



Aberfoyle

# Hub News

R-7 School

2018

TERM 3

Week 2

## Special Events



**PJ & Onesie Casual Day**  
10/8/18  
(Friday)  
Week 3



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## From the Principal

### WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to Term Three. I hope the break has recharged everyone's energy levels and you are looking forward to term activities and a few new things that we will be trialling

resourcing copes with the demands of online testing and preparing ourselves for next year.

If you have any queries around this, please feel free to contact the school and ask to either speak to Sarah Magnusson or myself.

### NAPLAN Online



Aberfoyle Hub will be moving over to online testing for the 2019 NAPLAN test for all Years 3, 5 and 7 students. Due to infrastructure issues with our technology in the past, we were required to delay the transition until we were able to modernise our computers.

### NAPLAN Results 2018

During Term Three we will be sent the results of NAPLAN for our 2018 students. Generally results are mailed out to the school around Week Five onwards. I would like to remind all families of children in Years 3, 5 and 7 to expect seeing your child's NAPLAN results in the second half of this term.

### Aboriginal Community Worker

I would like to welcome Jasmine Ingram to our school. Jasmine is our new ACEO who will service the South Valley Partnership. This includes Aberfoyle Hub R-7 School, Braeview Primary School, Flagstaff Hill R-7 School, Craighburn Primary School, Thiele Primary School, Happy Valley Primary School and Aberfoyle Park High School.

Jasmine's role is to support all the Aboriginal families in our respective schools and the students. We look forward to seeing Jasmine around our schools.

**Tas Ktenidis**  
Principal

**National Science Week**  
13/8/18 — 17/8/18  
Week 4

## Advanced Notice:

### Pupil Free Days

- \* Term 3 — Week 7  
Monday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>
- \* Term 4 — Week 8  
Monday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>

### School Closure Day

- \* Term 3 — Week 6  
Friday, August 31<sup>st</sup>

### Sport Presentations:

Basketball/Soccer/Netball  
Saturday 8/9/18 at 9am

Principal:

**Tas Ktenidis**

Deputy Principal:

**Sarah Magnusson**



Government of South Australia  
Department for Education

## RESOURCE CENTRE News

### PREMIER'S READING Challenge

There are only 5 more weeks to go before the Premier's Reading Challenge closes. The challenge requires students to read 12 books between the beginning of the school year and early September. Well done to those who have already completed their reading challenge. We hope the rest of the school will follow so that we achieve 100% participation. We ask that all parents/caregivers help their children to finish their reading challenge and ensure that the titles and authors of the books (the children have read) are accurately recorded on the appropriate student reading record.

**Please Note: The Premier's Reading Challenge ends on Friday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. (ALL STUDENT READING RECORD FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO CLASS TEACHERS BY THIS DATE).**

Debbie & Julie  
Resource Centre Staff



## Book Club ONLINE Ordering/Payment Procedure



## Book Week

In Term 3 each year, schools and public libraries right across Australia are involved in a celebration of books as well as Australian authors and illustrators. Class teachers may choose their own activities to highlight the importance of reading and these will relate to this year's theme: **Find Your Treasure**. Book Week is in Week 5 of this term.



**The Book Week Parade will be on Monday, August 20<sup>th</sup> (Week 5) at 9:30am in the courtyard.** Classes will decide on how to interpret the theme – they may decide to dress up according to the theme, to use one of the short-listed books or to allow students to dress up as their favourite character. Whatever the decision, it is meant to be fun and not an onerous task for parents/caregivers or for students. Parents/grandparents may wish to dress up, too. The parade will be in the courtyard. If you have a spare 30 minutes, please come and watch or join in!

For R-4 students, there's a **Book Week Performance on Tuesday, August 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:15am in the Hall.**

## Volunteers

Thanks to those parents/caregivers or grandparents who continue to help out in the library. We very much appreciate your time and effort. We are always looking for help, so if you have a current DCSI screening clearance and RAN training please come and see us.

Debbie & Julie  
Resource Centre Staff

## SCHOLASTIC Book Club LOOP for Parents



AVAILABLE AS AN APP!

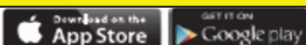
**LOOP** is the Scholastic Book Club **Linked Online Ordering & Payment** platform for Parents.

If you want to pay by credit card for your online Book Club order, **LOOP** makes it easy! It eliminates the need for paper order forms plus your online order is submitted to the school safe and sound.

Log-in to [www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP](http://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) or download our iPhone and iPad app from the App Store or get it on Google Play for Android.

- For a quick start, just click on ORDER in the top menu or REGISTER first to save your details for next time
- Select your school and your child's class
- Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
- Enter the item number from the Book Club catalogues
- You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school
- All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date
- There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school!

Log-in to [www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP](http://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) and click HELP in the top menu or phone **Scholastic customer service on 1800 021 233 233**



**Orders and payment for the Scholastic Book Club are only done via 'Book Club Loop for Parents', a system which enables parents to order and pay online.**

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND ORDERS OR PAYMENT TO THE SCHOOL.**

**Should you need help with the online process or registering, please contact Scholastic's friendly customer service staff by phoning 1800 021 233.**

The latest catalogue (**issue 5**) has been sent home via classrooms. **Please note:** catalogues are **for reference only** - orders should **not** be written on them).

Book Club books will be distributed to students, via class teachers.

Book Club orders are done once a term (by the school) with one more order for 2018 due early in Term 4. Reminders are provided in our school newsletters about catalogue issues and Book Club ordering.

**REMINDER:**  
Orders for this issue are due: **FRIDAY, August 10<sup>th</sup>** via the **online** process.



## IT News

### Skoolbag App

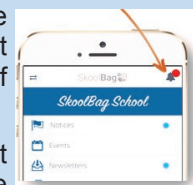
Our school has our own **Skoolbag** iPhone and Android App to help us to communicate more effectively with our parent/student community. Skoolbag's been updated to a later version, so many would have noticed some changes. App users will be prompted to register with a username and password. This enables users to save their Group Subscription settings across devices. Users will be sent an email address to verify their account, however, you will not be prevented from logging into the app.



Once users login, they will be able to personalise their group and notification preferences. All recent, unseen notifications can be found by clicking the bell icon in the top right corner of the app.



Notices sent to the whole school via Content Categories will still appear in the 'Home' section. However, information published to Content Groups will appear in the Groups Tab. Users can modify their Group Subscriptions at any time



To receive newsletters, notices or report student absences, use the link below to subscribe to Skoolbag. <https://skoolbag.com.au/webplugin/?schoolid=2415>

**Sarah Magnusson**  
Deputy Principal

## MATERIALS & SERVICE CHARGES: 2018

Thank you to parents/caregivers who have completed or made payments towards their child's/children's 2018 Materials and Service Charges and Excursion Levy. However, there are still many families who have not paid their accounts.

The Materials and Service Charges are a large part of the school's annual budget income and we rely on the payment of these charges. Please consider your overdue accounts and pay them at your earliest convenience. If you have not paid your fees or contacted me to make suitable arrangements, please do so as soon as possible. Debt collection proceedings will soon begin as per Governing Council recommendations and in line with our Debt Collection Policy. If you would like to discuss with me any of the above-mentioned, please contact me on 8270 5055.

**Heather Brown**  
Finance Officer

### SRC News

#### Casual Day

On Friday, **August 10<sup>th</sup>** (Week 3) the school will be holding a PJ and Onesie Casual Day. We are asking for a gold coin donation on the day.

**Angela Thorburn**  
SRC Coordinator

### Reminders

#### Hats

As we are a Sun Smart school (and endorsed by our school hat policy) we are required to wear our hats when outside from the beginning of this term.



### Dogs at School

Please remember that it is school policy that there are to be **no dogs on school grounds** including during after school sports practice or weekend matches.



**Sarah Magnusson**  
Deputy Principal

### SPORT News

#### Pedal Prix Victoria Park Race 2

Pedal Prix Wrap Up:  
On Sunday, July 29<sup>th</sup> the Hubcaps took part in Race 2 at Victoria Park. The weather conditions were far from ideal but this didn't dampen the students' spirits. The junior team (Flying Hubcaps) finished the day 29<sup>th</sup> out of 67, and senior team (Raging Hubcaps) finished 29<sup>th</sup> out of 53. It wasn't all smooth racing for our junior team with Logan B involved in a minor collision towards the end of the race. Fortunately he only received minor injuries!



A big 'thank you' to all the parents who also braved the wild conditions to help make the day such a success. We now look forward to the big one! The 24hr Murray Bridge race.



Go Hubcaps!

**Brad Walters**  
PE Teacher



## DIARY DATES: AUGUST



3/8	3-7 Assembly 10:50am (Hall); Yr 7 Science Alive Expo excursion (Wayville)
6/8	Sports Committee Meeting 6:30pm (Staff Room)
7/8	Finance Advisory Committee Meeting 5:30pm (Staff Room) OSHC Committee Meeting 6:45pm (Staff Room)
10/8	R - 2 Assembly 10:50am (Multipurpose Room); PJ & Onesie <b>Casual Day</b> (gold coin donation)
13-17/8	National Science Week (Week 4)
14/8	ICAS Maths Competitions
15/8	Governing Council Meeting 7pm (Staff Room)
17/8	R-7 Assembly 10:50am (Hall)
20-24/8	Book Week (Week 5)
23/8	Grounds & Facilities Meeting 8am (Admin)
24/8	3-7 Assembly 10:50am (Hall); Canteen Committee Meeting 2pm (Staff Room)
25/8	Pedal Prix Fundraiser: Bogan Bingo
28/8	Choir to Magic Millions 8:30am-12:45pm
31/8	<b>SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY</b> ; Royal Adelaide Show starts

## Of interest

### SPECIAL CELEBRATION 100 Days of Reception

Look who came to visit Unit 4 students on the last day of Term 2. Unit 4 Reception students were celebrating their first 100 days at school. We undertook activities in relation to 100. We reflected on students in the past and what school life looked like then and compared and contrasted this to the present day.

**Kate Videon & Larissa Smith**  
Unit 4 Class Teachers

*Old Mrs Videon &  
Old Mrs  
Smith*





Woodcroft Heights  
**Children's Centre**  
for Early Childhood  
Development and Parenting

## Circle of Security Parent Group



GOVERNMENT  
of South Australia



A FREE 7 week group for parents and caregivers who would like to learn more about the relationship between themselves and their children.

The group will focus on the relationship between parents/caregivers and their children and on children feeling secure in their relationships at home and in the world. Children who feel secure in their relationships often develop: more empathy, more self-esteem, better relationships and enhanced school readiness.

The Circle of Security parent group will be offered on:  
Wednesday afternoons from 1pm to 3pm, starting Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> August 2018 (Week 4 of Term 3).

The group will be facilitated by Children's Centre staff Lauren Lang and Carla Cinco.

Crèche places are available for children aged 0 – 5 years, but places are limited, so be sure to book in quickly. A gold coin donation for crèche sessions would be appreciated, thank you.

**Contact Woodcroft Heights Children's Centre: 8381 8005**



## Come and Play NETBALL

Cheerio Netball Club is welcoming  
new players of all ages for the  
current winter season and upcoming summer season.

### Register now!

Ph: 0419 810 656

Email: [secretary@cheerionetball.com](mailto:secretary@cheerionetball.com)

Website: [www.cheerionetball.com](http://www.cheerionetball.com)

*See you on the court*

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