## DIARY DATES

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## SPORTS DAY RESULTS

Our Sports Day was held in ideal conditions with a sunny day and a gentle breeze. We appreciated the support of the large number of parents and grandparents who were there to support and cheer on the students. The competition was friendly, with little separating the Houses as all teams performed to the best of their ability.

Special thanks to Ms Fudge (who coordinated the day), the organising committee and Ms Fudge’s class who completed most of the preparations. Thanks also to Janet Matthews (Canteen Manager) and her loyal band of helpers who prepared special lunches and served tea/coffee to parents. The donations of cakes and slices by parents were much appreciated.

The winning teams were as follows:

- **Cheering Award**: Appleton (Yellow)
- **Attitude Trophy**: Nicolle (Green)
- **Athletics Shield**: Appleton (Yellow)

## PRINCIPAL AWARDS

### MIDDLE SCHOOL

**Confidence**: Jayden K, Kyle E, Ryan M, Rhys B & Samuel C

**Getting Along**: Caitlyn P, Chris D, Courtney S, Kelly S, Samara V & Samantha D

**Organization**: Erin H, Kelly F, Lachie C, Michael K & Zoe S


**Resilience**: Ben K

**Pedal Prix Captains**: Adrian S, Kelly F, Kieren B & Kelly F
ASSEMBLY TIMES
Parents are welcome to join us at all assemblies which are at the following times:
- **Early Years** (R-2): Alternate Wednesdays on odd weeks 12:20-12:55
- **Primary Years** (3-5): Alternate Fridays on even weeks 11:25-12:10
- **Middle School** (6-7): Alternate Fridays on odd weeks 11:25-12:10
- R-7 assemblies are held usually twice per term and dates and times are varied.

CASUAL DAY RESULTS
$428.40 was raised on the SRC Casual Day, with the proceeds going to the Animal Welfare League.

The cheque was presented to the AWL by our SRC Executive, when they visited the Wingfield Lost Dogs and Cats Home on the last day of Term One. Thank you to Mr Polis for driving them to Wingfield. The staff also joined in the fun by wearing their old (or borrowed) school uniforms!

EASTER RAFFLE
Our Easter Raffle, which was drawn on **Wednesday, 4th April**, was a huge success. Thanks to all parents for their generous donations. Special thanks to the wonderful group of parents who, together with Debbie Lamps, Steph Mosel, Traci Collins and Caroline Armstrong organised, sorted and wrapped donations to create the fantastic prizes. **$1427.50 was raised.** Well done everyone! Erin Hodgkin won 1st prize.

BOOK CLUB
Book Club orders are now out and are due back on **Wednesday, May 16th**. Spare order forms are available from the Resource Centre if required.

MUSIC NEWS
**String Workshop**
Congratulations to Maxine L and Alexandra P who were selected to take part in a DECS string workshop which was held on April 10th at Bellevue Heights Primary School.

**Senior Choir Soloists 2007**

Well done and thank you to everyone who auditioned.

OSHC NEWS
Welcome back to all our families for Term 2. We had a fantastic Vacation Care program again these holidays. The children and staff had a lot of fun and participated in a range of different activities. We visited Clarendon Oval for some old-fashioned picnic games and Puzzle Park for the water slides, play equipment and mini golf. Warrawong Sanctuary staff visited us with some of their feathery, furry and scaly creatures. There was lots of cooking, craft and ball games each day. The children are to be congratulated for their cooperation and excellent behaviour.

This term promises to be busy, with most nights fully booked. Our AASC clinics are AFL football (Wednesdays) and Circus Skills (Fridays). We have craft each night and most nights use the hall for games and free-choice activities. If you haven’t yet filled in a booking form for this term, please do so as soon as possible to confirm booking needs, medical and contact details. Can all families please remember that **fees are payable weekly** to cover food and craft expenses, as well as staff wages.

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LOST PROPERTY
A big ‘THANK YOU’ to Janice Blacket and Wendy Clayfield who have taken over management of lost property.

FOUND
A wallet containing money (but no ID) has been found in the school grounds. If it is yours, please see Kim Craggs (our Finance Officer) to identify the wallet.

MOTHER’S DAY STALL
We will be holding a Mother’s Day Stall on Thursday, May 10th (TOMORROW).

Gifts will be priced from 50c to $5.00.

If there are any items left over, we will open the stall again at recess on Friday, 11th May.

PUBLIC EDUCATION AWARD
Congratulations to one of our Year 6/7 teachers, Geoff Lock, who has been nominated to receive an award, in recognition of his contributions to Public Education, at the Public Education Awards Dinner on May 17th. An award well deserved!

WINTER SPORT NEWS
Our Winter Sports teams are almost finalised. Players will be receiving information about training times and game details this week. A big ‘THANK YOU’ to our Coordinators, Grant Batty, Adam Silverlock, Deb Worden and Jane Summers, who have spent a great deal of time putting students into teams, as well as allocating and finding coaches for the teams. We are fielding 3 football teams, 6 soccer teams and 5 netball teams.

Everyone will be receiving an invoice for sports registration. A reminder: $30 per sport and $20 for the new soccer tops which will be handed out to players on Friday, 11th May in Unit 1 wet Area.

THANK YOU
Many thanks to Michael Blacket and his band of helpers – Ian Smith, Michael Summers, Ben Calder and Peter Bleckly – for giving up time on Sunday morning to fill in some of the holes on the top oval. A great effort! Your help was really appreciated.

NATIONAL YOUTH WEEK - CYCLING CHALLENGE
A group of our Yr 6/7 students were fortunate to be able to participate in a Cycling Challenge which was organised by Year 9 and 10 students from Aberfoyle Park High School on Wednesday, April 11. Our students rode their bikes around a one kilometre track, which contained a number of challenges and obstacles, for about two hours.

The Year 11 Nutrition class catered for the event, an Organising Committee coordinated the sponsorship, advertising, marshalling and prizes and the Onkaparinga Council provided a $1000 grant.

We were pleased to be able to be involved in another event that encourages collaboration and friendships across our two schools.

SPORTS RESULTS

BASKETBALL
Yr 2/3 Boys: 1/5/07 Hub Tigers(24) def Hub Eagles (6)
Good sportsmanship by both teams. Well done boys!

Hub Eagles are seeking an extra player. We play on Tuesdays after school. Contact Team Manager, Michelle Styles, via Sarah Magnusson at school if interested.

Yr 6/7 Mixed: 7/4/07 Hub Blue Devils (28) def Hub 1 (14)
Goal Scorers: Kelsey P, Lucas G, Kane R.
Great team game. Katherine & Ashley - great improvement.

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AUSKICK
SUNDAY, May 13th 9-10 am
on the Aberfoyle Hub School Bottom Oval

A 9-week program, NAB Auskick is designed for 5-8 year old boys and girls to improve coordination and teach basic footy skills in a safe and fun environment. (First day registration and payment of $35).

Register:
either Online (Visit aflauskick.com.au Click on ‘Register Here’ – located on the left-hand menu)
All 2007 participants (including previous years’ participants) must register as NEW participants
Print registration form and bring the form (SIGNED BY A PARENT) on Sunday May 13th.
or By completing a registration form on the first day.

For more information phone:
Brendan Pole (Auskick Coordinator) on 0419 345519

C A S U A L  D A Y
Friday, June 15

Wear your casual clothes for a gold coin donation
Proceeds go towards sponsorship of Alecia Quispe
(Our World Vision Student from Peru)

FREE LEGAL SERVICES

Southern Community Justice Centre operates free Legal Services at 40 Beach Road, Christies Beach. A free first interview is provided in many areas of law to most members of the community. Ongoing assistance and, in some cases, court representation, is provided to eligible clientele.

Areas of assistance include:
- Family Law
- Child Support
- Criminal Law
- Civil Law

The service is funded by the State and Commonwealth Attorney General’s Department and has been in operation for a period exceeding 20 years. Head Office is located at Christies Beach and the Regional Office at Warradale. Outreach offices are situated at Mount Barker and Victor Harbor.

To make an appointment to consult with a solicitor at any of the offices, or to enquire about any of the legal services provided –
Phone: 8384 5222 (Head Office).

Safety Assist Program

The Safety Assist Program is a voluntary group of approved residences, shops, offices and public buildings that display the Safety Assist sign as an indication that reliable help is available if anyone is lost, injured, bullied, afraid or feeling unsafe.

The occupants of Safety Assist premises are not expected to solve the problem, but will contact police, family, ambulance or other appropriate agencies as the situation requires. You do not invite strangers into your house. The person seeking help will wait outside your door while you call for assistance.

Your help is sought to make the school community a safe place for everyone – young and old. We need more Safety Assist locations around our school. Please consider becoming Safety Assist members. Remember, there are no restrictions on the times that residents are
OPEN NIGHT

Wednesday 16th May

Meet the Principal 6pm, 6:30pm and 7pm

In the Performing Arts Centre

Guided School Tours afterwards

- Relevant & challenging education in a supportive environment
- 3 languages offered at Year 6: Japanese, German & Spanish
- Ignite program for students with high intellectual potential
- Cutting edge technology
- Excellence in the Arts
- Extensive sporting and extra-curricula programs

Principal Tours also available

Please contact the High School to make a booking for.

Either Tuesday, 22nd May: 2-3pm  Or Friday, 25th May:10-11am

FAMILY SUPPORT WORKSHOPS

Please check the Notice Board at the end of the Administration Building for a number of courses designed to support parents and their families:

- Children Included – Supporting children whose families have experienced parental separation or divorce
- Rebuilding after separation
- Growing up with your Teenager
- Connecting with your Pre-Teen
- The first four years
- How to parent challenging children

DI’S DIALOGUE

I came across parenting advice I thought would be valuable to pass on to parents. The following is part of ‘21 Positive Attributes’ to raise confident kids from Michael Grose’s Parenting 21 Series. You can find out more about him and his ideas on parentingideas.com.au.

VALUES AND QUALITIES

1. Persistence: Children understand the link between persistence and success in all areas of endeavour.
2. Personal Responsibility: Children are encouraged to take responsibility for their own behaviour.
3. Respect: Children are encouraged to treat others with grace and kindness. The use of manners is respect in action.

Here at the Hub School, we talk to the students a lot about Program Achieve. You will find the core values of this program mirrored in Michael Grose’s parenting advice. It is important for your children to know that you understand the values they are learning at school and that your family lives by them.

Happy parenting,

Di Brinkworth
Christian Pastoral Support Worker

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WELL-BEING

Well-being is one of our school's Strategic Directions. The DECS Well-being Framework comprises five dimensions – emotional, social, physical, cognitive and spiritual/beliefs/values. The last of these dimensions is the one that causes people most confusion or concern, so we will attempt to clarify this by providing some additional information.

Spiritual Wellbeing

Spiritual well-being implies the ability to search for, articulate and act on one’s basic purpose, direction and meaning in life. This includes establishing one’s beliefs, values, principles and moral/ethical judgement.

Examples of how this would look in practice might be when students:
- Reflect on and describe places, people and events that have special meaning for them.
- Research people they admire for the values they portray.
- Create special places in the learning environment (e.g. last year we planted a memorial tree in memory of Georgina Evans, one of our former students who died of cancer)
- Undertake action for social justice e.g. fundraising for others in need. At the Hub our SRC sponsors a child, Alecia Maque Quispe from Peru through World Vision.
- Care for some aspect of their environment (e.g. our local creek in Thalassa Park)

Values and Beliefs

DECS has a set of five values in it’s Statement of Directions 2005-2010. These are cooperation, excellence, fairness, respect and responsibility.

The Federal Government has also developed a National Values Framework. In that document, values are defined as “the ideals that give significance to our lives, are reflected through the priorities that we choose and that we act on consistently and repeatedly”.

The nine Values for Australian Schooling include:
- Care and compassion
- Doing your best
- Fair go
- Freedom
- Honesty and trustworthiness
- Integrity
- Respect
- Responsibility
- Understanding, tolerance and inclusion

Many of these values relate to the notions of morals, ethics and civics and citizenship - they also imply acting for the good or welfare of others.

Our school Values Statement is simple and clear:

‘At the Hub we value caring and success for ourselves, others and our world’.
ABERFOYLE HUB SCHOOL VALUES

Caring and Success for
MYSELF, OTHERS and OUR WORLD is important

MYSELF

- Keep fit
- Eat healthy food
- Drink lots of water
- Make good choices
- Follow rules
- Respect myself
- Believe in myself
- Take risks and accept challenges
- Think and learn
- Be positive and persistent
- Take pride in what I do – do my best
- Be a good role model
- Be well organised

OUR WORLD

- Be environmentally friendly - reduce, re-use, re-cycle
- Keep our yard and classroom clean
- Save our water and energy
- Care for our school property
- Respect our environment
- Care for our native plants and animals
- Value freedom and be happy
- Help to keep peace

OTHERS

- Help others to achieve and be successful
- Be a friend
- Cooperate with others and share ideas
- Develop positive relationships with others
- Help others to develop confidence
- Give others compliments
- Treat others and their property with respect
- Accept others and be tolerant and patient

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