



Poonindie Community Learning Centre Newsletter

TERM 4 2020 WEEK 3

From the Principal

Hello all

I had a SNEAKING feeling that this term was going to take off very quickly – yes it has; before we know it, we will be celebrating Christmas and welcoming in a new year! Unbelievable!

Next week we will see the return of Anaru Haereroa-Rogers and family back to our school. Please make them feel welcome and support Anaru to settle back into Poonindie School.

I was completely in awe of the amazing effort that went into the BOOKWEEK dress-ups last Friday – we had a huge range of incredible costumes, many hours went into making some of these as well! There were curious creatures and wild minds as far as the eye could see - Harry Potters, Ninja's, the Grinch, robots, big bad wolves, owls, butterflies, Steve Erwin's. Where's Wally – you name it we had it! It was great to have the staff all join in – it was a fun day all in all. A huge acknowledgement to all those who participated and a special mention to those students who won specific prizes on the day. Enjoy the photos on the next page and watch out for the next Lincoln Times as there should be a blurb from Poonindie CLC around Bookweek. We also sold \$2,310 worth of books at the fair (this is a record) and as a result we shall get some new books for our library!

On Thursday of this week, there will be a Governing Council Meeting. We will be approving the Materials and Services Charge (2021 Student fees) which will be charged at the standard rate. Parents/caregivers are welcome to attend.

As highlighted in the last newsletter – keep the following in your diaries:

- **NAIDOC WEEK** now scheduled for Week 5 Term 4 (8th-15th of November) with the theme being "Always was, Always will be". Our school will celebrate with a range of cultural awareness raising activities to recognise our first nation people.
- **PUPIL FREE DAYS** – there are 2 consecutive Pupil Free Days approved for this term – Monday 23rd of November and Tuesday 24th of November. Staff will be travelling to Wudinna Area School to observe the 7 Steps to Writing Success and Brightpath strategies in action, both of which are being implemented in our site. This will provide the opportunity for our teaching staff to interact with the same year level teachers, exchange ideas and approaches that have proven successful with different year levels. The second day will be drafting our 2021 Improvement plan based on our 2020 data.
- **END OF YEAR EVENT** -This will be on Thursday 10th of December – the night before the final day of term. More details will follow...it will be a night of spectacular dancing! Mark that one on the calendar!!

ACCOUNTABILITY

INNOVATION

RESPECT

RESILIENCE



BOOK WEEK 2020

Curious Creatures Wild Minds



Transition Students 2021

WELCOME TO THESE NEW FACES WHO WILL BE JOINING US NEXT YEAR!

Leon, Taya, Harlee, Kujo, Adeline, Noah M, Sage, Noah P-D, James, Hudson, Jakob, Isabella, Logan, Jax.



Wellbeing and Engagement Coordinator update

Hi everyone

We are currently exploring what is out there in terms of *student Wellbeing for learning program* that we can implement at a whole of site level in 2021 during our health lessons. We are keen for this to align to our new school values particularly the skills of being able to regulate emotions and build resilience.

We have a guitar group that is running on a Monday lunch time – this was initiated by the 6/7 students. Anyone can attend for a bit of a jam!

Does anyone have a table tennis table that is in good condition that they would like to get rid of? We would be keen to hear from you!

Have a great week, Mrs Anderson ☺

Pastoral Care Update

Hi

Wow where has this year gone! November is nearly here and we are heading towards Christmas.

- Recipe book – If any family still would like to contribute to the 2020 Poonindie Recipe Book there is still time – please send in ASAP!
- Bookweek – I really enjoyed chatting to some students last week about what they were going to dress up as Friday. All were very excited.
- Craft and colouring activities will be back in full swing this week – Tamara Modra has kindly offered to help out each Wednesday craft time.

Looking forward to seeing you around.

Take Care,

Helen



Poonindie Community Learning Centre – Term 4 2020 Calendar

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	12 October <i>First Day Back Term 4 2020</i>	13 October	14 October <i>Materials and Services 2021 (Newsletter)</i> <i>Staff Meeting</i>	15 October	16 October
2	19 October <i>BOOKWEEK 2020 FIRE DRILL - EVACUATION</i>	20 October <i>2021 Transition (Preschool)</i>	21 October <i>Staff Meeting</i>	22 October	23 October <i>Book week Dress-up Assembly</i>
3	26 October	27 October <i>CEO Visit to Port Lincoln</i>	28 October <i>CEO Visit to Port Lincoln 2021 Transition (Preschool) Staff Meeting</i>	29 October <i>CEO Visit to Port Lincoln 7PM – Governing Council Meeting</i>	30 October <i>WORLD TEACHERS DAY</i>
4	2 November	3 November <i>2021 Transition (Preschool)</i>	4 November <i>Staff Meeting</i>	5 November	6 November
5	9 November <i>NAIDOC WEEK 8-15th NOV</i>	10 November <i>2021 Transition (Preschool)</i>	11 November <i>Staff Meeting</i>	12 November	13 November <i>Assembly</i>
6	16 November	17 November	18 November <i>FIRE DRILL - EVACUATION</i> <i>Staff Meeting</i>	19 November <i>Sally and Tammy Fire Warden Training Hindmarsh</i>	20 November <i>INVACUATION</i>
7	23 November <i>Pupil Free Day Wudinna (7 Steps and Brightpath observations)</i>	24 November <i>Pupil Free Day Debrief from Wudinna/SIP planning for 2020</i>	25 November <i>Staff Meeting</i>	26 November <i>7PM – Governing Council Meeting</i>	27 November <i>TRANSITION</i>
8	30 November	1 December	2 December <i>Staff Meeting</i>	3 December	4 December <i>Assembly</i> <i>TRANSITION</i>
9	7 December	8 December	9 December <i>Staff Meeting</i>	10 December <i>End of Year Outdoor Event! Details to follow!</i>	11 December <i>LAST DAY 2020!!! 2:20pm dismissal (NB Student reports available at 2.20pm and not earlier)</i>