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Newsletter

TERM 2- WEEK 10
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On Wednesday 05/07/17 Ms Lacey's class had a special reading day. Students came in their pyjamas. Mr Hudson shared a favourite book, reading to the class.

REPORTS

Today the student reports will come home. When talking with your son or daughter about their report, focus on the effort that they have been putting in at school. The most important aspect of schooling is improvement. Teachers plan for all students to grow in their learning by at least 12 months improvement across the year. Students may have improved since their last report at the end of 2016, but their achievement grade may not have changed, as they are measured against the next year level. The most important thing is that the students are always doing their best to improve by approaching learning with a growth mind set. Remember a "C" achievement is on standard.

Each subject area has a grade for achievement and effort. You will notice in the Australian Curriculum that Geography, History, Economics and Business, plus Civics and Citizenship, are all under one subject called *H.A.S.S. (Humanities and Social Sciences)*. The Arts has one grade for Visual Art, Dance, Drama, Music and Media Arts, as does *Technologies* which incorporates Design and Technology plus Digital Technology.

The last page of the report is devoted to our school values and a large teacher and student comment.

Inside the report envelope you will also find information about the *Achievement Standards* expected at the various year levels. This insert is different for various year levels and states the expected achievement standard for the student at the **end of the year**, or in some subjects, at the **end of the next year**.

If there are any concerns or questions about the student achievement and you would like more discussion with the teachers (including specialist teachers), interviews are welcomed and planned for the first part of Term 3. Please contact the teacher to make a time.

Brenton Hudson/Les Cameron- Leadership

Upcoming Events

JULY

3rd-7th NAIDOC Week
Blue Light Disco

7th **LAST DAY OF TERM 2**
2.15PM FINISH



24th **8:55AM START**



31ST Governing Council
meeting 7:30pm

AUGUST

3rd Victor Harbor High
School Musical
Classes 3:01,3:08,3:07,
7:01,8:02,5:02,5:01,4:02

HOLIDAYS

Thank you for all your support throughout a busy term. The students have been involved in many activities from Dream Big excursions and camps, to all the learning during class time.

I hope you have an enjoyable two weeks and we look forward to seeing you all ready for more learning in Term 3.

COUNSELLOR NEWS



FLYING FISH

Congratulations to these students who have received a Flying Fish Award during the last 5 weeks of Term 2.

Ms Morgan/Ms Roger's class: Bastian.A, Marley.C, Rodie.G-C, Jacob.P, Ryder.H and Dakota.H

Ms Lacey's class: Kiarnah.B, Sage.F, Leo.G, Georgie.M, Jazlyn.R, Charlie, Ashka.V and Oskar

Mrs Warner's class: Ryan.P

Mrs Allsop's class: Sean.B, Kobe.B, Xavier.T, James.D and Sebbi.R

Ms Reedy/Ms Fyfe's class: Myah.H, Alex.G, Nadia.W, Finn.J and Cooper.C.

Stella/Mrs James's class: Malcolm, Lilly.B, Lexi, Polly.N, Hunter.B and Hunter.P

Mr Blacker/Ms Fyfe's class: Indigo.A-D, Patrick.D, Jessie.K and Max.W

Mrs Hancock's class: Beau, Sharna, Yana, Ellie, Zoe, Isabelle, Kyle and Charlie.

It is terrific seeing so many students displaying our school values – Community, Confidence and Respect. Keep up the terrific work.

Vic Dybala Acting-Counsellor

Wheelies Day

It was terrific to see so many people being active and having fun on Wheelies day. Most people were riding sensibly and safely and there weren't too many crashes.



COWS CREATE CAREERS

Congratulations to:
Molly, Delilah, Shanice and Kacey
from 3:01, who won **Best Junior Group** and were the **Winning School Team.**

Well done to these girls and to Mrs Millis, who assisted the groups in getting their work completed during Science lessons.

A terrific job and yet another ribbon won.

Go PEPS!!



Here are Zazzle and Oswald looking a lot bigger and living with Ms Lacey.

Thank you to the SRC, Mrs Hancock's class, the Year 6's and Mrs Dybala for setting up the day. A fun day was had by all!

Staffing information for Term 3

During the upcoming term, a number of staff are taking leave. To help you keep up to date, here is a summary:

- In the Library, Mrs Sandy Bevan will return for the first 3 weeks of the term before Ruth Willson takes the library role for weeks 4 to 10.
- Cathy Millar has been the Intervention and Support Teacher over the last 2 terms. However she has won a position as a Behaviour Coach and Special Educator at the Noarlunga Office for Terms 3 and 4. This role will now be taken by Ms Brylee Gillies on a Tuesday and Ms Kelly Caire on a Thursday and Friday.
- Deputy Principal, Les Cameron, is on leave for the first 3 weeks of Term 3. Mrs Vic Dybala has won her position and will be Acting Deputy Principal for these weeks. Therefore Mrs Natarsha Milis will stay on in room 3:01.
- Chris Reedy, Year 3/4 teacher, is on Long Service Leave Week 1 & 2, Term 3. Mrs Denise Martin will cover the class for these weeks.
- Kathy Turley, Year 3/4 teacher, is on Long Service Leave Week 1, Term 3. Sarah King is the replacement.
- Cathy Elliott, Indonesian teacher is on Long Service Leave Weeks 1 and 2, Term 3. Christie Refchange is her replacement.
- Welcome back to start of Term 3, Karen Robinson the school counsellor and Dorothy Geaghan, Library SSO after time away from school in Term 2.

Brenton Hudson

P.E. AND SAPSASA NEWS

Sapsasa Basketball Year 4/5 and Year 6/7 girls' and boys' teams

The Year 4/5 Basketball championships will be held on Monday 7th August and the Year 6/7 competition on Wednesday 9th August at Morphett Vale. We have entered a boys' team and a girls' team in both competitions. Trials and practices are occurring during break times. Players will be expected to organise their own transport there and back on the day. Thank you to Sheena, Tammy, Kerry, Mitchell, Tyann, Shanice and Rebecca for offering to be coaches on the day.

Sapsasa Local Athletics Day

Trials are completed for students born in 2007, 2006, 2005, 2004 for inclusion in our school Athletics team, who will compete at Victor Primary School against other schools in our District on Wednesday 30th August, Week 6, Term 3. Events are 100m, 200m, 800m, long jump, high jump, shot put and discus.

Practices will be offered in Term 3 for participating students.

Southern Sapsasa District Soccer and Hockey

Congratulations to Kacey, Illuka, Khai and Hudson who participated in the Southern Sapsasa District Soccer teams and to Maya, Selena, Ellie, Lola, Maggie and Shanice who participated in the Southern Sapsasa District Hockey team. They competed in a week-long carnival in Adelaide against the other school districts in our state. From all accounts the students had a fantastic time and learnt a lot from this wonderful experience.

Additional congratulations to Kacey who, as a result of playing in this carnival, has been invited to attend the State Identification program trials for country soccer. We wish you all the best Kacey.



Illuka and Kacey



Maggie, Lola, Selena, Ellie, Maya and Shanice.



Khai and Hudson

Future Stars Netball Camp

Register your budding netball star for Netball SA's renowned Future Stars Netball Camp. The respected two-day program gives players aged between 11 and 16 years the chance to develop their netball skills and work alongside some of South Australia's most respected netballers and coaches.

18 and 19 July / 11-16 years

9.00am - 3.15pm daily

\$250 per child, including lunch

Priceline Stadium, 155 Railway Terrace, Mile End South

Each participant will receive:

- Specialist technical coaching sessions conducted by Premier league coaches, players and nationally accredited Netball SA coaches.
- Exclusive insights into what it takes to be an elite athlete.
- A Future Stars Camp singlet and drink bottle.

School Holiday Netball Clinics

Suncorp NetSetGO Come & Try / 5-7 years

Tuesday 11 July / 9.30am- 11.30am

Cost / \$45 per child

Suncorp NetSetGO Skills Clinic / 8-10 years

Tuesday 11 July / 1.00pm - 4.00pm **OR** Wednesday

12 July / 9.00am- 12.00pm

Cost / \$55 per child

Netball SKILLS Clinic / 11-16 years

Thursday 13 July / 9.00am - 3.00pm

Cost / \$80 per child, including lunch

Each session features:

- Coaching by accredited Netball SA Community Netball Coaches.
- Focus on ball handling skills, attacking, defending, centre court, goal shooting, circle defence, footwork, and small sided games
- Lots of FUN!

All sessions are held at Priceline Stadium, 155 Railway Terrace, Mile End South.

2017 Regional Primary School Lawn Bowl Championships (including para-athletes)

Date: Friday November 3rd, 2017

Venue: Encounter Bay Bowling Club

Time: 9:30am for 10:00am start

Nominations Due – Thursday October 19, 2017

Students have had this event advertised to them in PE lessons and given a nomination form, if interested. Please see Trina at school if you require further information.

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 Emma Roberts

COMMUNITY NEWS

My name is Jessica Andrews and I am coordinating a visit from a Japanese High School to Victor Harbor and Goolwa - they will be based at Investigator College.

We are seeking host families to host 1 student. The dates are Friday 4th August - Friday 18th August (13 nights altogether). Financial assistance is provided.

The Japanese students will spend weekdays at Investigator College participating in school activities and studying English. They will go between the Victor Harbor and Goolwa campuses - bus transport for the Japanese students is available.

They will enjoy both weekends spending time with their host families.

Anyone who is interested can contact me at jessandianandrews@hotmail.com where I can answer any questions and provide further assistance.

Kind regards,

Jessica



VICTOR HARBOR GOLF CLUB

PRESENTS

10 SESSION PROGRAM TERM 3

Have fun with your friends and make some new ones

Learn golf skills with the help of a PGA Member

Learn through games that are fun, team-based and inclusive

10 weeks in total with the final Wednesday being an exciting 5 holes on the course and a BBQ

Use of club facilities & clubs provided where necessary

Wednesdays 4-5pm from July 26 - September 27, 2017

ONLY \$100 includes everything you need to participate!

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To register or further information ring VHGC 8552 1713 or register at mygolf.com.au (search for your local session with 5211).