FROM THE PRINCIPAL

I hope everyone had a wonderful long weekend and were able to rest up ready for a busy end to our first semester for 2016.

PUPIL FREE DAY

While our students got to have an extra sleep in, the teachers braved the cold last Tuesday to convene at Prospect North Primary with all the other educators from our Partnership Schools. Under the theme of “Every Learner Engaged, Stretched and Achieving” staff listened to the provocations conveyed by the key note speaker Val Westwell. In her role as part of DECD Professional Practice Decorate, she talked about critical and creative thinking and as educators we all should have a common narrative about how all students need to be intellectually stretched.

Teachers then attended an array of workshops including Powerful questioning, Transforming tasks: From tell to ask and Powerful Play K-7. A major message indicative of all the workshops was the need for dialogue not only between students but teacher and student in the designing stage of learning tasks.

ENROLMENTS

Hard to believe we are already thinking about next year’s enrolments.

If you have younger children, friends or neighbours who are hoping to send their children to our school, can you please ask them to come into the front office to collect an enrolment pack. We want to be able to ascertain our numbers for next year so we can provide the appropriate information and transition before our new students start in 2017.

BIKES

Great to see all our bike/scooter users are taking the time to lock up their bikes making them more secure. Some students have also reported that they have taken a photo of their bike just in case anything ever happened to it.

SCHOOL CROSSING

Please use the Gladstone Road crossing — DO NOT cross at the Braund Road and Gladstone Road intersection.

Thank you to people who kindly acknowledge the students who are volunteering their time to keep others safe. Saying thank you to them as you cross means a lot.

Karen Duval
(Acting Principal)
SURPRISE, PETER CLELAND!

Adelaide United player and ex Prospect Primary School student, Osama Malik, visited the school as a special surprise for his "favourite teacher", Peter Cleland (MC) who is retiring at the end of this term. Osama spoke to the Year 6/7s about the challenges he has had to overcome to reach his elite athlete status and encouraged everyone to follow their dreams. He spoke of fond memories of MC as his teacher.

Jenny Rossiter
Humanities Teacher / Librarian

HISTORY SNIPPET - EXTRACT FROM SCHOOL JOURNALS

5th July 1938:
Milk began to be served at morning recess.

3rd November 1977:
"An Historic Day! After years of endeavour Boyle St was closed today.”

ARE YOU MAKING A DIFFERENCE?

"Thank you to all the people that donated their new and used goods. We greatly appreciate all of your donations and they will now be donated to the Hutt St Homeless Shelter."

Ava and Macey, Yr 6/7 Humanities

"I would like to say a huge thank you to all the families that donated all the books. These books will help the overseas children so much. We received over 200 books. Thank You!"

Vishva Yr 6/7 Humanities

HELP US TO IMPROVE OUR HOME/SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

To enable us to communicate paper free and more efficiently we will require an email address that is most accessible to you. Please fill out the information below or send your chosen email address to dl.0368.info@schools.sa.edu.au

EMAIL ADDRESS — please return to your class teachers ASAP

Child/ren(s) name(s) and classes: ______________________________________________________
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The email address you would like to receive newsletters/ invoices/quick notes etc at:
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I DO NOT have an electronic device to receive emails □ (please put a ✓ in the square if this is the case)
Here are some excerpts from Room 8’s camp recounts:

Last week children from Rooms 7, 8 and 9 went to Narnu Farm.

Lauren G

One of my last activities was the truck ride. We got to do the big dipper which is a lump in the ground that you got to go down. After the big dipper we fed the horses. We saw the oldest horse on the farm, her name was Kimberly. Kimberly is a small white horse.

Hannah

I mostly liked horse riding. I rode a pony named Keely. Keely had soft black fur and had dark brown fur. Each rider wore a big white helmet and had to wear gumboots or sneakers. I learnt how to properly hold the reins and how to turn, make the pony speed up and how to make the pony slow down. I was either petrified or nervous.

Taylor

Second I did free time, I did table tennis for free time. I beat Angus 5-3 but then it went downhill from there. I kept losing 5-0. Then we made a different type of ping pong. We had to roll it on the table if it came off before it gets to the end of the table the person that hits the ping pong ball loses. It was awesome.

Dean

It was fun feeding animals because the cow pushed me backward. We also fed the chickens, three goats, one sheep, three deer, one pig and guinea pigs. My favourite animal was the guinea pig.

Oliver

I loved the animal feeding. My favourite bit was holding the guinea pigs. Hannah, Kalan and I named the guinea pig we were holding Custard. She was so cute. She looked like custard. We fed the chicken, deer, pigs, lamb, kid and cows. They were all very hungry, especially the cows. They had slobber coming out of their mouths and that’s what happened at Narnu Farm.

Zahli

Our fourth activity was orienteering, we needed to find cups but we kept them there. We had a map to find them; there was a compass on the map. There was a clue map. It had six clues.

Ruby V

Last, we did the chicken hatchery. The chicks were really bright yellow, but when I held a chick the chick went to the toilet on my hand. After that we went to play games with eggs. We threw eggs to each other without cracking it. I felt scared holding a chick.

Emily

We did the chicken hatchery. We got to hold little chicks and we got to play a game. We had to try and catch the egg before it cracked. It was very hard.

Eddie
Horse riding was fantasmagorical. I rode on a girl horse called Poppy. She had soft brown fur, and a black mane and tail. The riders had to wear enclosed shoes and a white helmet, we learnt how to steer, and how to stop and go. We learnt how to do the rise trot. We scratched our horse under the tummy. It felt awesome and cool to be on a horse.

Lucy

In animal feeding, first we fed the cows; they got fed big bottles of milk. Next we fed the birds, me, Jack, Lachie, Oliver and Edward went in a different group to everyone else. We got to feed the peacock and Ed and Lachie called some of the birds DJ chickens because they have big afros, but they are really just chickens. After that we went to feed the goats and a sheep escaped into the goat’s enclosure. Sheep also get fed the same thing as goats. We fed the goats and sheep hay like horses.

Milla

First, we went horse riding. I rode on Mistrow, he was very big and fast. On the horses we worked while we were on. We learnt how to steer them. Then we galloped, I went up and down on him.

Cassie

My third activity was feeding the animals. The first animals we fed were baby goats. We fed the baby goats bottles of milk. The next animal we fed was the calf. I was too scared to feed the calf so I didn’t. Next we fed the deer. I was still scared so I didn’t. After that we fed the chicks. I was scared again but Mrs Eastwood went in there with me and I fed them. I was scared mostly but it was fun.

Ruby A

On Thursday night we all went to have a bonfire. We all got toasted marshmallows but some had plain marshmallows because they didn’t like them. I had two marshmallows, I loved them. They are my favourite type of sweet. It started to rain so we had to go inside. We had a mini bonfire. I had lots of fun.

Millie

The truck was red. The truck had four wheels. The truck was used in the past. I liked the truck ride. There was a horse called Big Blue and I fed him.

Jack BM

Thank you to all the parents for their help on camp. We really appreciated it.

Julie Bondarenko and Patti Cibich would also like to thank the students.

Marilyn Eastwood
Room 8 Teacher
VACATION CARE PROGRAM

Children need to bring recess, lunch and their hat every day!

Monday 11th July  
**Movie Day!**  
Today we will be going to the Piccadilly movie theatre to see the movie – *Ice Age: Collision Course*!  
Please Be at OSHC by 9:00am.

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Tuesday 12th July  
**Sports and Wheels Day!**  
We are going to have a day of sports! We can go into the hall or up to the oval. Ride your bike or scooter or play Football, Soccer, Cricket and lots of other fun games!

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Wednesday 13th July  
**Crocs Play Café!**  
Today OSCH will be going to the Croc’s Play Café at Kilburn! Please Be at OSCH by 9:00am. Make sure you bring socks! Snack will be provided.

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Thursday 14th July  
**Board Game Day!**  
Today at OSCH we are going to play with all of our new and fun board games! You are also welcome to bring along your own favourite board game from home.

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Friday 15th July  
**Photo Booth Day!**  
Today at OSCH we will be having a photo booth! Come and take photos with your friends at OSCH!

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**Craft:** Today we are going to do it ourselves and create a paper pencil holder!

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**Craft:** Decorate your fingers with some cool felt finger puppets!

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**Colouring In:** Let’s print off some of your favourite colouring in and make a plain piece of white paper look amazing!

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**Craft:** Let’s bring dinosaurs to life! Come and create your own dinosaurs!

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**Lunch Not Provided**

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**Outdoor Activity**  
We will be heading out onto the courts for soccer!

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**Outdoor Activity**  
Let’s bring our easels to do some paintings!

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**Outdoor Activity**  
We are going to play games in the hall. What is your favourite game to play?

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**Outdoor Activity**  
Today we are going to spend some time outside blowing bubbles!

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Children need to bring recess, lunch and their hat every day!

Monday 18th July  
**Jumping Day!**  
Today at OSCH we are going to have a big bouncy castle come! Come along and enjoy the castle and show us your amazing bouncing skills.

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Tuesday 19th July  
**OSHC Block!**  
Today is OSCH block, so come and show us your amazing design skills. Create some amazing designs using a range of construction materials!

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Wednesday 20th July  
**Prospect Playground Memorial Gardens!**  
Today we are going to walk up as group to the Prospect Playground! Please Be at OSCH by 9:00am.

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Thursday 21st July  
**Adelaide Oval**  
Today at OSCH we will be travelling to Adelaide Oval to get a special behind the scene tour of Adelaide Oval!  
**MUST BE AT SCHOOL BY 10.00AM. Make sure you bring your own lunch!**

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Friday 22nd July  
**Technology in your Pyjamas Day!**  
Today wear your pyjamas to OSCH! And bring your devices for gaming fun! Devices brought are the responsibility of the child. OSCH does not take responsibility for any lost, broken or damaged devices. Any mis-use of devices will result in confiscation.

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**Craft:** Get close to your wild side and make a wild 3D animal mask!

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**Craft:** Let’s use the bright coloured beads and create some beautiful necklaces and bracelets!

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**Craft:** We are going to make colourful juggling balls. How many can you juggle?

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**Activity:** Let’s play some fun games like musical statues and musical chairs.

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**Outdoor Activity:** Let’s decorate the courts with beautiful chalk drawings!

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**Lunch Not Provided**

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**Outdoor Activity**  
Let’s go to the little kids playground!

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**Outdoor Activity**  
We will be having a cricket tournament!

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**Outdoor Activity**  
Let’s play Golden Child!

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**Outdoor Activity**  
We will take our favourite equipment to the oval for lots of team and partner games!
FINANCE UPDATE

Statements for outstanding family accounts are being sent home this week. To make payments easier, we are introducing TWO new methods of payments: Bpoint and QKR (pronounced Quicker). Both are credit/debit card payment methods.

**Bpoint** - is a secure website based facility (similar to Bizgate) and will be accessible from Friday 24/6/16 from our school website.

**QKR** - is a convenient and secure mobile app managed by MasterCard. We will be sending more information home regarding QKR in the coming days.

**M&S Fees**

Payment of M&S invoices were due on 20th May 2016 unless a time payment arrangement was in place.

**Excursions/sport/music etc**

Payment of any extracurricular activities are due within 14 days of invoice (excluding Canberra camp) and must be paid in full prior to your child participating.

If you are experiencing financial hardship and would like to enter into an instalment payment plan, or you have any questions about your account, please contact the Finance Office urgently.

Tracey (Gilles Street PS Business Manager)

MUSIC IS FUN BAND

**Reminder** - The ‘Music Is Fun Band’ is performing for our students in years R-7 on Friday, 1st July (next week). The performance will be held in the Hall and will start at 1:50pm and finish at 3:05pm.

PLAY, LEARN AND GROW PLAYGROUP

The aim of Play, Learn and Grow Playgroup is to provide a welcoming, safe and fun play space for your children. **Session Times:** Wednesday from 9:00am – 10:30am in the Performing Arts Building.

Sessions are held during school terms only.

**Fees:** Gold coin donation. This will go towards purchasing new toys and supplies for the Playgroup.

Don't forget to bring along a piece of fruit!
ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

The Entertainment™ Memberships are one of our favourite fundraisers at Prospect Primary School. The Adelaide Entertainment Memberships sell for $65, with $13 for every one we sell going towards school improvements. They are available as a book (with a gold card and vouchers) or as a Digital Membership with the convenience of offers on your smartphone so you redeem at the touch of a button. The Entertainment™ Book gives you access to thousands of up to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers for Adelaide’s best restaurants, cafés, attractions and activities. Plus it has best in market prices for over 2,000 hotels and resorts that you can use whenever you like until 1st June 2017.

To order your Book or Digital Membership securely online visit www.entbook.com.au/16142b2

School Contact: Amy Thomson on 08 8344 5696 or thomsonfam@adam.com.au

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN PUBLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS (SAPPS) CHOIR

The SAPPS choir winter concert will be on Sunday 3rd July at 2:30pm at the Burnside City Uniting Church located at 384 Portrush Road, Tusmore.

Adult $15 / Pensioner $8 / Children $5

VOLUNTEER’S SUPPORT FORM FUNDRAISING - ELECTION BBQ

Saturday 2nd July 2016

Please join us for a bit of sizzling sausages fun while supporting the PPS and it's fundraising goal to upgrade the schools play areas and donate an hour or two of your time if you can.

Please email your availability to our fundraising committee volunteer, Marketa Berryman marketaberryman@bigpond.com or fill in the form below and return to the Front Office.

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PPS Fundraising Election BBQ - Saturday 2nd July 2016

Nominated availability between 9 am and 3 pm: __________________________

Your name: ________________________________

Child/Children’s Names + Rooms: ________________________________

Contact Telephone / Email: ________________________________

Thank you. Your help is much appreciated.
2016 PPS Quiz Night – Saturday 6 August

Support our school’s largest fundraiser in some way!

1) Rustle up a table of 10 and join us on the night – tickets sold at the front office
2) Purchase a lucky lock combination ($20) for your chance to win $500 – combos sold at the front office
3) Donate a prize for our raffle and silent auction

Our fundraising committee are looking for items suitable for the silent auction at this year’s quiz night. If you are able to assist with a donation please leave any items at the front office. Alternatively you may have a great contact for us also so please pass that on.

Contact Nola Bellenger
nolabellenger@healthyinspirations.com.au
0402852431

WIN $500!!

1 in 300 chances

We have a mystery lock combination to guess for your chance to win $500. It’s $20 per guess and will be drawn at the Prospect Primary School Quiz Night on Saturday 6 August. Friends and family are also welcome to guess. Good Luck!

Prospect Primary School
QUIZ NIGHT!
Saturday 6 August
RSL Wilcox Ave
630pm for 7pm start
Tables $120 (10 people)
Payable at the front office
Games! Raffle! Silent Auction!

Fun Day Thursday
30th June, Week 9
Casual Day
Wear: colourful or mis-matched clothes, funny hats, ‘crazy’ ties/scarves, ribbons, ‘loud’ shirts, odd socks
GOLD COIN DONATION
Help support our learning!