



NEWSLETTER



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SPORTS DAY 2023

- **FAMILIES WELCOME TO COME SUPPORT YOUR CHILDREN**
- **SAUSAGE SIZZLE FOR LUNCH**
- **SOFT DRINKS, JELLIES & LOLLIES FOR SALE**



Timetable

- 9:50am—Opening Ceremony (Quad)
- 10:00-10:50am—First round Primary events / JP Warm up activities
- 10:50-11.10am—Recess
- 11:10am-12:30pm—Second round of Primary events/JP events begin
- 12:30pm-12.50pm—Lunch
- 12.50pm- Move to Houses
- 1:00pm—Sprints begin
- 1:30pm- Relay
- JUNIOR PRIMARY (2015-2018) and UPPER PRIMARY (2011-2014)
- 1:45pm—Novelty events (Egg and Spoon Race, Sack Race, Staff v Students, Students v Family)
- 2:45pm—Closing ceremony

Diary Dates for Term 3

- Sports Day - Thursday 31/8
- School Closure - Friday 1/9
- District Sports Day - Monday 4/9
- Year 4/5/6 Camp - Mon 11/9 - Wed 13/9
- Parent Voice Meeting - Monday 11/9
- Student Free Day - Friday 15/9
- Whole school excursion Thursday 28/9
- Last day of the Term Friday 29/9

PASS AMBASADORS VISIT

Ambassadors from PASS visited our Year 6 students on Wednesday 30th August and talked about their High School Experience.

Our students had prepared some questions to ask the ambassadors. Overall it was a very informative visit and it was fantastic to see our former students doing so well at High School.



Around the school

PROCEDURE IN ROOM 7

This term in room 7 we have been learning about procedures. We have been following procedures to make fairy bread and apricot and chocolate balls.



MATHS IN ROOM 7

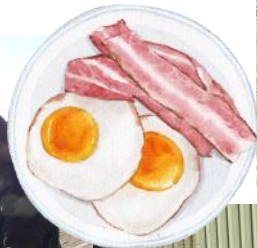
In Maths we have been learning about number and measurement. We have been working hard in Maths to show numbers in different ways and compare and measure objects.



Around the school

National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence

On Monday 21st August as part of the National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence, we held a Community Breakfast in the Quad.



Staff played against students in a game of Golden Child.



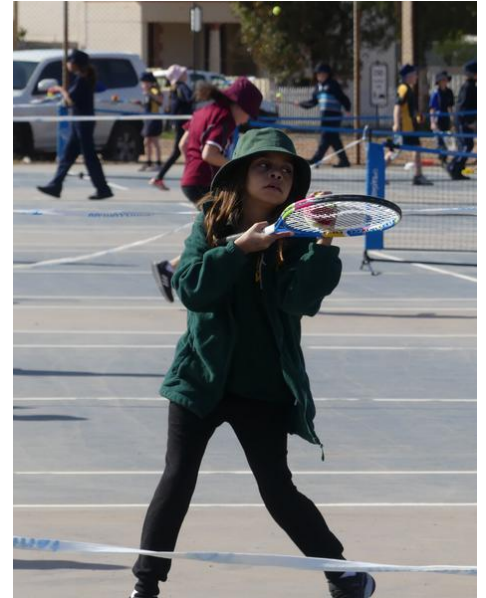
The police visited and gave the students a talk about bullying & violence.



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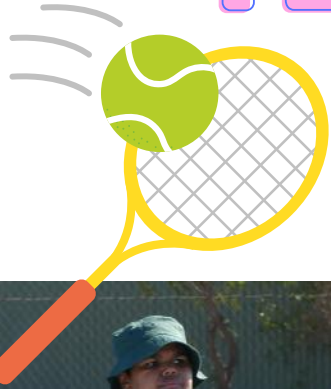
HOT SHOTS TENNIS

On Tuesday 22nd August and Wednesday 23rd August, our year 3/4 and 5/6 students attended Hot Shots Tennis at Central Oval tennis courts. The Hot Shots program gives kids a chance to have a go at tennis, developing important social and problem solving skills and above all having fun! Our kids had a fantastic time, check out the pictures of our future tennis stars in the making.



Around the school

TENNIS HOT SHOTS



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Book Week 2023

This week's book week theme was Read Grow Inspire. Our students enjoyed book week activities throughout the week to highlight the importance of reading. We held our annual book week parade on Thursday, where everyone came dressed as their favourite book week character. Many of the children created their book week costumes in class, we think they did an excellent job! Each time someone read a book throughout book week they placed a leaf on our Book Week tree.



READ GROW Inspire

Around the school

Book Week 2023



Lyndon did a great job of reading a book in front of the whole school!



Our book week tree

Community News



FREE Parent Workshop

Understanding reading difficulties - Why some children struggle and how to help

- Develop an understanding of reading difficulties, including dyslexia
- Develop a practical understanding of the associated characteristics and difficulties
- Explore ways to support your child

This 2 hour workshop is a great first step to gaining a better understanding of reading difficulties and practical strategies that can help your child.

Tuesday 12 of September, 12:15pm to 2:15pm

Port Augusta School of the Air



BOOK ONLINE at:
speldsa.org.au/regional-parent-workshops

Thank you to the Department for Education for supporting this initiative.

RED BALL RUMBLE

Want to try a new sport? This newly created Red Ball Matchplay program provides students with the opportunity to learn tennis in a fun and inclusive environment.

LETS RUMBLE!

Sign up now!



Cost: Free
Date: Wednesday evenings beginning 30 August for four weeks
Time: 4:00pm
Venue: Port Augusta Tennis Club
Contact: regionaltennis@gmail.com



Community BBQ (Open Day)

When: Wednesday 6th September 2023

Where: The Hub, 45 Abernathy Ave, Willsdon

Time: 11am - 2pm

For information please call 0427 056 855

- Playgroup
- Update about CB
- Community BBQ
- Giveaways



CINEMA AUGUSTA

FREE FAMILY MOVIE

SATURDAY 16th SEPTEMBER

4.00pm @ Cinema Augusta

Collect tickets from: Yarta Purtili Art Gallery, 6 Beauchamp Lane (near Gladstone Square)

Tickets are limited

Children under 12 years of age must be accompanied by an adult.

