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Principal: Jill Hess | Deputy Principal: Adele White

28 October 2021



## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to term 4. We have had lots of illness throughout the school over the last 2 weeks, with up to 87 students away on one day. If your child is un-well, can you please keep them home so illnesses are not spread through the school.

### SPORTS DAY

What a fabulous end to last term with a wonderful Sports Day. Thank you to Jimmy Ellis, staff, students, parents and Covid Marshalls for making this such a fun day for our students. Congratulations to Bradman House for winning the Sports Day Shield. The way our students interacted and supported each other and cheered each other on, no matter what team they are in, was commendable. What a fantastic school we are in.

### M & S CHARGES FOR 2022

The Materials and Services fee for 2022 has been set at \$270. You are invited to attend this meeting to discuss the fees. Please refer to the letter sent via Skoolbag earlier in the week.

### YEAR 6 & 7 TRANSITION TO HIGH SCHOOL

Tomorrow our 6/7 students who will be attending Nuriootpa High School will be going to the High School for their transition day. This is a very exciting time for our students although there are some nerves involved. If you have a student involved in this transition, please reassure him/her that they are ready for their new environment and nervousness is normal

### PRE-SCHOOL TO SCHOOL TRANSITION

On Monday night we will have our parent meeting with the new Reception parents. The meeting will be at 6.30 in Mandy Gorman's classroom (Reception/1 classroom by the canteen). This is an opportunity for parents to meet Mandy and to hear about class routines and ask questions about school expectations. The 4 transition visits for Kindy students begin on Tuesday the 9<sup>th</sup> at 8.50 am & other dates where to meet.

### Our Purpose

We key into excellence by developing engaged independent lifelong learners who demonstrate respect and responsibility within our school and wider community.

### DIARY DATES:

**29th October**

**Year 6 & 7 Transition day**

**1st November**

**Parent Meeting @ 6:30 for Pre-school to School Transition**

**22nd November**

**Pupil Free Day**

**29th November**

**Governing Council Meeting  
@ 6:00pm in Library**

Students who are on school grounds before 8.30am and after 3.30pm are not supervised and the school is not able to take responsibility for them.

Before 8.30am students need to wait under the shelter near the staffroom and after 3.30pm they are asked to come to the office so we can contact families.

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL CON'T

### PUPIL FREE DAY

Don't forget we have a Pupil Free Day on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> November. Staff will be working on the new curriculum units designed by the department. We will be examining what they entail and how we apply them to our work.

### TWILIGHT CONCERT

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November is our concert night. Bring your picnic blankets and dinner and sit out on the oval to enjoy our celebration. Please be at school by 6.00pm, the concert will begin at 6.30pm. We must follow our Covid plan which means all adults will have to QR code check in and, stay socially distanced from non-family members. If you have had your Covid Marshalling training, could you volunteer to be a marshal on the night? If so can you let Karen in the Front Office know.

### HISTORY IN THE MAKING

Now you see it, now you don't. As you would have seen our old transportable buildings have been removed. We have asked SEG to provide suggestions on how to best utilize this space.



### HAPPY HAVEN

People who use Happy Haven would have seen the new facilities they have moved into. Happy Haven people are really happy with the new facilities and they have made the area really inviting and practical.

### NEW ADMINISTRATION BLOCK

The New Administration area is coming along and we should be in the new area in January, this will be a fabulous area to work in and much more supportive of students, parents and staff.

### PRINCIPAL'S GOLD BOOK



Levi Griffin

Mia Trenwith

Callum Wilton

### AWARDS



## FROM THE DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

### Medication

If your child requires any medication to be administered at school the Front Office staff must be notified. Medication Agreement forms are available via your doctor or from the school, which must be completed by a GP or Specialist. Staff are not able to administer medication unless this form is provided to us. All Medication must be in the original pharmacy packaging—clearly labelled with the students name, dosage etc. Please note that pharmacists will split packaging if the medication is also required at home. All medication will be kept in the front office. This includes asthma medication unless an alternative arrangement is requested in writing by the parent. We request that parents/carers bring the medication to school, not the students. Antibiotics which are required 3 times a day, can generally be given around school hours.

### School Dress Code

We have had discussions with our students about our Dress Code Policy. It is great to see so many wearing the correct colours. Now that it is term 4, in line with Cancer Foundation guidelines, all students are expected to wear hats at play times and during lessons outside. These are to be a bucket or wide brimmed hat, which are available in the uniform shop. Hats are to be school colours, royal blue or navy and are to be in a satisfactory condition. If hats are graffitied or torn, can they please be replaced. Hats are also required for excursions. If students do not have a hat at school or a hat not fitting our Dress Code, they will sit in the 'No hat, no play' area as per our policy. Our dress code policy is available on Skoolbag and will be sent home with the next newsletter. Thankyou.

### Positive culture

At the end of the year students can be excited or nervous about the upcoming year, or are tired, this can impact on student behaviour. Staff promote and model respectful behaviour and acknowledge positive respectful behaviour of the students. The flow through effect is demonstrated by engaged student learning, safe play and positive social relationships. Students are provided with opportunity to reset their behaviour if they are having an unsettled day. They are provided with strategies to help them with this. Communication between parents/carers and teachers, and working together as a team is really important to help support the students.

# SPORTS DAY 2021

On the last day of term 3 we participated in Sports day. Students were engaged in a range of old and new sporting activities. We would like to thank Mr. Ellis for all his hard work in organizing and Miss Wensley who did the scoring. We would also like to thank the Parent/Caregivers for coming along to support and watch the children on the day and also to our Wonderful COVID Marshals on the day.

## From The Students .....

*This year at the Nuriootpa Primary School Sports day on the last day of term 3 2021 was a fun filled day where students and teachers dressed up in their team colours and completed activities throughout the day to earn team points and win sports day.*

*The teams were Fraser, Bradman, Whitton and Goolagong. Fraser is Yellow, Bradman is Red, Whitton is Blue and Goolagong is Green.*

*By Baylee Fay*

**First Place—Bradman    Second Place—Goolagong    Third Place Fraser    Last Place—Whitton**

*This year for sports day we had a range of new and spectacular activities thanks to Mr Ellis. All students participated in fun and surely stressful games. But in the end there was only room for one first place.*

*Games Played were:*

*4-way netball - Flip the cones - The amazing race - 4-way soccer - Fill the bottle*

*4-way hockey - Sack race - Bombardment - 100-meter sprint - Tug of war - Relays*

*After lunch we had the amazing race and relays. Bradman won the relays and Fraser won the amazing school race. Most students agree that some activities were challenging and more difficult especially for the ones that want to win. In the end the scores were in and our places were:*

*Bradman (red): 1st*

*Goolagong (green): 2nd*

*Fraser (yellow): 3rd*

*Whitton): 4<sup>th</sup>*

*All students on the day gave everything a good go and despite the places all the points added up were really close. we can all decide on one thing which was that we all had a good time, more importantly our year 6's and 7's for their last primary school sports day and even more special for our new little students this year.*

*By Olivia Svoboda*

# SPORTS DAY 2021 CONTINUED

By Maycen Zerna

The end of term 3 this year Nuriootpa Primary School had their sports day, which was a great success thanks to Mr. Ellis organizing all the activities this year, all student and teachers participated and had lots of fun. Bradman took out the shield this year as a very close win but Goolagong, Frazer and Whitten all fought extremely hard. All teams showed an amazing teamwork and sportsmanship to all other competitors from receptions to year 7's everyone did amazing and they did the school extremely proud.

Mr. Ellis introduced tug of war for the students, 4-way soccer, he changed the amazing race, Cross the river, Flip the cones.

We all did

4-way netball - Flip the cones - The amazing race - 4-way soccer - Fill the bottle

4-way hockey - Sack race - Bombardment - 100-meter sprint - Tug of war - Relays

Everyone dressed up and looked amazing this was the best sports day yet!

## WELCOME NEW FAMILIES

Welcome to new students Lucas and Keiran. We are so pleased you and your family have joined our school community.

## STAR OF SUCCESS



**Congratulations  
Star of Success Recipients' for Term 3 2021**

Evelyn, Imogen, Neveah, Jackson, Oliver, Elsie Josh  
Corban, Neveah, Makayla, Zac, Abbie, Rhys, Eve,  
Frederich, Wilbur and Eamon  
Absent Bently and Elsie

# GERMAN NEWS



## German Daily 5

In term 3, students from Reception to Yr. 7 were introduced to 'German Daily 5'. This is a form of oral language learning, that incorporates daily speaking with familiar and some new language concepts. Students have embraced this learning and as a result German Daily 5 has been extended in term 4. Students now are learning to count to 50 and above, 1000 by multiples of 100 and are learning additional conversation German sentences. Students are now even becoming the Teacher and leading German Daily 5 sessions.

## Conversation German

Wie heisst du? – What is your name?  
Ich heisse ..... My name is .....

Wie geht's? - How are you feeling?  
Mir geht's gut/so-so/schlecht – I am good/so-so/ not good.

Wo wohnst du? Where do you live?  
Ich wohne in ..... – I live in .....

## **Die Zahlen – Numbers**

- **1-50 and above**
- **10 – 100 by multiples of 10**
- **100-1000 by multiples of 100**

## **Die Monate – Months of the Year**

## CONTACT INFORMATION:

*Frau Haylie Cooke*

The German Room is located in the Upper Primary deck. The room is open before school on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 8.30am.

Should you wish to contact me please do on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at School on 85621040 to either have a chat or make an appointment at a mutually convenient time.

**DIE WOCHENTAG – The Days of the Week song**  
*Sung to the tune of The Addams Family song*

**DIE WOCHENTAG** (click ,click) **DIE WOCHE N TAG** (click, click)  
**DIE WOCHENTAG.. DIE WOCHENTAG..DIE WOCHENTAG**  
(click, click)

There's **SONNTAG** and there's **MONTAG**

There's **DIENSTAG** and there's **MITTWOCH**

There's **DONNERSTAG** and there's **FREITAG**

and then there's **SAMSTAG**

**DIE WOCHENTAG** (click, click) **DIE WOCHENTAG** (click, click)  
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(click, click)



## **German Daily 5**

**Term 3, 2021**

1. Count the numbers 1-10, 1-20 orally in German  
(increase as student's knowledge and confidence grows at 10 every 2 weeks so their confidence grows at 10 every 4 weeks etc.)  
2. Count orally in German multiples of 10-100
3. Say the Days of the Week in German  
(*1<sup>st</sup> – sing*)
4. Say the Months of the Year in German
5. Partner conversation:  
a. Wie heisst du? Ich heisse ....  
b. Wie geht's? Mir gehts ....



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**Term 4, 2021**

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(increase by 10 every 2 weeks so their confidence grows at 10 every 4 weeks etc.)  
2. Count orally in German multiples of 10 -100  
Count orally in German multiples of 100 – 1000
3. Say the Days of the Week in German – sing  
*Die Wochentag* song (*1<sup>st</sup> – sing*)
4. Say the Months of the Year in German – *Die Monat*
5. Partner conversation:  
a. Wie heisst du? Ich heisse ....  
b. Wie geht's? Mir gehts ....  
c. Wo wohnst du? Ich wohne in ....

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This person will run German Daily 5 sessions with Frau Cooke.

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# FROM THE PASTORAL CARE WORKER



## SHE Programme

During Term 4 I will be running a SHE programme on Thursday lunchtimes (1.00-1.30pm) - for 5 weeks. Starting week 2, finishing week 6. This is open to all girls from years 3 through to year 7 to attend.

Each week will be a different topic, looking at subjects such as Hair, Skin & Nail care, Social Media/Internet Security, Mental Health, Fitness/Nutrition and Friendships. Most weeks we have a guest speaker joining us to share their knowledge. If you think that one or more of these topics might be helpful or interesting to your girls, please let them know about the SHE programme, and encourage them to attend one or all of the sessions.

It is my hope that these small "bites" of information will help support your girls through some of the challenges they will face as they grow and learn.

## WORLD TEACHERS DAY

International World Teachers Day is on October 5<sup>th</sup>, but because that often falls in the school holidays, it is celebrated in Australia on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October.

At Nuriootpa Primary we are blessed with such a high caliber of teaching staff. I often overhear conversations in the staffroom where teachers and SSO's are discussing how best to support and assist your children in their individual learning needs – this happens in their break time, when they have a moment to catch their breath – but instead are often still working on how to best to help their classroom and individual kids. Our NPS teachers and SSO's are a committed and dedicated team, fitting together like pieces of a puzzle to provide a safety net under the children as they learn and grow.

Due to COVID19, parent/teacher connectivity has happened in a different way, perhaps with less face-to-face interactions. However, I would encourage you to make contact with your child's teacher and let them know how much you appreciate their efforts in teaching and supporting your children. Sometimes a kind word of thanks or appreciation can go a long way in filling a persons "bucket" – knowing they are appreciated gives them the energy to keep going on hard days. Let's show our thanks and appreciation for all teachers on 29<sup>th</sup> October.



I am in the school on Monday, Wednesday & Thursday and am contactable on [kylie.heinrich646@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:kylie.heinrich646@schools.sa.edu.au).

# CHOIR 2021

Wow what a busy year it has been for our choir students! They have been involved in some magical performances for the Festival of Music. It started with 16 of our senior choir students being involved in the concert series held at the Adelaide Entertainment Centre. It was a long night for the students, they left school at 11:00am and did not return back to school until 10:00pm! Even though this was an extremely long and tiring day for everyone involved, it went off spectacularly and was heartwarming to be involved with!

A massive thank you to Kylie Murray and Courtney Adams for making the trips possible, as well as the students and parents for their unbelievable hard work to make sure everything was ready!

Last Wednesday, all 27 of our choir students performed at the Northern Metro Music Festival. This was a beautiful experience for our year 4's and the rest of the students who missed out on performing in Adelaide. It was another long day with hours of rehearsals before our actual concert, BUT we were lucky enough to be placed in the first row which made it even more amazing. One of our amazing students, Baylee Fay was lucky enough to win a solo for the concert night, her performance of Lifeblood was heartwarming to see and her hard work and dedication payed off. Congratulations Baylee!!

While it is sad to see this year end, and so many of our older students leave, it is an exciting time for our younger students to let their voices shine!!

# CANTEEN



Thank you for all the support on Sports Day. We would also like Thank our wonderful volunteers, that helped on Sports Day, you all did a fantastic job!

We would love you to Volunteer in the Canteen  
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday,

**Even if you can only spare an hour. This makes such a difference!**

Please contact office staff or see Donna



## SCHOOL NOTICES

### TOAST TUESDAY

Tuesdays 8.30am to 8.45am

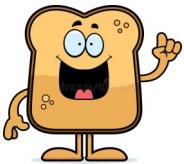
Toast available from

The Community Building window

**ANY donations of bread &/or butter**

are

**Welcomed & Appreciated**



### UNIFORM SHOP

**Thursday & Friday**

8.45AM TO 9.15AM

Uniform Orders can be placed online via the QKr app



### CANTEEN OPENING TIMES



**Wednesday to Friday**

Open for recess purchases

Lunch Orders can be placed online via the

QKr app **BEFORE 8.45am**

Or by cash via the classroom box



**HAPPY HAVEN**  
OSHC

**For before & after school care:**

Please contact Happy Haven

directly for bookings

Phone: 0424 979 934

Email: [nuriootpa@happyhaven.com.au](mailto:nuriootpa@happyhaven.com.au)

# PUBLIC NOTICES



**REGISTRATIONS  
OPENING SOON  
FOR SEASON  
2021/2022**

Juniors to seniors, male, female and mixed teams.  
All abilities welcome. Fantastic, family-oriented club.  
Training based at Hoffmann Oval, Penrice Road,  
Nuriootpa.

For more information please contact:  
Barossa United FC Administrator, Lisa Ognjanovic;  
M 0410 917 824, E admin@barossauited.com.au  
[www.barossauited.com.au](http://www.barossauited.com.au)

To register / renew go to:  
<https://www.revolutionise.com.au/buisc/registration/>



**JOIN WITH FRIENDS  
PLAY TOGETHER**

Join Woolworths Cricket Blast  
A safe way to have fun and stay  
active for kids of all abilities.

9 Sessions on these Wednesdays

**17/11/21 to 15/12/21**  
**Then 02/02/22 to 23/02/22**

**4.15pm—5.15pm at Greenock Oval**

**Greenock Cricket Club**



OFFICIAL KIDS PROGRAM

## PUBLIC NOTICES CONTINUED

### OPENING OF STOCKWELL PUMP TRACK & OPEN SPACE PRECINCT



[barossa.sa.gov.au](http://barossa.sa.gov.au)

**Saturday 30 October  
10.30am - 2.30pm**

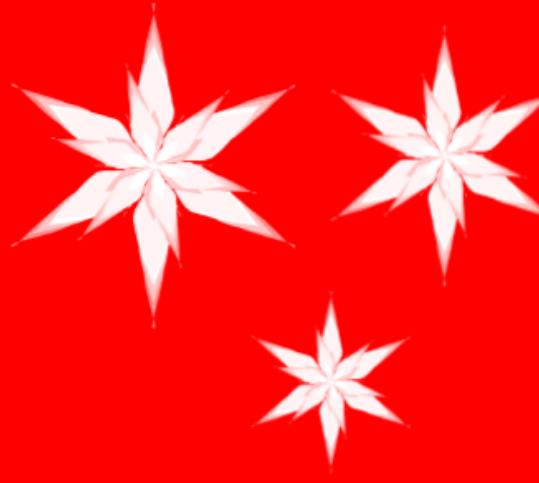
live music - fitness sessions -  
sausage sizzle - Get Stoked BMX  
workshops and demos



Government of South Australia  
Attorney-General's Department  
  
The Barossa Council

### SCHOOL CONCERT

November 26th



Nuriootpa Primary School

Christmas themed  
6 for a 6:30pm start.

# CALENDAR

**Term 4, 2021**

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>3</b>	25/10 Governing Council Meeting	26/10	27/10	28/10	29/10 Assembly Transition Day for Year 7 & 8
<b>4</b>	1/11 Parent meeting for Pre school—School transition 6.30 pm	2/11	3/11	4/11	5/11
<b>5</b>	8/11	9/11 Pre-school to School Transition 9.00 am—10.50 am	10/11	11/11	12/11
<b>6</b>	15/11	16/11 Pre-school to School Transition 9.00 am—11.15am	17/11	18/11	19/11 Assembly
<b>7</b>	22/11 Student Free Day	23/11 Pre-school to School Transition 8.55 am—1.00 pm	24/11	25/11	26/11 Concert
<b>8</b>	29/11 Governing Council Meeting for M&S fees @ 6.00pm	30/11 Pre-school to School Transition 8.55 am—2.30 pm	1/12	2/12	3/12
<b>9</b>	6/12	7/12 <b>Year 6/7 Graduation</b>	8/12	9/12 <b>Year 6/7 Splash Day</b>	10/12 <b>Year 6/7 Lunch</b>