SEAVIEW DOWNS PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Number 9, Thursday 3rd November 2022





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Events to remember:					
Week	Event	Date			
Week 4	Swimming Week (Rec – Year 5)	Monday 7 th – Friday 11 th November			
Week 5	Year 6 Aquatics Kindy Transition visit 1	Wednesday 16 th November 9am – 3pm Wednesday 16 th November 9am-10:30am			
Week 6	Kindy Transition visit 2 Assembly	Wednesday 23rd November 9am-11:30am Thursday 24 th November 9am			
Week 7	Kindy Transition visit 3	Wednesday 30 th November 9am-12pm			
Week 8	Transition to High school visits	Thursday & Friday 8 th & 9 th of December			
Week 9	Graduation Night Beach house excursion (Yr 6) Assembly	Wednesday 14 th of December Thursday 15 th of December Thursday 15 th of December 9am			

amilies

Dear Families,

Sports Day success!

With gratitude I commend the students, staff and community members for their efforts engaging positively on Sports Day. We know that maximum participation is key to every child's growth with sports – this year's events and associated eagerness from each team to participate in safe and spirited ways was exceptional.

We know the barbeque, organised, and managed by our Governing Council members, played a crucial role in contributing to the essence of the day. We thank all persons who engaged to assist the barbeque and food delivery. Specific mention to Bake Bakery for the bread donation.

Canteen - We need ongoing volunteer support as we return to operations

As the canteen is now running again, we know your support is needed for volunteering to keep viability long term. If you are not already a volunteer, and have some time to give, please contact Allison with a phone call to school. If you would prefer to email, the address is Canteen.SDPS240@schools.sa.edu.au.

Many hands are needed for light work, and to increase food service stability through our canteen.

Canteen Committee members are also needed to support menu development and review, staffing and events. Meetings are twice termly and run for an hour. If you have time for canteen committee engagement, please contact the front office and they will pass your name on to the Governing Council, who will be in communication.

Ordering through the canteen can occur via the Qkr! App (downloadable to your own device), or through brown paper bag submissions.

- Qkr a page explaining how to engage with the app is available on our school website. The link is below. www.seaviewdps.sa.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/Qkr-How-To-Guide.pdf
- Brown bags are in classes with a copy of the menu (in the blue canteen tub). Cash is needed to complete the
 order this way.

Sam Winters Principal

Lunchtime Legends

Every lunchtime, teachers on yard duty are on the lookout for students going the extra mile and being truly outstanding helpers. Whether it be helping to clean up the yard or being extra welcoming to a new face, each one of these lunchtime legends have earned a nomination as a result of doing something awesome.



The following students have been recognized as being Lunchtime Legends:

- Neeve Rm 20 x 4
- Evie Rm15 x 1
- Acacia C x 1
- Cody Rm 11 x1
- Daniella Rm 9 x3
- Glady Rm 9 x1
- Delilah Rm9 x1
- Sasha Rm9 x1
- Paige Rm 14 x1
- Scarlett Rm20 x1
- Zara Rm20 x1
- Georgie Rm 20 x1
- Caitlin H x1
- Tatyana Rm20 x1
- Ava Rm15 x1
- Evelyn Rm20 x2
- Maddy x1

- Ebony Rm14 x1
- Millie H x 2
- Piper M x1
- Charlotte rm 21 x 1
- Mya B x1
- Asha x1
- Piper S x1
- Kirra x1
- Alister rm 20 x1
- Ava S x3
- Jackson rm 21 x1
- Lilly rm 13 x1
- Noah H x1
- Leo B x1
- Hunter x1
- Jackson rm 9 x1
- Ameera x1

- Elijah Moore x12
- Charlie W x1
- Eva Rm9 x3
- Eadie Rm8 x1
- Indiana Rm x1
- Willa S x1
- Lucy A x2
- Summer O x1
- Molly R x1
- Matilda Rm15a x1
- Everly rm 15 x3
- Ethan rm 13 x1
- Harper B x2
- Felix B x2
- Connie rm 21 x1
- Mariia rm 15A x1
- Alannah Q x1

For each nomination, a student earns a ticket, to be placed in our barrel and drawn out (normally at assemblies). Each nomination goes in the draw and the winner gets a to choose a prize from the front office treasure box! The names have now been drawn, and the winner of this week's lunchtime legend is:

Eadie T

CONGRATULATIONS AND THANK YOU! KEEP UP THE GREAT WORK!

Thank you making our school community the best it can be

Colour Run

Thank you to our generous community for supporting our Colour Run Fundraiser - we raised approx. \$15,000!!!

The money will be allocated to a notice board for gym, and towards future Wellbeing Initiatives that support the Interoception facilities and resources available for students.















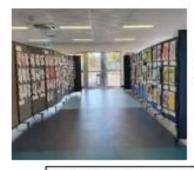
















In Term 3, all Seaview Downs Primary students exhibited their artwork for a Picasso Portrait themed unit of work, learning about the elements of shape and line whilst exploring abstraction and an ongoing focus on sustainability.

We needed 3 gallery spaces to exhibit their amazing abstract artwork!





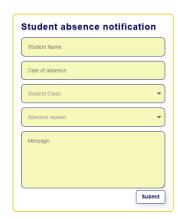
his term we have been learning about iterative art that builds on itself in a sustainable, story-telling fashion. Inspired by the work of Alfredo and Isabel Aquilizan's community collaborative cardboard artworks, all students have designed and contributed pieces to an epic "Community" artwork. This is taking shape now and the excitement is as big as the piece!

Come by after school on Thursday 10th November to experience this piece yourself and have a look at your student's Art journey We'd love to see you!



Absent notifications

Absentee notifications can now be sent through from our website!



National School Judo Championships

Seaview Downs Primary School participated in the Judo National School Championships and placed 31st in the competition.

Congratulations CHRISTOPHER S on your Bronze Medal!

Halloween Disco!

Our Halloween Disco was spookily successful!

Thank you to our amazing team of staff and volunteers who helped with manning the BBQ, serving food, distributing glowsticks, checking students in and out, and helping with the night's activities. You ensured that the night ran smoothly, and fun was had by all. It wouldn't be this way without you!

Thank you, Simon Lee, for the sensational lighting you supplied!





Library



Premier's Reading Challenge Awards will be awarded later this term. Participation this year was at 82%.

Scholastic Issue 7 closed on Tuesday this week, but Issue 8 will be out in classrooms in the next few weeks. Thanks go to all the families who support the Library through their purchases of Book Club books. Each dollar you spend helps me purchase new books for the wider school community to borrow.

An issue that has come to my attention lately is the number of books being returned having been fixed at home. If books are damaged or come apart at home please immediately return them to the Library so that I can mend them. Thank you.

Andrea Ellison Library Manager

Sports Day 2022

What a day we had last Tuesday to celebrate Seaview Downs 2022 Sports day. Well done to all students for competing in the carnival, even in the rain and fog. Thank you to the parent volunteers for all your hard work both in the lead up to the carnival and on the day. Your hard work doesn't go unnoticed. From setting up to packing up, to scoring and cooking the BBQ, or putting together rosters and timetables to cheering on your team, THANK YOU!

2022 Final Results:

1st Place Karndo

2nd Place Tindu

3rd Place Warri

4th Place Manya

Nathan Bald



























Thankyou Elissa Holmes for these great shots!







Thank you to our Governing Council team and volunteers for providing the Sausage Sizzle!

Thank you to Bake Bakery for supplying all the bread, and to Seacliff Foodland for the sausages! We really appreciate your generosity 😊





















Amy Hicks

Amy joined our volunteering team in 2021 as Basketball coach. In addition to coaching the team, she also gives her time to facilitate weekly basketball training sessions at recess to help players develop their skills even further. Amy is also a member of the Governing Council and has been actively participating since 2021.

What made you decide to become a volunteer at Seaview Downs Primary School?

I became a volunteer because I think it's important to play an active part in my child's education and I saw basketball coaching as a great way to do this. I also enjoy being a member of Governing Council as I am keen to keep up to date with the ongoing developments happening at school.

What's your favourite thing about volunteering?

My favourite part has been watching the students (in particular shy students) develop into confident, enthusiastic 'Ballers' who now look forward to games and training. The bond and values they have obtained through this experience as teammates is invaluable and it has been incredibly rewarding to have facilitated this.

How do you spend your time when you're not volunteering?

When I am not volunteering I run my own business and busy household. I enjoy keeping active and spending time with my husband and three children along with catching up with friends and family.

Anything else to add?

Volunteering is a fantastic way to get to know parents and students, it has given me a great sense of connection to the school community and enriched my time as a parent at Seaview Downs Primary. I feel very grateful for the opportunity.



We are deeply grateful for the contributions made to our school community by our amazing volunteering team, whose time and effort creates opportunities for students that might otherwise be unavailable to them.

Volunteering opportunities exist across a range of areas in the school; contact the Front Office for more information.

In Room 9 we practice mindfulness and at this busy time of the year it's particularly important - here we are being still and relaxing our minds and bodies before starting our afternoon learning.



Poetry and word play are our focus for English - here are some of our rhyming couplets and free verse poems...



Readers are leaders in room 9!





We combined Geography
with Tech and used our
research skills to find
interesting facts about the
Murray River to create a
report. We made named
folders on our laptops, saved
and retrieved pictures &
information, and learned
word processing and
formatting skills using Word
document applications.



In Maths we are exploring Geometry, shape, and orientation. To aid us in our understanding of how to plot graphs and find cartesian co-ordinates, we have been playing Battleships.











And most of all for 2022, in room 9 we have been learning to be kind, forgiving, helpful and truthful to others and to ourselves.





Community Connections Committee

The Community Connections Committee are at it again this term running recess activities* to give students another option of structured play during the first break of the day. The activities have been well attended and we look forward to getting up on the Oval on Mondays to start playing bocce once the weather clears up.

Parenting = The Most Challenging and Most Important Job in the World

In my role as Student Wellbeing Leader, I am asked parenting advice nearly daily. Being the furthest thing from a parenting expert (My 3-year-old daughter is currently in the developmental stage of spear tackling my 9-month-old daughter every time she wants to be seen or heard), my response is always the same: Passing on quality resources from experts in the field. You will notice a brochure in this week's newsletter from Developing Minds. They are offering a free three-part Calm Kids Central Webinar Series over the next 6 weeks around supporting parents to raise confident, connected and co-operative kids (see notice at end of newsletter for more details). The webinars are presented by Clinical Child Psychologist Kirrilie Smout (Director of Developing Minds Psychology). I will be watching all three webinars and looking out for any advice on correcting spear tackling in a 3-year-old.

Chris Crabb Student Well-being Leader

*See final newsletter page for the latest schedule of Community Connections recess activities.











OSHC / Vacation Care

Vacation Care

The October Vacation care was a hit! The children's 3 favourite places were Base Camp, Mega Courts and AFL Max. We have started programming the December/January Christmas holidays. We will be open the week before Christmas from the Monday the 19th of December until the Friday the 23rd of December. We will be closed for 2 weeks and back on Monday the 9th of January until Friday the 27th of January. Priority will be given to Seaview Downs Primary School students attending in 2023. Once year 6's graduate on Friday the 16th of December they will be deemed high school students as they will be attending a different school therefore, they will be last priority.

Ezi Debit

Statements are sent to families every second Monday and fees are taken out from your accounts on the Thursday of the same week. Please ensure you have sufficient funds to avoid a late payment fee.

Opening Times

Our opening time for Vacation care and Before School Care is 6:45am. Please ensure you are not arriving before this time. OSHC closes at 6:15pm, your child should be collected by this time. If you are running late for After School care pick up, please give us a ring to let us know. Please remember there is a charge of \$1 per minute early or late fee.

Kristy Returns

Thankyou to everyone for the warm welcome back. I loved spending quality time with my two girls at home however I am ready to get back into directing Seaview Downs OSHC. Thank you so much to Emily Hicks for stepping into my place whilst I have been away. She did an amazing job.

SeaSaw

Watch out for some new observations and documentation in your child's online journal. This will be our new way of documenting and communicating your child's learning journey at OSHC.

OSHC SIGN IN AND OUT

Please make sure you are signing in and out your child from the session as this is now back up and running.

Snack Time.

Due to the increasing number of children attending afterschool care we have decided to split snack time. Receptions and Year 1 will be able to eat from 3:15-3:45 and Year 2's – Year 6's will be able to eat from 3:45 – 4:15pm.

Hats

Don't forget to bring hats to OSHC too.

Kind Regards,

Kristy Weekley

OSHC Director







Community notices



calm Kids Central Webinar Series - 3 <u>FREE</u> Parent webinars by Clinical Child Psychologist Kirrilie Smout

Learn to support your primary school aged child with worry, frustration, managing impulses and tricky behaviour. Zoom into 1 or \underline{all} 3–1 hr duration for FREE

1)Wednesday 26th of October 2022 at 7pm (Adelaide) - "Calm and <u>Confident</u> Kids"learn to help children with a tendency towards <u>worry or anxiety</u> - or who are dealing with difficult life situations.

2) Wednesday 2nd of November 2022 at 7<u>pm(</u>Adelaide) - "Calm and <u>Connected</u> Kids" – learn to help children to develop positive friendships and manage peer difficulties which often arise in primary school.

3) Wednesday the 9th of November 2022 at 7pm (Adelaide)___"Calm and <u>Co-operative</u> Kids" – learn to help children who have a tendency towards frustration, have difficulties managing impulses or feeling unco-operative.

To register for 1 or all 3 please go to: https://developingminds.net.au/webinars

***Please register with your email, first name and postcode early as only 100 spots available each



Presented by clinical child psychologist Kirrilie Smout. Kirrilie has had 25 <u>wars experience</u> in working with children and families, is the author of two books about children and mental health and regularly consults with national bodies about child mental health concerns. She is the Director of Developing Minds Psychology and Education Services and Calm Kid Central programs. CKC is an online program of courses to help children manage emotional health challenges. www.calmkidcentral.com (Free using FIRSTYEAR access code for families in Gippsland region Victoria and families with a Health Care Card in Adelaide Metro).

Any questions please contact Sandra on: sandra@developingminds.net.au

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WEEKENDER PROGRAMME

This program gives children skills and confidence in a fun and enjoyable environment. It also encourages enthusiasm, participation and life skills that such involvement brings, giving confidence to join sports clubs and teams in the future. Sessions will be facilitated INDOORS under a COVID-19 safe environment.

✓ Skills based intro to sport

✓ Sports equipment to KEEP!

8 WEEK PROGRAM FOR \$125 incl. GST

OR redeem your \$100 Sports Voucher and pay only \$25

LOCATIONS

Aberfoyle Park - Aberfoyle Hub R.7
Adelaide - Gilles St Primary School
Blackwood - Blackwood Primary School
Brighton - Paringa Park Primary School
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Golden Growe - Golden Growe Primary School
Mawson Lakes - UniSA Mawson Lakes Sports Centre
Nativardh - Nalisworth Primary School
Nativardh - Nalisworth Primary School
Seaton - Seaton Park Primary School
Wynn Valle - Keithcool Farm Primary School

DAY SPORT
Sunday Tennis

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Sunday Tennis
Sunday Basketball
Saturday Basketball & Tennis
Sunday Soccer
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SESSION TIMES

4 - 6 year olds - 10:00am to 10:45am 7 - 9 year olds - 10:45am to 11:30am

TERM 4 DATES

When: Saturday or Sunday Commencing: 22nd & 23rd October 2022 Concluding: 10th & 11th December 2022

To enrol and/or redeem your sports voucher discount, register online at www.kellysports.com.au.
Payments can be made online at www.kellysports.com.au or by EFT to Kelly Sports Adelaide
Metro BSB 035 045 A/C No 342581.

One voucher for every primary school aged child per calendar year (4 year olds ineligible) www.spartsvouchers.sa.gov.au.

Website: kellysports.com.au/events ianbarnes@kellysports.com.au
Bookings &

Enquiries: 0421 888 400 Facebook: #KellySportsAdelaide





Seaview Downs Primary School

Remembrance Day Recess Activities

When	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
What	Lawn Games	Wellbeing and Origami	Making Poppies R-2	Making Poppies 3-6	Lego Challenge - Remembrance Day
Where	Oval	Japanese Room	STEM Room	STEM Room	STEM Room
Who	Leo, Freddie, Rubi	Sensei	Erin, and Zara, Sarah	Mahli, Elke, Jazmin	Izzy, Moddie, Griffen





Look no further than the Australian Girls Choir because we encourage, challenge and inspire girls as they learn to sing, dance and perform.

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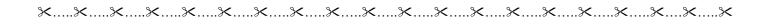


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Register now at ausgirlschoir.com.au/joinagc or phone 08 8271 1622







Talk to us!

	PARENT / CARER INPUT
	Please return to Front Office for the attention of Anthony Sheehan or email to antony.sheehan@abcam.com
	I would like to raise the following matter with Governing Council –
•••••	Please supply contact details if you would like a school councillor to discuss this with you.
NAM	E: