



Lake Wangary School Newsletter

Term 4 Week 3

100th Year Building Celebration Day

We had an amazing turnout for the 100th Celebrations. Many past scholars, employees, parents and community members attended and enjoyed a tour of the school and reminiscing of the old days.



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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dates to Remember:

TERM 4

Week 3

Thursday 28th Oct
Foody Fundrasier

Week 4

Monday 1st Nov
JP Gymnastics 12-3

Wednesday 3rd
Preschool

Week 5

Monday 8th
JP Gymnastics 12-3

Tuesday 9th
Preschool to
School Transition
9am -10am

Wednesday 10th
Minya Custodians
Showcase

Thursday 11th
Foody Fundrasier

School Assembly
LP Class 2.30pm

Week 6

**LP & MP Swimming
Lessons**

**UP Class - School
Camp**

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Hope you are all well and enjoyed the short burst of summer on Tuesday. Week 3 and the term is only getting busier. We will endeavour to keep you informed of all events and activities occurring over the next few weeks.

Hot topic at the moment is Covid vaccinations at the school which will occur on Wednesday the 3rd of November at 9:30am. **This has been mandated by SA Health and the Department for Education.**

We are following instructions and allowing Aspen the organisation administering the vaccines to provide this service. These are ONLY for children 12 years and over and any member of the community who would like their first or second jab. A consent form MUST be completed for anyone getting the vaccination. We are pro-choice at Lake Wangary and will not engage in any 1 sided arguments for or against the Covid vaccine. It is your choice. For further information please contact the school.

This week we had our new preschool students have their first orientation visit. It was a great day and lots of children had their back packs and water bottles ready for action. Very cute! More transition days coming up for new pre-schoolers, new school students and year 6 and 7s going to high school. We have had 2 students at Cummins this week, we hope this went really well. Stay tuned for more up and coming dates.

In week 5 we are holding a showcase session on our achievements in Minya Custodians. We are going to set up the gym for walk throughs and small presentations for families to see. It will be in week 5 on Wednesday 10th of November from 11:30am until 12:30pm. A sausage sizzle will follow. Hope to see you all there.

We are looking for a Covid Cleaner for Wednesdays and Fridays from 10am -12pm. Please let us know if you are interested.

Swimming and school camp are coming up in week 6. Notes will be home soon. Please ensure all notes are returned promptly.

Our new air-conditioning and lights has been installed in the gym! Yay! The preschool is undergoing some minor renovations and this is almost completed. Another woohoo!

Hats are available for sale at school and it is mandatory for all students and staff to be wearing hats when outdoors.

Our 100 year celebration was an amazing day. It was an intimate celebration and all visitors complimented how well our students went on the tours.

Thank you to all that supported the day.

Wade Branford
Principal

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SCHOOL UNIFORM

School uniform is strongly encouraged for all students. There is a range of second hand school uniforms and new items for sale from the front office.



Polo Shirts **\$24.00** Shorts **\$10.50**

Hats - **\$8.80** Sport Skort - **\$14.55**

Please contact Dan Morgan to place your order for 2022.

FOR SALE!

Lop eared rabbits
Grey/Brown and White.
Have been handled and are
very cute and friendly.
\$50 each.
Contact Shelly 0401 518 009



LOST PROPERTY

There is a **MOUNTAIN** of lost property. Any unclaimed and/or unnamed clothing will be donated to charity.

BREAKFAST CLUB

We are in desperate need of volunteers to help run our breakfast club every Tuesday . Please return the note or ring the school if you can help.

ASSEMBLY

WEEK 5 THURSDAY

11/11/21 2.30PM

Everyone Welcome

Term Dates 2021/2022

Term 4: 11 October - 9 December

10th December - School Closure

Christmas Holidays: 12th Dec - 30th Jan

Term 1 2022 - 31 January - 14 April

Up-Cycled Christmas Tree Building Competition

WIN CASH

FOR YOUR SCHOOL/COMMUNITY GROUP
THIS CHRISTMAS



Get creative with recycled materials and create an Up-cycled Christmas Tree.
The Options are Endless!

FREE Tree Frame provided to get you started.

Prizes on offer:

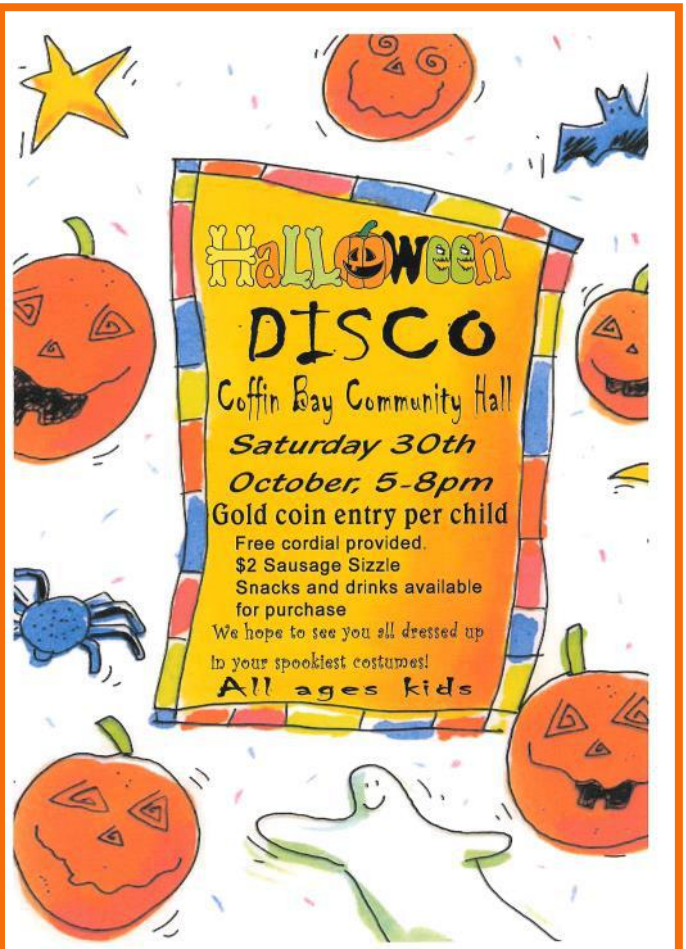
- Child Care / Kindergarten **\$200**
- Junior Primary School **\$200**
- Primary School **\$200**
- High School **\$200**
- Community Group **\$200**



Tree base & frame for your trees will be provided by the Chamber of Commerce, thanks to Bunnings & Derryl Steunton. Register to have your frame reserved for your group/school. Trees will be adopted out to businesses for display during December. Creating a fun Tree Trail for kids & families. All materials must be securely attached for transport and tree must be clearly identified with name, age group & material details.

Register by 1st December 2021 at www.portlincolnchamber.com.au

Keep an eye on Port Lincoln Chamber Facebook for updates



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Foster Carers Wanted across South Australia!

- Are you passionate about the future of Aboriginal children and young people?

- Are you supportive and understanding?

- Can you help keep young people safe in culture and community?

AFSS is looking for caring people just like you, who want to play their part in supporting Aboriginal children and young people



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Together with the community



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Life Matters will be presenting their Christmas 2021 Performance – “A Gift of Gratitude” in week 6. This will be a great opportunity for students to learn about gratitude and the positive impact it has on physical and mental wellbeing. Please contact me at the school if you would like any further information on this. Thanks Tracey

a Gift of Gratitude



Gratitude is a thankful appreciation for what an individual receives. With gratitude, people acknowledge the goodness in their lives. In the process, people usually recognise that the source of that goodness lies at least partially outside themselves.

As a result, gratitude also helps people connect to something larger than themselves as individuals - whether to other people, nature, or a higher power. In positive psychology research, gratitude is strongly and consistently associated with greater happiness.

Gratitude helps people feel more positive emotions, relish good experiences, improve their health, deal with adversity, and build strong relationships.

This Christmas season we want to encourage young people all over South Australia to embrace a sense of gratitude in their daily lives. The core of the Christian faith revolves around a God who loved the world so much that he GAVE his Son to the world. Out of our gratitude to a God who loves us, we too want to encourage young people to be more kind, more giving and more thankful.

This interactive presentation offers an educational perspective on Christianity and the foundational story of Christmas. It is shared in a non-judgemental and sensitive way, created for a diverse audience.

KEY LEARNINGS: Christian Education, Diversity in Religious Belief, Gratitude, Positive Mental Health, Teamwork, Resilience

RUNNING TIME: 45 mins

DATES: 8th November - 10th December

AGE GROUPS: Split ages preferred eg. R-2, 3-6

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