



**NEWSLETTER**

Newsletter No.8

Dear Families

As the school year progresses and children get to learn the new routines of their class teacher for the new year, we expect them in Term 2 to follow reasonable instructions and be respectful of other children’s right to learn and the teacher’s right to teach. If a child struggles with this expectation and refuses, they will be asked to go to ‘Cool Down’. This may be in an alternate space in the classroom or in another classroom. During the 5-10 minutes they are out we expect the child to think about their response and come back into the classroom, have a quick discussion with the classroom teacher and follow reasonable instructions and resume their learning.

Being yelled at and/or sworn at or threatened by students is unacceptable and they will be removed from the classroom.

On a positive note – Congratulations to Jake and Ashlee, the winners of our Family Maths Challenge. Have a go at this week’s and place your answer in the box in the front office. My challenge this week is to solve the problem in 2 different ways. Good luck!

All the best to Trudi Naughton’s class as they perform in Move It next week. They have been working extremely hard and have enjoyed their trips to the high school to practise.

*Mardi McClintock*  
Principal

*Tamarin Condon*  
Deputy Principal

**IMPORTANT DATES**

- 24<sup>th</sup> May                      Year 7 Registration forms to be returned to the front office
- 10<sup>th</sup> June                     Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday (SCHOOL CLOSED)
- 17<sup>th</sup> June                     Finance Meeting 5:30pm
- Governing Council Meeting 6:30pm
- 26<sup>th</sup> June                     Junior Primary Assembly 11:15am
- 4<sup>th</sup> July                        Middle School Assembly 2:30pm
- 3<sup>rd</sup> July                        French Day
- 5<sup>th</sup> July                        Early Years Assembly 10:15am

**SCHOOL PHOTOS**

**SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE TAKEN ON:  
Thursday 6 June 2019**



School photographs are scheduled to be taken by advancedlife. It is our preference that ordering be completed online to reduce administration and potential security issues related to the return of cash and envelopes on photo day.

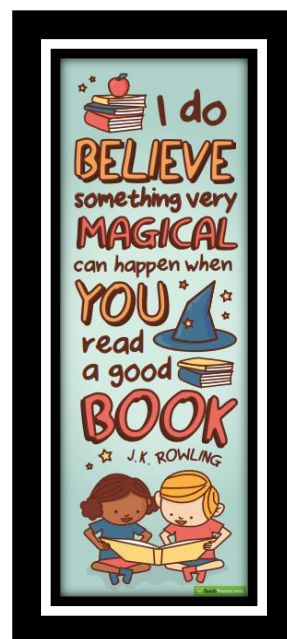
Orders for packages and sibling photographs can be placed securely online at [www.advancedlife.com.au](http://www.advancedlife.com.au) using our school’s unique 9 digit advancedorder code below.

Portrait and group package orders are due by photography day. Should you wish to purchase a sibling photograph online, the order must be placed no later than the day before photography day. Sibling photographs will only be taken if an order has been placed.

Should you have any queries concerning school photographs or online ordering, please direct them via email to [enquiries@advancedlife.com.au](mailto:enquiries@advancedlife.com.au)

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## WELLBEING



### SAPSASA

We would like to congratulate Jorja Owen on her selection in the Lower South East netball team and Talon Johnson for his selection in the football team. We wish them all the best.

## 2019 Cross Country Championships

On Friday 18th May we had students compete in the SAPSASA Cross Country Championships held in Naracoorte. We had a good spread of children across the age groups each of which travel different courses and distances. Our athletes made Mulga Street proud as they managed the best results from recent memory. Below are the names of those whom competed on the day. I would like to make special mention of Eva Povey's effort, she placed 1<sup>st</sup> in her age group. Considering there was an average of 80 runners in each age group the placing's were terrific. Congratulations to all our brave competitors.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank parents and caregivers for their support both before and throughout the day.

Eva Povey  
Dylan Lindquist  
Brax Reid  
Aiden Walker  
Sherridan Picken  
Lilly Jones  
Abby Brant  
Jayden Hunter  
Jacob Lindquist  
Kadie Attiwill  
Chloe Childs  
Lily Foster  
Ashlee Coulson  
Joe McCrorie  
Nicolaas Van Der Heyden  
Jordan Disher  
Ace Crute  
Jackson Saunders  
Charlie Attiwill  
Natalie Rohrlach  
Jaiden Picken  
Brad Jennings



Thank you,

**James Egan**  
Wellbeing Leader



## STUDENT LEADERSHIP

HOW PARENTS CAN  
PREPARE THEIR  
CHILD TO BE A  
STUDENT LEADER



This week we continue to learn more about student leadership and ways that assist parents in helping their child to be a student leader.

Last fortnight's reading helped us to examine how we could support our children to develop themselves as creative thinkers access this skill when looking to make change. This week we examine how to help children develop their public speaking skills.

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### HELP YOUR CHILD WITH THEIR PRESENTATION SKILLS

It is a myth to suggest that people have to be excellent public speakers to be leaders. In fact, some leaders in society are often selected only for their ability to give a compelling presentation and their possible lack of leadership character means that they are largely ineffective as a leader. Whilst public speaking is not the most important ability that a school leader needs to demonstrate, for some roles a school principal or teacher will be looking for a student who is competent speaking in front of a group.

If you are interested and would like to know more about how you can develop your child's student leadership capacity, visit GRIP at <http://www.gripleadership.com.au/>

**Tamarin Condon**  
Deputy Principal

## PCW NEWS

### Kimochis

Kimochis® Cloud. Hi I am Cloud. CLOUD is a bit unpredictable. One day he is happy, the next he is angry, and the next day—who knows, maybe sad or even happy again. Cloud lives in the big sky and loves to travel across the treetops paying visits to all his friends. Cloud's favourite number is 9. His favourite colour is grey, because there are so many different shades of it—just like his personality. Cloud loves butterscotch pudding and green tea. Cloud doesn't play an instrument, but he is a great audience!



Cloud helps kids learn how to:

- Regulate their tone of voice, body language, words, and actions
- Feel mad without being mean

If you are interested in purchasing a particular Kimochis Character you can visit

<https://www.thewellbeingclassroom.com.au/kimochis-store>

**Pam Young**  
Pastoral Care Worker

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## MATERIALS & SERVICES CHARGE

A reminder that the Materials & Services Charge (school fees) are now due. If you have not applied for School Card and believe you may be eligible, please collect a School Card form from the Front Office. School Card must be applied for every year.

Thank you to those families who have made arrangements with the school to pay the fees by instalment.

If you wish to pay by instalment please speak to Sarah Holloway (Finance Officer) ASAP. Please do not hesitate to contact Sarah if you have any issues in regard to the payment of school fees.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**PROTECT OUR TREASURES  
SLOW DOWN. BE AWARE.**



**CHILDREN CAN COME OUT OF NO-WHERE!**

**BUS SAFETY  
IS A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY**

**25 km/h**  
WHEN STOPPED FOR CHILDREN

When Bus lights are flashing and they have stopped for children, drivers must slow down to 25km/h. It is everyone's responsibility to ensure children make it to school and home safely. The 25km speed limit applies when passing a school bus stopping for children on any road. Teach children to be aware, protect themselves and watch out for traffic.

Road Traffic Act - [www.legislation.sa.gov.au](http://www.legislation.sa.gov.au)  
Road safety initiative of Limestone Coast Local Government Association and the Government of SA.

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## Family Information Session – OSHC

Date: Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May      Time: 3.00pm  
Date: Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May      Time: 6.30pm  
Date: Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May      Time: 8.00am

Please come and join us in the Reidy Park School Library to hear about YMCA and our plans for Reidy Park Primary School OSHC.

We will have enrolment information, booking information, fee information and more for you.

Our Children's Programs Manager (Komala) and our Administration Officer (Tristian) will be on hand to assist and answer all questions.



If you cannot join us at the information session, please call 08 8200 2516 or visit [www.sa.ymca.org.au/OSHC](http://www.sa.ymca.org.au/OSHC)

## FAMILY MATHS CHALLENGE



Winners of the Family Maths Challenge 1 – Stranded, Jake and Ashlee.

**Answers: Family Maths Challenge 1 – Stranded**

- a) 9
- b) 90

### This week's challenge

Post your answer in the Maths Box in the front office by the Wednesday after the newsletter goes out.

The family with the first correct entry drawn from the box will be acknowledged with a photo in the newsletter and the student will receive a 50cent voucher for the canteen.



### Family Maths Challenge 2 – CLASS PHOTOS

1. The Year 4 class needed to line up in order of height (tallest to shortest for their class photo. If the tallest student was 154cm and each person then on was 0.5cm shorter than the person in front, then how tall was the:

- a) 2<sup>nd</sup> person in line?
- b) 5<sup>th</sup> person in line?
- c) 10<sup>th</sup> person in line?
- d) 17<sup>th</sup> person in line?



2. If there are 24 students in the class, what is the height of the last person in line?

### Family Maths Challenge 2 – Answer

- 1. a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

2.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_



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# Measurement Fun in LHI B!



This term we have been exploring measurement concepts. We took it in turns to measure how long we are using informal units like popsticks and unifix cubes. We have been learning about accurate measuring techniques like using only one unit to measure something and making sure the units touch without any gaps or overlaps. We have been practising with estimation and learning how to record our results of our measuring.

