

HUB NEWS

RELATIONSHIPS RESPONSIBILITY RESILIENCE RESPECT

Aberfoyle Hub Primary School Parent and Caregiver Newsletter



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From the Principal by Sarah Magnusson

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Welcome back for term 3. It has been great reconnecting with students, families and staff after a relaxing break. This term continues to be a busy one of student learning.

This term, our core school value focus is **RESPECT**. Respect is shown through the way we treat ourselves, each other, and our environment.

With our new mid-year Reception students beginning their first year of schooling and other students joining us at the Hub, it is an ideal time to model respectful behaviours by welcoming everyone, listening to one another, and valuing our differences.

We encourage all members of our school community to show kindness, patience and understanding, helping our new students feel safe and supported as they settle into their new environment.

Families are invited to talk at home about what respect means in their daily lives and how it contributes to a positive school community.

Staffing News

We welcome Emma Dorman and Skye Jeffrey to the Hub teaching staff. Emma will be teaching in Rm 21 Mondays and Tuesdays, then Wednesdays teaching all students in various roles. Skye is well known to our community as she is our regular go to relief teacher. Skye is teaching in Rm 9 Thursdays and Fridays this term whilst Tara Bell continues her leave.

SSO's new to the Hub for the remainder of the year are Shem Hall and Stella Actino. They will be supporting students with their learning. And finally no baby news received from Ashlee Murray yet.



Welcome to New Receptions

A special welcome to Alexis, Brittini, Charlotte, Chase, Ella, Luna, Mason and Ryan who began their first year of schooling last week in Room 14. They have quickly settled into the routines of school life, becoming very familiar with their new surroundings and establishing new friendships.



Student use of Mobile Phone and Personal Devices Policy

A reminder that students in all government schools are to keep their personal devices, including mobile phones and smart watches, off and away between the start and end of each school day and while attending authorised school activities off-site. Students who bring their personal devices to school must deposit them to their classroom teacher upon arrival at school. This also applies to children attending OSHC and Vacation Care.



Lost Property

The lost property accumulating around the school.
Please check near the Multi-Purpose room for any missing items.

save the date



TERM 3

WEEK 3

Monday 3rd & Tuesday 4th August - RAA Street Smart
Friday 7th August - Science Alive: Rms 18, 19 & 21

WEEK 4

Monday 10th August - **School Photos**
Wednesday 12th August - Book Fair

WEEK 5

Wednesday 19th August - Festival of Music Rehearsal
Thursday 20th August - Rec - Yr 6: Science Incursion

WEEK 6

Monday 24th August - **Book Week Parade & Grandparents/Special Older Friends morning tea**
Friday 28th August - Disco

WEEK 7

Wednesday 2nd Sept - Indigenous Literacy Day
Friday 4th Sept - Father Day Stall

WEEK 8

Thursday 10th Sept - R U OK day?
Friday 11th Sept- **School Closure Day**
"OSHC BOOKINGS AVAILABLE"

WEEK 9

Monday 14th Sept- **Pupil Free Day**
"OSHC BOOKINGS AVAILABLE"
Wednesday 16th Sept - Festival of Music Concert
Friday 18th Sept - QUIZ NIGHT -Adults Only

WEEK 10

Friday 25th Sept - End of Term -Early Dismissal
Casual Day

Absences

The Front Office can be notified of any student absences by phoning 8270-5055 or sending a text to **0417 712 007**.



Continued from the Principal

NAPLAN

Parents and carers of students in Years 3 and 5 who participated in this year's NAPLAN assessments in March have now received an individual student report of their child's results from school.

Remember that NAPLAN results are just one of several ways to understand your child's learning. Please contact your teacher if you would like to discuss your child's NAPLAN report.

School Uniform Expectation

A reminder that all students are expected to be in school uniform when at school. We strongly encourage all families to support the school in ensuring students attend in school uniform colours - navy blue, light blue and white.

Clothing is available from AI Apparel or can be purchased from local clothing stores, provided that the colours are navy blue, white or light blue. Transferrable school logos are available for purchase from the Front Office.

Socks needs to be blue, black or white. Socks with attachments and/ or accessories are not permitted. Although not required, it is recommended that students wearing a skirt wear school colour bike shorts underneath for extra privacy.

Our School Dress Code policy has been revised and was endorsed by the Governing Council last term. The revised policy can be located on our school's website or made available upon request.

Term 3 – the beginning of the SunSmart season!

Time to Slip, Slop, Slap, Seek and Slide.
The UV reaches 3 and above most days during school hours this term, so it's time to be SunSmart again.

We are a SunSmart School. This means:

We wear hats and think UV, not heat.



Ngaityalya (Kaurna, thank you) Kind Regards,



Sarah Magnusson
Principal

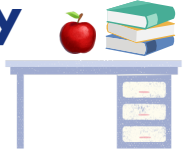
High expectations
United
communities and
Building bright
futures together.



TERM 3 ASSEMBLIES

SCHOOL VALUE FOCUS : RESPECT

From the desk of the Deputy Principal



Dear Parents/ Caregivers,

Safe Driving – 25kmph – School Zone

Our Emu crossing at the front of our school (white road markings, red and white posts) operates only when the children's crossing flags are displayed.

*The speed limit of **25 km/h applies to all drivers** when children are present. Please help keep our students, your children, safe by driving at the appropriate speed near our school.*

Drivers must stop for pedestrians using or about to use our Emu crossing.



KISS'N'DROP Zone/STAFF CARPARK Reminder

Where can I park?

Kiss'n'Drop Zone – located outside the front of the school clearly sign posted with broken red lines.

Parent/Caregiver/ Visitor Car Parking – located outside school grounds anywhere that is not the kiss'n'drop zone area.

Staff Car Parking – located inside the school grounds, clearly signed 'staff car park'

Disability Car Parking – located inside the school grounds, clearly signed 'disability car park'. Vehicles must display the valid disability sticker. NB only 1 car park at the back staff car park.

Parking in the correct area = students are entering and leaving the school grounds safely.

Students on School grounds before/after school.

Families are reminded that students are not permitted on school grounds before 8.30am and after 3.30pm with the exception of authorised school related activities.

Please contact OSHC if you need care for your child before or after school. *Our OSHC opens at 6:30am and closes at 6:30pm.*

To ensure student safety, we will continue to have the pedestrian gates and staff carpark gates shut 9:00am - 2:30pm at the school entrances - Jeanette Crescent and College Avenue. Please ensure you close the gate behind you if entering the schoolgrounds during these hours. Thank you for helping us keep everyone safe.

Ngaityalya (Kaurna, thank you) Kind Regards,



Deputy Principal



We All Fit Together

WEEK 2
HOST: SRC EXC
SHARING: RM 9

WEEK 4
BULLYING NO WAY
HOST: SRC

WEEK 6
HOST: RM 1

WEEK 8
THURSDAY
HOST: RM 16
SHARING: RM 2

WEEK 10
THURSDAY
AUSLAN
HOST: SRC

THE HUB HAPPENINGS

Resource Centre News



by Julie Campbell

🎵 Book Week – Symphony of Stories

Book Week will be celebrated from Monday 24th August to Friday 28th August, with this year's theme, Symphony of Stories.

We will begin the week with our annual **Book Week Parade at 9:00 am on Monday 24th August** in the courtyard. Students are encouraged to get creative and make or create their own costumes, with prizes awarded for the most creative entries. Families are invited to come along and enjoy the parade as we celebrate our love of reading and storytelling.

✂ Book Week Crafts

Students are invited to join us in the library during Recess on Tuesday and Thursday for some fun Book Week craft activities. We look forward to celebrating another wonderful Book Week with our school community and hope to see many families at the Book Fair and Book Week Parade!

Book Fair

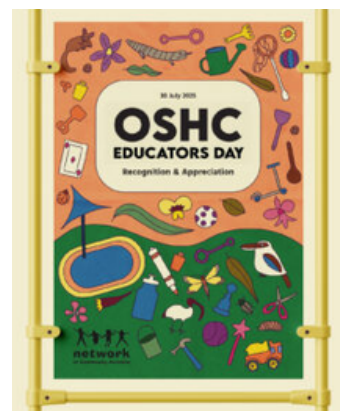
Our Book Fair will be held from Thursday 13th August to Tuesday 18th August. Families are warmly invited to visit the fair during the following opening times:

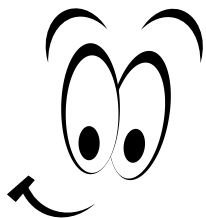
- Thursday: 3:10–3:40 pm
- Friday: 8:30–9:00 am & 3:10–3:30 pm
- Monday: 8:30–9:00 am & 3:10–3:40 pm
- Tuesday: 8:30–9:00 am & 3:10–3:40 pm



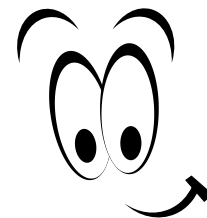
Every purchase helps support our school library, with books earned through the fair going towards adding exciting new titles to our collection for students to enjoy.

Governing Council acknowledges and celebrates
OSHC Educators Day, Wednesday 29th July.
We recognise and appreciate the commitment and care provided by our 11 dedicated OSHC Educators, who support our children before school, after school, and during vacation care. Your unwavering professionalism and nurturing make a lasting difference in our school community.
Thank you for your valued contributions.





GENERAL REMINDERS



PARENT SURVEY

We want your feedback

Parent Survey

You're invited to complete the 2026 annual parent survey. This year the parent survey opens late July and closes midnight Sunday 6th September 2026.

During the survey window you will receive an email or SMS from the Parent Survey Team with a unique link to participate in the survey.

If you haven't received an email or SMS with your unique survey link by Friday 14 August 2026, please check your spam or junk folders.

Alternately, contact education.ParentSurvey@sa.gov.au and include our school's name in your email. A new survey will be sent to you.

The survey takes less than 10 minutes and will help us understand:

- what we're doing well
- where we can improve
- what's important to you as parents and carers.

Your answers won't identify you or your child. Only collated feedback will be provided to our school.

For more information on the survey, visit the [Department for Education website – parent engagement survey](#)

Auslan News

This term in Auslan, students will focus on:

Receptions

Verbs, Hobbies, Time

Year 1-2

Weather, Clothing

Year 3-4

Places, Directions, Weather

Year 5-6

Storytelling, Depicting Signs

Small Classes

Days of the Week, Time, Verbs

All Classes: Deaf Awareness



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ABERFOYLE HUB
PRIMARY SCHOOL

ABERFOYLE HUB PLAYGROUP

A partnership between Aberfoyle Hub Preschool and
Aberfoyle Hub Primary School

Fridays - 9:00am to 10:30am
at
Aberfoyle Hub Preschool
36 Taylors Road, Aberfoyle Park

**ALL
WELCOME!**

DETAILS:

- Friendly and welcoming
- Gold coin donation
- Access to indoor and outdoor play
- Hosted by Aberfoyle Hub Primary School staff on Preschool grounds

PLEASE BRING:
Your hat, a drink bottle and a fresh snack

ENQUIRIES
8270 5055 or
8270 2595

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