



Principal Report

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

It was great to celebrate Harmony Day as a whole school this year after the disappointment of having to cancel last year due to Covid-19. All classes put on an amazing assembly piece in the morning before we headed down to Harry Bowey for a whole school picnic. It was a great opportunity to see our values of Honesty, Respect, Fairness and Belonging come to life.

Our 2021 AGM took place last week and I would like to announce and welcome the following people into our Governing Council for the next two years:

Chairperson – April Young
Vice Chairperson – Peter Dalton
Treasurer – Katrine Motion
Other members – Adam Duncan and Melissa Huddleston

We haven't finished but so far we have had a great turn-out for Parent/Teacher Interviews this week. This shows that you care deeply about your child and their education and the teachers' enjoy having uninterrupted time to meet and talk with you about your child's progress. We offer interviews at various times throughout the day so if you have missed one and need to re-book then please contact your child's teacher as soon as possible. Students whose parents stay closely connected to the school always do better with their learning, friendships and self-esteem.

Some of our Year 3, 5 and 7 students took part in an Australia wide NAPLAN online practise last week to test out the online system. All went very smoothly and we look forward to the real NAPLAN tests in week's 3 and 4 of next term.

Thank you to all families who donated items for our Easter raffle which will take place Tuesday this week. We have a large number of prizes due to our once again very generous community. Enjoy the four day break this coming weekend.

Take care,

Shane

Important Dates

Thursday 1st April
Year 6/7 Aquatics

Friday 2nd April
Good Friday
Public Holiday

Monday 5th April
Easter Monday
Public Holiday

Friday 9th April
End of Term 1

Early dismissal
1.55pm

Monday 26th April
Anzac Day
Public Holiday

Tuesday 27th April
Term 2 begins

Every Day Counts!

Attendance at school matters!

1 or 2 Days a Week doesn't seem much but ...

If your child misses ...	That equals ...	Which is ...	Over 13 years of schooling that's ...
1 day a fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	nearly 1 ½ years
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	over 2 ½ years
2 days per week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	over 5 years
3 days per week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	nearly 8 years

How about 10 minutes late a day? Surely that won't affect my child?

If your child misses ...	That equals ...	Which is ...	Over 13 years of schooling that's ...
10 mins per day	50 mins per week	nearly 1 ½ weeks per year	nearly ½ year
20 mins per day	100 mins per week	over 2 ½ weeks per year	nearly 1 year
30 mins per day	150 mins per week	4 weeks per year	nearly 1 ½ years
1 hour per day	300 mins per week	8 weeks per year	over 2 ½ years

If you want your child to be successful at school then ... **YES**, attendance does matter!



Harmony Day 21



Clean Up Australia Day



On Wednesday the 24th of March, the students of Salisbury Park Primary School participated in a "Clean Up Australia" activity.

The classes worked together and worked around the school to clean areas of the yard.

The most encouraging thing was the school was already quite tidy. The main area that had rubbish was around the oval, which wasn't all our rubbish anyway.

In total we cleaned up 5 or 6 buckets worth of rubbish. That means hundreds of pieces of rubbish won't be washed into the oceans, eaten by animals or left in the environment for many years.

Ask your students if they know how long it takes some of the rubbish to break down in the environment.

Thank you to all the students who helped keep the school looking beautiful.

Mr Spence and the Environmental Team

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BOOK EARLY**

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TRIAL SESSION



Grasshopper Soccer is a fun, non-competitive way for your child to make a start or continue to develop skills in soccer.
A great opportunity for 8 weeks to have fun, learn new skills and enjoy lots of fun-based games with our weekend program.

TERM 2 KICK-OFF
SALISBURY 1st MAY
GAWLER 2nd MAY

SOCCER FUN FOR BOYS & GIRLS AGED 2 - 12

**OUR MIGHTY PINT PROGRAM
SALISBURY & GAWLER
9 am KICK-OFF**

MITE E Age 2-3 | **PINT SIZE** Age 4-5

- A fun way to introduce your child to the benefits of Soccer.
- The basics of Soccer to help develop general motor skills.
- Lots of fun skill-based games in a non-competitive environment
- Improve co-ordination while building confidence.
- A great way for you to strengthen the bond with your child.

8 WEEKS - 40 MINUTES PER CLASS - \$125

**OUR MICRO SESSIONS
SALISBURY & GAWLER
10 am KICK-OFF**

INTRO to MICRO Age 5 - 6 | **MICRO** Age 7 - 8

MICRO PLUS Age 9 - 12

- The ultimate challenge for young soccer players!
- Skill development in passing, dribbling, shooting and more.
- Make new friends and grow in confidence.
- A strong focus on team work in preparation for club soccer.
- All put into practice with a weekly game of 'Grasshopper' Soccer!

8 WEEKS - 65 MINUTES PER CLASS - \$145



Follow us for up-to-date weather conditions, program times, location details and weekly action photos @GHSAdelaideNorthWestMetro

**TO SECURE YOUR SPOT
LUKE 0422 075 500**

SA Health is our trusted source for information on COVID-19.

SA.GOV.AU is a dedicated COVID-19 gateway, linking to relevant information on state and federal government websites.

www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/COVID2019



**LEARN
NEW SKILLS
MAKE
NEW FRIENDS
HAVE LOTS
OF FUN!**



PLAYFORD
INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE

**SPECIAL INTEREST MUSIC
APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN**

Applications for current Year 6 and 7 students are now open for Special Interest Music scholarships commencing in 2022.

The audition process is open to any students who play an instrument, including voice, and we encourage all students who have a passion for music to apply.

Applications close on Friday April 30, 2021.
Scan the QR code or apply or via the website.

For more information please contact Playford International College.

E: dl.0910.music@schools.sa.edu.au
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WE ARE ONE CLUB COMMUNITY

JUNIOR SOCCER



60th EVS CLUB
1961 2021

The Elizabeth Vale Soccer Club is looking for juniors to join us for the 2021 soccer season. Ages 6-16 of all levels welcome!

COME JOIN THE FAMILY

0477 799 531 @elizvalesc

NETSETGO

MONDAY NIGHTS

5:15-6:15

\$90

for a 9 week course running from May 3rd - June 28th.

Net - Activity/Skills

Our NetSetGo program offers skill development in a fun format. Run by current Tango players and coaches. Available to all children aged 5-7 years of age.

Held at Kings Baptist Grammar School, Friendship Court, Wynn Vale (indoor gym)

