Week 5 – WEDNESDAY, June 1st 2016

LEADERS’ NEWS

Working Bee
Thanks to the Laird, Freeman, Rohdenberg, Shepherd-Boyd, Jaeger, James, Fitzpatrick, Bashford, Handsaker, and Burns families, Sue Mills and church families who joined us last Sunday. Your efforts at our working bee are very much appreciated. Many hands, shovels and whipper snippers made quick work of tidying up the school and spreading mulch in the playground. Due to the weather painting of handrails was put on hold, so let Judy or Jim know if you can spare an hour at some stage to complete this job before winter really sets in. (maybe while you are waiting for sport practice pickup?) Thanks also to the Village church who provided a delicious morning tea, as well as muscle power!

Playground plans.
We have consulted with senior students, SRC, School Council and OSHC and are pleased to unveil our new playground. With growing numbers in our middle Primary, we will place the new playground next to the strawberry fair shed on the southern boundary of the oval, allowing plenty of choice for students at play time. It will have much requested monkey bars, plenty of upper body strength options, a climbing wall and an adventure maze. Hopefully it will be installed next holidays, depending on weather and access to the oval. Thanks go to OSHC for providing considerable funds to allow such a fancy option.

DATES TO REMEMBER

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CHECK OUT OUR SCHOOL APP INFO

STRAWBERRY FAIR – SUNDAY NOVEMBER 6th

PUPIL FREE DAY – FRIDAY,
**JUNE 10th**

**BOOKINGS AT OSHC 82938253**

A reminder that next Friday, June 10th is a Pupil Free Day. Teachers and SSO support staff will join local schools for moderation and collegiate sharing of the Australian curriculum, particularly Maths. The afternoon is back at Edwardstown for training from Mark LeMessurier on teaching tough kids, author of Parenting Tough Kids, a highly regarded behaviour coach in our local area. We will provide an insight of what we learn. OSHC provide care for families who need to book in.

**Web page update.**

Our new look EPS web page has been submitted to DECD for endorsement, and will replace the existing page shortly. We aren't given a date, but you will be pleasantly surprised with the new look when you log on sometime soon. Adam, our I.T support technician who works with Louise has added great new features, and will attend our next Council meeting to walk us through it.

Following on from our Reception /1 profile, this time we are focusing on our Year 1 and 2 classes in Rooms 8,9 10 and 11.

**Year 1/2 report**

**Maths**

This term the year 1/2 children have commenced weekly strategy lessons with Ms Bernie O’Connor. Children explicitly learn how to solve problems using various methods such as chunking, algorithm, zig zag, open number line and drawing pictures/tallies. Rooms 10 and 11 held a parent meeting explaining these strategies.

**Outdoor Education Program**

As part of our Outdoor Education Program all year 2 students will attend an overnight camp at the Adelaide Zoo this month. Year 1 students will be involved in a Night Under The Stars evening at school later in the year.

In support of our inquiry unit all students will be involved in an excursion to the city on Thursday 2/6. We will be visiting significant places such as The Railway Station, Festival Theatre, Anzac Walk/War Memorial and looking how these places have changed over time. Finally we will take a guided tour of the Adelaide Oval which I know students and helpers are very excited about.

Thanks to the “Village Church” for providing morning tea at our recent Working Bee. Yum!

Kathy Papps - Principal

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**PREMIER’S BE ACTIVE CHALLENGE**

The Premier’s Be Active Challenge (PBAC) is open to all students. It involves students being physically active for at least 60 minutes a day for five days out of seven for four weeks. Recess and lunch play, walking/riding to school, sports practices and games, swimming lessons, gardening and dancing are some of the many activities that can be counted towards the PBAC.

Students need to record their activities on the PBAC sheet and hand it in to me for approval by Thursday 29th September. Students will receive their medals in Term 4.

Congratulations to the following students who have already completed the 2016 PBAC :-

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SCRATCH DAY COMPETITION WINNER 2016

CodeClub Australia decided to celebrate Scratch Day (14th May) with a Scratch Project Competition, and we were delighted that one of our CodeClubbers, Karla Merlino, won a fab Tshirt. Karla is just one of the 50 or so students who attend the various CodeClubs we hold at school. Check out this link to view some of the projects our students have completed. [https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/1888606/](https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/1888606/)

Celebrating Environment Day at EPS
Tuesday, June 7th
- Dress in green,
- bring Nude Food
- and a gold coin donation for Landcare SA.
Environment group will be planting a tree.
Make a difference to our World.

SAPSASA District Cross Country Championships – Friday 20/5/16

Our biggest team ever of 25 EPS students went to Belair National Park to compete in the SAPSASA District Cross Country Championships. For once, the weather was kind to us with the ideal conditions for running – cool, cloudy and dry!
The students were all very well-behaved and extremely supportive of each other. The training sessions run by Jordan Wallis really paid off – all our students completed the course and five of them finished in the top six of their age groups.

Congratulations to the following students who did exceptionally well:
- Zac – 1st
- Jackson H – 2nd
- Amy and Lizzie – 4th
- Noah – 6th
- Cole – 7th

Zac, Jackson, Amy, Cole and Lizzie have been chosen to represent our district, City South, at the State Cross Country Championships to be held at Oakbank Racecourse in June.

A big thank you to Jordan Wallis for giving up lots of his time to train the students and for helping on the day.
Thank you also to pre-service teacher, Stephanie Weedon for helping on the day.
Thanks to the wonderful parents who helped with transport and stayed to support the students :- Tammy Jarvis, Dean Van Kempen, Nicole Heidenreich, Sarah Reichman, Estelle Denny, Emma Sweet and Jo Warde.

Thanks also to the other parents and friends who dropped in to support the students.

Sue Boggiano

Congratulations to Stephanie N who has been selected as part of the SAPSASA District Soccer team who will play in a week-long carnival in Week 8 of this term.
**CHANGE OF EMAIL ADDRESS FORM**

Name: ___________________________

email address: ____________________

PLEASE RETURN TO THE FRONT OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

OUR SCHOOL WEB ADDRESS IS: www.edwardps.sa.edu.au  Our school newsletters are always available on this website

**PARENT FEEDBACK**

I WANT TO KNOW....

Your views are important to us! Please send an email to Kathy.Papps15@schools.sa.edu.au to ensure that we understand your views.

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**FUNDRAISING NEWS**

**Can you help?**

**Election Day Saturday 2**nd **July** – We would like to run a **Raffle** - We are looking for donations to make this successful. If you can help please bring your donation into the front office ASAP. Thank you

**HEPTATHLON - Thursday, 23**nd **June** – Students are to come to school dressed in BRIGHT ‘colours’

The Heptathlon will be here again soon, and we have many excited students who are managing this major fundraising event for Term 2. It will be held between recess and lunch. The Heptathlon is a series of activities over a circuit that takes less than 20 minutes to complete. The aim is to complete as many circuits as they can within the 60 minutes allocated. The younger student’s modified circuit should allow them to complete 2 or 3 circuits within the 40 minutes. There are prizes for the highest funds and for the class with the timeliest return of money. An explanatory note and sponsorship form has been distributed.

We ask that you support your school by collecting sponsors e.g. work mates, grandparents, neighbours etc. We timed it to occur after the long weekend so the grans and extended family can be roped in for sponsorship if there are family functions. Funds from this event will contribute towards our Hall repayments and our new playground on the oval.

**ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS**

Books have been sent home to every family. Please return as soon as you can if you do not wish to buy it.

![Entertainment Book Ad](https://example.com/entertainment-book-ad)

To order your Book or your Digital Membership securely online visit: www.entbook.com.au/161e373

Pop in to the Front Office and flick through the book on display at the reception desk. Your family and friends are welcome to purchase through our school.
CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE WHO HAVE WALKED TO SCHOOL 10 WALKS, Violet A, Declan V and Baedan V. They will all receive a voucher which enables them a free ice block from the office any lunch time. Well done.

STRAWBERRY FAIR UPDATE
The EPS Strawberry Fair is an inclusive, creative and community lead fair that transforms the wonderful grounds of Edwardstown Primary School into a riot of colour and activity. There are a number of stalls selling a myriad of goods from books and home ware to gifts, cakes and jewellery. We have games to keep the kids busy and food stalls that offer yummy lunch and snack lines. A café and a bar cater for those who want a break and the ongoing entertainment keeps the oldies amused for hours. It is always a BIG day with a great community feel helped by the number of volunteers from the school, local churches and other community groups. Old scholars, past teachers and neighbours all make appearances and enjoy the camaraderie.

This year is the 34th year that the EPS Strawberry Fair has been in existence and it gets bigger and better every year!

This is the second year Simone and Chris Iley have been coordinators and this will be their last year. We are currently looking for a new coordinator and Simone and Chris will be more than happy to do a handover with you and support you in all areas of the 2017 fair. If you are interested or know of anyone that might be keen please let us know ASAP!

We are currently finalising our stall convenors who are responsible and in charge of the implementation and organisation of their stall, we are currently seeking support on our Drinks Stall, Sushi Stall & our new Salad Bar Stall. We need your help, please call Simone 0401 066 339 if you are interested or speak with Judy at the front office.

There are still available spots on our committee groups - we are desperately seeking support in our Marketing & Stalls subcommittees. This is a great way to get involved and be part of the team from the beginning.

The main feedback from last year is families would like a little more for the parents to do, more variety of stalls on the day. So with this information we have decided that this year we would like to trial inviting outside stalls to be involved in our fair through an application and selection process. We are thinking at this stage approximately five new stalls that contrast and support the current school stalls. If you or you know of someone that might be interested please get them to speak to Simone or Judy to get an application form. Applications close on 1st September 2016.

THE EPS 2016 STRAWBERRY FAIR IS ON SUNDAY 6th NOVEMBER, 10am to 3pm

STRAWBERRY FAIR NEWS.....next meeting, Wednesday, 15th June – Everyone welcome  3.30pm in staff room

5 months out from the Strawberry Fair and we have already received amazing donations from the following businesses:

| Bruce’s Meat and Poultry, Pasadena | Bicycle Centre Mitcham | Optimise Personal Training |
| Bridgestone Edwardstown | Capri Cinema | Bond & Lane Canteen |
| Cancer Council SA | Mostly Books, Mitcham Square | Skintelligence |
| Zoo’s SA | Unwind Therapy Mind & Body | Stephen Bishop Personal Training |
| Dan Murphy’s, Pasadena | Target, Edwardstown | Taylor Marine, Taperoo |
| SA Aquatic | Ocean Living Surf School | Steven Professional Hairdressing, Mitcham Square |
| Just Tickled Pink | Adelaide Farmers Market |

We acknowledge the generosity of these businesses and thank them for their support. This is just the start of what will become a very long list. We encourage our school families to try and support these businesses in return.
“Aladdin Trouble” will perform in the Goodwood Institute's Theatre on July 28th and 29th. This is incredibly exciting and for many of our students, is a once in a lifetime opportunity.

Tickets will go on sale soon.

More details will be presented to you as the time draws closer. There are matinee performances for our school students and the evening performances for our parents, relatives and friends.

**AFTER SCHOOL SPORT NEWS**

**SCHOOL SOCCER**

**Under 8's Soccer**

This week we came up against a very tall and very strong team from Flagstaff Hill who managed to kick 6 goals whilst keeping us scoreless. Despite this, our team remained focussed and continued to put in a great effort through both halves. With 6 subs, rotations were a challenge and fresh legs were a plenty! A special mention to Christos who worked hard in defence, and to both Ollie and Abby who ran tirelessly during their on-field stints! Onward and Upwards! *Thanks, Cristy*

**Edwardstown under 10 vs Aberfoyle Campus.**

We were all happy, excited and very energetic. Ollie shot his first goal of the season after a really good pass from Rayden. We ended the game 1-1 against Aberfoyle Hub PS. We learnt about the offside rule and need to get used to the whole pitch. The parents were cheering, being supportive and getting into the game. Overall it was a great game and we are looking forward to next week playing again with a great team. *Rayden*

**EPS U 11 vs Concordia**

We lost the game 4/5 but we worked hard and stopped a lot of goals. Good defence by Tyson S and good goal keeping by Jayden S and welcome to Ben P. *Mia Freeman*

**Senior Soccer**

It was a physical battle against Bellevue Heights, but the Senior boys fought to the end and were victorious. 4-0, Luka, Cody, Dimitri H and Yianni were our goal scorers. All the boys played exceptionally well. *Thanks Estelle*

**NETBALL**

**Year 4/5 Netball**

On Saturday the 28th of May we played St Joseph’s Kingwood. The final score was 7 to 8, we lost by one point but we still played well. Great job to the defenders and the attackers. The defenders were Alicia, Holly, Georgia, Millie, Emily and Ella. The attackers were Punsisi, Maeve, Lil, and Amelie. It was a fantastic game. Thankyou to Rhys and Matt for sweeping our courts before the game. Thankyou to Nicole for scoring the game. We are hoping to have another great game this week against Colonel Light Gardens. *Maeve and Millie*
WINTER SPORTS – SOCCER AND NETBALL
Reminder if fees haven’t been paid that they are now overdue. Please pay at the bookroom a.s.a.p to ensure your child is able to play.

VOLLEYBALL NEWS –
Volleyball is off and running again this term and how good do they look on the court now in their new shirts!!!! Contact Karola.laventure@gmail.com.au to join in the fun. Training Wednesday night and games played Friday nights after school. Also, congratulations to Eleni and Emma for making the leap to Club Volleyball with Austral Phoenix.

Kind Regards,  Karola & Dominic Laventure Mob: 0409 114 043 (Karola)

Reminder – Sports Tops and School Uniform
Students who have purchased the sports shirts for netball and volleyball are reminded that this is to wear for school sport. It is not part of the school uniform. Thank you.

FINANCE NEWS
By now, your Materials & Services Fees (school fees) should be fully paid, or arrangements made with the school’s Finance staff to arrange a Payment Plan. Please feel free to pop in and discuss any issues with either of us in the Finance Office.

BPoint, the new online payment system, is working well at the school end. Are you having any issues with it? If you are, please don’t hesitate to make contact with our Finance staff

School Card
Are you the holder of a Pensioner Concession Card or Health Care Card? Are you having financial difficulty at present, or has your financial situation changed? Call in to the Front Office or Finance Office for further info on applying for School Card Subsidy. It’s here to assist you!

Thank you, Glenys de Wit and Jen Goodman
Cake stall News

Thanks for supporting the Strawberry Fair craft group at last week’s cupcake stall!!!

We were totally overwhelmed by the generosity of the school community with so many donations of beautiful cupcakes. It was also lovely to see so many well mannered, happy EPS students enjoying the sweet treats!

The day was a great success & has enabled the craft group to get busy, ready for an exciting stall at the strawberry fair.

A big thank you to everyone who donated, helped on the day and bought cupcakes. If you would like to be part of the Strawberry Fair craft stall, please email alicepannenburg@icloud.com

**No need for any prior crafting experience or special skills to be involved!

LOST PROPERTY

Items need to be named and please check your child has the right jumper.

Please check the Lost Property cupboard for any of your missing items.
Clothing, hats, lunch boxes, drink bottles

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

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<th>SA Dental Service FREE!!</th>
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<td>Netball Coaching Program Taught and Bowled are offering specialist and general netball coaching programs for girls aged 9-13 years during term 2 and term 3 this year. The program runs over 4 x one hour sessions and includes a weekly take-home program for all participants. The program is tailored for each area of the court so that participants can receive coaching that is specific to their game. Programs will run on Sunday mornings at two locations – Ascot Park Primary School and East Adelaide School. For further information or to register for the program please go to <a href="http://www.taughtandbowled.com.au">www.taughtandbowled.com.au</a> or contact Alice at <a href="mailto:alice@taughtandbowled.com.au">alice@taughtandbowled.com.au</a> / 0412 454 784.</td>
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Lunch Orders From Deli
(Thursdays & Fridays)
PLEASE WRITE CHILD’S NAME AND ROOM NUMBER ON LUNCH BAGS ONLY (not envelopes)
PLEASE ENSURE CORRECT MONEY IS ENCLOSED FOLD DOWN BAG TO SECURE MONEY

SANDWICHES & ROLLS
Sandwiches: Choice of multigrain, wholemeal, or white
(Indicate if you want fresh or toasted)
Extra Salad—add 30c

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VIETNAMESE COLD ROLLS (2 piece RICE PAPER ROLLS) (RICE NOODLES, MINT, LETTUCE, CUCUMBER, CARROT +/- CHICKEN BREAST or Tofu with hoisin sauce on side)
ADD $2.00 for an extra roll.
1. Cold Rolls Vegetarian $4.20
2. Cold Rolls Chicken $4.50
3. Cold Rolls Tofu $4.50

HOT FOODS
Hot Dog $3.70
(Sauce & Mustard extra 10c—Onions add 30c, Cheese add 50c)

VILI’s (add 10c for tomato sauce)
Pie / Pasty $4.00
Sausage Roll $3.00
Mini Pizza $5.00
Ham & Pineapple $5.00

WRITE NAME & ROOM NUMBER ON LUNCHBAG (please do not use envelopes)

Items Available From EPS TUCKSHOP
LUNCHTIME—12.45-1.15PM
MONDAY—FRIDAY

FROZEN SNACKS
Slushies (seasonal) $2.00
Quech / (frozen fruit juice sticks) 50c
Assorted Ice Blocks / Ice cream
50c-$2.00

DRINKS
Flavoured milk $1.80
(Chocolate / Strawberry / Banana)

Fruit Juice $1.80

SNACKS
Fruit Scrappies 20c
Popcorn (gluten free) 20c
Mamee Noodles (dry only) 90c
CornTos $1.00
Red Rock Chips $1.50

Winter items subject to availability
Warm Milo $1.00
Warm Hot Chocolate $1.00
Muffins 50c

Fruit free supplied by Kick start for kids
(when available)

Kick start for kids