



Snowtown Primary and Preschool News



Term 2, Week 1 - 4th May 2022

TRUST

RESPECT

HONESTY

KINDNESS

LISTENING

DIARY DATES AND REMINDERS

**SCHOOL
PHOTOS
NEXT
MONDAY
9.5.2022**

**SANFL Football
Clinic
FRIDAY 6.4.22**

**Ride & Walk
to School Day
19.5.22**

Supervision of children in the yard is available from 8.30am to 3.15pm on school days. Parents are asked not to send children to school, or drop them off at school, before 8.30am. Prior to that time the school is unsupervised and children are at risk.

ASSEMBLIES

Assemblies are held at **2.40 pm** online /or outside on Fridays. Weeks 3, 5, 7 & 10 ALL WELCOME

HATS

Students are required to wear broad brimmed hats from May—August hats or beanies can be worn.

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Principal News



Welcome to Term 2! I hope everyone enjoyed the holiday break and took advantage of some of the amazing Easter weather before the temperature dropped. We had a wonderful start to school and preschool on Monday and took advantage of the good weather to have a long run outside.

On Tuesday we welcomed four new learners to our school – Piper (Reception), Scarlett (Year 1), Blake (Year 2) and Sofia (Year 3). Their 'buddies' have done a stellar job welcoming them to the school and showing them around.

Cross Country

Each Monday and Wednesday, weather permitting, students will be participating in the long run to boost their endurance and prepare them for the Cross Country at Burra in Week 4 and for the Virtual Cross Country. We have started running around the school course and next week we will be running along Glen Davidson Drive, through the Nature Reserve and back along James Road. We start with a warm up and finish with a cool down and stretch each time. The older students will be timed shortly as part of the SAPSASA Cross Country selection process.



Sun Smart Policy

During May, June and July children are not required to wear a hat, but may wear a school hat or school beanie if they choose to. During cold weather conditions outside these dates beanies may be worn outside as advised by yard duty and supervising teachers.



Powerful Learner Action Team

Congratulations to the 2022 Powerful Learner Action Team. The applications this year were outstanding and we have ended up with a large team. Our first meeting is today. Thank you to the 2021 Team who have continued to run PLAT business this year.

R/1	2/3/4	5/6
Charlie	Dejshan	Delilah
Reggie	Harry	Gracie
	Jace	Hazel
	Matilda	Kartia
	Millie	Lily
	Ollie	Zahara
	Sid	



Preschool Press

Snowtown School Based Preschool Happenings
Week 2, Term 6

We're going on a spatial noticing hunt.



Noticing is a numeracy learning process. This week the Kindy Kids went on a Noticing Spatial Hunt to find things that roll. They found lots of items around the yard and the school yard that rolled. Morris and Marlee brought in items from home that rolled too. They have put their investigation into a book for families to read (please check out the suitcase under the verandah).





I'm **Sandra**, the Pastoral Care Worker, at school on Mondays and Tuesdays.

You'll see me around the yard at the start and end of the school day.

If you'd like, you can get in touch with me also through the school office.

My email is: Sandra.Vangsness342@schools.sa.edu.au



At the end of term one during our lunch time activity it was fabulous to see the older students helping younger students gather clues in the Easter scavenger hunt. The students had a fun time and enjoyed a surprise treat at the end.



Lifeline Connect Clare

Did you know that Lifeline Connect Clare offer a range of services and resources to help the community?

- Our volunteers are trained to help with filling out that confusing paperwork or navigating those pesky websites.
- We have three dedicated counsellors on hand Monday– Friday, 9am – 5pm, who offer free sessions to anyone who needs to chat.
- We are here to 'connect' you to the services you need and have a wealth of resource information, brochures and handouts to ensure you receive the assistance you require.
- We have space at Lifeline Connect Clare for you to host training seminars or presentations. We offer our venue free for non-for-profit organisations and there is a minimal or donation type rental for private events.
- <https://www.howsyamate.org.au/> for some awesome merchandise.

Lifeline is proud to introduce 13yarn. <http://www.13yarn.org.au/>

13yarn is a National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Crisis Support Line. Indigenous led by community, for the community and supported by Lifeline Australia. For 24/7 support, please call 13 92 76.



For Help at Anytime, call :

Beyond Blue: 1300 224 636

Kids Helpline: 1800 551 80

Relationships Australia: 1300 364 277

Connecting you to local support.



[Lifeline Connect Clare](#)

[1 Blanche St, Clare SA 5118](#) [08 8842 2827](#)

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HEALTHY LUNCHBOX IDEAS

To ensure kids are getting the vitamins, minerals and other goodies they need, it is important that they eat a wide variety of nutritious foods from all the different food groups.

Packing a healthy lunch box gives your child the energy to play, concentrate and learn throughout their school day.

HEALTHY SNACK IDEAS



SNACKS BEST LEFT OUT OF THE LUNCHBOX



RECIPE IDEAS

Vegetable Slice

Makes: 8 serves

Prep time: 10 minutes

Cooking time: 30-40 minutes

Ingredients:

- 4 eggs, lightly beaten
- ½ cup self raising flour
- 1 medium zucchini, grated
- ½ cup corn kernels
- ½ cup peas
- 1 medium carrot, grated
- 2 tomatoes, diced
- ¾ cup reduced fat cheese
- 3 Tablespoons vegetable oil

Method: Preheat oven to 180°C. Beat eggs, oil and flour together until smooth. Add zucchini, corn, carrot, peas, tomato and cheese and combine. Pour into a dish (approx. 15cm x 30cm) lightly sprayed with oil or lined with baking paper. Bake for 30-40 minutes.



Try:

- Using different combinations of vegetables
- Adding half a cup of ricotta or feta cheese to the mixture
- Serving warm with a jacket potato and greens for dinner
- Serving cold with a side salad in the lunchbox

Monday, 9th of MAY

School PHOTOS

ARE JUST AROUND THE CORNER!

Wear your
uniform!!

Bring your
best smiles!



HAVE YOU PLACED YOUR ORDER?

Please order online or return your form to the front office ASAP



**MORE FUN THAN
YOU CAN IMAGINE!**



MyGolf is Australia's introductory golf program for 5 to 12 year olds.

The program runs over 6-10 weeks and introduces kids to golf in a safe and friendly environment.

Participants learn new skills, make new friends and most importantly, HAVE FUN!

REGISTER NOW AT
MYGOLF.ORG.AU

Everyone Welcome! No skills or equipment needed. Cost \$20.

Where: Blyth course from 09:30 till 10:30

Session dates:

- Sunday 22nd May
- Sunday 5th June
- Sunday 26th June
- Sunday 10th July

Contact Barb Hayes:

hayes2042@gmail.com

A friendly reminder that masks are required by all adults when entering the school grounds.



19.5.22

8:30AM

**At the Fed
Shed**

*Parents Welcome
to join.*

SCHOOL MATERIAL AND SERVICES FEES ARE NOW OVERDUE

If you haven't yet paid your school fees please come and chat to one of our staff about your payment options.

Available Payment Option

- * EFTPOS
- * Direct Credit
- * Cash
- * Cheque



Meet at the Fed Shed at 8.30am and we will walk or ride to school together.

Please be aware that students who are not joining us for the walk will not be supervised in the yard before 8:50am

Term 2 planner

WK	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1	May 2 Kindy	3 Kindy	4 SAPSASA Winter Hub Newsletter	5	6 SANFL Football Clinic
2	9 <u>School Photos</u> Kindy	10 <u>NAPLAN</u> Kindy	11	12 Kindy	13
3	16 Kindy	17 Kindy <u>NAPLAN</u> Governing Council	18 Newsletter	19 Ride & Walk to School Day	20 Assembly
4	23 Kindy Cross Country Burra	24 Kindy	25 National Simultaneous Storytime	26 Kindy	27
5	30 Reconciliation Week State Footy Girls Kindy	31 Kindy	June 1 Baby Bounce	2	3 Playgroup Assembly
6	6. Leaders Day Kindy SAPOL Road Safety	7 Kindy	8 Newsletter Playgroup	9 Cross Country at Oakbank Kindy	10
7	13 Public Holiday	14 Pupil Free Day	15 Baby Bounce	16	17 Playgroup
8	20 Kindy	21 Kindy Governing Council	22 Playgroup	23 Kindy Be Kinder Day	24 Assembly
9	27 Kindy	28 Kindy	29 Baby Bounce	30	July 1. Playgroup
10	4 Kindy	5 Kindy	6 Newsletter Playgroup	7 Kindy	8 Assembly