





Principal's report

Dear Families,

<u>Smooth start</u> - The children have now settled in well to class routines and there is a positive feel at our school about the year ahead. With 77 students now attending Callington, the yard is a busy place at break times! It is fantastic to see our amazing little community school growing.

<u>Acquaintance Night</u> - We have had a positive response to our Acquaintance Night note that went out earlier in the week. I encourage you all to attend on Tuesday 9th February from 5:00pm. Each class will be open for 15 minutes, where you can hear from your child's teacher about their routines, expectations and plans for the year. A barbecue tea will be supplied for all between 5:00-6:00pm, thanks to the amazing Communities for Children team. Thanks for the RSVPs. Acquaintance Night is a great opportunity to meet new families and further build our school community around our young people and support their learning. I look forward to seeing you there.

<u>Governing Council AGM</u> - Following the Acquaintance Night our Governing Council's Annual General Meeting will take place at 6:30pm. All Parents/Carers are welcome and encouraged to attend. At this meeting we will be sharing reports about 2020. <u>Voting for our 6 new Governing Council members will occur at the meeting and all Parents/Carers can vote. Voting is optional.</u> You will receive details of the nominees on Monday.

<u>Congratulations Hall Committee</u>— The Callington Hall committee received a RAA Safety Grant. The Hall now has a defibrillator, First Aid cabinet and a fire blanket. Our School community will certainly benefit from these extra safety measures. Well done Hall Committee!

<u>Assembly RSVPs</u>— We welcome Parents/Carers to our assemblies on Fridays in weeks 3,6 and 9. However, attendance numbers are limited. Please notify the office if you plan on attending so we can plan accordingly.

BREMER values - We continue our focus on the BREMER values this year. We talk to the children often about what these mean and how we show them at school. This Information may support discussions at home about school.

Bravery – Respect – Excellence – Mindfulness Enthusiasm – Responsibility

<u>Before school yard duty teacher</u> - A reminder that our yard duty teacher commences at 8:25am. Students should not be here before that time. Also, Jeanette runs our Breakfast Club on Monday and Wednesday mornings before school. If accessing this service, please ensure children are there before 8:45am. This allows children time to finish their breakfast before classes commence.

<u>Planner-</u> Included in today's newsletter is a planner for the term. We encourage you to keep this somewhere handy and update as the term progresses.

<u>Lunches</u> – A reminder that if you need to drop lunches to your child during the day, these need to be dropped to the front office. Also, CallyEats (lunch heating service) is available Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

If you would like to discuss any matter regarding your child's education, please send me an email or make an appointment through Sarah/Kate in the school office.

Kind regards,

Paul Jude Paul.jude460@schools.sa.edu.au



Hello from Jeanette!

(Pastoral Care Worker)







For all new families—my name is Jeanette Mann and I work at Callington Primary School as the PCW (Pastoral Care Worker).

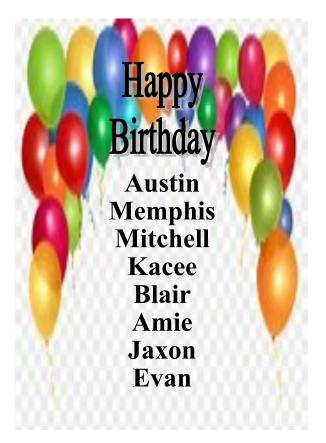
I am at the school on Mondays (8:30 am - 12 noon) and on Wednesdays 8:30am - 4:00 pm. On both Monday and Wednesday mornings I run Breakfast Club with the assistance of parents. Breakfast Club is from 8:30-8:45am (to allow children time to be ready for class). I also have a drop in room (DDI) open on Wednesday lunchtimes where children can join in with games and craft activities.

My other time is spent in the classrooms teaching Wellbeing Classroom lessons or assisting the class teachers. At Easter and Christmas I organise a presentation for Christian Options.

You are welcome to come and talk with me if you would like a listening ear or support. I am looking forward to spending time with the children and getting to know Parents/Carers. Each newsletter I will have a short article that relates to student wellbeing.

Until next time, WARMLY JEANETTE Jeanette Mann (PCW)

If you are feeling like talking to someone feel free to contact me on 0431791423



Community News

The Murray Bridge United Football (Soccer) Club will be holding their 2021 Registration Information / Player Nomination Night on Friday 12th February, from 4.00pm to 6.30pm.

All Enquiries and/or Player nominations to Grant please; klenkegc@internode.on.net or 0411 057 039 If you require any further details, please don't hesitate to contact me.

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Wash your hands for at least 20 seconds.



If you're happy and you know it















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king for work: Young women's support group

COVID-19 has impacted job prospects for many young women in the Hills. If you are a young woman in the Hills looking for work or just starting your career, join our support group to discuss how to deal with the challenges of job seeking and participating in the workforce

10 Feb - 31 March 2021

Wednesdays, 4pm to 6pm Location: Mount Barker Community Centre 3 Dumas Street, Mount Barker

This venue is wheelchair accessible

This free program will include workshops facilitated by Maddie Sarre the Working Women's Centre SA's Youth Project Officer & passionate youth activist, alongside guest presenters.

The workshops will be on a range of topics, including:

- Strategies & tools to use while job hunting.
- Resume development & interviewing skills.
- What are our rights in the workplace? How do we know if we are being paid correctly? How can we deal with sexism in the workplace? can we deal with sexism in the workplace?
 What are our rights if we have kids or want to have kids?
- What employment opportunities are there in the district? Showcasing job and education opportunities.
- How can we go about starting a trade or another career that is traditionally male-dominated? Presentation by female tradies. How can we navigate the welfare system as
- young job seekers? Self-care - how can we look after ourselves and deal with the stress of looking for work? How to build confidence & self esteem.
- What changes would we like to see in the world of work? Having our voices heard by political decision-makers.

The program will begin with an art workshop where participants will learn new skills and make a unique creation that they can take home with them. At the end of the program, there will be an opportunity to help plan and deliver a community program with support from the Mount Barker Community Centre.

What's in it for you?

Through training, mentoring and learning-by-doing, you will gain skills and experiences that will help you navigate the challenges of job seeking and work towards getting a job you love.

You will gain:

- Hands on mentoring and support from Program Coordinators
- Opportunities to connect with other young women and talk about shared experiences
- A space to talk about the challenges and barriers to looking for a job
- Opportunities to develop practical knowledge and
- skills to help you find work
- Job references
- Tea, coffee & pizza each week!



About you

The program is designed for women, 17-30 years of age, and living in the Mount Barker District. This program will be beneficial for young women who are looking for work, wanting to work more hours or looking for more meaningful employment.

How to register



maddie@wwc.org.au or register online at www.wwcsa.org.au/upcoming-events











Saturday 30th January 9am-3.30pm

Mount Barker Town Hall 34-38 Gawler Street

okings Essential: <u>quill@inkpot.com.au</u> or 0429 673 327

9-9-30am

BUBBLE & SQUEAK Singing and Movement with Jen Lush for 3-5 year olds and their parents/carers (Cost \$10) 9.45-10.15am EXPLORE the WONDERS OF INDIA, through drama, dance and

singing with RubinA for 8-11 year olds (Cost \$10)
UKULELE FOR CHILDREN 8 years & over 10.30 - 11am

with Max Tulysewski (Cost \$10)

Ukulele for **ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS**, all ages, with Christopher Carr (Cost \$20) Ink Pot Arts' regular classes also offer "Come & Try" sessions - see our flye



IMPROV for Adults, with Curtis Shipley, Tuesday 2nd Feb (Cost \$15) BOLLYWOOD for Adults, with RubinA, Wednesday 3rd Feb (Cost \$15)



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ONLINE COMPETITION OPEN TO SA RESIDENTS ONLY

This online competition is an opportunity for SA residents to reflect on what 2020 meant to them. With the cancellation of SA regional shows you can express your creative self to the public.

ENTRIES RECEIVED FROM:

18th Jan - 26th Feb 2021

Winners notified by email & announced online on the 27th March 2021

PRIZES

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May

Book Publication - All winners will receive a copy of the book which will be launched at the Callington Show 2021

Monetary prize per section: \$30 First \$20 Second

\$10 Third **SPONSORSHIP**

\$50 - Printed LOGO

Show your support to SA residents. Have your logo printed in the book. Promote your business.

Online Entry form and Details:

www.callingtonshow.com.au

ALL AGES -ONLINE COMPETITION

Callington A&H Society

ENTRY FEES

\$3 - one entry \$5 - two entries JUNIOR / PRIMARY:

\$2 - one entry \$3 - two entries

OPEN-Book cover JUNIOR-Book cover

LITERARY

OPEN / JUNIOR / PRIMARY 35

- Poem
- Fiction
- Non-fiction

PHOTOGRAPHY

OPEN/JUNIOR

Black & White

CONVENOR:

Mobile: 0481 776 594















Our First Day of Reception













Callington Primary School Calendar Term 1 2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	25/1	26/1 Australia Day (Public Holiday)	27/1 Term 1 Starts	28/1	29/1
Week 2	1/2 Breakfast Club	2/2	3/2 Breakfast Club	4/2	5/2 Newsletter
Week 3	8/2 Breakfast Club	9/2 5:00 pm Acquaintance night/ Governing Council AGM 6:30pm	10/2 Breakfast Club	11/2	12/2 Assembly 2:40pm. 2/3/4
Week 4	15/2 Breakfast Club	16/2	17/2 Breakfast Club	18/2	19/2 Newsletter
Week 5	22/2 Breakfast Club	23/2	24/2 Breakfast Club	25/2	26/2
Week 6	1/3 Breakfast Club	2/3	3/3 Breakfast Club	4/3	5/3 Newsletter Assembly 2:40 (5/6/7) Clean up schools day
Week 7	8/3 Adelaide Cup Day (public Holiday)	9/3	10/3 Breakfast Club	11/3	12/3
Week 8	15/3 Breakfast Club	16/3	17/3 Breakfast Club	18/3	Newsletter National Day of Action against bullying and violence
Week 9	22/3 Breakfast Club	23/3	24/3 Breakfast Club	25/3	26/3 Assembly 2:40 (R/1)
Week 10	29/3 Breakfast Club	30/1	31/10 Breakfast Club	1/4 Newsletter	2/4 Good Friday
Week 11	5/4 Easter Monday	6/4	7/4 Breakfast Club	8/4	9/4 Sports Day