Wishing all our families a safe and relaxing spring break. We look forward to seeing you all in term 4.

Term 4 Staffing Update
Dora Iuliano and Vicki Angel are away on leave in week 1 of term 4, and Julie Day is away in weeks 3 and 4.

Major Fundraiser Term 4
Term 4 we have a Walkathon organised between Parents and Friends and the Sports faculty. We wish to raise funds for the school looking at more natural play for students, line marking of soccer court and handball in yard A and other equipment. We are aiming to raise $15,000. Help us to achieve this goal in order to support increased outdoor play opportunities for all students.

Building Works
These holidays we are investing over $100,000 in the refurbishment of the Performing Arts Room.

The funding for this scope of works has been drawn from the building fund that parents have been contributing towards and monies that the school has put aside over the past 11 years to support such minor works taking place.

The majority of work will occur over the holiday period with full completion to occur by the end of week 1 of term.

Reporting Abuse and Neglect/ Volunteer Training
A new RAN training package has been developed hence the expectation that all volunteers trained prior to term 2 2015 will need to attend updated training in order to be able to volunteer in our schools.

The Morialta partnership schools, which East Adelaide is part of, will be facilitating a series of workshops starting term 4 and across 2016 which will be advertised for your convenience. Term 4 sessions will be at East Adelaide with others next year in other schools.

Please ensure that you register for a session sometime within the next 12 months.

Vicki Stravinski
School Materials and Services Fees
The Governing Council has voted to increase the Materials and Services fees for 2016. The increase will be $15.00 bringing the total 2015 Materials and Services fees to $375.00. As you can see in the table below, we have the lowest Materials and Services Fees across our Morialta Partnership and in two other fairly similar category 7 schools.

Why do we need the increase?

- Our internet costs are increasing with the inclusion of a third line and next year a possible fourth line to support 730 students and devices
- Increasing the hours of work of the IT support personnel to keep our infrastructure and devices working
- Increases in supplies for curriculum delivery
- Building teacher capacity through quality professional learning to continuously improve teacher pedagogy in order to place the best teachers in front of our students
- Upkeep of our grounds – further establishment of outdoor learning spaces to create those flexible learning opportunities that go beyond the classroom
- Increase the opportunity for natural play resources and spaces to deliver on our School directions of growing creative thinking as part of STEM
- Increasing our science, maths, design technology resources associated with STEM
- Increasing our fiction and non fiction resources in the library
- Increase the play equipment out side
- The school set aside $20,000 in the budget for 2015 for landscaping and asset committee to add onto the master plan and the $20,000 has not been used. That kind of money will not be there in the future if we do not increase our fees accordingly and of course, plan to use it to see projects achieved.

We will be polling parents to gain approval to go ahead with the increase. Notes and information with regard to this proposal will be sent home in the near future. I sincerely hope that you will support the increase and we can then go ahead and prepare for the 2016 budget.

If you have any questions about our school fee structure please do not hesitate to call the school Finance Officer on 8362 1622.

Whilst we receive Government funding, we rely on school fees to give us some discretionary funding to cover the costs of essential items and services used by individuals during the course of their study.

Parents and caregivers are invited to attend the Governing Council meeting to be held on Tuesday 3 November at 6.45pm for a 15 minute discussion and vote on the recommendation to increase the Materials and Services fees.

The vote will also enable this total amount to be recoverable through debt collection if required. We look forward to seeing you there.

Vicki Stravinski
(on behalf of Finance Advisory Committee)

Committee Meetings Term 4
Governing Council
Tuesday 3 November and Tuesday 1 December 7.00pm
Asset and Landscape Committee
Thursday 29 October and 26 November 8.00am
Education Committee
Tuesday 20 October and 17 November 6.30pm
Canteen Committee
Monday 26 October and 23 November 8.00am
Finance Committee
Wednesday 28 October and 25 November 8.00am
Out of School Hours Care Committee
Tuesday 20 October and 17 November 6.30pm
Parents and Friends Committee
Tuesday 20 October and 17 November 6.30pm
Sports Committee
Wednesday 21 October and 18 November 8.00am

Ann Baker Parent Maths Workshop
The workshop was filmed and is currently being edited. A viewing day and time will be scheduled for term 4; details will be placed in the newsletter.
OSHC Vacation Care

The OSHC Vacation Care Program is now available on the school website. Bookings can now be made by email to steph.thomas139@schools.sa.edu.au

Music Evening | Term 4

Students learning a musical instrument with DECD Instrumental Music Tutors and/or private tutors are invited to showcase their talent at our end of year music evening. Please advise your tutor if you wish to participate in the evening. The date will be communicated early next term to students and families.

After School Sport

Thank you to everyone who attended the Sports Presentation Night last Friday. It was great to see amazing support for all the students who have worked hard and participated in After School Sports during the Winter Season. A big thank you to the coaches, Vicki, Lucia, Aldo, Anna and Dora for their wonderful help throughout the night. Well done to all the kids and congratulations on a fantastic season.

Summer Season 2015/16

If you wish to participate in Netball Skills, Milo In2Cricket or cheerleading, there is still time and spaces available within these teams to register. To register, all you need to do is complete and return a sports registration form which can be found either at the front office, or downloaded off the school website.

Coaches Wanted

We are in need of a coach for one of our Year 4/5 Cricket teams. To register interest in coaching a sporting team, please visit the EAS website and complete a short survey or email me directly.

Catherine Natale
After School Sports Coordinator
Catherine.Natale738@schools.sa.edu.au
Monday / Wednesday / Friday

Road Crossing Monitors

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Student Learning and Digital Technologies

BYOD 1:1 Years 5-7

Students are encouraged to have their own device in years 5-7. The only supported devices for use at East Adelaide School at this point in time are ACER and HP devices. Parents have the opportunity to purchase these devices through our East Adelaide School Portal http://eas.ippartners.com.au/portals/eas/home

Festival of Music

On Saturday 12 September, the East Adelaide School Choir students participated in the Festival of Music at the Festival Theatre. As it is the 100th commemorative year of the ANZAC events at Gallipoli and on the Western Front, many of the songs paid tribute to our fallen soldiers and veterans. Our students were highly disciplined and sang so beautifully; parents said afterwards that they were incredibly moved by the performance.

It has been an absolute pleasure to work with such committed group of students and I look forward to the new repertoire next year. Congratulations also to Gemma, Eliza and Emma, who were involved in the Troupe and performed for many different concerts.

On behalf of the Choir, I would like to thank all family, friends, parents, students and staff who came to support us on the day. We really appreciated your positive feedback and cheers as we exited the theatre.

Well done everyone!
Larissa Maher

Catherine Natale
After School Sports Coordinator
Catherine.Natale738@schools.sa.edu.au
Monday / Wednesday / Friday
On behalf of the School's Reconciliation Working Group, I would like to extend a big thank you to the school community for donating books to the recent initiative held to acknowledge Indigenous Literacy Day.

About 500 books were donated and have now been delivered to students at the Coober Pedy Area School.

Thanks also to the students who made the beautiful bookmarks to accompany the books.

Your generosity is very much appreciated.

I would also like to acknowledge the staff, students and parents who have supported the Working Group with this initiative.

Verity May
Chair, Reconciliation Working Group

If you would like to be involved with the Reconciliation Working Group please email me at veritymay@live.com.au

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DECD 2016 Instrumental Music Lessons

There are positions available for string, woodwind and brass students in the DECD Instrumental program in 2016.

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.

Continuing and new students please register your interest via email at dl.1036.info@schools.sa.edu.au or complete the reply slip below and return it to the school front office by Friday 16 October.

**DECD 2016 INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC LESSONS**

Name: ____________________________ Room No: ________________

is interested in learning (Strings years 3-7 | Brass/Woodwind years 5-7)

- [ ] violin
- [ ] flute
- [ ] viola
- [ ] clarinet
- [ ] cello
- [ ] trumpet
- [ ] saxophone
- [ ] trombone

Student's year level in 2016: ____________________________

Parent's signature: __________________________________________________________
Wellbeing at East Adelaide School

Wow, what a term! I have worked mainly in Year 2-3 classes and there has been a really positive response from children and their teachers. Everyone has enjoyed playing games that aim to develop children’s resilience and together with the class teacher, we have grown their language around expressing their emotions. A BIG ‘thank you’ to these children and their teachers for having me in their classes this term.

Don’t forget to check out the latest articles on fostering your child’s wellbeing. These are located on the noticeboard at the far side of the Heysen building. The two articles featured for the first fortnight of term 4 are around increasing good feelings at home and being emotionally available for your child(ren).

This fortnight’s website to visit is Random Acts of Kindness: https://www.randomactsofkindness.org

On this site you will be able to explore ‘Kindness Ideas’ and these may provide you with some inspiration for school holiday activities. A few ideas include:

- Organise a toy collection to donate to your local Salvos.
- Create a ‘Thank you’ card for your local police, ambulance or fire station.
- Think of ways to use less plastic and reduce the impact that your family has on our environment.

Random acts of kindness, are those which are unmotivated and benefit others. When you complete a random act of kindness you are actually providing yourself with all of the positive feelings that come from helping others. Try it!

Last Wednesday after our unexpected hail storm, our wonderful grounds person Graeme performed a random act of kindness for staff. He removed the hail from every staff member’s windscreen so that we could all drive home safely. Staff was overwhelmingly grateful for this and will always remember this kindness for years to come.

Just a reminder that Monday is the day that I have dedicated to working with classes and individuals. The exception will be week 1 when I’ll be working on Wednesday. I am also available for informal chats and consultation Tuesday to Friday and you will find me in room 8 of the Heysen building. Otherwise you can contact me via email at: Lee.Hayes750@schools.sa.edu.au

Lee Hayes
School Counsellor

Congratulations

Callum G achieved an awesome result in the City to Bay fun run, coming 13th in the 6km run in a time of 23 minutes and 45 seconds. Well done Callum. Congratulations to all the other EAS students and parents who competed in the fun run.

Community News

child & adolescent sleep clinic

Does your child have a sleep problem?
The child & adolescent sleep clinic in the School of Psychology at Flinders University provides treatment for children & adolescents of all ages.

For more information please call 8201 7587 or email casc.enquiries@flinders.edu.au

Walk through a landscaped CHOCOLATE garden (think Willy Wonka and you are on the right track!)

Edible Blooms have commissioned Sophie Thomson to design a walk through chocolate garden which will be located at Westfield Marion in Centrecourt from Monday 28 September through to Tuesday 6 October.

For a gold coin donation, you can take a walk through the garden and immerse yourself in a world of chocolate. The donations will raise money for the Cora Barclay Centre of South Australia, supporting children who are deaf or hearing impaired.
Community News

Our season commences on Sunday, October 11th 2015 with a Come and Try Day. We invite you to attend the Come and Try Day, or any Sunday home meet in October and November 2015 to give Little Athletics a go. A $5.00 fee is payable (to cover insurance) and a parent is required to be in attendance for the duration of the event. Please arrive at 8.45am for a 9.00am start.

For further details please visit www.magill-lac.org

If you have any further enquiries please contact Adele Polyak (New Member contact) 0435 190 407 or email admin@magill-lac.org

James Partington Tennis Clinics

Lessons are at the courts on the corner of The Parade and West Terrace, Kensington Gardens.

Lessons are available 7 days a week commencing October 12.

For more information visit www.tennisclinics.com.au or to make a booking, please contact James on 0414 186 033 or james@tennisclinics.com.au

CCSC Girls Soccer

is back in 2016!

Interested in playing?

We will be fielding teams in;

U6, U7, U8, U11,
U13, U15, U17,
Reserves and Senior Womens

Please contact Julie on 0337 0907 to register your interest!

Campbelltown City Soccer Club
Red Devils

Gem and Mineral Show

Payneham Library

Exhibits of Gems, Minerals, Fossils and Jewellery, lapidary machinery and more, with most being for sale.

Saturday 10 October 10.00am to 5.00pm
Sunday 11 October 10.00am to 4.00pm

Adults $4 | Pensioner/Concession $3
Children Free under 12 with an adult.

Come ‘n Try – first session free

Finishing swim school lessons? Love to swim? Join us for transition into club swimming at Payneham Swimming Club.

New members welcome for the summer season commencing mid-October 2015. Swim for fun, fitness, competition in a family friendly environment.

For more information 0427 525 148
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