of this.
Why do they take their anger out on me?
I'm hurling towards the net.

There's the celebration,
sliding towards the crowd.

Finally the match is done.
Hopefully that's it.
Time to go to the shed.

Tobias the Hippopotamus by *Luka F*

Look at Tobias the hippo.
He squelches in the mud.
When he tries to get out of it,
he fall down with a thud.

He looks like he's the clumsiest,
and yes, the fattest too.
But really, he has superpowers.
There's nothing he can't do!

MATHS WIZZ CERTIFICATES

Isabella M Leo S
Erin R

balling off to team mates, while also slotting a couple of goals. Excellent win Owls!
Barry Preston & Dee Owen

Year 2/3 **15/8/20**

This week we welcomed Max W to the 2/3 Owls as we took on Glenelg PS on a sunny Saturday morning. We started slow, with Glenelg getting off to a quick start but a late charge from Max W and Lewis M with goals meant we got back into the game. Timothy H was getting ghis boot to ball for a goal while also getting taps in the centre with good assists. Charlie was defending really well down back and showing great skills in the middle and forward line. Blake played an important role in the back lines playing in front and showing great improvement with his kicking and handballs while also in the forward line in goal assists. Max had his first game this week and really impressed us with strong marks and his goal kicking abilities and has been a great addition to the 2/3 Owls.

Barry Preston

COMMUNITY NEWS

SCHOOL SPORTS RESULTS

FOOTBALL



Year 5 **8/8/20**

FNPS Yr5's played Nazareth Yr6's at Flinders Park. The children were a bit put off at first but we gained some confidence in the 3rd quarter. Liam S came alive and improved his tackling. Brilliant effort from our goal kickers, Jye L & Max V getting one each on the board. Archie H led the way motivating the team, and Will W, Will Mc & Bastien L for keeping the pressure on the boys. Guiseppe played an amazing game and Julius O put in a tremendous effort. Toby C hit the score board with a point for the team. The Show down with FNPS Year 6's after our BYE next week is set to be a cracker!

GO THE MIGHTY OWLS!

Mel Stephens

Year 2/3 **8/8/20**

The year 2/3 Owls took on Henley Beach PS on a very chilly Saturday morning. We started strong with Oscar L getting boot to ball and kicking long throughout the match. Koby O then showed his skills slotting the first goal that put us on the scoreboard. Lewis M, the little pocket rocket, zipped around the ground all game, showing off some great ducking, dodging and diving techniques against his opponent. Victor G showed a lot of improvement in the forward line this week taking some good marks and hand

70 YEARS

Senators

COME & TRY DAY

SUNDAY 30TH AUGUST • 2PM - 3.30PM

WOODVILLE DISTRICT BASEBALL CLUB

DON KLAEBE RESERVE, DRUMMOND AVE, FINDON SA 5023

NEW SEASON STARTS OCTOBER 2020

ALL AGES & SKILL LEVELS WELCOME

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10 WEEK TBALL SEASON
GREAT INTRO TO BASEBALL

COME & TRY DATES
FRIDAY OCT 30 & NOV 6
4.30PM AT THE CLUB

FRIDAYS 4.30PM TO 5.30PM
HENLEY & GRANGE BASEBALL CLUB
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WANT TO PLAY TBALL

AUGUST 2020

THE PE POST

The Fulham North PE update



UPCOMING DATES

- 26TH-28TH AUGUST SAPSASA DISTRICT CARNIVAL – SOCCER/HOCKEY
- 31ST AUGUST KO GIRLS SOCCER @ COLLINS RESERVE
- 2ND SEPTEMBER KO FOOTBALL @ FULHAM NORTH OVAL (OWL PARK)
- 7TH SEPTEMBER KO NETBALL @ WESTMINSTER
- 9TH-11TH SEPTEMBER SAPSASA DISTRICT CARNIVAL – NETBALL/FOOTBALL

WELCOME!

They say a busy term makes a quick term and we're certainly seeing that at the moment!

I would like to introduce **Stephen Sochaki** to the Fulham North community. Stephen is a 4th year teaching student at UniSA and will be working with myself and Mr Rogers in PE from Week 6 until the end of the term. Mr S has already met some of the students during his lead in days and is thrilled to be doing his final placement with the Mighty Owls.

Cory Selfe & Alex Rogers



SAPSASA NEWS

Mr Dimkou's KO boys team endured a tough first round draw against Lockleys North and Edwardstown primary. Unfortunately they went down to a very well drilled Lockleys team consistent of many club players. Mr D was very proud of the boys efforts on the day. Thank you to all parents who assisted to support and transport the players.

The following day our girls KO team ventured to Lockleys North to avenge the boys loss. They were switched on right from the get go and quickly gained a 3-0 lead thanks to **Cassidy**. The second half allowed for a bit more freedom with their positions.

The second game saw the girls come up against a fresher opponent in Hallet Cove who placed a brick wall in front the goals which our girls found difficult to penetrate after many chances. At half time the scores were 0-0 and the girls were challenged to take risks and shoot when within range. Cassidy finally broke the deadlock with a 30m free kick that had everyone up and about! Well done girls!

Our next round is at Collins Reserve on Monday 31st August.

NETBALL

Our Netballers were able to put our newly surfaced court to the test hosting Nazareth and Lockleys North last week. The girls were challenged to start well and they did so racing to a 7-0 quarter time lead. As the game progressed it was evident that our players have played a lot of netball together over the years, showing great communication and ball movement to finish victorious.

Game 2 was going to be a much tougher affair with one Nazareth student tall enough to line up for the Opals. **Gemma, Mia** and **Molly** embraced the challenge from defence and stayed tough all day. **Emily** and **Madi** shot consistently and **Alice** showed great versatility running through the mid and front court when required. Well done Owls!

Our next round will be against Westminster, Concordia and East Adelaide on Monday 7th September at Westminster School. We are aware that this is a pupil free day.

LOST PROPERTY

We have a lot of jumpers and jackets in our lost property basket in the gym. If you are missing something please feel free to come and have a look.





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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Re: Wellbeing and Engagement Collection

Students in our school have been invited to take part in a survey being conducted in Term 3 2020. This letter provides key information about the survey.

In Term 1 2020, some schools participated in the Wellbeing and Engagement Collection. However, not all students were able to participate in or complete the survey due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Our school will participate in the Term 3 Wellbeing and Engagement Collection which will be open during Weeks 7 to 9 (Monday 31 August to Friday 18 September 2020).

Purpose of the collection

Young people's sense of wellbeing is an important part of how they learn at school. The purpose of the survey is to seek students' views about their wellbeing and their engagement with school. Students in year levels 4 to 12 across the State will be invited to participate in the *Wellbeing and Engagement Collection*. The information collected will help the education system and broader community to support young people's health and wellbeing.

What is the survey about?

The survey asks students about their social and emotional wellbeing; school relationships and engagement and learning in school; and physical health and wellbeing and after school activities. Students' answers will be kept confidential – no one (including school staff) will use the results to identify individual students.

What is involved in project participation?

Teachers will arrange for students to undertake the survey during class time. Students will be asked if ~~they~~ would like to participate and will be free to withdraw at any time. ***If you do not want your child to participate, please contact the school as soon as possible after receiving this letter.***

Will students' information be kept confidential?

The department takes measures to ensure students' personal information and their identities remain anonymous when participating in the survey.

Participating schools with fewer than 5 students undertaking the survey will not receive a school report in order to protect the confidentiality of students.

What will happen if a student is distressed during or after the survey?

Whilst the survey questions are not expected to distress students, the survey includes questions that ask about topics such as students' happiness and experiences of being bullied. Teachers will inform students that:

- if they find the survey uncomfortable or distressing, they should leave the survey screen immediately
- that it is not compulsory to take part in the survey as a whole, and
- ~~students~~ students may also skip individual survey questions if they wish.

Students who may want to speak to an adult about concerns or issues and will be supported to do so.

Where can I get more information?

Further information on the Wellbeing and Engagement Collection can be found at www.education.sa.gov.au (~~search.wec~~) or can be collected from the school. For questions or concerns, or to view the questions, please email Education.WECSA@sa.gov.au.

Sincerely

Nicholas Papadopoulos
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