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NEWS LETTERS

Hi All,

I am pleased to report that students have settled well into their new classes. There is a definite buzz around our school and it is wonderful to see our students eagerly engaging in learning.

At O'Sullivan Beach we are very fortunate to have a very capable, dedicated staff team. Last newsletter I introduced you to our teachers; this week I am introducing you to our support staff. Our support staff are a wonderful bunch of professionals who do a lot of work behind the scenes, often unknown by parents but very appreciated by our teachers and students.

Our 2019 support staff team are:

Lisa Pinder	Business Manager
Cynthia Beahl	Administration
Lucas Dibartolo	IT Support
Steph Dix	MiniLit
Josh Heywood	Classroom Support
Zoe Baker	Classroom Support
Katrina Schirmer	Classroom Support
Tom Penfold	Classroom support
Simon Foster	Classroom Support
Ben Tessari	Classroom Support
Mel Volkmann	Classroom Support & Garden specialist
Trudi Engelhardt	Kitchen specialist
Richard Watson	Groundsperson

Regards,

Mandy Hackett

Principal





Hi,
my name is Kimberley but you can call me Kim. I am a third-year Social Work student from Flinders University and I will be here for term 1 & 2 of this year. I am here to support the children and young people of O'Sullivan Beach Primary School by being an extra set of eyes ears and hands in the class rooms. I will aim to enhance positive well-being and ensure the kids maintain a strong connection with learning, allowing them to achieve their full potential.

Kimberley Kardel

So far, I have been observing the social skills group sessions coordinated by Ben. I will be contributing my ideas to create my own sessions and am keen to implement additional activities which will allow me to get to know the students better. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time here so far and look forward to being a part of this community for weeks to come. If you see me around please feel free to come and say hi!



Governing Council AGM

The date for our Annual General Meeting for Governing Council is this coming Monday 18th February at 3.30 pm. We are looking for new members to join this vital part of our school community.

We encourage all parents and caregivers to consider joining. If you wish to be part of Governing Council and take part in the decision making of our School, please put your name forward to the front office. If you are unable to attend but wish to join Governing Council please leave your name with any existing Governing Council member or the Front Office.

If you would like to know more about Governing Council and how it works please feel free to ring our current Chairperson Jason Lange on 0402 070 220 or ask at the front office.

Please R.S.V.P. by Friday 15th if you are able to attend.

Materials & Services Charges

It's great to see that so many families have paid fees, made arrangements via Centrepay or returned their school card forms – thank you it is appreciated.

School card and Centrepay forms are available from the front office.

Please remember that school fees are legally recoverable.

Our Bank Details for EFT Payments are:

Bank SA
Branch: Christies Beach
BSB: 105-119
Account No: 435079740
Lisa Pinder
Business Manager

School Photos

This year school photos will be taken on Wednesday, 10th April, 2019.

Envelopes will be sent home prior to the day. Family envelopes will be available at the front office. Please do not bring any photo envelopes or money until photo day. All envelopes and money go direct to the photographer on photo day.

Year 7 Uniforms

Year 7 uniform orders and payments are due by Friday 22nd February 2019.

Please note this is a one off order for these tops and jumpers and we are unable to order after this date.

Order forms are available from the front office.

Heating Food at school

Please do not send food to school that requires heating. Due to OHSW regulations we are unable to heat any food for students.

Subway Lunch

Subway lunches are available every Friday. Order forms are available from the class room or the front office.

The cost is \$6.00 for a 6 inch roll, drink and a cookie. Cash only.

Orders need to be in by Thursday 10.30am.

Medication /Medical plans

It is a Department for Education requirement that all medical plans and medication authority paperwork are updated on a yearly basis.

If your child has a medical condition that may require them to be given medication during school hours, please provide a current medical plan and medication that can be kept in the front office.

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact Cynthia in the front office.

We appreciate your understanding and support in providing the appropriate care to our students.

2nd Hand Uniform Sales

Second hand uniform sales are now available for a gold coin donation. If you are interested, please call in to the front office and speak to Lisa or Cynthia

If you have any uniform items that your child has outgrown and you would like to donate them to the School, please drop them into the front office.

All money raised goes into fundraising to help fund swimming, aquatics, excursions and other activities.

After School

Please make sure that you and your child/children have left the school grounds prior to 3.15pm.

The gates can then be locked and the playgrounds will be free for OSHC children to access.

A bell will be rung at 3.15 to remind people that they should be off school grounds by this time.

Staff Car Park

In the interest of keeping all of our students, parents and staff safe, we would like to remind parents and caregivers that the staff car park is for staff and visitor parking only – **please do not park here to collect your child.**

Please do not walk through the carpark. Please use the pedestrian gate on Galloway Road.

Mobile Phones

All phones need to be handed into the front office once your child is on school grounds and then collected at the end of the day.

Zooper Doopers

Zooper Doopers are sold every Tuesday and Thursday at lunchtime from the front office for 50c each. Please note there is a maximum of 2 per student.

DIARY DATES

Week 4	Monday 18th Feb	Governing Council AGM 3.30pm.
Week 6	Tuesday 5th March	Assembly 2.30pm in the Gym hosted by Blue
	Friday 8th March	Student Free Day (to be confirmed)
Week 7	Monday 11th March	Public Holiday – Adelaide Cup Day
	Friday 15th March	Harmony/Bullying No Way Day
	Sunday, 17th March	St Patrick's Day
Week 8	Monday 18th March	Governing Council 3.30pm.
	Friday 22nd March	Sports Day