COMMUNITY NOTICES

• Do you require childcare before school, after school, vacation care or care for student free days? Murray Bridge North School OSHC offers quality care for primary aged children in a home like environment with dedicated, caring staff. OSHC operates from the ‘Old House’ within the grounds of the North School. OSHC opens at 6.30am for morning care and closes at 6.30pm after school. Link SA buses are available from the North School to the South School in the mornings and return from the South School to the North School in the afternoons. Details on enrolments and costs phone 08 8532 2155 or fax 08 8531 0083. 

EYDC: Express Yourself Dance Company is excited to launch the opening of the Murray Bridge Dance School. EYDC is a successful dance school in Strathalbyn for the past 7 years. 3 years to adults; an amalgamated class of jazz, hip hop, contemporary + lyrical + tap classes. For more information or to register contact ALEX: 0421 188 188 or PETA: 0410 177 541. Registrations close 30th March 2016. E-mail: alex@murraybridge@outlook.com.au

KINDERGYM: Murraylands Gymnastics Academy is running a trial Kindergym program for 5 weeks starting on 11th March. $12/session or $50 up front payment. For more information contact Narelle on 8669 7268. 

Young Mums taking a Break. For mums aged up to 25 years and their little ones to connect, take some time out for fun and discuss topics such as parenting, health, child development and more. Every second Friday from 1pm-3pm during school terms. Please see Community Notice board for more info.

AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CADETS MURRAY BRIDGE

623 Squadron (A AFC) Murray Bridge is holding an Information Session on Friday 11th March between 5pm and 6pm at our Squadron – 9 Caroline St Murray Bridge. Everyone is invited to come and find out about the challenging and fun activities we offer in our training and survival camps, field craft and navigation, flying, water activities, abseiling, canoeing and much more. How exciting to be able to learn to fly by 17 if you want. Our program is accredited for SACE and Duke of Edinburgh Awards.

622 Squadron (A AFC) Murray Bridge was established in February 2015 by our local youth from the Murraylands. Mid Murray, Mallee, Bremen and Strathalbyn regions.

The A AFC is the leading Australian youth development organisation for girls and boys,recruiting from ages 13 to 17 years. Cadets come from all backgrounds, form bonds and lifelong friends with cadets at State and National level via our National Accredited Development Program. They learn life skills, leadership, initiative, self-confidence and discipline, teaching skills, loyalty and fun in a military environment.

For more information please contact 0417 825 455 or e-mail eydc@murraybridge@outlook.com.au

DIARY DATES

MARCH
Fri 11th March WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY
Mon 14th ADELAIDE CUP HOLIDAY
Tue 15th Spirit of Anzac Exhibition—C1, C2 + C4 at Wayne’s Surfboards
Mon 21st Harmony Day
Fri 25th GOOD FRIDAY
Mon 28th EASTER MONDAY
APRIL
Fri 1st Migration Museum Excursion—C8 + C3
Mon 4th-Fri 8th Softball SAPSASA
Fri 15th Last day Term 1
MAY
Mon 2nd First day Term 2

LOST PROPERTY

Please check the lost property outside the front office. There is a small amount of clothing left over from swimming in Weeks 2 + 3 this term including towels, bathers and thongs.

ABSENCE HOTLINE

0427 016460

Text only to mobile above or leave message after hours on

85 32 2155

If your child is going to be absent, please send a text message to the school mobile number as above. Thank you!

MURRAY BRIDGE SOUTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Working Bee at the end of week 7

As a School Council we are keen to work together to make the school a more attractive place. We are looking at having a working bee on Sunday, March 20th between 10am and 4pm. This will give people the opportunity to either come early or later in the day – you can come for as little or as long as you can get. On this day we will be taking care of lots of minor maintenance works such as tree trimming, weeding, repairs to benches, pressure washing of buildings and paths and working on garden areas. The School Council will put on a BBQ to feed our hungry workers, and we look forward to seeing you there. If you are able to provide some of your time please contact John Osman, School Council Chairperson on HIS MOBILE NUMBER OR EMAIL 0499 111 200 or john@osmansservices.com.au

School AGM

Our School will be holding its Annual General Meeting at 7PM on Tuesday, March 15. This is an opportunity to ask questions about our 2015 Annual Report, and hear some of our early thoughts about our direction for 2016.

School Council 2016

One way that parents and caregivers can be involved in the school is through our School Council and associated sub-committees. School Council meets twice a term, with meetings starting at 7pm and usually being finished by 8:30. This group provides advice and guidance to school leadership about the finances, policies and broad direction of the school, and is an important link between school staff and our wider school community. If you would like more information please talk to Stuart at the school, or email me at stu-art.kitto629@schools.sa.edu.au. Our subcommittees are currently being reviewed by Council, but once these are established we will use this newsletter to invite people to get involved. Some of the subcommittees we are likely to have include Finance, Facilities and School Sports. Watch this space!

Volunteers at South School

I’d like to thank the many people who have expressed interest in supporting our children here at South by volunteering in different roles. This is something that we support and encourage. We have had so many people wanting to know more about volunteering here that we have had to review our processes for applying to be a volunteer. We will be running a Volunteer Information Session at 4:30-6pm on Wednesday, March 23. Please RSVP to the front office so that we know how many information packs we will need. This will include a mandatory session on Reporting Abuse and Neglect that all volunteers are required to complete. It will run again in late May for people who are unable to attend this session.

STUART KITTO
Principal

Every face has a place

SWIMMING LESSONS AT THE HYDRO POOL STARTS NEXT WEDNESDAY 9TH MARCH

Murray Bridge South Primary School

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Murray Bridge
SA. 5253
PH: 08 8533 2155
FAX: 08 8531 0083
E-mail: dl.09500.info@schools.sa.edu.au
Wipe Out Waste Bin Audit

WEEK 3 WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY AWARD WINNERS 19-2-16

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
San (C5) 2nd March
Keely (C8) 3rd March
William (C6) 4th March
Mia (U5) 5th March
Jhon (U2) 6th March
Layla-Mae (C7) 7th March
Tyler (C5) 8th March
Marama (C3) 8th March
Matthew (C4) 11th March
Tarni (C7) 11th March
Lexisha (C4) 12th March
Ivan (U5) 12th March

PARENTS/CARERS COFFEE 'N CHAT
ACTIVITY ROOM
EVERY MONDAY MORNING
AFTER SCHOOL DROP OFF to 10:00AM
ALL WELCOME!!

SCHOOL FEES
Please pay your School Fees as soon as possible to enable resources to be purchased for the students. We welcome payment by instalments if that is more convenient. Invoices can be paid by cash, cheque, EFTPOS, EFT Direct Credit or arrangements can be made to use the Centrepay facility.
If you think you are eligible for School Card for 2016, or wish to know more about it, please ask the front office for an application form as soon as possible.
If you pay your fees in full or apply for school card (if eligible) by Thursday 24th March 2016, you will automatically be entered into a FREE raffle to win a $50.00 meat voucher.

If any family or emergency contact details change during the year please make sure you update your information with the office staff. This includes phone numbers and address information. It’s important our records are kept up to date.
Thanks!

Canteen Specials
Wednesday 2nd March to Friday 11th March

HAM or CHICKEN SALAD WRAP or ROLL + Water $4.50 save 70c
(Celery, carrot, crackers, French onion dip)
+ Juice $3.50 save 50c
OR
6 NUGGETS + OAK MILK $4.50 save 50c

** FRIDAY 11th MARCH **
WEDGES with chilli or tomato sauce and sour cream $3.50

$1 DAY SPECIALS
available Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays
LISTEN TO MORNING NOTICES FOR WHAT’S ON SPECIAL!!
Sorry, NO CREDIT is available so please do not ask!
ANNETTE THOMSON
(Canteen Manager)