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NEWSLETTER | TERM 4, WEEK 4

NOVEMBER 4, 2021



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Community.
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Key Dates

Remembrance Day
Thurs 11th November

Cockle Train Excursion
Whole school
Friday 12th November

6/7 Cricket Carnival
Wed 17th November

STUDENT FREE DAY
Monday 15 November

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Woodhouse Camp

This week our Year 6/7 students had the opportunity to go on camp to Woodhouse in the Adelaide Hills. This was our alternative camp as travelling to Canberra was not an option in 2021. I was lucky enough to join the students as they visited the city centre of Adelaide on Wednesday and then return to Woodhouse.

We visited the Art Gallery of South Australia and the Migration Museum. There was so much to learn and take in. The students enjoyed viewing the exhibits and were very respectful in both venues. We caught the tram to the Central Markets, the first time on a tram for many students! The markets are a feast for the senses with foods and smells from all over the world. It was great to see the students trying out different tastes and showing independence as they wandered the stalls.

Camps are a great opportunity for children to learn independence and build resilience. It's also a chance for the children to be away from their parents and carers for an extended period of time in a safe and caring environment.

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IMPORTANT DATES IN TERM 4

STUDENT FREE DAY
15 November

Year 7 Graduation
8 December

Musical Performance
1 & 2 December

Primary Awards Ceremony
9 December

Year 6 Graduation
7 December

Last Day Dismissal
10 December 2:15pm

Woodhouse Camp Cont...

The students learn how to be responsible for their own things, prepare for events and take risks in a controlled environment. With our ability to be in constant contact with each other through technology, this independence of our young people is becoming noticeably less as they rely on the adult to problem solve. It is hoped that with time away from home, with supports in place, we build the 'Confidence' value in our students to become successful people for the future.

Thank you very much to Margie Hancock, Hugh Bengner, Bridget Brandt, Nick Hayles, Sharon Kramer and volunteer Daniel Baxter who all gave up time at home to take the students away for four nights.

Brenton Hudson

Congratulations to the following Port Elliot Primary students for their amazing effort and achievement in graduating from the Children's University, Adelaide.



National Bronze Award - for 30 hrs

Addison Coombs
Isabelle Day
Matilda Hicks
Aleida Woitd

National Gold Award - for 100 hrs

Mia Smith-Ballard

National Bronze Postgrad Award for -430 hrs

Brydie Allsop
Corey Allsop

Flying Fish Awards Flying Fish Awards Flying Fish Awards Flying Fish Awards

COMMUNITY

AJ P, Jett L, Tahlia B,
Alexis S, Tobis B, Abby A,
Malcom T, Marlee TC

CONFIDENCE

Jaxx R, Eliza L, Vivi W, Indi M,
Brendan P, Jimi C, Jazmyn H,
Oceana H, London G, Levi B,
Jack P, Chase D, Asher S,
Sophia A

RESPECT

Bonnie F, Zoey D,
Sophie H, Macey R, L
Irvin, Danielle D

We had a wonderful Choral Year!

As custodians of an iconic South Australian tradition, The Festival of Music engages students in artistic excellence, cultural diversity and social inclusion through performance in Music and the Arts.

With its genesis in 1891 as the Thousand Voice Choir, the program has been an integral part of South Australian life and stands as an official State Icon. This program reaches thousands of primary and secondary students annually and allows students opportunities to perform at prestigious venues, such as the Adelaide Festival Theatre.

There are Festival Choirs in over 300 schools across South Australia and Port Elliot Primary has been involved since 2012.

2021 saw the PEPS choir of 27 members perform in 2 different venues due to a clash with the 6/7 school camp. Some students took the opportunity to perform at the Adelaide Entertainment Centre and form part of the mass choir of 1800 choristers!

This Festival goes for 5 days, supports an orchestra of 50+ and a performance troupe of 60+. Isabella Hudson was part of the performance troupe having successfully auditioned for the opportunity.

She performed in every show after months of after-hours workshops

and rehearsal schedules. What an experience!

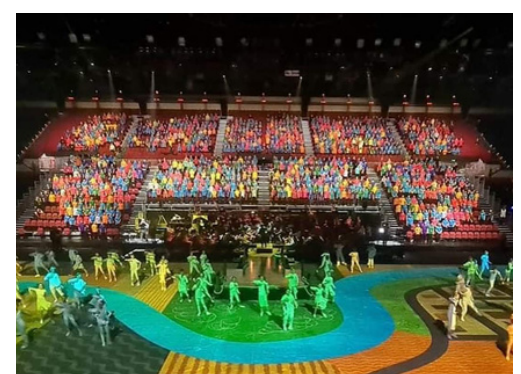
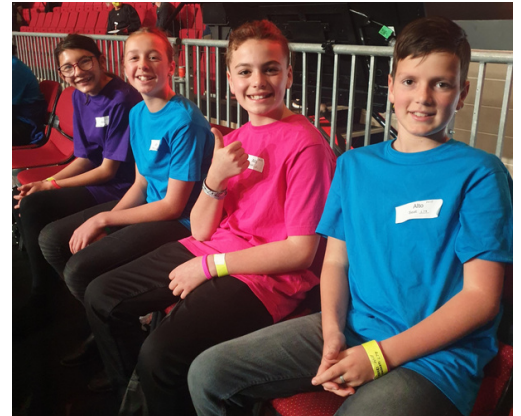
The rest of the choir performed at the Hopgood Theatre last Wednesday night. Matilda Slee was a soloist for the song 'I have a Voice' and sang a beautiful solo supported by the choir of 200+ behind her. Having won this solo through the audition process, she left camp to perform with the choir and then returned to camp afterwards. Many have commented on her vocal ability.

The Dunkley family performed as Guest Artists for the Southern Metropolitan Music Festival. Willem and Josh performed together a few years ago but this time we were lucky to hear the talents of Willem, Josh, Ava and James together. The theatre was silent throughout their wonderful playing. So lovely to have the siblings able to perform so professionally together.

I love the Festival of Music! This year I was the assistant stage manager for the Adelaide season, and a troupe coordinator for the Southern Metro season. I have personally been involved in this Festival for 22+ years. Our students love to sing and I am always impressed and proud to be working with the students and preparing them for their involvement in this iconic event.

Natlaie Bond

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Well done to our Soloist Matilda



In Week 3, Term 4, some of the Year 6/7s went to Woodhouse Activity Centre in the Adelaide Hills.

We stayed for 5 days from the 25th-29th of October. We did many activities such as geocaching, Challenge Hill, The Labyrinth and more. We did these activities on Tuesday and Thursday. On Wednesday we went into Adelaide. We visited the migration museum,

the art gallery and then we went to the Adelaide Central Markets.

On Thursday night we did a talent show and a piñata. In order for us to have a hit at the piñata we would need to participate in the talent show.

There were so many acts that were very hard to pick from but the winner was Chester as he did a pirate call that impressed everyone!



WOODHOUSE CAMP



HARBOUR BAKERY VISITS THE YEAR 6/7'S

We were lucky to have Peter and Rhiannon from the Victor Harbour Bakery come to visit our school!

Firstly, Peter and Rhiannon helped us make donuts. They made donut mixture and then they got us to roll the mixture into balls. We then flattened them and Peter put them safely in the deep fryer.

After that we got to ice the finger buns and eat them and they were so yummy. Once the donuts were cooked and had cooled down, Peter and Rhiannon showed us how to ice them. We had to dip the donut into the icing mixture and turn it around then use a knife to smooth it out. They were absolutely delicious.

Peter and Rhiannon also brought freshly baked rolls for us to have for lunch. Our teachers had organised a range of fillings to put in the rolls. It was such a delightful experience and we loved that Peter and Rhiannon were able to come and visit our school.



SA Tennis Year 3/4 Carnival

We had 40 Year 3/4 players and 20 Year 6/7 coaches attend this modified doubles competition at Victor Harbor Courts on Friday 22nd October (Term 4 Week 2).

The students enjoyed the opportunity to play against numerous opposition from Myponga, Rapid Bay and Mount Compass schools. Everyone tried really hard all day, showing great sportsmanship and having fun. Our school finished first overall. A wonderful achievement for our players and coaches.

Thanks to the awesome Year 6/7 coaches. You practiced your players leading up to the day with great enthusiasm. You also did a wonderful job on the day encouraging and umpiring your teams. Fantastic student leadership on display, well done.

Thanks to Steven and Leann for your assistance on the day and to all the spectators who cheered us on. Another wonderful day where the PEPS community were flying high.

School Sport SA SAPSASA Boys Cricket State Carnival



Congratulations to Corey who was chosen to represent our District participating in a four day Cricket carnival. Well done Corey!



Wolf Pack



The Falcons



The Flying Fish



The Golden Girls

Tennis SA and ANZ Free Tennis racquets for all Receptions

The ANZ Tennis Hot Shots Racquet Roadshow is again providing 30,000 racquets to Reception students around Australia, thanks to ANZ and Tennis Australia. We are one of 774 lucky schools to be receiving racquets. It's a great opportunity to get our kids moving, both at home and at school! The students have also been given a special certificate to take home to celebrate their new tennis racquets.

We were recommended to receive the racquets again due to our school's continued participation in the Year 3/4 tennis carnival - ANZ Tennis Hot Shots Southern Fleurieu District School Carnival. This year we had 40 Year 3/4 players and 20 Year 6/7 coaches attending.

Unfortunately, no guests were able to visit this year to present the racquets, so two students who were involved in the carnival last year as well as being chosen to play on the clay courts in Adelaide in Term 1, presented the racquets to the Receptions. Thank you Amelia and Hudson.

We would like to thank Tennis SA and ANZ for these opportunities for our students to practice and develop skills, and we would like to thank all students who have participated in the carnival so far over the years.

If anyone would like any further information about local tennis, please speak to Trina or Kate (our PE teachers) at school.





Scan QR Code to register



Drop in!

Chat to Tessa about Foster Care

Victor Harbor Library is open for drop in sessions
30th of November from 11am-1pm

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Port Elliot Primary School - 0356		
Notice of Materials and Services Charges for 2022		
Notice of Charges for Reception - Year 6		
HEADING	ITEMS AND SERVICES	COST (\$)
Printed and electronic materials related to the educational program and which are provided for the student	Workbooks	\$35.00
	Text Book Hire / E-Book Access	\$3.00
	Photocopied Material	\$36.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZPREM)	\$74.00
Stationery items that are provided for the student	Stationery Items	\$55.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZSTAT)	\$55.00
Materials and Services that are provided by the school for the student to consume or use the materials or take ownership of a finished article produced by the student with the materials	Access to Student Information Technology	\$57.00
	Access to Machinery	\$0.00
	Access to Equipment	\$0.00
	Curriculum/Subject Supplies and Services	\$47.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
SUBTOTAL (ZACMS)	\$104.00	
Materials for inclusion in the school library and to enable use by the student	Library resources including access to borrowing library resources	\$20.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZACLI)	\$20.00
Total Materials and Services Charge (excluding Subject Charges)		\$253.00

These subject charges are in addition to the Materials and Services Charge above for those students undertaking the following subjects.

Subject Description	Cost (\$)
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00

The Material and Service Fees for Port Elliot Primary School 2022 are listed below. If you have any concerns or questions please send an email to Port Elliot Primary School Governing Council dl.0356.govcouncil@schools.sa.edu.au



JOIN CROWS AFLW PLAYERS FOR SOME FOOTY FUN!

Open to boys & girls aged 5-15 years old, kids are invited to come along for a footy skills & drills session and a kick & catch with some favourite Crows players.

WHEN: Friday 5th November, 2021
LOCATION: South Adelaide Football Club
ARRIVE: 3.45pm **START:** 4.00pm
FINISH: 5.00pm



No need to register, just turn up with footy boots, a drink bottle and a smile!
The clinic will be conducted under COVID protocols.

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THE WEEKEND TRADITION



PORT ELLIOT NIPPERS

Both school aged Children & Parents are invited to a Come & Try Day Saturday 6th Nov. 1.00 - 2.30 pm before our Season "swims off" on the 13th Nov. at our normal session times.

For further information & updates visit our web page www.portelliots.com.au or email Chris.nippers@portelliotslsc.com.au