From the Acting Principal

It’s hard to believe that we are in week eleven in what has proven to be a very successful start to the school year! Students have taken part in a wide range of learning experiences and events including various excursions (Monarto Zoo, Heritage walks, Woodhouse, Clipsal and Italian migration project), 6/7 Aquatics camp, a number of incursions, middle schooling connections to our local high schools through STEM and just yesterday, Sports Day.

Teacher too have been continuing their own learning journeys through professional development in LDAM (Learning Design, Assessment & Moderation), STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths), deeper thinking for deep learning, reading comprehension, natural maths and SENA (Schedule for Early Number Assessment). Parents have been involved in mathematics workshops and volunteering in various areas around the school. Another example that shows that we are committed to delivering the highest of education and care.

This was my first Sports Day at East Adelaide and it was such an enjoyable experience with the colour, excitement and above all, great sportsmanship shown by everyone. Thanks to the team of teachers from the Be Active Sports Committee. They certainly came up with some amazing activities, including dress up relays and tossing the gum boot, which were highlights for me. The Sports Captains’ speeches were motivational and touching, demonstrating what wonderful student leaders they are becoming. Special thanks are extended to the volunteers, staff and canteen managers. Thanks also to the parents, grandparents and friends who came along to support children and the school. Congratulations to Flinders for winning the day. But don’t forget, points are gathered all throughout the year, so let’s see who wins the final cup.

The 2018 Year has kicked off to a great start, including our Summer Sports Presentations Wednesday night. The engagement and motivation of our children to participate is fabulous. We only have the diverse range of sporting activities on offer because of the commitment and dedication of our volunteer parents who manage, coach, help umpire and score. I would like to thank Rebecca Waddingham for setting up the year so well and welcome Craig Ward in continuing the journey for 2018-19 as Sports Coordinator.

Leonie Robertson

From the Wellbeing Coordinator

SAVE THE DATE – PARENT WORKSHOP
Madhavi Nawana Parker is a published author and behaviour consultant working in private practice. Her work centres around equipping schools and families to encourage resilience, social and emotional literacy in young people, to set them up for success in their lives.

She will be running an evening workshop in Term 2, Wednesday 23 May. This practical workshop will show you simple ways to encourage these vital skills for happiness, resilience and overall wellbeing in your child. Madhavi can be found on Facebook at SOLUTIONS FOR KIDS. Please check out her page to give you further information. Stay tuned for information at the beginning of term 2.

Yiota Seindanis
Student Engagement and Wellbeing Coordinator

Term 2 Dates to Remember

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Adelaide High School Tours

For families who live within the Adelaide High School zone, additional tours have been scheduled.

Year 7 – 8 Transition Packages

Year 7 – 8 Transition Packs were sent home with all Year 7 students on Tuesday 10 April.

Please complete the Registration of Interest Placement in Year 8 Form and return to the Front Office by Monday 21 May.

Please contact Linda via the Front Office or email linda.fehlandt511@schools.sa.edu.au if you have any questions regarding the Year 8 application process.

Front Office Holiday Closure

The Office and cashier/uniform shop will be closed during the school holidays. The Office will re-open on Monday 30 April at 8.15am. The cashier/uniform shop will re-open on Tuesday 1 May at 8.30am.

Lost Property

We have a variety of personal items in the Front Office; including toys, watches, jewellery, a Lovisa bracelet, children’s purses and a mobile phone.

Please see Front Office staff if you believe these items belong to you.

Can parents also please check their uniforms at home to ensure they have their own child’s uniform and not accidently have someone else’s.

National Assessment Program Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN)

NAPLAN will commence on Tuesday 15 May and concludes Thursday 17 May with Friday 18 May deemed as a catch up day for students who were absent from school on the previous days of testing.

Day 1 test focus include Language Conventions and Writing

Day 2 test focus is Reading

Day 3 test focus is Numeracy

If you intend on withdrawing your child or seeking an exemption, please see Linda in the Front Office to complete the appropriate forms before Thursday 3 May.

Please note that we strongly support full participation by all students; however, we encourage you to come in and meet with the class teacher and principal to discuss any concerns.

Entertainment Book 2018

East Adelaide School will be selling the Entertainment Book in 2018 and all profits from the sale will go towards the purchase of new uniforms for our After School Sports program.

All purchases will be made via the online portal http://www.entbook.com.au/16050y4

Encourage your friends and family to purchase their books and support our After School Sports program.

News from OSHC

April Vacation Care is filling fast and some days a close to being full. If you would like to make a booking please email through to dl.1036.oshc@schools.sa.edu.au.

From the beginning of Term 2, Monday 30 April, Before School Care will be opening from 7.15am.
Road Crossing Monitors

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Excursions & Events
- 4 May  
  78 Storey Treehouse  
  Rooms 11, 12, 13, 14 & 27
- 10 May  
  SAPSASA Cross Country
- 21 May  
  Orienteering Championships

Sun Smart Guidelines
The aim of our Sun Smart Guidelines is to promote a positive attitude towards skin protection. Recently our school has changed these guidelines so that children are to now wear their hats all year round.

Please assist by ensuring your children bring their hats in Term 2. A copy of the new guidelines can be found [here](#).

Students Commitment to Stand Up Against Bullying and Harassment
Each class has developed their commitment to action. Examples include:

**Room 11**
- Being a bucket filler
- Not being a bystander
- Using a Solution Star
- Report the incident
- Stand up to the person harassing or bullying by telling them to stop

**Room 13**
- Using our voice
- Friends helping each other and standing by friends
- Have courage
- Use the resolution procedures
- Be confident and speak up when you see bullying and not be a bystander

Canteen News
A huge thankyou to all the wonderful volunteers who assisted in the canteen both in the lead-up to and on Sports Day. It was wonderful to have such a large group of volunteers and your time and assistance was greatly appreciated. We could not have run the day so smoothly without your help. Enjoy your holidays!

Lisa & Di

Congratulations to Sarah Moore who was the successful applicant for the new 8 hour per week paid canteen position. She will begin this position as of week 1 next term.

Thank you to the panel members Lisa Starkey and Jan Johnson for volunteering their time and following the panel process in such a professional manner.

Belinda Robertson
Panel Chairperson

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After School Sports News

Thanks
The Summer Season Sports are officially over. Thanks to all our Summer Season Coaches for your support over the 2017/18 season. After School Sport cannot function without the support of fantastic parents who give their time to coach, manage teams, score, bring fruit etc.

Winter Season Sports
Information regarding Winter Season Sports teams have been distributed this week. If you have misplaced your form, please contact me for a copy.

Basketball and Netball Uniforms
Please ensure all uniforms are washed returned to the Front Office by Wednesday 18 April (first week of the school holidays). These need to be checked and restocked for the winter season. If you are going away, please pass uniforms on to your coach or team mate for them to be returned.

Summer Presentation Night
Thanks to all the students and parents who attended the After School Sports Summer Presentation Night on Wednesday night 11 April. We had 170 students who participated in Basketball and Netball over the summer season and it was a great celebration of their achievements.

Finally thank you to all the staff and families that have welcomed me to East Adelaide.
Have a wonderful holiday and I look forward to meeting more of you in terms 2 & 3.

Craig Ward
After School Sports Coordinator
craig.ward383@schools.sa.edu.au
News from Italian Classes

We have certainly had a busy start to the School year!
In February the ‘Italian team’ (Tonia, Grace and Adriana) was invited to present at a Conference for Teachers of Italian organised by the Italian Consulate and the University of South Australia. Our presentation, which was well received by the attendees, was entitled, ‘Critical and Creative Thinking in the Primary Language (Italian) Classroom’. “On behalf of the Italian Consulate and the Italian Embassy, I wish to thank you for your contribution to the conference for teachers of Italian. Your careful preparation, thoughtful presentation and reflection on your practice were much appreciated.” Angela Scarino, Associate Professor in Applied Linguistics, University of Adelaide.

In the classroom, students’ learning has been focused on ‘Le Belle Arti’ (The Beautiful Artworks and Artists of the Italian Renaissance era).

Students in Years 3 - 5 have been critically evaluating the artworks of Leonardo Da Vinci, particularly, The Mona Lisa. They have also learnt about the various techniques artists use when drawing/painting a work of art as well as looking at how art has specific intentions such as, to create meaning, mood and arouse emotions.

These are examples of students’ portrait and Italian description of ‘Un Amico/Un’ Amica’ (a Friend) using ‘How to draw a face’ instructions online.

On April 4 and 6 the year 6/7 students visited Bene Aged Care Facility, Woodville, to interview Italian immigrants who came to Australia post War (1950 – 1960). This visit was part of their learning for their Migration Project. The students thoroughly enjoyed listening to the wonderful stories the immigrants had to share about their life and hardships in Italy and on their arrival in Australia. It was wonderful seeing the delightful smiles on both the students and interviewees in their oral interactions, in Italian. All the students also had fun when they participated in traditional games and cooking sessions.

In Week 10 students from Reception – Year 5 enjoyed an interactive presentation in the school Gym, ‘Time Warp Part 1’, where they sang and danced as they enriched their knowledge about Italian language and culture.

Tonia D’Aloia, Grace Vottari, Adriana Moretta
Teachers of Italian
2018 Be Active Sports Day