FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Hello everyone!

Thanks to Jenelle Draper for organising our Student Leadership Induction Assembly on Monday this week. As you can see listed we have a great committee of students to be working with this year, led by our School Captains Elle Marschall and Max Neville. Beau Schaefer was also inducted and officially welcomed as our Christian Pastoral Support Worker.

Just a reminder that Tuesday after the long weekend we have our Pupil Free Day where staff will be working on site priorities. It is great that Max Neville and Elle Marschall (our School Captains) will be attending on the day to represent the students by learning with staff, and adding their advice to our Assessment and Reporting processes in the afternoon.

Student Leadership Committee (SLC) members are: Years 3 to 5 - Cassidy Neville-Pope, Joshua Drummond; Years 6 to 7 - Mark Aves, Taylor Suhrcke; 8A - Emily Allchurch; 8B - Nathan Cater, Kerry Colmer; 9 - Catherine Krawiec, Doug Beddome; 10 - Leesa Flanagan, Grace Villani, Dylan Windsor; 11A - Coby Rodda, Edward Stacey, Ryan Harvalik; 11B - Tenille Schmidt, Wade Villani; 12 - Sam Quinlan, Alex Tatham. School Captains are: Primary - Lhord Manguera, Taylor Geister; Secondary - Max Neville, Elle Marschall.

Have a great week everyone!

Lynne Hastings
Principal
YEAR 8 PT VINCENT CAMP

On Monday 20th February, the Eudunda Area School Year 8s, went on the Aquatics Camp to Port Vincent. The purpose of the camp was to get to know each other and learn new aquatics skills. The bus trip was long and loud, and was filled with howling laughter. We stopped at Port Wakefield for a quick pit stop, where everyone rushed off the bus to get food and a drink. We arrived at the Tuckaway Hostel and everyone was extremely excited. We unpacked the bus and then rushed into the dorms and chose our beds. Everyone got changed and some were excited about the first aquatics event for the day. We marched down the hill on our way to the beach. The water was calm and the wind pushed the waves to the shore.

Activity One - Knee-Boarding
The excitement of knee-boarding was building. “The wind was blowing in my face and I could hear the boat roaring. The shore was in the distance as my eyes were fixed on the boat.” Connor Henderson

Activity Two - Snorkelling
The second activity consisted of putting on a wet suit, goggles, snorkel and flippers for our snorkelling adventure. “I saw a jellyfish and swam over a crab and freaked out.” Bella Severin

Activity Three - Wind Surfing
The third activity meant that we had to test out our balance in the face of the wind. “I felt the wind in my face and it felt like I was going to blow away. It hurt when getting hit by the sail.” Toby Schulz

Overall, the camp was exciting and fun. The food was delicious and satisfying and the sweets were beautiful. The activities were exhilarating, awesome and breath-taking. This will be a great experience for next year’s Year 8s.
Fun, Fun, Fun was the name of the game at the swimming carnival this year. The day opened to overcast skies and a cool temperature of 20 degrees, however this didn’t deter the enthusiasm and commitment of our swimmers. The championship events were closely contested all day, many a great swim occurred and the pool was “steaming” from the many “hot” performances. The competitors in the freestyle, breaststroke, backstroke and relays all put in great effort, all with overall team victory being their goal. For the second year in a row the staff team took out the hotly contested “staff versus student” relay, again Cluse and Cussadia being the backbone of this great win.

At the end of the championship section of the day, Hambour led from Kavel and Patterson. The novelty events again proved to be a winner with all members of all houses participating in a respectful, committed and friendly manner.

The canteen provided an excellent meal, and we wish to thank Roxy and her band of helpers for preparing such a great spread. It was great that many parents, some first time attendees, came to watch the events and support the school on this fun day. Once all the food was eaten and all the swimming completed we crowned our new champion team. Kavel was again victorious, closely followed by Hambour and Patterson. Final scores were: Kavel 296 points; Hambour 275 points; Patterson 264 points. Individual Award winners were: Secondary Champ Male - Max Neville; Secondary Champ Female - Sam Allan and Kirsten Mosey; Primary Champ Male - Beau Wegener; Primary Champ Female - Hannah Webster. Thanks to all the committed staff, students and parents for making the 2012 swimming carnival a great day.

DAVID CLUSE
Senior Leader
GOVERNING COUNCIL REPORT

I would like to congratulate all the students, who despite some cooler weather, participated in the swim carnival last week. It was great to see everyone having a good time and congratulations also to those students who won events on the day. It was exciting to watch the teachers and students go head to head and I look forward to seeing the teachers in their lycra one pieces next year!

Thankyou to all the parents and other family members who came along on the day, your support is appreciated. A special thankyou to all the volunteers who helped on the day, especially Blat Goulder, Tania Neville and Elliot Scott. Thanks to Roxy Rosenzweig for the catering, the sausages helped to keep everyone warm. We hope you will come along and support us on sports day. I would urge all parents send their kids along to make up the numbers and cheer on their team.

SONIA NEVILLE
Chairperson, Governing Council

CANTEEN CORNER

There are NO specials for Week 7, due to the short week.

Look out for the Sports Day menu - coming out soon.

Keep smiling

ROXY ROSENZWEIG
Canteen Manager

GIRLS UNIFORM DRESS

There hasn’t been much response to the letter sent out regarding the ordering of uniform dresses.

If you are interested in purchasing a dress, could you please return the tear-off slip on the letter. We are happy to give you a copy of the letter, just ring the school on 85811 500.

You don’t need to pay now!

If we don’t get enough orders, we are unable to order any dresses.

VANESSA MACDONALD
Finance Officer

COMMUNITY NEWS

EUDUNDA BASKETBALL CLUB
Presentation Evening
Sunday 11th March at 7:00pm at Eudunda Sporting Club Room. Please bring a plate of savoury for a pooled tea, sweets will be provided. Bar facility available. All players and supporters, come along and support your basketball club

Commencing Thursday 15th March, 4pm at Robertstown oval. Training venue will follow senior training schedule (handed out at registration). Contact Co-coaches for further information:

Dean Handke 0409 795 865 or Jamie Launer 0400 018 004

SOUTHERN SAINTS FOOTBALL CLUB
U14s & Mini League training & registration
Thursday 15th March 4pm at Robertstown Oval for registration &medical forms, followed by sausage sizzle. Seniors will play an internal trial game - all welcome to come and show support. Auskick will be coordinated by Stephen Geister.

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“Kids For Christ” Easter Eggs-citement
This annual afternoon at the Robertstown Lutheran Church Hall is on Friday 16th March from 3:30pm to 5:30 pm (or 6:00pm). The formal part of the afternoon will finish at 5:30pm, with an optional extra 30 minutes of free time for outdoor games for those who wish to stay up until 6:00pm. All primary-aged children and families are welcome to come along for games and activities, food and friendship, and lots of Easter fun! For enquiries and for bookings (which are essential) please contact Chris Ruediger on 8581 7231 by Thursday 15th. The 2012 consent form also need to be returned before children attend.

ARE YOU INTERESTED in a BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP
@ the Eudunda Library?
Please see Sandy if you would like to join a book discussion group ☑️ 8581 1587

We welcome any suggestions, ideas & support...