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How high can our fish fly?



NEWSLETTER | TERM 3, WEEK 4

AUGUST 12, 2021



100 Days of School fun!
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Key Dates

Parent Teacher Interviews
16th - 27th August

SAPSASA Athletics
Wednesday 18 August

Book Week Parade
Friday 20 August

School Photos
Monday 13 September

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Parent-Teacher Interviews - COVID Style Monday 16th - Friday 27th August

I hope you were well informed by the student's reports that went home at the end of last term. These reports provide an update on the student's progress in understanding the various subjects introduced and the effort they are putting into their learning.

As part of the reporting process, all teachers offer parent-teacher interviews during Term 3.

Unfortunately due to the current COVID-19 restrictions, face to face interviews are not possible at this time. Therefore we would like to offer telephone interviews as an alternative. These may be requested by the family or the teacher. Each interview will be 15 minutes in length and provide an opportunity to go through the report in more depth.

If you would like to arrange a telephone interview please email dl.0356.info@schools.sa.edu.au with the teacher's name and any times that suit you.

Brenton Hudson



In Miss Dale's Reception class, we worked together and created a whole class artwork titled, 'Our Magic Rockpool'. This was inspired by the book and the play, Magic Beach by Alison Lester.

Our artwork was created using oil pastels and watercolours and is 165cm x 125cm. in size.

We researched and explored Australian Aboriginal Art and sea life including the creatures, corals and seaweeds we might find in a rockpool. We also looked at cool and warm colours and how we might use them to create depth in our artwork.

To start, we looked at the patterns water makes while moving in the sunlight and created our rockpool water.

This became the cool base to build our artwork on and around.

Next we researched, drew and patterned the creatures we might find in and around a rockpool. We then looked at the shapes and colours of corals and seaweeds we would find.

Finally we created the rocks that would encase our rockpool using warm colours. To detail our rocks we combined what we had learned in Maths and Indigenous Art by using repeating patterns.

Finally we cut out all our separate pieces of artwork that we had created and collaged it all together to create our picture.

We hope you like it!



COCKLE TRAIN & WIZARD OF OZ EXCURSION IS CANCELLED

Unfortunately COVID -19 restrictions have meant that the Wizard of Oz performance by Victor Harbor High School required a significant reduction in audience size. This has resulted in only the Year 6/7 students being able to attend. With such a small group the Cackle Train was also cancelled.

However I have communicated with Steam Ranger and arranged to charter the whole Cackle Train for all students one day later in the year - hopefully when the weather is warmer! The excursion payments collected will be held until the next Cackle Train trip in Term 4. We're looking forward to this as it is always such a great experience for our students.

100 DAYS OF SCHOOL

On Friday we celebrated our 100 days of school. We ate food together. We dressed up as old people. We had a parade at the front office. We had our 106 days snack for Maths. We wrote in our mini 106 day book.

- By Arthur



STUDENT REFLECTIONS

On Friday we dressed up as old people and we wore sunglasses and we went to the front office.

- By Louis

On Friday we celebrated our 100 days of school with Miss Dales class. We had a parade and we had some food. I made a 100 cup tower.

- By Asher

On Friday we ate our food outside. Boys bought in mains and girls bought in sweets. We celebrated our 100th day at school. We had a 100th-day snack for Maths. We needed 10 of everything for our snack.

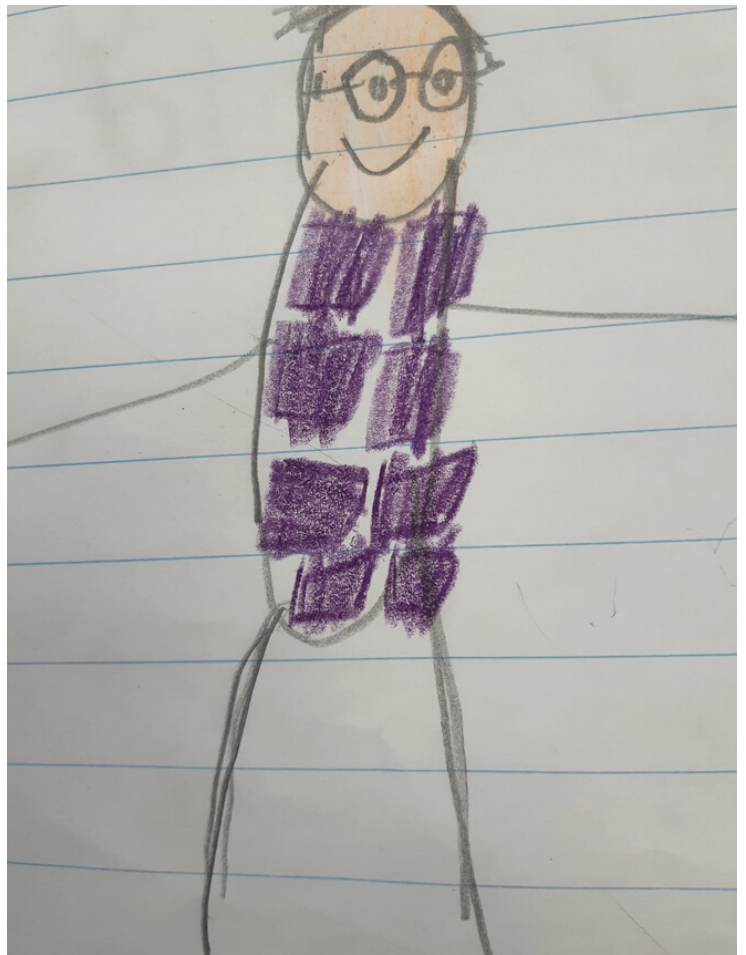
- By Cade

On Friday we celebrated our 100 days of school. I was an old lady. I had a necklace on and my hair was in a bun.

- By Willa

On Friday we celebrated our 100 days at school. I had a walking stick. I was an old lady. We shared sweets and I liked the tea cups.

- By Charlysse



OLYMPICS and Green & Gold Day at Port Elliot Primary!

It was fantastic to see so many students and staff dressed up on Green & Gold Day, showing support for our Australian athletes. We hope you all got to share in the fun of the Olympics and enjoyed watching our athletes from all over the world, competing.



Flying Fish Awards

Community

Charlysse B
Kai M

Confidence

Gracie T

Respect

J.J G
Madden D

School Sport SA Basketball Carnival

The basketball carnival has been rescheduled for Friday 20th August. We wish the 28 students in the 4 teams a fantastic experience.

School Sport SA Athletics Carnival

36 students born in 2011, 2010, 2009 and 2008 were selected in our PEPS Athletics team to compete in the local carnival at Victor Harbor Primary School. Events the students trialled for were 100m, 200m, 800m, high jump, long jump, shot put and discus. We wish the students all the best for the day

Local Sporting Success Stories!

If you have any local success stories involving our students, please let us know so they can get a mention in this section of the newsletter.

Trina Doig and Kate Reynolds

Local Sporting opportunities

Please refer regularly to the PE section of the school website for information about numerous local sporting clinics, clubs and opportunities for the students to be involved in after school hours and within the holidays.

REMINDER

SCHOOL PHOTOS

MONDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2021