







Week 8 Term 2 2019

NEWSLETTER

Principal's Report

I apologise for the late notice, but a Student Free Day has been scheduled and endorsed by our Governing Council for the first day of Term 3, *Monday 22nd July.* We have connected with other schools in the area this year so our staff are now part of Professional Learning Teams. This day will be held at Meadows Primary School with staff from Echunga, Macclesfield, Meadows and Callington Primary Schools.

Our Tuning into Kids program is now complete. Congratulations to our Parents / Carers who attended 3 or more sessions, received their certificate and are well on their way with emotion coaching. It's not easy, but the outcomes of using it are profound. The feedback from attendees has been very positive, especially the opportunity to work with other parents and build our 'community' around our children.

It is with sadness I communicate that Pamela Morely will be finishing up in her role of Wellbeing Classroom facilitator at the end of this term, due to a restructure of the funding to this program. Pamela has worked at Callington Primary School in a variety of roles over the last 5 years. Pamela is a positive person who connects with people of all ages. We wish her all the very best for the future. We will still have the Wellbeing Classroom Program in place at Callington, but it will be with a different presenter. This is a highly valued program and I will be pushing to get our new person in place as soon as possible.

We are trialling something new as an option for lunches next term. On Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays children can bring their lunch (pasty, pizza slice, ham & cheese sandwich etc) to be heated up in the pie warmer.

Their lunch must be wrapped in Aluminium Foil, labelled with texta and placed on the trays at the staffroom window when they arrive to school. Our year 7 monitors will then refrigerate the lunches, heat them up later in the day in the pie warmer and students can collect their warm lunch at eating time.

If you're following our Facebook page, you may've seen my post during the week about a lunchtime at Callington Primary School. As I made my way around our beautiful grounds on yard duty, I visited sewing club, saw children playing 8 square, visited students using the computers, saw children building cubbies, all while enjoying soup prepared by our year 3/4 students. Our children are very fortunate to have such opportunities at our school, in such a positive environment.









Remember to please keep your term planner handy, keep an eye on SkoolBag and follow the school's Facebook page to stay in the loop. If the need arises, please drop me an email at

<u>Paul.Jude460@schools.sa.edu.au</u> or make an appointment through the office.

Regards Paul Jude PRINCIPAL

Community News

Country Life Compassion The Pantry Club Callington & Surrounding Communities A community service program to help people who are struggling financially and need assistance with Food. We are here to help and support people Tuesdays from 9.00 am - 11.00 am fortnightly **At Callington Memorial Hall** Requires a small fee but the return is great! Brought to you by Country Life Compassion 2 Chapel Street, Strathalbyn Ph: (08) 7511 7212 Mob: 0407 979 853 Facebook: Country Life Compassion Inc. Website: www.clcompassion.org.au Country Life Compassion is a registered not-for-profit/tax deductible recipient

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Dates to Remember

Monday 24/6

Student free day

Tuesday 2/7

The Pantry Club 9 - 11

Thursday 4/7

Old Tailem Town Excursion

Friday 5/7

Assembly 1:50 pm Early dismissal 2:20

Monday 22/7

Student free day

Potential Strike July 1st

You may be aware the Australian Education Union has rejected an enterprise agreement offer from the State Government, setting the scene for industrial action and a potential strike on July 1. We will communicate any developments and the impact on Callington when we know more.

Coughs and Colds

With winter well and truly upon us, a reminder to keep your child/ren home if they are unwell. Colds and coughs can spread quickly in our classrooms amongst children and staff. A phone call to the school or explained absence through SkoolBag is required. Thank you for your support with this.



Callington Primary School has again registered for the Woolworths Earn & Learn promotion. Please collect the stickers when shopping at Woolworths and stick them onto the sheet available in the front office. There is a box in the front office for all sheets to be dropped into. The more stickers we get the more goodies we can purchase at the end so ask all your family and friends to get involved.

Birthdays



Assembly Awards

R/1/2 Class:

Rebecca—For being respectful and showing compassion to her peers. Jaxon—For being responsible for his learning whilst also helping others.

3/4 Class:

Starr—Enthusiasm - always trying her best with her work and having a positive attitude towards learning. Memphis - Respect-showing great respect towards her peers and her learning environment.

5/6/7 Class:

Ilia - Persevering with her learning in Maths with adding & subtracting fractions.

Sabrina—Exhibiting a positive outlook & attitude in the classroom.

Alison—welcoming leadership roles & is sensitive to the thoughts & opinions of others in the group.



THANK YOU
TO
WOOLWORTHS MT BARKER
For donating fresh produce for our
3/4 class to make our yummy soups
that we have all enjoyed.



Thoughts from Jeanette (Pastoral Care Worker)

"Be the parent today that you want your kids to remember tomorrow"

Deadly Australians Visit 18th June





This term the Kindergarten was lucky enough to join in the school and over a million other children across Australia and New Zealand to take part in the Nation Simultaneous Storytime. Back at Kindy the children got to extend their learning by making their own Macca the Alpaca. Can you name the hidden faces?



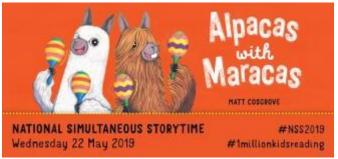
























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