

OPENING DOORS TO UNLIMITED POSSIBILITIES

Golden Grove Primary School NEWSLETTER

RESILIENCE-EMPATHY-SELF MANAGEMENT-PERSEVERANCE-COURAGE-TEAMWORK

| In this issue | |
|---------------|--|
|---------------|--|

- Principal News
- OSHC News
- Award Winners
- School Banking
- Community News

Final day of Term 4

Friday 10th December Casual Clothes Early Dismissal 2:10pm

Reminder: 2022 dismissal time is 3:05pm (no change to start of day)

> Principal Wendy Moore



Government of South Australia Department for Education

140 Bicentennial Drive Golden Grove 5125

Phone : 8289 3137 Fax : 8289 3138 Email : DI.1848.info@schools.sa.edu.au Website : www.goldengps.sa.edu.au

SMS: 0416 906 270

Term 4 Week 7, 25th November 2021

Dear Parents, Thank you for joining us at the End of Year Concert last week. Thank you also for helping with costume requirements – each class looked amazing. Students had a great deal of fun preparing for the concert and of course, performing for you.

Time is passing us by quickly but we still have a number of events to enjoy in the next two weeks.

Week 8 Monday 29th November Year 4 Camp to Woodside (M-W)

Tuesday 30th November Year 6 GG High School Transition

Wednesday 1st December Year 6 GG High School Transition

Thursday 2nd December Year 7 GG High School Transition

Friday 3rd December Year 7 GG High School Transition Year 4 - 7 Assembly (HB6) Week 9

Monday 6th December R-Year 2 Fun day

Wednesday 8th December Student Reports & 2022 Class placements distributed Year 6 Graduation

Thursday 9th December Year 3 – 5 Fun Day Year 7 Graduation

Friday 10th December Year 6 & 7 Fun Day Final Assembly 9:00am (attendance for one parent per Year 6/7 student only please)

STUDENT LEADERSHIP 2022

With the Year 7 move to High School, staff and Governing Council have discussed student leadership at our school and how this might look in future years.

The opportunity to be a School Captain at GGPS has always been limited to a small group of students despite the great interest traditionally shown by our senior students. We are looking to develop a student leadership program to extend the opportunities to a larger group of students in their senior year which will incorporate the School Captain positions and other roles (including library, IT, PR, canteen, traffic etc). The student application process for leadership positions will take place early in Term 1 part year

positions will take place early in Term 1 next year.

Thank you Jackie!

On behalf of the Governing Council, staff, parents, students and community members, we would like to say thank you to Jackie Rowe, for her outstanding service in the canteen.

Jackie has worked at GGPS for the past 20 years and had many roles, most recently as canteen manager. Her high level organisation, leadership



and management as well as the hundreds of volunteer hours she has contributed have been highly valued by all.

Congratulations on your retirement Jackie, we wish you all the very best for this next chapter in life! Kind regards, Wendy

COBBLER CREEK OSHC & VAC CARE NEWS





DIRECTOR POSITION

Cobbler Creek OSHC Director, Naomi Leavesley has been offered a new management position in the childcare sector and will leave our service in January. Naomi has been with the Cobbler Creek OSHC service for twelve years and is going to leave very big shoes to fill!

Naomi has been an incredible asset to our school community and we are very grateful for the hard work Naomi has put into ensuring our OSHC service is viable, well-organised, supportive and safe. We wish her every success in her new role which will involve the management of two very large childcare centres. Wendy Moore

TERM 4 WEEK 7

How fast has this term gone! The children have been very busy creating, designing, building, role paying and developing their gross and fine motor skills. Cricket has been very popular with large group games being played. The children have been teaching each other the rules and techniques of batting and bowling.

Each morning the children have been participating in a quiz. Topics include: What am I?, riddles, Guinness World Records, objects in a jar, guess the number/letter and word association. Discussions and research at the library take place each morning. It has made children think outside the square. They look forward each morning to see what question will need answering.

DECEMBER/JANUARY VACATION CARE FORM

The December/January Vacation Care program is available next to the sign in and on our website. Bookings are essential.

UPCOMING EVENTS

If your child is going on camp or graduating and won't be attending OSHC on those days, please cancel via our communication book, SMS or email.



Cobbler Creek Out of Schools Hours Care and Vacation Care 140 Bicentennial Drive GOLDEN GROVE SA 5125 Ph: 8251 5291 Mobile: 0434 365 589 Email: info@cobblercreekoshc.com.au Website: www.cobblercreekoshc.com



Golden Grove Primary School Award Winners













School Banking update from Commonwealth Bank

For 90 years, our School Banking program has helped children learn about money, reinforced the importance of regular savings and provided structure for parents to support their children to save.

Though the program continues to have strong support from schools, parents and teachers, recent decisions by some state and territory governments because of a review by the corporate regulator mean we are unable to continue providing programs in schools, and we have had to make a difficult decision to close our School Banking program for all government and non-government schools across the country.

Our School Banking program was established in 1931 at a time when having a bank account was not commonplace, and since then we have helped more than 15 million Australians take their first financial steps. This would not have been possible without the wonderful support we have received from schools like yours, including all the parents and volunteers, and for this we are deeply grateful. Thank you.

Even though this is a sad time, School Banking has taught so many young Australians, past and present, the value of money and we believe this should be celebrated. We have created a place for you to share your stories, fondest memories and lessons learnt through the program. To share your story and access our financial education resources, please visit <u>commbank.com.au/schoolbanking</u>

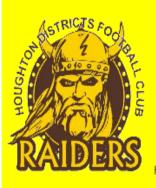
Even though the CommBank School Banking program will not be returning to your school after this year, you can continue to make deposits into your child's Youthsaver account through online transfers or at any CommBank branch. If you need further information please phone 132 221 or visit your local CommBank branch.



JUNIOR COME & TRY DAY

SUNDAY 5TH DECEMBER 10:30-11:30AM

BEGINNERS WELCOME...



We have vacancies for boys and girls of all ages to fill both existing and new teams.

For more information, please contact Jayme Wood email: <u>hdfcjuniors@gmail.com</u> ph. 0408 807 655

Houghton Memorial Oval – 1377 Lower North East Road, Houghton









Tea Tree Gully District Football Club

JUNIOR REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN

UNDER 7 - UNDER 17.5 BOYS & GIRLS

Season commencing 29th April 2022

Boys and girls that wish to compete for the Tea Tree Gully Football Club in season 2022 can now register.

To register, please go to https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/ad5e94 and follow the instructions .



"With Love" formal wear is a non-profit charity organisation that dresses students who may be experiencing financial hardship at no cost for Year 12 Formals and Year 7 Graduations.

They are open the first Saturday of each month 9am-4pm. Students can join their Facebook Community for Pop-Up Boutique dates and times.

hhtps://www.facebook.com/withloveformalwear/



1506 Main North Road, Salisbury South, 5106

joss@withloveformalwear.com

Gift Certificate

With Love Formal Wear is an Adelaide based charity that has been established to support students to look and feel amazing at their graduations and formals.

WITH LOVE CAN DRESS YOU FROM HEAD TO TOE FOR FREE

By Appointment Only

Saturday May 1st Saturday June 5th Saturday July 3rd Saturday August 7th Saturday September 4th Saturday October 2nd Saturday November 6th Saturday December 4th

This voucher is redeemable at 1506 Main North Road, Salisbury South Find us on FB hhtps://www.facebook.com/withloveformalwear/ or email jossewithloveformalwear.com

