



COMMUNITY | CONFIDENCE | RESPECT

How high can our fish fly?



NEWSLETTER | TERM 1, WEEK 4

FEBRUARY 18, 2021



Meet our SRC Reps for 2021 (more on page 2)

Community.
Confidence.
Respect.

Key Dates

Volunteer Induction

Tuesday 23rd February 9am

Children's University Info session

Thursday 25th February 3.45pm

Parent Information Day

Thursday 25th February

School Clean Up Day

Friday 5th March

2021 Sports Day

Wednesday 31st March

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Annual General Meeting

The Governing Council AGM was held on Monday 15th February. Thank you to all parents and staff who made time to attend. The following council members have been elected for this year:

Welcome to our 2021 Governing Council members:

Chairperson: Kate Annells

Deputy Chairperson: Steve Croft

Secretary: Kelly Ellbourn

Treasurer: Chris Mitchell

General Members: Kate Overall, Steve Croft, Jo Twelftree, Alice McGrath, Jade McHughes.

Unfortunately, we still have 2 positions vacant. If you have an interest please contact us either in person at the front office or via email: dl.0356.info@schools.sa.edu.au

Staff Representatives: Rachael Norde, Kelly Ellbourn, Michael Scott (Alexandrina Council Rep.)

Thank you to retiring members Rebecca Hollamby, Justine DeLuca, Peter Radcliff and Helen Bagnell, all long-standing members of the council in various roles. I greatly appreciate the time and support you have provided to all students, families and staff of Port Elliot Primary.

Brenton Hudson

WELCOME TO OUR 2021 STUDENT LEADERS

Student Representative Council



Mrs Dybala

Bailey DeLuca Executive
Proxy Josh Robinson

Mrs Hancock/Ms Bridget

Emily Brennan Executive
Buddy Backen-Stoldt

Mrs Williams

Ruby Weatherill
Proxy Xavier Thompson

Mr Blacker

Josh Williams
Proxy Nadie Talbot-Male

Ms Reedy

Fin Grooby
Proxy Sebby Roesler

Mrs Roberts /Mrs Grummett

Lily Brennan
Proxy Raimunda Diaz

Mrs Zadow

Keeley Irvin Executive
No Proxy

Mr Benger

Blair Weatherill Executive
Proxy Daneil Brink

Mrs Warner

Ariana Gray
No Proxy

Mr Taylor

Willow Slee
Proxy Justin Blenkarn

Ms O'Shaughnessy

Ayden Donald
Proxy Hunter Caire

Wellbeing Ambassadors



Mrs Dybala's Year 6/7

Amahlee McCracken

Mrs Zadow's Year 6/7

Chalotte Pedler-Dodd

Mrs Hancock's, Ms Bridget

Tyson Pendlebury
Proxy Will Overall

Mr Benger's, Ms Bridget

Urshuler Nauer
Proxy Ethan Miller

Mr Blacker, Mrs Grummett

Angel Prince
Proxy Phoenix Giltinan

Ms O'Shaughnessy, Mrs Grummett

Nate Sheppard

Mr Taylor

Indie Bradbury
Proxy Leah Cross

Ms Williams

Zach Bates
Proxy Amelia Baker

Mrs Reedy

Fin Grooby
Proxy Phoenix Giltinan

Mrs Warner

Kala Munoz
Proxy Kooter Kramer

Mrs Roberts, Mrs Grummett

Alexis Wright

Flying Fish Awards

Community

Alex K, Room 9.07,
Brendan P,
Leo M,
Alba B,
Evannah W,
Charlotte M,
Solenne C
Eden M,
Danielle D,
Joel O

Confidence

Mikayla S,
Maeva W,
Harper T,
Zoey D,
Ellie I,
Macey R,
Kobe B,
Nardia T

Respect

Bowie I,
Isaac A,
Jordy M,
Melody W,
Sophie H,
Zeeva R,
Byron K,
Will S



What is Children's University?

Children's University (Australasia and Africa Indian Ocean) aims to develop free-thinking and inquisitive children who enjoy learning and have a 'can-do' attitude towards future opportunities.

The program engages children aged 7-14 years in exciting, out-of-school learning opportunities and is hosted by the University of Adelaide.

Children's University is child-directed, meaning individuals voluntarily choose how to be involved and what they would like to participate in.

The concept is to offer superior educational experiences to children outside of school and recognise their achievements by awarding successes with formal certificates.

Why do children get a passport?

Participating students are issued with a Passport to Learning where the hours of each activity are recorded. Hours are accumulated and when the hours needed to graduate are reached, children are awarded certificates at a formal graduation ceremony. Levels range from Bronze Award for 30 hours of learning to Doctorate for 1,000 hours of learning.



2020 Graduates from Port Elliot Primary

Benefits for students

- Opportunities to be involved in learning out of school
- Discover the benefits of self-directed learning
- Explore and develop new talents and passions
- Manage and measure their own success
- Make new friends who have similar interests
- Celebrate and be awarded for their achievements
- Develop leadership skills

Benefits for parents

- Quality-assured activities out-of-school that address the needs of the whole child
- Opens up opportunities in a range of learning environments
- Chance to celebrate your child's achievements
- Parental involvement in school activities

If your child is interested, join us for a parent information night!

Time: 3.45pm

When: Thursday 25th February 2021

Where: Port Elliot Primary School Library

For more information visit: <https://cuaustralasia.com/>
or contact: Jodie Allsop Jodie.allsop816@schools.sa.edu.au



ENCOURAGE A LOVE OF LEARNING – RAISE ASPIRATIONS – HAVE FUN
– FIND YOUR PASSION – DISCOVER WHAT HIGHER EDUCATION COULD OFFER YOU



PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

The PRC is on again and we would love every student in the school to participate.

This is a fantastic initiative that encourages students to read more books and enjoy reading.

To participate, students need to read 12 books (8 PRC and 4 free choice) before Friday 3rd September.

If your child needs a reading record, they can pop into the Library.

Look out for these stickers when borrowing:

Premier's Reading Challenge
Yr R-2

Read to them or independently

Premier's Reading Challenge
Yr 3-5

Read independently

Premier's Reading Challenge
Yr 6-9

Read independently

PREMIER'S READING Challenge

Reading for the Challenge finishes on 3 September 2021
For more information visit the website, phone 08 8226 4300 or email prc@sa.gov.au

www.prc.sa.edu.au

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Uncle Archie Cultural Memorial Day Celebrations



When: Friday 26th February
Where: Basham's Beach Port Elliot
(entrance at Port Elliot Caravan Park)
Time: 11am – 2pm

➤ Free BBQ

➤ Entertainment;

- Harley Hall
- Deadly Nannas
- Nancy Bates

➤ Activities;

- PKT
- Feather flower making
- Boomerang painting & throwing
- Wet & Dry waterslides



For more information contact
Jade McHughes: 0401 693 243
Georgie Trevorrow: 0448 733 107



APPLYING FOR A SCHOOL CARD



All types of School Card applications are now online.

You can access the online forms from any device that gets internet, including mobile devices, such as tablets and smart phones, as well as laptops and computers.

Applying online is easy! Simply follow the steps below.

- STEP 1** Visit sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard
- STEP 2** Select the type of School Card you would like to apply for (for example 'Type A') and follow the prompts.
- STEP 3** Complete all mandatory fields.
Please note: you cannot submit your application unless all mandatory fields are complete.
- STEP 4** Once you have completed a page click on the 'NEXT' button.
- STEP 5** Once you have filled out all pages click the 'SUBMIT' button.
Please note: if you exit the form without clicking 'SUBMIT' your details will be lost.

You can save the form, and return to complete it at another time, by clicking on the 'SAVE' button.



sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard



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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	25th JANUARY SCHOOL CLOSURE	26th JANUARY AUSTRALIA DAY	27th JANUARY First Day of School!!!	28th JANUARY	29th JANUARY
2	1st FEBRUARY	2nd FEBRUARY	3rd FEBRUARY	4th FEBRUARY	5th FEBRUARY
3	8th FEBRUARY	9th FEBRUARY PARENT TEACHER	10th FEBRUARY INTERVIEWS	11th FEBRUARY	12th FEBRUARY 6/7 AQUATICS 
4	15th FEBRUARY GOVERNING COUNCIL AGM	16th FEBRUARY PARENT TEACHER	17th FEBRUARY School surfing 	18th FEBRUARY	19th FEBRUARY 6/7 AQUATICS 
5	22nd FEBRUARY 	23rd FEBRUARY Volunteer Induction 9am Please RSVP to office	24th FEBRUARY School surfing 	25th FEBRUARY	26th FEBRUARY 
6	1st MARCH Yr 4/5 Tennis Governing Council 7pm	2nd MARCH	3rd MARCH School surfing SAPSASA Swimming 	4th MARCH	5th MARCH School Clean up Day
7	8th MARCH  ADELAIDE CUP	9th MARCH	10th MARCH School surfing 	11th MARCH	12th MARCH
8	15th MARCH	16th MARCH 6/7 Bike Ed 	17th MARCH School surfing 	18th MARCH	19th MARCH
9	22nd MARCH	23rd MARCH	24th MARCH School surfing  6/7 Bike Ed 	25th MARCH	26th MARCH 6/7 Bike Ed 
10	29th MARCH 6/7 Bike Ed 	30th MARCH	31st MARCH School surfing  SPORTS DAY 	1st APRIL STUDENT FREE DAY	2nd APRIL GOOD FRIDAY 
11	5th APRIL EASTER MONDAY 	6th APRIL	7th APRIL 6/7 Bike Ed 	8th APRIL	9th APRIL END OF SCHOOL TERM 2:15PM PICK UP 

BACK TO SCHOOL TUESDAY 27TH APRIL STARTING 8.55AM