



Poonindie Community Learning Centre Newsletter

WEEK 3, TERM 2 2021

From the Principal

Welcome to week 3! This week brings us into the first NAPLAN week for our students in Years 3,5,7. We wish them all well as they demonstrate their understanding of the Australian Curriculum year level standards in Writing, Reading, Conventions of Language – COL (spelling, punctuation and grammar) and Numeracy. We are trying not to hype things up; rather keep students positive and calm...reminding them to do their best and to treat it like any other day! The schedule for NAPLAN testing for our school is the following:

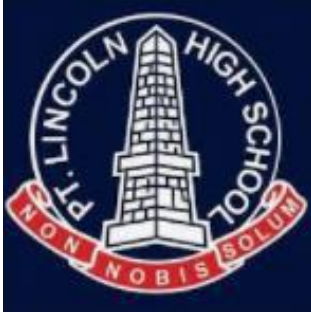
NAPLAN Session Timetable						
Week	Time	Mon 10/5	Tues 11/5	Wed 12/5	Thurs 13/5	Fri 14/5
3	Morning		Year 5 - Writing 42 mins	Year 7 - Writing 42 mins	Year 5 - Reading 50mins	Year 3 - COL 45 mins
	Mid Morning		Year 3 - Writing (Paper) 40 mins	Year 3 - Reading 45 mins	Year 7 - Reading 65 mins	Year 5 - COL 45 mins
	After lunch					
Week	Time	Mon 17/5	Tues 18/5	Wed 19/5	Thurs 20/5	Fri 21/5
4	Morning	Year 7 - COL 45 mins	Year 5 - Numeracy 50mins			
	Mid Morning	Year 3 - Numeracy 45 mins	Year 7 - Numeracy 65 mins			

It is extremely important that all students attend school during this period.



School Values: *Accountability * Innovation * Respect * Resilience

This week we have a special **Parent Information Session around the 6-7 transition to High School for 2022**. We are fortunate to have the Principal, Todd George come out to our school and showcase all of the preparations that are taking place to support this move. It is on **Thursday 13th of May, 6pm** in Mr Beard's room. Please **RSVP** as soon as possible. This will be followed by a Governing Council Meeting for those members on the Governing Council @7pm.



You will have noticed that staff have started to clear out the large storage shed in readiness for the commencement of building works (this will be in the next 2 terms). There will be proper construction fences erected around the building area and vehicles will be already onsite before the school day starts, in the interests of student safety. Parents are welcome to look at the items *outside of the shed* – please see me if you are interested. Most items are giveaways and a couple are 'make an offer'.

I hope that all of our wonderful mums, aunties, nans and female caregivers had an extra special Mother's Day! I hope you were spoilt by some beautiful hand-crafted gifts from the Poonindie School! I had a sneak preview and I was impressed to see the effort put in, including some amazing photos of the students surrounded by our flower garden – grown especially for our Poonindie mums!



Have an amazing week!
Sally Cormack - Principal

Nate Payze takes out the under 12 SAPSASA surfing title at Elliston

On Monday the 3rd of May, Nate Payze and Samuel Beard travelled to Elliston to compete in the SAPSASA Surfing Competition. Students from Port Lincoln, Lake Wangary, Elliston, Streaky Bay and Far West Schools gathered at Walkers Rocks. Samuel competed in the under 11's on Walkers Beach with waves about 1 foot; Nate competed in the under 12's at Walkers Reef Break where waves were 2-3 foot. Both boys did extremely well with Nate taking out the under 12 boys division. All 56 competitors had a great time and was well supported by the community. Nate was awarded a t-shirt and surf towel donated by Lincoln Surf.

AWESOME EFFORT NATE AND SAM!



RESILIENCE PROJECT UPDATE TERM 2 – MRS ANDERSON



Hayley Wiseman is with Wesley Wiseman. Yesterday at 16:28

My bucket is full and im smiling from ear to ear and may have shed a tear or two on the way home from school tonight.

This beautiful little soul and I were chatting about the day at school and about the resilience project and i asked him about the meaning of GEM.

He quickly told me what they stand for and then went on to say what he is Grateful for, there were many things. But the ones that pulled at the heart strings were "mum im grateful for having you as my mum, you do so many things for us and put us first and you do so many things so that we can have fun and play sport, and you know what mum im grateful that i get to go to school each day and have teachers and a principal who teach us many things so we can be educated then when we grow up we can have jobs and help support our own families " Then he came out with everyone needs to be grateful for what they have and not what they wish they had or dont have

To say im a proud mumma is an understatement.
Keep being you beautiful boy
We love you to the moon and back a million times over



Absolutely delighted to hear the positive feedback from many parents around our inclusion of 'TRP'. I was thrilled to see the 5/6 class take the lead with their #DIS window. On Sunday 9th May I attended 'The Resilience Project' presentation at the Entertainment Centre in Adelaide. What a great opportunity and I cannot wait to share with staff and students this Friday at assembly. Please keep the positive conversations going at home and we look forward to hearing more as the weeks go on. Don't forget there is a parent portal that was shared by all classroom teachers on Seesaw.

AUSTRALIAN EARLY DEVELOPMENT CENSUS
(AEDC DATA COLLECTION)

DATA COLLECTED ON MONDAY 17TH OF MAY,
2021 FOR STUDENTS IN FIRST YEAR OF SCHOOL.



Have you paid your 2021 School Fees??

These are **\$246** per student.

School fees support the operational costs of
our site including art supplies, learning
resources and consumables.

Please settle your fees
ASAP 😊

The Port Lincoln City Band Inc. presents

9th Annual
FAME Awards
Showcasing
the best local talent in
Film, Music and Entertainment

Friday 23rd July
at 7pm
Nautilus Theatre

Finalists & Awards presented for
Best Original Short Film
Best Original Music Video
Best Original Under 15
&
People's Choice Award
Industry Incentive Award

Tickets \$35A, \$15C
Available at Nautilus Theatre
nautilusartcentre.com.au/events

Cabaret Event, Supper provided
Dress Code: Vintage Circus- Prizes for best dressed
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PASTORAL CARE UPDATE – HELEN SCHRAMM

I hope you are all well and that our mums/aunts/nans enjoyed their day on Sunday! The students enjoyed making a gift for their mums at craft last week – I hope these arrived home safely!?! I have been encouraged to see lots of young boys enjoying coming to our craft sessions and creating. It is a lovely time to connect with our creative side.

I am so excited to see our shed getting sorted to make way for Scotty's Building to undertake the long awaited renovations! I have been given a donation of \$300 from the Unity Hill Op Shop to use for our Breakfast Program. I am needing a 'purpose built' table so have asked the men at the Men's Shed to help make it for us to use.

I am working on our RECIPE BOOK now and there is some yummy recipes from our students and families.

Life around Poonindie School is always a joy and I adore connecting with you all. Helen Schramm. Quote of the week: "Gratitude makes nothing into something"!

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Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	26th April Anzac Holiday	27th April 10.40am Welcome Back Assembly	28th April Newsletter	29th April	30th April
2	3rd May	4th May	5th May	6th May	7th May
3	10th May NAPLAN PREP DAY – no tests	11th May NAPLAN	12th May NAPLAN Newsletter	13th May NAPLAN <i>6 pm Port Lincoln High School Yr 6/7 Transition Parent Information session @ PCLC</i> Governing Council Meeting 7pm	14th May Assembly – Mrs Andersons Class/Mr Frears
4	17th May <i>AEDC collection</i> NAPLAN	18th May NAPLAN	19th May NAPLAN catch- up	20th May NAPLAN catch- up	21 May NAPLAN catch- up
5	24th May	25th May	26th May Newsletter	27th May	28th May
6	31 May	1st June	2nd June	3rd June	4th June Assembly – Mr Beard's class
7	7th June	8th June	9th June Newsletter	10th June Governing Council Meeting 7pm	11th June
8	14th June Queens Birthday	15th June <i>Pupil Free Day</i>	16th June	17th June	18th June
9	21st June <i>YEAR 6/7 CAMP ADELAIDE</i>	22nd June	23rd June Newsletter	24th June →	25th June Assembly – Mrs Tempest's class

10	<i>28th June</i>	<i>29th June</i>	<i>30th June</i> End of Term Note	<i>1st July</i>	<i>2nd July</i> <i>Semester 1</i> <i>Reports home</i> End of term Assembly 1:50 pm 2.20 dismissal
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