Term 3 Week 9  Friday 21 September 2018

From the Principal

Festival of Music Performance

Wednesday night our Choir performed at the Festival of Music. Congratulations to each of the students who remained dedicated to the practices throughout the year and for the terrific performance on the night.

I thank Larissa Maher for her commitment to working with the choir. I thank the parent volunteers who continue to support school programs and such events.

Enrolments for 2019

To assist us to effectively plan, it is important that we have accurate enrolment numbers of students for 2019. If your child will be leaving EAS at the end of this year, please contact Linda via email linda.fehlandt511@schools.sa.edu.au or ring the school office on 8362 1622.

If you are a current EAS family and have a child at preschool who is commencing at EAS next year, please also make contact with Linda via the above email address.

Reflections of Term 3

We have had a successful term in spite of the increased levels of illnesses experienced by both students and staff. Some of our successes include:

- STEM Showcase
- Grandparents’ Day
- Science Week
- Book Week

Term 3 Optional Interviews

Many families have taken the opportunity to arrange meetings with their child’s teacher to discuss the learning progress. Please contact your child’s teacher if you would like to make a time.

NAPLAN Results

We have seen a continued increase of the numbers of students in the two higher bands since 2013. 2018 results of students in the higher bands include:

**Numeracy**
- Year 3 - 57.5%
- Year 5 - 52%
- Year 7 - 36.8%

**Reading**
- Year 3 - 78.8%
- Year 5 - 65.2%
- Year 7 - 39.7%

Further details regarding our NAPLAN achievement will be shared in term 4.

Wear your Pyjamas to Raise Funds for UNHCR

Monday 24 September everyone is encouraged to come to school wearing their Pyjamas and donate $2 to our UNHCR Syrian refugee fundraiser. Our target of $1400 is to support the Syrian refugees living in camps in various Middle East countries.

Vicki Stravinski

Dates to Remember

**Friday 2 November**
School Fair 3.30pm - 7.30pm

**Monday 24 September**
Winter Sports Presentation Night 5.30pm
Pyjama Day – $2 donation

**Friday 28 September**
Last day of Term 3
Assembly 9.10am
Early dismissal 2.30pm

**Term 4 Dates to Remember**
Monday 15 October
Term 4 Commences

**Friday 30 November**
Pupil Free Day

**Friday 7 December**
Bush Christmas in the Park
Uniform Shop Update

To prepare for the handover to Uniform Management Services (UMS), school uniform purchases will no longer be available via Qkr! from Tuesday 25 September and the uniform shop will be closed on Friday 28 September.

As of Term 4, UMS will operate from our school’s Uniform Shop in the Front Office twice a week, Tuesday 2.30-4.00pm and Friday 8.15am-9.30am.

From Tuesday 2 October families will also be able to purchase through the UMS store at Norwood and via their website https://umspl.com.au/.

Further information, including uniform order forms, will be sent home early next week.

OSHC Vacation Care

The OSHC Vacation Care Program is available on the school website. Bookings can now be made by email to dl.1036.oshc@schools.sa.edu.au

News from First Aid

Hand, Foot and Mouth

We have had a confirmed case of Hand, Foot and Mouth in our school community. Symptoms may include fever, tiredness, loss of appetite, blisters in the mouth and on the hands and feet, a sore mouth for a few days before the ulcers or blisters appear. Infectious period (time during which an infected person can infect others) is whilst the blisters still contain fluid. The faeces can remain infectious for several weeks.

Parvovirus also known as “Slapped Face”

There has also been a confirmed case of Parvovirus B19 (slapped face) in our school community. The infection is spread when an infected person talks, coughs or sneezes small droplets containing infectious agents into the air. Symptoms can include a mild cold-like symptoms and then 2 to 5 days later, typically a “slapped cheek” develops and a lacy red rash on the trunk and limbs.

Chickenpox

We have been advised of a possible case of Chickenpox for one of our students.

Symptoms may include, slight fever and cold-like symptoms, followed by a rash. A rash usually more noticeable on the trunk than on the limbs appears as blisters which crust to form scabs and is usually itchy.

Infectious period (time during which an infected person can infect others) from 2 days before the rash appears until at least 5 days after the rash first appears and all blisters have crusted over.

Should you have any concerns, please seek advice from your medical practitioner.

Excursions/Incursions & Events

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**News from Italian**

**Reception, Years 1 and 2**
Reception-Year 2 students have been learning about Italian regions, capital cities and famous icons through a text and CD (An Italian Adventure). Through multimedia videos and activities the children have created a travel journal using Italian language, which depicts their learning and understanding of Italian culture and history. This has allowed students to build an understanding of Systems of Language noticing that simple sentences follow a pattern and that nouns are gendered either masculine or feminine.

**Years 3, 4 and 5**
The students have been continuing their learning on ‘Le Belle Arti’ (The Beautiful Artwork and Artists of the Italian Renaissance era) with a focus on their summative assessment task. Their challenge has been to create a piece of artwork that reflects ‘who they are’ as individuals (their culture, religion, family, interests and special events). This has allowed students to recognize the value of artistic expression in society and how images are a form of ‘language’ that carry cultural and personal meaning.

**Years 6 and 7**
Throughout the centuries Italy has produced many famous Italians. They have excelled in many fields such as the Arts, Science, Literature, Music and Fashion. Year 6 and 7 students have listened to, viewed and read texts about famous Italians - Leonardo da Vinci, Galileo Galilei and Marco Polo. Each student has selected a famous Italian and then written a biographical recount. This has allowed students to develop their knowledge and understanding of Italian grammatical rules, with a focus on the past tense of verbs and noun/adjective agreement. They have also used their critical and creative thinking skills to create an object that reflects the life of their famous Italian. The results have been amazing and the students have had lots fun completing their tasks!

**Festival of Music Performance**
On Wednesday 19 September, East Adelaide Choir students performed at the Festival Theatre for the 2018 Festival of Music. It was a fantastic evening enjoyed by all. I am very proud of our students for their commitment over the year and also for their highly disciplined and respectful behaviour on the night.

On behalf of the Choir, I would like to thank all families and friends for their support and also to Mark and Andrea Vigare for assisting with certificates and dismissal at the end of the evening.

Enjoy your well-deserved holiday break.

Larissa Maher

**Way To Go Bike Ed – Year 4**
This term, the Year 4s have been participating in *Way2Go Bike Ed* Program every Thursday. It is a practical program for the students to learn and develop skills by instructors. Each child has received a student learning journal and a bike check card that records their development from their first session.

Through participating in *Way2Go Bike Ed*, students:
- Build their knowledge and understanding of the road laws and traffic environments
- Develop bike handling and maintenance skills
- Develop decision making skills for off and on-road bike riding

The students have enjoyed their time thoroughly and have learnt lots of safe and fun practices!

“I learnt how to be safe on the road.” – Austin M

“They taught us a lot of stuff I didn’t know.”- Jordan K

“Before I didn’t know how to ride a bike but now I do.” – Alex C
After School Sports News

Our Winter Sports presentation night will be held next Monday 24 September in the school gym at 5.30pm sharp. We will be recognizing Basketball, Netball, Soccer, Aussie Rules and Volleyball.

Our “Skills” participants for Netball, Basketball and Soccer will receive their medals at the completion of their sessions this Saturday. I will also be acknowledging them at the School Assembly on Friday 28 September.

I look forward to seeing you Monday night.

Craig Ward
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After School Sports Coordinator

A FANTASTIC OFFER FROM Wheelie Kids

Wheelie Kids will be featured at the EAS Fair on 2 November.

They are offering a $25 discount for all bookings as well as a $25 rebate to the EAS Fair for any parties booked at their Clarence Park or Windsor Gardens Venues.

All bookings must be made online before 26 October 2018 quoting “Twilight Fete” in the comments section. http://www.wheeliekids.com.au

MOVE . . STRETCH . . . ENERGIZE no experience necessary

Join Lisa for a gentle, fun and inspiring contemporary movement class designed to benefit body and mood.

Always wanted to dance? Need a different fitness experience? Would you like to improve strength and flexibility?

Commencing Tuesday September 4th
Tuesday mornings 9:00am - 10:15am
Don Pyatt Hall Norwood enter from George St
$15 per class (cash only please)
Enquiries 0427 456 110

LITTLE TENNIS STARS HOTSHOTS HOLIDAY CLINIC
AVAILABLE AT COLLINGROVE TENNIS CLUB
WEEK 2 TERM 5 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS OCTOBER 9, 10
LUNCH, SNACKS AND DRINKS INCLUDED

PROGRAM  TIME  COST
Partie & Blue Stage  9 - 10:30 am  $80
Red, Orange & Green Stage  9 - 12:00 pm  $55

SESSIONS PETITE & BLUE TO 4 YEARS  COST
Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday  $80
Single session  $55

SESSIONS RED, ORANGE, GREEN TO 7 YEARS  COST
Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday  $125
Single session  $50

REGISTRATION
www.littletennisstars.com.au
We are proud to share our highlights for this year with you.

**Environmental**
- Changed the foam cups and plastic cutlery to 100% compostable items, which is a little more expensive but better for the environment.
- Reducing packaging where we can, while still maintaining high food safe practices (eg Anzac biscuits sold over the counter are handed to the student with tongs instead of using a paper bag).

**Volunteers**
- Applied and won a Volunteers Grant, receiving $500. We intend to use this for a coffee machine and a thank you lunch for our valued and wonderful volunteers.
- Advertising for volunteers in the newsletter and on Konnective.
- Encouraging volunteers to bring friends/family to come in with them – the more the merrier.
- Gaining new volunteers via word of mouth, as existing volunteers enjoy the experience.
- Treats provided to our volunteers, which they love and we do this as we are grateful for their help.
- Continuing to reflect on ways to attract new volunteers.

**Paid Staff**
- Employed another staff member for 8 hours per week while still running a successful, financially viable canteen.

**Healthy Food Options**
- Introduced more healthy food options which are also made in the canteen (eg Dahl & Rice, Vegetarian Rice).
- Soup day was a hit with over 260 serves ordered. The soups were healthy with everything made on site, including our chicken stock.
- We season and cook our own chicken breast for salads, sandwiches, wraps and lapinjas. This is popular with students and staff.
- Introducing frozen fruit to students – oranges are real hit!
- Tasting offered at recess when introducing a new item (eg hommus with carrot sticks, which was well received).
- Everything is either oven baked or cooked in the pie warmer or sandwich press. Nothing is deep fried.
- Our Summer Menu
  ◊ Will promote Fresh Fruit Friday. Students can buy a fruit kebab for 50 cents at recess.
  ◊ New Thai Chicken Salad as a lunch order option.
  ◊ On hot days offering frozen fruit, instead of quelch iceblocks (eg frozen orange wedges, pineapple rings & watermelon to start with).

We shared the above with the Governing Council this week, including a sample of our healthy food options. This was extremely well received, and we thank them for their continued support this year.

Lisa
Canteen Manager
THANK YOU!
We would like to say a big thank you
to the following businesses for supporting the upcoming East Adelaide School Fair.

OAKFORD HOMES
oakfordhomes.com.au

Hern & Associates
herns.com.au

LONGFORD HOMES
longfordhomes.com.au

Goodlife
healthclubs.com.au

Appliance & Dishwasher
adelaideappliances.com.au

AFL
afc.com.au

Poolwerx
poolwerx.com.au

ROOFCLIMB
roofclimb.com.au

Scott & Sons
scotttours.com.au

First National RE - Riggall
Metropolitan Fresh St Peters
No Mummy Tummy
St Peters Bakery
Arbonne

Booze Brothers Avenues
Endota Spa Norwood
Melbourne St Wine Cellars
Adelaide Pool Mart
Splash Plumbing Services

Bruce's Meat Stepney
Aleenta BARRE
Minmin Hotel, Melbourne Street
Kent Town Hotel - Jungle Room
Botanic Gardens Restaurant

SAVE THE DATE
EAST ADELAIDE FAIR
FRI 2ND NOVEMBER
3-36pm-7.30pm, East Adelaide School grounds
Second Avenue, St Peters
FURTHER DETAILS TO COME

GO AS AFair to get all the latest updates