

Scott Creek Primary School



A small dynamic community school

Newsletter

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Term 3 Week 8

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Principal: Kath Ireland

Friday 20 September
Assembly 3:00pm in the hall

Friday 27 September
Last day of Term 3
Early dismissal 2:30pm

Monday 14 October
PUPIL FREE DAY

Tuesday 15 October
Term 4 commences
School Photos

SCHOOL BUS WEDNESDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

Heathfield High School advised us this afternoon that they are no longer participating in industrial action on Wednesday 18 September (Week 9) and buses will run as normal.

Scott Creek Primary School is not affected by the rolling stoppages. School and education programs will continue as usual.

SPRING FAIR

Thank you to everyone who attended our Spring Fair and Garage Sale on Saturday 7 September. We had a good turn out considering the weather. Although costs are still being calculated, our estimated profit is \$550.

Thank you to the parents, staff and students who set up, ran stalls and packed up. Thank you to our **stall holders, student performers and Dee for donating her time to provide the day's music**. We gratefully received support from Timms Real Estate, Feel Good Beauty Room, Red Cacao, Baker's Delight Stirling and Mylor Primary School who lent us the much needed marquees.

As Kath is away at Partnership meetings, the **Principal's note** and Governing Council announcements will go home next Monday.



FROM THE UPPERS

The Uppers have been planning holidays with their pre service teacher Ashleigh. Each student has been given their own destination, duration and budget. They need to plan their itineraries including flights, accommodation, activities and food. This project integrates curriculum across literacy, maths and geography.

Departing	Arriving	Flight
QANTAS Adelaide Saturday 28 th September 10:15pm Terminal 1	Doha Sunday 29 th September 5:50am	QR915
KENYA AIRWAYS Doha Sunday 29 th September 5:40pm Terminal 1	Nairobi Sunday 29 th September 11:25pm	QR1341
KENYA AIRWAYS Nairobi Monday 30 th September 10:20pm Terminal 1D	Malindi Monday 30 th September 11:30pm	KQ646
KENYA AIRWAYS Malindi Wednesday 9 th October 5:05am	Nairobi Wednesday 9 th October 6:20am	KQ647
KENYA AIRWAYS Nairobi Wednesday 9 th October 9:50am Terminal 1C	Doha Wednesday 9 th October 4:05pm	QR1346
QANTAS Doha Wednesday 9 th October 8:35pm Terminal 1C	Adelaide Thursday 10 th October 5:20pm	QR914

Emma's flight plans for her trip to Kenya. She found that by changing flight dates by just one day, she saved almost \$5000!

FROM THE JUNIORS

The Juniors have been enjoying learning with our student teacher Mikayla. For probability and statistics we have been predicting the likelihood of different events. Yesterday we made the most of the beautiful Spring weather and spent much of the day learning outside. For maths we made collections and tallies ready for transferring to a graph today.



ROYAL ADELAIDE SHOW

A number of Scott Creek Primary School students entered artwork in the Royal Adelaide Show, with many receiving certificates of Merit for their work. Well done Emma, Hazel, Jack J, James A, James J, Josie, Nathan, Raf and Samuel for representing our small school at such a big event. Thank you Kim for organising and the Vaughan family for ensuring the entries arrived on time.

Certificates and medals will be presented to students at our assembly on Friday 20 September (next week) at 3:00pm.



THANK YOU

Thank you Wallis family for your donation of two brand new footballs. Our students love them.

LIBRARY NEWS

The library has had a big clean out; removing books that have not been read in years so that we can get some new ones. Our first set of new books is on display in the library. Books are ready to be borrowed and enjoyed.

Classes are having refresher lessons on borrowing and returning books to reduce the number of "overdue" books that we find on the bookshelves.



GRANT SUCCESS

Kim has been busy applying for grants and prizes and she has secured Scott Creek Primary School a \$1000 Bushmans Junior Landcare Grant to revitalise our Bush Tucker garden. Kim has also won a \$200 voucher from GrilleX. Thank you Kim for your dedication to our garden and outdoor learning opportunities.

SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS



Mr Sandow is currently in Vancouver, Canada representing Australia in the World Indoor Lacrosse Championships. What an amazing achievement. Good luck Kieran.

Former student Summer Justham has been selected as one of four soccer goalkeepers to play for South Australia in Coffs Harbour.

LOST PROPERTY

Have you misplaced a covered tray? This tray has been with us since the last day of Term 2. If you are missing it, please see the front office.



CHESS NEWS

FREE CHESS CLUB TRIAL

Come and join us for the school chess club for a class in Term 3!

More details: www.chesslife.com.au/register
or email us on admin@chesslife.com.au

'Be who you want to be in a non-judgemental environment.'

We coach using the Dutch Step-by-Step method and are registered with the Autism SA friendly charter.

Besides learning some amazing chess skills, the many benefits that our programs can bring are:

- Developing concentration power
- Building friendships
- Time Management
- Forward Thinking
- Strategic Planning
- Public Speaking
- Communication
- Winning humbly and losing with dignity
- Dealing with anxiety
- Posture
- Increasing mathematical skills
- Taking responsibility for your actions



Chesslife is passionate and teaches chess with a purpose. We want to achieve the best in a caring environment. Our programs have enabled people to become somebody they hadn't imagined.

Be part of something that matters!

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Chesslife is hosting a free Come and Try lesson at Scott Creek Primary School next Monday, 16 September.

PRINCIPAL'S TOURS

Term 3 Principal's Tours will be held on:
Friday 20 September 9:15 am

Term 4 Principal's Tours will be held on:
Friday 25 October 9:15am
Friday 8 November 9:15am

Also available by appointment.

ENROL NOW FOR 2020

We are accepting enrolments across all year levels for 2020. Please call the office if you have any questions 8388 2251. Our kindergarten to school transition program begins early Term 4.

TERM 4 CALENDAR

The Term 4 Calendar will accompany this newsletter. Please familiarise yourself with next term's events. The calendar will be updated as necessary.

Monday 14 October is a pupil free day and School Photographs are first day back, Tuesday 15 October.