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DIARY DATES 2017

- ◆ 24.3.17 Friday
SPORTS DAY
- ◆ 28.3.17 Tuesday
Photos catch up day
and whole school photo
- ◆ 12.4.17 Wednesday
Retirement
Celebrations
- ◆ 13.4.17 Thursday
Last day of term 1

Governing Council News

At the first meeting of the new Governing Council on Tuesday 21 March elections were held for the office bearers. Congratulations to the following:

Chairperson: Clare Couper

Deputy Chairperson: Zoe Abinett

Secretary: Greg Hill

Treasurer: Kevin Gardner

Our sincere thanks to Jacinta Day for her work as Governing Council Chairperson for the last 3 years. Jacinta decided to step down from the role this year but still remains on GC. It's always great to have experienced members to help transition the new chairperson into the role and I am sure Jacinta will do a great job of this. Our thanks also to Tracey Abele who served as the GC treasurer for a number of years. Tracey was invaluable in supporting the school in this capacity. Thank you also to our other outgoing member Nicole Mays. Your contributions have been very much appreciated.

Staffing News - Scott Francis has been appointed as Principal for Term 2. We are waiting for approval for this to be extended for Term 3 and 4 as Governing council are very keen for this to occur. This will provide a strong foundation for a successful transition and maintain the current programs the school values. We are in the process of appointing an Acting Deputy Principal which is being advertised to our staff currently. This process will be finished by the end of term.

Adelaide Symphony Orchestra to visit Seacliff Primary.

On Wednesday the 12th of April, our Year 2 to 5 students will attend a show called "Herman and Rosie", to be performed by members of the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra in our school hall. The Symphony Orchestra has provided online resources and learning activities related to this show. These will be enjoyed by the students in the weeks leading up to the performance.

On Wednesday the 7th of June, our Reception and Year One students will travel by bus to the Adelaide Town Hall to see members of the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra perform "Out of This World", their specially commissioned production for children. We are sure that "Herman and Rosie" and "Out Of This World" will motivate and enthrall the children and inspire them to continue to follow their interests in music.



RETIREMENT CELEBRATIONS

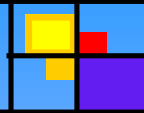
Mr Miller will be farewelled at a function for staff, parents, old scholar's and community members in the school library on

Wednesday 12th April from 3.30 - 6.00pm.

There will be a farewell assembly for current students

on Thursday 13 April at 1.30pm.





Brighton Special Interest Music Information Evening for Years 6 & 7

Everything you need to know about auditioning for the Brighton's Special Interest Music Program

Monday 3rd April 2017 at 7.00pm
Brighton Secondary School Concert Hall

For all enquiries please call Pam Parsons Brighton Secondary School on 83758215 or email: pam.parsons@brighton.sa.edu.au

OPEN DAY
Tuesday, 28 March 2017

Principal Tour 11am
(Bookings essential)

Open Night 5.30pm - 7.30pm

Principal Address 6pm & 7pm

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OPEN DAY 8 MAY 2017
9-11am and 5-8pm
Principal's address 9.10am | 5pm | 7.15pm
Tours during opening times

Beach Volleyball Carnival goes gold!

Seacliff PS were represented by 100 enthusiastic volleyballers at the recent carnival at Glenelg. The weather was perfect and the skill level high as many of our teams made finals. The team was pleased to bring home 3 gold medals and 3 silver medals but more importantly they were all great sports and supported each other in very positive ways. Thanks to Lauren Thomas for her inspired leadership and organisation.

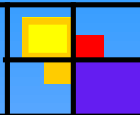


YARD STAR WINNERS

Ruby Rm 2

Catalina Rm 2





Circus Challenge is Coming Up!

Classes have been rehearsing an acrobatic and Pyramid routine ready for our Circus Challenge. This will be held on Tuesday 11th April at 9.00am after the Easter Raffle draw in our hall. Vlad our Circus coach is very impressed with what our students are developing and says it will be a show worth seeing. There will also be prizes!

District Swimming Carnival Report

Congratulations to Xavier, Jai, Oliver and Hunter on the selection in the South West SAPSASA District Swimming Team. They can all be very proud of their achievement and results.



Brighton Secondary School Year 7 - Out of School Zone Volleyball Trials



The Initial trials for a position in the Brighton Secondary School Volleyball Program will be held on Wednesday 3rd May 2017 (Term 2, Week 1) at the following times:

Girls 9:00 and 10:15am Boys 1:00 and 2:15pm

Students who meet the required standards at this trial will be invited to attend the Final Trial on 18th May 2017 at an advised time.

**If you would like to attend the trial, you must ring
Brighton Secondary School Ph 8375 8200 and request an application pack.**

Applications must be received before Friday 28th April.

Portrait Power

Room 10 catches Mr Miller's amazement by showing him these fantastic portraits. He just can't get over them! They're in room 10 but if you were lucky you may have seen them at assembly too.

Lex

Our self portrait is about drawing a picture of yourself and a background about what you like. They might not be perfect but at least you tried and when you try it turns out to be a beautiful picture.

Monica

We are very proud of our portraits as they show the characters of the children in our class.

Ava



OSHC Newsletter

April Vacation Care is soon approaching. From Tuesday the 17th of April till Friday the 28th of April we have a fun packed program for the children to enjoy. This includes Laser Skirmish, Dodgem Cars, Inflatable World, St Kilda Adventure Playground, Monarto Zoo, Latitude, Intencity, the Cinemas and a Bouncy Castle!!!! It doesn't get much better than that!! J As there are limited booking spaces, be sure to get in quick so the kids don't miss out on our fantastic program. Don't forget we are closed Monday 17th April and Tuesday 25th April.

Harmony Day was celebrated at OSHC on Tuesday the 21st of March. The children traced their hands onto orange paper and designed their own personal pattern. These wonderful hand creations were placed onto a cardboard flower. This is a great day for children to celebrate as they can learn more about cultural diversity as well as gain cultural respect for everyone who calls Australia home.

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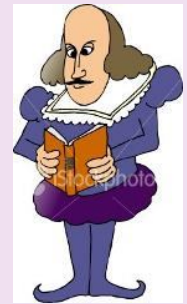
BELL SHAKESPEARE THEATRE COMPANY RETURNS TO SEACLIFF IN 2017

Enter the wonderful world of Will, with the Bell Shakespeare theatre company's return performance in 2017. This will be a roller coaster ride through Shakespeare's world. Hilarious and lively you will meet many characters, scenes, famous lines and poetry in this interactive show. Students will learn why after 400 years we are still performing these incredible stories.

Last year we were amazed by the performance, this year will be just as entertaining.

Performance date is **June 28, 2017** cost per student **\$10**.

Further information will be sent out next term.



Room 1 & 2 have been doing Friday activity.

In Friday activity we have been doing Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths creative play, tepees, cooking, and playbox. We made waterslides for STEM. They had to pass safety standards. They had to be stable and we could design our own. They were fun to make.

