



Morphett Vale Primary School NEWSLETTER

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ACQUAINTANCE NIGHT

Thank you to all of the families who attended our Acquaintance Night on Wednesday night. The students who came really enjoyed showing their parents around and introducing them to the staff.

Thank you also to all of the staff for opening up their rooms and staying late.

A big thank you to helpers Sean Jackaman, Lyle Sansbury and the two Marks (from Credit Union SA) for cooking the barbecue, to Julie Beckman and Jan Dicker for organising the food, and to Tammy Berlemon for running a crèche for parents attending the AGM.

STUDENT FREE DAY

There will be a STUDENT FREE DAY on **FRIDAY 10TH MARCH** prior to the long weekend for staff training. OSHC will be open for bookings.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF GOVERNING COUNCIL

After the barbecue we held our Annual General Meeting of the Governing Council. At the meeting I presented the Annual Report for 2016. A copy of the report will go onto our school website at the end of March for all families to read.

At the AGM we elected our Governing Council for the next 12 months and also the Leadership team.

I would like to thank and congratulate:

Chairperson: Jan Dicker
Vice Chairperson: Kristel Proepster
Secretary: Kelly Tuckwell
Treasurer: Jordan Karidas

Additional Council Members:

Tammy Pass, Michelle Wallace, Tara Owen, Casey Jessen, Larissa Pearce, Jodie Smith, Rebecca Brokenshire, Kaitlyn Maxwell-Davis, Kristel Proepster, Tara Owen and Bayleigh (student rep)
Cassandra Wisman – Community Rep/Smith Family

DATES TO REMEMBER

WEEK 4

20/2/17 to 24/2/17

Year 3 – 5 Swimming:
Mr Allison, Mrs Taylor,
Mrs Glade-Wright, Mr
Mitchell, Ms Wells.

WEEK 5

1/3/17

Principal Tour

WEEK 6

9/3/17

School Leaders from
across the state visiting
to see STUDENT VOICE
in action at M.V.P.S.
STUDENT FREE DAY –
OSHC available

10/3/17

Finally I would like to thank Faith, Paige and Bayleigh who came to the AGM and talked to everyone about being a Lead Learner and the “Pathways to Powerful Learning” program that the group have been presenting in the last two weeks.

BREAKFAST CLUB

A fantastic turn out at Breakfast Club this week. We look forward to seeing you again next week.

**Thursday mornings
8.15am – 8.40am
in the Red Centre.**



We are still looking for volunteers to help with breakfast. If you have time, on a Thursday morning, and you have a DCSI Clearance, please let me know via the front office.

Thank you so much,
Penny Davies-Pastoral Care Worker (Chaplain) 😊

SWIMMING REMINDER – WEEK 4

Week 4 (20/2/17 to 24/2/17) Year 3 – 5

Mr Allison, Mrs Taylor, Mrs Glade-Wright, Mr Mitchell, Ms Wells.

Student should wear their bathers under their uniform and then bring the following:

- Puffer (if Asthma has been ticked on medical form)
- Towel
- Under garments – knickers/jocks
- plastic bag (to put wet bathers and towel in)

Student Support Services

Children and young people who need extra help are often referred to the Student Support Services team by their teacher.

Student Support Services include social workers, behaviour support coaches, psychologists, special educators and speech pathologists. These people provide support to children and teachers in state schools and preschools.

If you or your child's teacher feels that your child is having difficulties, they may engage with the Student Support Services team regarding these difficulties. Your child's teacher will discuss this with you and obtain your consent before making a formal request for support for your child.

For more information, speak with your preschool or school or visit - www.decd.sa.gov.au

SRC STEERING COMMITTEE

Thirteen year 4 - 7 students joined the SRC Steering Committee, giving up their lunchtimes to set the agenda and structure for the Morphett Vale Student Representative Council.

They voted to focus on helping all students, especially little ones, to feel safe and to reach high. Cheyenne led the group in coming up with our new student motto; "Side by side we're reaching higher!" They have Term One to earn their stripes and if they have managed to uphold the high standards they set and achieve group outcomes they will receive their badges next term.

Look out for Mia, Dylan, Logan, Bayleigh, Jessica, Jett, Joseph, Michael, Brayden, Faith, Cheyenne, Madilyn and Amalie working hard to make Morphett Vale an even better school.

Danielle Windsor - Counsellor

SPORTS NEWS/INFORMATION

Morphett Vale Primary School are calling for all Parents &/or Family Members who can spare some time to assist our children with our Basketball Out of Hours Sports teams which will be run in Terms 2 & 3. As it stands, we have only two coaches and a lot of interested kids.

Dependant on numbers, a guide to approximate nights will be: Monday Years 6/7, Tuesday Year 4/5, Wednesday Year 2/3.

Miniball for the Reception / Year 1s may be on Thursday depending on interest and support.

It would be fantastic if parents could assist, even if you know very little about the sport.

Please see Julie at the front desk to discuss availability and be on the lookout for sign up forms coming home shortly.



Principal's Tour of the School

We will be having a tour of the school on **Wednesday, March 1st at 9.30am.**

If you know of anyone who wishes to be included please advise the Front Office



WIRREANDA SECONDARY SCHOOL – OPEN NIGHT 2017

THURSDAY 23 MARCH 4PM – 7PM

For more information please contact Sue Bogumil at the school on 8329 7200



The Lions Club of Noarlunga-Morphett Vale

Shed Sale

3rd Saturday of each month, 9.00am till 12noon
Lions Shed, Brian Road, Lonsdale (follow signs from Sherriffs Rd.)

The range of treasures to be found includes:

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| o Plants | o Jewellery | o Glassware |
| o Books | o Accessories | o Kitchen Items |
| o Furniture | o Records, CDs and DVDs | o Pictures |
| o Craft Items | o Electronics | o Toys and Games |
| o Automotive | o Household Items | o Collectables |
| o Tools | | o Memorabilia |

Bring the whole family along and invite your friends

For further information Contact:

Rob, Lions Club of Noarlunga-Morphett Vale on 8387 1754
or email: lionsnmv@picknowl.com.au

MORPHETT VALE PS – HOUSE CAPTAINS 2017

Congratulations to our new House Captains for 2017.

Flinders	-	Jordan & Tanisha
Light	-	David & Hollie
Sturt	-	Dylan & Paige
Morphett	-	Kye & Beky



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Come and try Calisthenics with a fantastic club in the south! Based in Christies we offer the opportunity to learn all aspects of calisthenics including dance, aspects of gymnastics and a united team spirit!

Lessons held at—Williams Street Uniting Church Christies Beach
Classes begin Tuesday 31st January 2017!

Tinies 7 years old and under

Sub Juniors 8-10 years

Juniors 11-13 years

Inters 14-16 years

Senior 16 +



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