

Peterborough Primary School and Yunta Campus

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Newsletter

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Welcome to Week 2!

Attendance

This term the SRC are aiming for all students to be at school for 95% of the time or better. This means that students cannot be absent for more than 2 days. The successful students will be part of a special 'picnic in the park' lunch at the end of the term.

We aim to see ALL students at school EVERY DAY to maximize learning time!

Grievance Procedure

Just a reminder to all families if there are any issues or misunderstandings regarding school matters they can be dealt with at any time through the school directly.

As a school we are open and responsive to receiving complaints from children, young people, parents, families and members of the community as a means of promoting continuous service improvement. We will make every effort to resolve complaints, preferably at the local level, in accordance with policy, procedures and guidelines.

We appreciate families directly contacting the school regarding issues, questions and concerns as these can usually be resolved in a timely manner.

National Schools Tree Day

On Friday it was great to see students working with their buddies as they participated in the annual National Tree day. This was a great opportunity to replace trees that had to be removed following the audit last year. Yunta class will be planting this week.

Learning Experiences in Adelaide

Next week 5/6/7 class will be travelling to Adelaide, spending the night at Warradale school camp. Students will be visiting Parliament House on Thursday as part of their learning in the area of Civics and Citizenship. The following day they will be going to the Migration Museum where they will explore migration in Australia which also supports learning experiences in the area of Humanities and Social Sciences.

Safety Issues

It has been noted that some students are wearing Heely's to school instead of regular school footwear. There have been several incidents involving the wheels around the school environment where students have hurt themselves. When the wheel is removed from the shoes the hole has also proven to be unsafe; catching on equipment, stones etc.

Therefore for the safety of the students at school, **Heely's and all other shoes with wheels will not be allowed.** If students choose to wear them, parents will be contacted to bring alternative shoes to school. I would like to thank families for your support with this issue.

Professional Learning

This term staff from all of the schools within the Partnership will be joining together for Professional Development opportunities. To enable maximum time for families to organise changes in the school day the days and times are listed below:

Wednesday 23rd August 2.30pm finish

Monday 4th September Pupil Free Day

Tuesday 19th September 2.30pm finish



Children's Book Week

"Escape to Everywhere"

Peterborough Primary School & Yunta Campus will celebrate Children's Book Week with a Dress Up Parade held on Wednesday 23rd August 2017 at 9.30am on the COLA. Students are encouraged to participate in the fun by dressing up as a favourite book character or dress up to the theme "Escape to Everywhere" or just come dressed up. More information will be available soon.

**School Value Certificates this week
were proudly presented to**

Learning Achievement	Marty
Responsibility	Samantha, Isiah, Maggie
Kindness	Nikyta
Premiers Reading Challenge	Emily, Robbie, Tyson, Andy, Jordyn, Alisha

National Schools Tree Day



5/6/7 Class Fundraiser



Spaghetti Bolognese
Friday 4th August
\$4.00

Order forms will go home Thursday

Parents and Friends Meeting

Monday 7th August 9.30am
in the canteen.
Everyone Welcome

Governing Council

The next Governing Council
meeting will be Wednesday
16th August at 1.30pm.

Dates To Remember 2017

Thursday 10th - 11th August
Wednesday 16th August

Friday 18th August
Tuesday 22th August
Monday 4th September

5/6/7 Adelaide
Finance Advisory Committee meeting 1.15pm
Governing Council Meeting 1.30pm
Pass the Poetry Please 10am
Choir - Port Pirie
Partnership Pupil Free Day



HATS - All Year Round

NO HAT - NO PLAY

