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Sports Day 2015 Results

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Congratulations to the Magpies and the Wallabies who were the victors on the day.

It was an excellent Sports Day. The weather was perfect, all the students participated hard and well, and the Fundraising Committee, Canteen and SRC provided some great refreshments.

Thanks to all those friends and families who came along to cheer on the students and to those who helped with clearing up at the end of the day.

A special thanks to Mr Butler for his organization and to those staff who made an extra effort to help with the set up and clean up afterwards.

Staffing News

Ms Elaine Nicolson, an SSO who has worked at the School for 20 years, has notified us of her retirement at the end of this term. We thank her for her work and wish her all the best.

Ms Jayne Sherringham has relinquished her position at our site. We thank Jayne for her work and wish her all the best. Ms Kirsten Osborne will continue in room 18. We are very excited to have Kirsten on board for the rest of the year!

Ms Murphy will be on sick leave for the next 2 weeks. Ms Whaley and Ms Parsons will be acting DP and counsellor respectively during this time.

Family-Teacher Interviews

Over the past week many families have taken the opportunity to meet with the class teacher to discuss their child’s learning progress. These conversations are very important. They are a part of how we report about your child’s learning as well as being an opportunity to connect with the School to find out ways you can support your child at home.

If you did not have an interview please contact the Front Office on 8255 2262 to arrange an appointment with the class teacher. Interviews are available to both parents not just a parent who has the daily care of a child.
Room 2
Tyler for working hard to rejoin his class during Maths
Shaye for being a reliable senior member of class who helps out

Room 4
Sakina for completing all of her homework whilst on an overseas holiday
Liam for working cooperatively and using his manners in the classroom

Room 5
Lilly for writing a fantastic Narrative for homework
Shaun for excellent on task behaviour

Room 6
Madison for persistence in Maths
Farhad for being a hard worker in English

Room 13
Tyson for quality work
Taila for enthusiasm and excellence in Choir
Phoenix for completing all learning tasks

Room 14/15
Brooklyn for amazing sports on Sport’s Day
Wayne for responsible behaviour
Kate for exemplary behaviour and effort during Choir

Room 16
Rugia for trying super hard with her learning
Talon for big improvements with keeping on task

Room 17
Brock for being cheerful, positive and friendly
Paige for being a wonderful member of our classroom community

Room 18
Lachlan for persistence in all literacy tasks

Room 19
Dean for improved participation during Jolly Phonics
MacKenzie for improved listening and behaviour during lessons

Room 22
Muhammad for exceptional effort in all learning tasks
Alice for persistence in all learning tasks

Room 23
Sohail for persistence and trying his best in writing
Ben for a positive attitude to dance and all his schoolwork

PE— Mr Butler for organising a fabulous Sports Day
In Room 23 we have been studying the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

We have been using them in our artwork.

You can see our artwork displayed on the walls at school.

We are learning more about shape and space during our Dance lessons.
## Term Planner Term 2 2015

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### Other 2015 Dates
- Term 3: 20/7-25/9
- Term 4: 12/10-11/12
- Public Holidays (* in school holidays)
  - 5 October Labour Day
- Show Week
  - 4-13 September
- Pupil-Free days
**NAPLAN 12- 14 May 2015**

NAPLAN tests the sorts of skills that are essential for every child to progress through school and life, such as reading, writing, spelling, grammar and numeracy. It is important to remember that NAPLAN tests are not pass/fail tests. NAPLAN tests provide very valuable information, but there are no consequences for individual students for poor or good performance. At the classroom level it is one of a number of important tools used by teachers to measure student progress.

In 2015, NAPLAN tests will be held on 12-14 May.

Information specifically for parents and carers can be found in the 2015 NAPLAN information brochure for parents and carers that will also be sent home to families.

Schools will receive NAPLAN reports for their students from mid-August to mid-September, depending on their state or territory test administration authority. The school will notify you when the reports are being sent home. The same report format is used for every student in Australia.

NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy skills that students are already learning through the school curriculum. Teachers will ensure that students are familiar with the test formats and will provide appropriate support and guidance. Excessive preparation is not useful and can lead to unnecessary anxiety. If you have any questions about your child’s preparation for NAPLAN, you are encouraged to make a time to speak with their teacher.

NAPLAN test days should be treated as just another routine event on the school calendar. The best way you can help your child prepare for NAPLAN is to reassure them that NAPLAN tests are just one part of their school program, and to urge them to simply do the best they can on the day.

Parents or carers may withdraw their child from the tests to address issues such as religious beliefs and philosophical objections to testing. It is recommended that withdrawal be considered in consultation with your child’s teacher. A formal letter of withdrawal must be completed and signed by the Principal before the NAPLAN tests begin.
Dear Families,

We are excited to be partnering with your school to deliver Outside School Hours Care (OSHC) from Monday 1st June, 2015.

We will partner with your school community to deliver a tailored before care, after care and vacation care program that is focused on bringing out the very best in kids. The program combines active games with structured and unstructured play, quiet time and a healthy snack. Every day is an adventure led by enthusiastic Camp Australia educators who are on a mission to make kids smile.

**Parent Information Session**

To help families understand how the program is structured, to meet our educators, and to find out how to make bookings and manage your account, a Parent Information Session will be held at the school.

**When:** Tuesday 19th May, 2015 at 3.15pm and 6.00pm

**Where:** Library

Parent registration support will be offered in the school computer room after the first information session until 4.30pm.

We understand time is valuable to working parents and you may not be able to attend this information night. If this is the case, please visit [www.campaustralia.com.au](http://www.campaustralia.com.au) and use the school finder to find out all you need to know about the program.

**Register and Book**

Through your school page on our website you can request an information pack, or register and book your children into the program.

If you have any further questions, you can call our friendly Customer Service Team from Monday to Friday (8.00am – 6.00pm AEST) on 1300 105 343.

We look forward to seeing you in OSHC soon!

Yours sincerely,

Hannah Cole
Camp Australia
Regional Coordinator
SALISBURY INTER JUNIOR GIRLS SOCCER 2015

FFSA Under 9s Competition

Training Wednesdays 5:30pm - 6:30pm
18th March - September
Games Sunday mornings
2 x 20minute halves
COST: $150 includes shirt, shorts and socks

For more information contact Bianca
siscjuniors@gmail.com or call 0421089661

Salisbury Inter Soccer Club
Nangari Road Salisbury North
Creative Cooking

Free cooking sessions for adults who want to learn how to be healthy and cook some delicious food!

**Elizabeth Rise Community Centre**  
34 Hamblynn Road, Elizabeth Downs

- **What’s healthy eating?**  
  Wednesday 15 April  
  10am - 12pm

- **Food Safety**  
  Wednesday 20 May  
  10am - 12pm

- **Label Reading**  
  Wednesday 17 June  
  10am - 12pm

- **Being Active**  
  Wednesday 15 July  
  10am - 12pm

- **Mythbusters!**  
  Wednesday 19 August  
  10am - 12pm

- **Q&A**  
  Wednesday 16 September  
  10am - 12pm

**Smithfield Food Co-operative**  
240 Peachey Road, Smithfield Plains

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Bookings are essential as places are limited.  
To reserve your place contact April on 8256 0255 or email ahorn@playford.sa.gov.au.  
For further information visit playford.sa.gov.au/events.

These community facilities are proudly brought to you by the City of Playford.