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NEWS LETTERS

Hi All,

Welcome back to term 3 and what a start we have had! Yesterday 70 of our primary students attended Arbury Park for a day camp and returned at the end of the day happy and tired. Thank you to our amazing staff who organised and took part in this event for our students, it was a wonderful example of how determined and committed our staff are to providing students with rich learning experiences.

Those students who didn't attend the day camp also had lots of fun at school. The students were excited to show me one of their activities - the cup and string challenge, which promoted team work and thinking skills, well done to the students who managed to complete the task.

Later in the term it will be the Junior Primary students turn for a camp with Green 1 and Green 2 planning a zoo snooze. I urge parents of students in these classes to consider sending their child to this camp. As a parent myself I found it daunting to send my young children to an overnight camp, but it is a wonderful experience. As an educator I have been on several camps with junior primary students and have yet to see a student not enjoy themselves. If you have any concerns please come and talk to your child's teacher or myself as soon as possible.

Later this term we will be having school photos taken. These were delayed due to COVID 19. Envelopes will be coming home midway through the term.

Reports will be coming home this Friday, please check your child's bag for them. Please be aware that due to COVID 19 absences, absence data is not recorded on the front of the reports this time. In addition to this you may find that some teachers have not reported across all curriculum areas due to absences and time restrictions. These areas will be covered in the second half of the year.

Kind regards,

Mandy Hackett

Principal

Arbury Park Day Camp 2020



On Tuesday the 21st of July, students from years 2-7 went to Arbury Park for a day camp. The students explored a range of outdoor activities that involved many aspects of the curriculum Maths, Science, Literacy and PE. Students enjoyed using many of their skills they have learnt from PE such as team work, collaboration, movement and physical strategies to achieve a goal. Some of the highlight activities of the day were making a fire, then cooking morning tea, finding living things in the pond with scoops, running/exploring the forest and building creations with sticks, leaves, bark and wood. To end a fabulous day the whole school played a strategic physical game that was aimed at students using survival skills in the forest. The students and staff had a wonderful day exploring nature and learning many new things.



Arbury Park



"Camp was fun, amazing, terrific, fantastic and delicious!" Zarah



"I liked the campfires because we got to cook our own food." Dominic

"Camp was really fun and educational. I got to light a fire for the first time and the playground was fun." Sophie

This week, students from year 2 to 7 had the opportunity to go on a day camp to Arbury Park Outdoor School. We had a great day, learning how to build fires and survive in the bush, fishing for freshwater creatures to look at under a microscope, learning about nature's recyclers and going orienteering. Some of us built amazing cubbies and other creations, and we finished the day with a terrific game called the Web of Life, where we learned what it was like to be either a carnivore or a herbivore, trying to survive in nature, avoiding death and finding food and water. A huge thank you to all the adults involved who helped to make this day happen and the students who got involved and had fun on the day.



"My favourite part was the scavenger hunt with maps." Tahlin

"I liked hide and seek chasey because it was really fun and we had lots of space to play in." Shia



"My favourite part of camp was the chasey game because it was challenging to stay alive. I still had 7 lives left and collected lots of water but not much food." Taj



"I liked the big game because we needed to find food and water to survive in the wild and avoid the predators, people and death!" Calum

MONDAY MORNING ASSEMBLIES

As of Week 2 (next week) we will be holding Monday morning assemblies in the gymnasium. Please note that students will sit in class groups and all adults are expected to socially distance as per COVID 19 guidelines and remain 1.5 metres from other adults. Please do not attend if you are unwell. We appreciate your assistance in keeping your distance.

FRIDAY ASSEMBLIES

Friday assemblies will again be held during term 3 in Week 5 and Week 10. The first assembly is being run by Blue class and Green 2 class and is being held on Friday 21st August 2020. Assembly starts at 9am. As per above students will sit in class groups and all adults are asked to comply with the COVID-19 guidelines regarding social distancing.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Issue 5 has been distributed this week to students. Books can be ordered via the Scholastic website. Please use your child's class colour when ordering online or alternatively please drop your order along with payment into the front office. Book club Issue 5 orders are due by Friday 7th August 2020.

MOBILE DENTIST VISIT

Grow up Smiling Mobile Dentist will be visiting our school from Monday 10th August. Consent forms were sent home last term. If you wish your child to see the dentist, please make sure that the consent forms are returned to the Front office by Friday 31st July 2020. New forms are available from the front office if required. Thankyou

BOOK WEEK

Book week will be celebrated in Term 4 this year. The Children's Book Council of Australia has announced that due to the exceptional circumstances of the COVID-19 pandemic that Book Week 2020 will be held later in the year. More details to follow.

FATHERS' DAY STALL

Fathers' Day stall will be held later in August. More details to follow.

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

SUBWAY LUNCHES

Subway lunches are available every Friday.

Order via the Skoolbag app or collect an order form from the class room or the front office.
\$6.00 for a 6 inch roll, drink and a cookie.
Orders need to be in by Thursday 10.30am.

Cash ONLY.

Correct money is appreciated. \$6 for each order.

HAVE YOU MOVED? NEW PHONE NUMBER? CHANGED EMERGENCY CONTACTS?

In the event of an emergency involving your child it is most important for us to have accurate information.

Please make sure that Front Office is advised of any change(s) to your contact details.

If you have changed your mobile number or moved house, please provide the details as soon as possible either in person, phoning 8382 5888 or email dl.1060.info@schools.sa.edu.au



**CHRISTIES BEACH
HIGH SCHOOL**

PRINCIPAL'S TOUR

WEDNESDAY 29 JULY 2020 AT 3.40PM

Christies Beach High School invites you and your family to tour our school, meet our teachers and students, learn about our holistic approach to teaching and learning, and explore our impressive grounds and expanding facilities.

Important information for those transitioning to secondary schooling will be discussed so parents and students can become familiar with our school culture and discover all that Christies Beach High School has to offer during this time of change and into the future.

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DIARY DATES Term 3

Week 1	Friday 24th July Friday 24th July	Mid-year reports to go home Kindy transition to School session 1
Week 2	Friday 31st July	Kindy transition to School session 2
Week 3	Friday 7th August Sunday 9th August	Kindy transition to School Session 3 International Day of the World's Indigenous People
Week 4	10th – 14th August Tuesday 11th August 15th- 23rd August Friday 14th August	Grow Up Smiling Dentist Governing Council 6pm National Science Week Kindy transition to School session 4
Week 5	Friday 21st August	Assembly 9am hosted by Blue and G2 Kindy transition to School session 5