Wishing everyone a very well earned spring break. I hope as families you find the time to rest and relax before the hectic period leading up to Christmas.

Term 3 has been a very busy term including major events such as the Wine and Cheese night, the Father’s Day breakfast, Orienteering and other major SAPSASA events, the Choir Festival, Grandparents’ Day and the celebration of Book Week, Literacy and Numeracy and Science Week, among a few things that we have had on our calendar.

FESTIVAL CHOIR
What a fabulous night! Congratulations to our school choir who performed last Friday night at the Festival Theatre. Our students looked as though they were really enjoying themselves. Thank you for a wonderfully entertaining evening. Larissa Maher has once again done an outstanding job as our choir trainer.

Next year we are looking at expanding our choir numbers and if we don’t get enough year 6 and 7 students, we will look at recruiting interested year 5 students to boost our numbers to 30.

NAPLAN RESULTS
The delay in sending out the 2013 NAPLAN was as a result of a production error. Schools have now received the school report and individual student summaries. However, the page showing the scales and relative performance is being reprinted Australia wide. The summary was sent home yesterday with the reprinted report coming home next term.

CLASS PLACEMENT PROCESS
Thank you to the families who have provided the school with their input for the 2014 class placement process. This closed yesterday. We do not expect to receive placement information from year 6 students as they will remain with their current teachers for year 7.

VOLUNTEER TRAINING
Information sessions for volunteers will be offered in the library on the following dates:
- Thursday 24th October 3.30 - 5.00pm
- Thursday 29th October 9.00 - 11.00am
- Thursday 7th November 3.30 – 5.00 pm

Each session will include: volunteering in schools and what it means, child abuse and neglect reporting process, confidentiality and DECD privacy principles. All volunteers need to receive this training by 2014.

Please email your attendance to linda.fehlandt511@schools.sa.edu.au

Vicki
NAPLAN

A production error was identified by the ACARA (Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority) in an aspect of the NAPLAN Individual Student Reports for Language Conventions. Although this does not affect NAPLAN data for any students and schools, and to minimise the risk of release of incorrect student reports, ACARA will reprint Years 3, 5 and 7 Individual Student Reports for South Australia.

As a result, student information will be dispatched to schools in two stages. The Individual Student Summary Report has been sent home with students this week. The National Individual Student Report will arrive in schools in term 4 and will be distributed to families once received.

DECD INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC LESSONS 2014

There are positions available for beginner string, woodwind and brass students in the DECD Instrumental program in 2014.

Students must be in year 3 or older to learn strings and at least year 5 for woodwind and brass. Acceptance is subject to an audition process to assess instrument suitability.

Please register your interest via email at dl.1036.info@schools.sa.edu.au or alternatively complete the reply slip attached to this newsletter and return it to the school front office by Friday 1st November.

FESTIVAL OF MUSIC

On Friday night, the 20th of September, East Adelaide Choir students performed at the Festival Theatre. It was a wonderful night full of entertainment and talent. Thank you to Teresa Shaw who helped at both Magic Millions and Festival Theatre excursions, Carol Sharpe who kindly offered her assistance with supervision on the night of our performance and for all who came to support our students in the audience.

I also wanted to say a big thank you to everyone in the community who donated new ‘Socks and Jocks’ to The Hutt Street Centre for the homeless. It is warming to know that together, we can make a difference.

Larissa Maher
Performing Arts Teacher

OSHC NEWS

Christmas Holidays Vacation Care

Please note: due to asbestos removal and building works, East Adelaide OSHC will be closed for an extended period over the Christmas holiday break.

OSHC will be closed from Monday 23rd December and will re-open Monday 13th of January, 2014.

Walkerville OSHC will take bookings from students enrolled at East Adelaide School. Rebecca Stubbs, the OSHC Director, can be contacted on 8344 1261 for bookings.

We apologise for any inconvenience. If you have any further questions, please see Francine.

SCHOOL CROSSING MONITORS

These students are the monitors for Week 1 Term 4.

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KIDS’ PANTRY

Managers: Julie Hannah & Lisa Starkey

Roster Reminder:

Week 1 Term 4

Mon 14th Oct H. Mortlock
Tue 15th Oct D. McAlindon
Wed 16th Oct A. Latham
Thur 17th Oct S. Lewis
Fri 18th Oct H. Herbet, S. Moore

Mon 21st Oct HELP NEEDED

COMMUNITY NEWS

SciWorld and the Adelaide Planetarium are joining forces these holidays to give you some great hands on workshops and amazing shows at UniSA, Mawson Lakes.

Whether you’d like to travel to the moon with Tycho, see what space is really like with Wildest Weather we have something for all age groups! Sciworld has workshops in Mathemania, I want to do Science!, Light and Sound, Electric Circuits and Robotics these holidays, so there really is something for everyone.

Why not come and spend the day with us?

More information and bookings can be found at www.sciworl.org.au or www.unisa.edu.au/planetarium

Bookings are essential and can be made only online, so book early to avoid disappointment and happy holidays from SciWorld and the Adelaide Planetarium.

Petibald Art Competition for Primary Age Children

Have your art work displayed at the Spicer Church Fair on 2nd November.

Draw your pet’s portrait on A3 paper (leave a 3cm border for framing).

Put your name, age and contact phone number on the back. Entries to be delivered to Spicer Uniting Church at 44A Fourth Ave St Peters by Oct 25th

More info and conditions available at www.spicer.org.au

HELP KEEP OUR SCHOOL SAFE DURING THE HOLIDAYS

Report any incidents of vandalism to Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or contact SA Police on 131 444.
School Fair - 25th October

Donations 2nd hand toys and children’s books
The P&F Committee are also asking families to donate second hand toys and children’s books in good condition to be sold at the school fair.

Items may be left in the boxes placed under the trophy cabinet in the front office.

Lego Competition and Cupcake Decorating Competition
For a $3 entry fee, students can bring their Lego creations in from home, to be displayed and judged in the gym during the school fair.

Decorate cupcakes of your choice at home and enter the Cupcake Decorating Competition which will also be on display in the gym and judged by our guest judge. Entry fee $3.

Prizes for each competition will be awarded in the following categories: R-2, 3-5 and 6-7.
See the attached entry forms in this newsletter!!

Food Stall Volunteers
The P&F Committee is seeking volunteers for the food stalls to help with some preparation and serving. We need 5 volunteers each for the yiros, pasta and sausage sizzle stands, between 3.00pm-7.00pm. We will organise a roster with time slots of 30 mins, or longer if you wish.

Contact Liz via email at lizkwilson81@gmail.com to register your interest. Please put down your preferred time slot and which stand you prefer to assist with.

Face Painting Stall
If there are any face painters in the school community who would like to offer their services for half an hour or so at the School Fair could you please contact Larissa Maher at the school on 83621622, or leave your name and contact details with Linda in the front office.

Thank you,
Larissa Maher, Performing Arts Teacher

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**DECD INSTRUMENTAL LESSONS 2014**

Name: _______________________________________________ Room No: _______________

Is interested in learning:

- [ ] Violin
- [ ] flute
- [ ] Viola
- [ ] clarinet
- [ ] cello
- [ ] trumpet
- [ ] saxophone
- [ ] trombone

Student’s year level in 2013: __________________________

Parent’s signature: __________________________________________________________________________
Dear Parents/Caregivers,

A limited number of Golden Tickets are now available for pre-sale for the school fair.

A Golden Ticket, entitles you to: 1x bottle of water, 1x sausage sizzle, 1x Giant Twin ice-cream, 1x Jump on a Jumping castle & 1x Entry into the Disco Room or Haunted House.

Valued at over $15, a Golden Ticket is only $10. There is no limit on the number of tickets purchased.

Payments can be made to the Uniform Shop and Golden Tickets will be available for pick up from the Parents & Friends stand at the fair.

No golden tickets will be available for purchase at the fair. Be quick, tickets are limited.

Tickets can be purchased up until, Tuesday 22nd of October and late purchases will not be accepted.

The Parents and Friends Committee

Twilight School Fair—Golden Ticket

Child’s Name: ________________________________________

Room No: _______ No. of Tickets: _______ x $10 = __________
Thank you to the Overall Family for organising a special visit by the SA Police Band. We all thoroughly enjoyed the entertaining performance.

Students from room 8 thought –

“Wow, Liam and Jack must be very proud of their Dad.”

“I loved guessing the name of some of the songs.”

“It was great to listen to.”

“They are fun and entertaining.”

“The band was very entertaining.”

“Thank you for coming, I enjoyed it.”