



Newsletter 1
TERM 1
12 February 2021



Buddy Classes

This year R4 and R5 have joined with B1 and B2 for buddy class. Over the past week we have been getting to know our new buddies and forming new friendships that will support our learning and wellbeing throughout the year. We look forward to getting to know our big buddies more and working alongside them.



R5 and B1 worked together with their buddies playing a dice roll game to create a monster!



B2 supported their buddies in R4 with their Big Book task - to create a Rainbow Fish by painting and decorating a paper plate.

BIG DISH UP

Next Course Commencing:
Saturday 13 February, 10am-1pm

JOIN US.



A Free 7-week Cooking Course
Learn Budget Cooking in Bulk

Supported by the
Government of South Australia

Registration Essential
Contact MarionLIFE to book your place

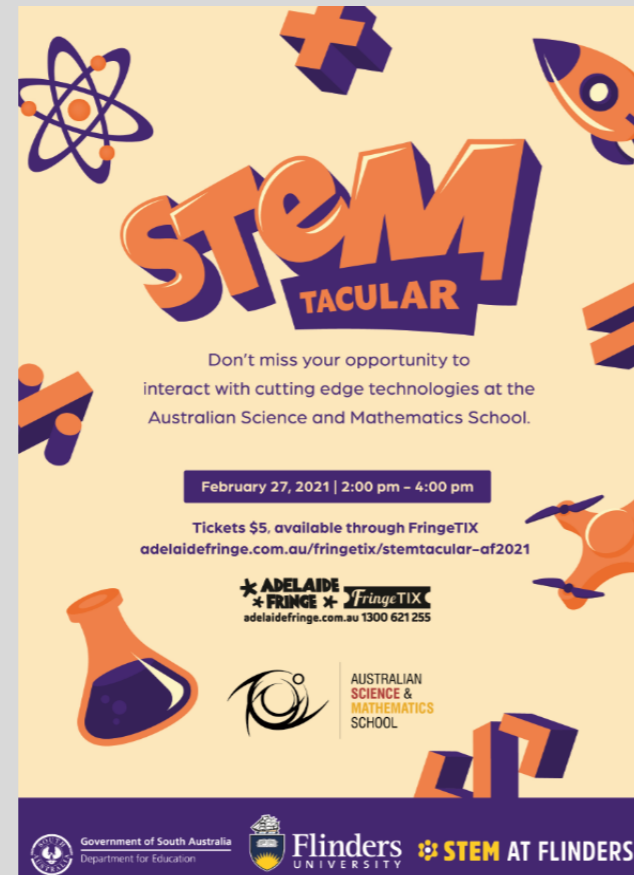
PLAYERS WANTED

**MINIROOS 9-11
UNDER 13, 15 & 17
SENIOR GIRLS**

**PLAYERS OF ANY
EXPERIENCE
WELCOME!**

Artwork - R3

Thank you to R3 for their self-portraits!

STEM TACULAR

Don't miss your opportunity to interact with cutting edge technologies at the Australian Science and Mathematics School.

February 27, 2021 | 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Tickets \$5, available through FringeTIX
adelaidefringe.com.au/fringetix/stemacular-af2021

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adelaidefringe.com.au 1300 621 255

AUSTRALIAN SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS SCHOOL

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LEADERSHIP TEAM MEMBERS

Terena Pope, Kylie Tuckey, Emma Voigt, Jenny Bartold.

Dear Families,

Welcome to the first newsletter for 2021. The start to the year has been very settled with students and teachers spending time establishing relationships, expectations and learning routines.

If you have connected to See Saw you would have already "met" the new staff that we have welcomed this year. Kaya Nicholls has joined us as our Performing Arts specialist teacher. Kaya is an accomplished musician and will be developing an instrumental program alongside our classroom music program. We will once again be involved in the Festival of Music Choir program and are exploring what the Wakakirri program will look like this year.

Emma de Brabant has joined us and is establishing our Indonesian language program. Emma is known as Bu Emma which is Indonesian means Miss Emma. We are excited to be offering a language program across the school.

Janelle Scrivener has also joined us. Janelle is working as a class teacher one day a week and in a support role for the remainder of the week.

Kristie Fudge is now based at our site. Kristie is a Music Strategy Network Field Officer and works with staff to build their skills and confidence in teaching Music. Kristie has already worked in many of our classes teaching students "raps" that promote and support their understanding of the Play is the Way Life rafts. I'm sure many of you would have heard them "rapping" the Golden Rule! If you haven't, you might like to ask them to share it with you.

Alice Wagstaff- McCartan and Lisa Haddrick have returned to us after taking some leave.

We are pleased that many of our contract staff have continued with us this year. We have welcomed back Chloe Apolloni, Aaron McMillan, Cez Konarski, Alanah Turley, Melanie Macrow, Amber Thow, Linta Justin, Adam Benjamin and Mandy George.

Wahid Halimee has taken some extended leave this year. We are yet to appoint a new Assistant Principal with responsibility for the Intensive English Language classes.

To enable us to comply with the ongoing capacity restrictions resulting from Covid 19, please ensure that you RSVP to both the Acquaintance event and AGM if you are attending. This will ensure that we can manage the numbers and locate these meetings in appropriately sized spaces.

As we have now received our QR code, from Monday 15 February all staff and visitors entering our site are required to check-in using the QR code. You will note that there are now QR codes at the gates. If you are entering the site to deliver your child/ren in the morning or collect them at the end of the school day, you must check-in prior to entering the site. This expectation includes anyone who has a Carpark pass and drives onto school grounds. One of the Play is the Way life rafts encourages us to "do the right thing because it is the right thing to do." This is an opportunity for us all to model this to our children.

Regards,
Terena Pope

DIARY DATES

Term 1

Week 5
23 February Acquaintance Night

Week 6
1 March School Dental visits

Week 7
8 March Adelaide Cup Public Holiday
9 March AGM in gym at 7.00pm

SCHOOL CARD

Applications for 2021 School Card are to be completed online this year. An information sheet is available from the school office.

PAYMENTS

Invoices for school fees have been posted to families. Please note we are not currently accepting cash payments.

UNIFORM SHOP

Uniforms are available from Tuesday to Friday between 9am-9.30am

OSHC

Director: Jo Battersby 0418 585 142
Before school care: 7am-8.30am
After school care: 3pm-6pm
Vac Care/Pupil Free Days: 7am-6pm
***Bookings must be made direct to OSHC**

1 Renown Place, Clovelly Park SA 5042

Phone: (08) 8276 5366

Fax: (08) 8374 3301

Email:

dl.0932.admin@schools.sa.edu.au



Kickstart Breakfast Club

We are excited to have the Kickstart Breakfast Club start up again Monday to Friday providing breakfast for children between 8.30-8.45am. Kickstart for Kids is a not-for-profit organisation that assists school children in SA to achieve positive educational outcomes and increased self esteem through school breakfast programs, mentoring programs and Camp Kickstart holiday programs. All students are welcome to start their day with a Kickstart breakfast.

Student's Medical Forms

Please ensure your children has an up-to-date medical form and bring forms to the front office. All medical forms should be updated every 12 months.

Uniforms

All students are expected to be in school uniform whilst at school. Please ensure your child is in uniform. New uniforms can be purchased from the school Tuesday to Friday between 9.00am-9.30am.

Acquaintance Night & AGM

You are invited to join us for our Acquaintance Night on Tuesday 23rd February. This is an opportunity to visit the school, meet the teachers and meet other parents. More details to follow. You will be required to RSVP to ensure we meet capacity restrictions.

Our Annual General Meeting is being held on Tuesday 9th March in the Resource Centre at 7pm. All are welcome to come to the AGM. RSVP's are required to ensure we are adhering to capacity restrictions.

2021 School Fees

A reminder that the 2021 Materials and Services Charges are due Friday 9th April 2021 (last day of Term 1).

Payment can be made at the school office or over the telephone (Cash, EFTPOS and credit card are accepted).

If you are eligible for school card assistance you are able to complete your application online at: sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard. Please note: a new school card application is required at the start each year.

For families that would like to enter into a regular payment arrangement please contact Cathy at the school office on 8276 5366 prior to the end of term 1.

Thank you, Cathy Wisdom
Business Manager

Sports Day

Sports day will be held on Thursday 1st April this year. Further details to follow soon. **Please note: this day will be an early dismissal at 2pm.**

QR Code

The Department for Education continues planning and operating in line with advice from SA Health to support the safety and wellbeing of staff, students and the broader community.

REQUIREMENT : PRIMARY SCHOOLS

All adults (including staff and parents) entering the site must check-in by scanning the QR code or completing the paper recording log template.

Students do not need to check-in. Their attendance is recorded in the school attendance system and can be easily made available to SA Health for contact tracing purposes.

Please note the COVID Safe Check-in is purely for SA Health contact tracing purposes and doesn't replace the school normal visitor sign-in process. All guests should continue to sign in at the front office/reception on arrival.

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Be Brave-Participate

In Y7 we have been working alongside Ms Fudge our Network Field Officer for Music to embed our Play is the Way values and life rafts. So far we have reinforced our GOLDEN RULE through song, rap, chants and drumming. This week we are doing the same through our Green Life Raft BE BRAVE-PARTICIPATE TO PROGRESS. It is great to see and hear students using the language to support their learning and each other.



Welcome to new Staff

Music Education: Ms Kristie Fudge

Hello! I am currently based here at Clovelly Park Primary School, working as a Music Education Network Field Officer as a part of the Department for Education's Music Education Strategy.

What does this mean?

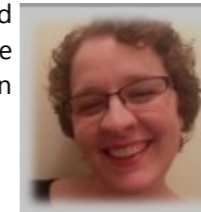
In 2018 the Department launched a 10 year Music Education Strategy, which aims to improve the access and quality of music education in schools.

Basically, in my role, I am working with schools in the southern area to provide support and mentoring to increase the confidence and capabilities of classroom teachers in providing quality music education.

Some Clovelly Park teachers have already invited me into their classrooms to work with them and their students. We've had some fun exploring the golden rule, using speech, beat, and rhythm.

I have worked as a classroom teacher and Performing Arts teacher for the past 19 years, and for the past 9 years I've worked as a Performing Arts Teacher at Woodcroft Primary School. In my spare time, I like to sing, play piano and drums, and read.

If you see me around out and about in the yard, please feel free to say hi!



Performing Arts: Miss Kaya Nicholls

My name is Miss Kaya. I am teaching Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays. I will be working with your children and engage them in the creative world of performing arts, which also includes choir and music programs.



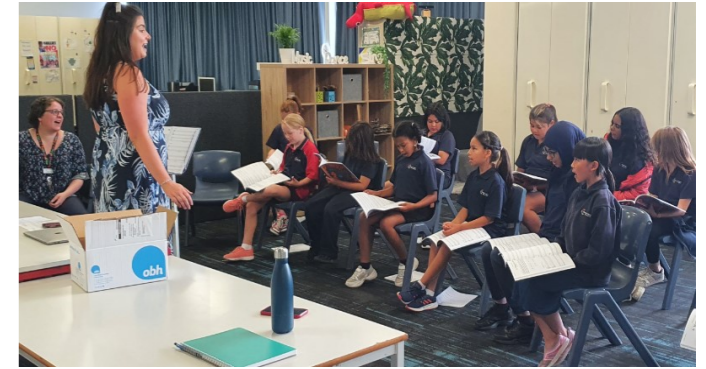
Indonesian: Bu Emma

Hello, my name is Bu Emma. "Bu" is Indonesian for Ms. I am teaching an Indonesian language program with your children. I love all languages and cultures and look forward to hearing about your language and cultural experience!



Choir

This week, students were delighted to have their first Choir practice with Ms Kristie and Miss Kaya.



Literacy - G4

In Literacy, we use sound cards to make words and to manipulate sounds in words. We practise putting them into alphabetical order, identifying vowels and consonants and making our spelling sounds.



Counting - R5



R5 began the day counting as they jumped into hoops!

Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 9th February was Safer Internet Day. Students in Y6 and Y7 explored using and enjoying online experiences whilst still keeping themselves safe and healthy. The classes joined together to say **NO** to online bullying and to always uphold our Golden Rule: **Treat others as you would like them to treat you**.

