



Poonindie Community Learning Centre Newsletter

WEEK 7, TERM 3 2021

From the Principal

WELCOME to week 7! The term is slipping past our doorstep once again! We have recently had 2 new students join our school, welcome to siblings Paige and Summa Tooby! They have come to us from the Kirton Point Primary School and have relocated in our local area to live. Both girls have joined Mr Rowsell's 3/4 class.

In the last few weeks of term we shall see student involved in a number of Departmental assessments including PAT-R (Reading), PAT-M (Mathematics), PAT Spelling, PAT Vocabulary and PAT Science. Teachers readily use the data from these assessments to plan targeted and individualised instruction for each child. Teachers also share results with students, when they become available and together can set personalised goals for improvement. Our school has recently received our NAPLAN results. My understanding is that we will be sent individual reports for families, and once received we shall distribute the individual student report.

Other important news items:

Pupil Free Day – Monday 13th of September:

Please ensure you have made arrangements for the care of your child/ren for our up-and-coming Pupil Free Day. Our staff will be assessing and moderating our second collection of students' persuasive writing. We are hoping and anticipating to see some great growth in this area.

Student Teachers: A special welcome to Kaitlin and Stacey Hier, 2 final year student teachers who have joined the team to complete their 25-day practicum experience. The girls are identical twins and if you think you are seeing double well you are...it can be difficult to tell them apart! Kaitlin is in Mrs Anderson's classroom and Stacey is in with Mr Rowsell. We look forward to watching both girls grow professionally and wish them well in the final part of your university degree. Kaitlin and Stacey are both from Tumby Bay and completed their schooling at Navigator College.



*School Values: *Accountability * Innovation * Respect * Resilience*

Year 5/6 and 6/7 Camp refund – Stone Picking at RED's: For those students **who participated in the camp fundraising venture on Red's property to pick stones**, you are entitled to a refund of \$38 per student. Please email Vicki, if this relates to you, on vicki.matthews584@schools.sa.edu.au with the below details as soon as possible.

Detailing your name/students name

Your bank account details for the refund – Account Name, BSB and Account Number.

Student attendance award: I have had some feedback in from parents and Student Voice to consider amending the attendance award to 95% which is still above our school target of 92%. I am happy to do this so that illness and other unforeseen family related events, don't exclude students who are good attenders, from earning a termly award. I along with the rest of my team, listen to feedback and where possible and practicable, aim to be responsive.

Have a wonderful week – I believe we are in for some warmer weather this week!

Sally Cormack - Principal

Helen Shramm

Pastoral Care Update

List of things needed for our new room.

Donations kindly appreciated

- Kitchen bin
- Scales
- Pizza cutter
- Serving spoons
- Peeler
- Bowls
- Bowl scrappers
- Cutting boards
- Jugs for measuring
- Cutlery tray for cutlery drawer

Our new room is going well. We are slowly getting things in it to make it a useable room.

Our fridge is in there and it is great to have the breaky goods at my fingertips!



Emma Anderson

Wellbeing and Inclusion
Coordinator



Coffee Cart is coming to serve hot or cold chocolates to the students on Friday 17th of September.

For every purchase we earn \$1 towards our school.

A note will be coming out at the end of this week!

Mrs Letton's 5-6 Class at the Koppio Museum

Intention of experience: to build the field for poetry writing



Poonindie Community Learning Centre - Term 3 Calendar.....

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	19 th July Day 1 Term 3! Have you paid your school fees for 2021? Please see Vicki!	20 th July	21 st July Staff Meeting Night	22 nd July	23 rd July
2	26 th July	27 th July Evacuation practice	28 th July Staff Meeting Night	29 th July	30 th July
3	2 nd August	3 rd August	4 th August Staff Meeting Night	5 th August	6 th August ASSEMBLY Mr Beard 6/7
4	9 th August Return bus forms for 2022 this week!	10 th August	11 th August Staff Meeting Night	12 th August Governing Council 7pm	13 th August
5	16 th August	17 th August Year 1 Phonic Screen	18 th August Year 1 Phonic Screen Staff Meeting Night	19 th August	20 th August
6	23 rd August	24 th August Lower Eyre Peninsula SAPSASA 6/7 Girls Football and Boys Netball Competition	25 th August Staff Meeting Night	26 th August Invacuation practice	27 th August ASSEMBLY Mrs Letton 5/6
7	30 th August Commencement of PAT Testing Window	31 st August PAT TESTING Early Years Reading and Maths Sporting Schools - Table Tennis	1 st September PAT TESTING Early Years Reading and Maths Staff Meeting Night	2 nd September PAT TESTING 3/4 & 5/6 Reading	3 rd September PAT TESTING 3/4 & 5/6 Maths

8	6th September PAT TESTING 6-7 & 3-4 Reading/Science	7th September PAT TESTING 6-7 & 5-6 Maths/Science Sporting Schools – Table Tennis	8th September PAT TESTING 3-4 & 6-7 Spelling & Vocabulary Staff Meeting Night	9th September PAT TESTING 6-7 & 5-6 Science/Spelling & Vocabulary Governing Council 7pm	10th September
	13th September PUPIL FREE DAY PERSUASIVE WRITING MODERATION	14th September Parent Interviews Sporting Schools – Table Tennis	15th September Parent Interviews No Staff Meeting	16th September Parent Interviews	17th September ASSEMBLY Mrs Anderson 1/2 Coffee Cart Hot and Cold Chocolates
10	20th September	21st September Sporting Schools – Table Tennis	22nd September	23rd September	24th September Last Day T3 2021 2.20pm dismissal Wheels Day and lunch

Groundsperson

Bryce will be retiring on the 30th of September after many years of dedication to PCLC. He will return in the capacity of a volunteer. We therefore are putting our feelers out to anyone who is interested in this position.

Hours per week: 9 hours (can be done over a number of days however the bins will need to be put out on the edge of the road every Tuesday for collection)

Tasks: Maintaining oval and lawned areas (ride on mower), irrigation system, pruning trees and shrubs, general blowing and cleaning up of leaves, putting bins out weekly and general handy person tasks.

