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# Golden Grove Primary School NEWSLETTER

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Pupil Free Day

**Monday 06/09/21**

School Closure Day

**Friday 10/09/21**

Senior Voices to Ent Centre

**Monday 13/09/21**

Governing Council Meeting 7pm

**Friday 17/09/21**

SAPSASA Girls Netball

**Wednesday 22/09/21**

Kidzbiz Growth & Development  
Family Sessions

**Friday 24/09/21**

Last Day of Term 3  
Casual Clothes day  
2:10pm Dismissal

Principal  
Wendy Moore



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**Term 3 Week 7, 2nd September 2021**

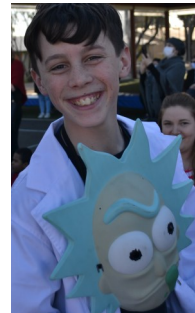
## Book Week Celebrations

Bookweek is an annual event which celebrates Australian children's literature. This year, our students particularly enjoyed the opportunity to meet with authors Janeen Brian and Rosanne Hawke and with illustrator Dan McGuiness.



The GGPS Bookweek Parade is always a highlight and this year was no exception. Student and staff costumes were creative and colourful and the commentary was enthusiastic and fun (thanks Mr Pearce).

Thank you to those parents who joined us for the parade and to all parents for assisting with costumes.



Special thanks to Lorna Crisanti for organising this special week.  
Kind regards, *Wendy Moore*

# **SAPSASA Basketball Championship**

On Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> August Golden Grove sent four teams to the Basketball Championship played at the Lights Community and Sports Centre. As a group we represented out school with pride, showing respect, teamwork and aiming for excellence.



## **Year 6 Girls**

This team showed amazing growth throughout the day with few of the girls having previously played basketball. After the first game it became clear the difference between our opposition and our team was the confidence to dribble the basketball with pressure. To the girl's credit, in between games they worked on this. Annelise confidently led the way driving our offence and being active on defence. Lucy, Chelsea, Ami and Isla were fantastic in rebounding the basketball and playing strong defence. Mya and Jessica shot the ball well and scored a lot of our points. The girls finished with two wins, two losses and a draw.



## **Year 6 Boys**

It was an undefeated day for this group of students. Hudson and Toby were dominant on both sides of the ball whilst Jackson, Mason and Jarvis added scoring punch all day. Tyson was tenacious as a defender, whilst Brodie and Jack gave everything they had to help the team win. To conclude the day, we played St Francis Xavier College in the final and they gave us a contest with the smallest winning margin of the day. With these excellent results we have qualified for the finals in Term 4.

## **Year 7 Girls**

This group of girls came so close last year and were motivated to go one better. As a team we were locked in defensively, ran the floor as a pack and shared the basketball. Maddison, Madison and Chloe led by example by outworking their opposition on both ends of the floor. Emma and Emily provided scoring punch whilst Indi and Ruby were pesky coming up with steals and rebounds. With these excellent results we have qualified for the finals in Week 9 of Term 3.

## **Year 7 Boys**

The competition was fierce for this group and they came up against some tall teams. Xavier and Kade led the way and were involved in every play, moving the basketball and setting up their teammates. Kai, Jack and Lucas provided some scoring options, whilst Malakie battled wilfully against the oppositions tallest players. Sam and Hamish gave it their all and grew in confidence throughout the day. This team finished 4<sup>th</sup> out of 9 teams.

Thanks to all the parents for cheering us on and taking it in turns to score.

Nathan Fryer





# SAPSASA Girls Football



On Tuesday Week 7 We took 20 girls to the Football Carnival at Tea Tree Gully Oval and finished 2<sup>nd</sup> overall in Division 1 , with the following results...

Gleeson 6 – 7 defeated GGPS 1-2

Goals- Ruby

Best - Abbie W, Annelise, Indiana, Carla, Maddie C. Miah, Ruby

GGPS 11 – 5 defeated Banksia PK 1 – 0

Goals – Indiana 5, Georgia 2, Chelsea M, Maddie C, Emily M, Jessica O,

Best - Jessica, Indiana, Emily M, Chloe D, Miah, Carla, Ruby

GGPS 6 – 10 defeated Wynn Vale 0 – 0

Goals- Annelise 3, Jessica 2 , Carla

Best – Jade, Georgia, Chelsea W, Maddie, Annelise, Milly, , Indiana, Jessica

GGPS 1 – 5 defeated Ridgehaven 0 – 1

Goals - Jade

Best- Milly, Georgia, Jade, Emily M, Mya, Destinee, Shanae, Abbie W

GGPS 9 – 6 defeated The Heights 0 – 0

Goals - Lauren 2, Milly 2, Shanae 2, Indiana 2, Chelsea W

Best – Lauren, Shanae, Milly, Destinee, Maddison H, Mya, Carla, Indiana

Overall we kicked 28 goals, 28 points.

I was really proud of the way the girls improved throughout the carnival. Our teamwork was exceptional. Thanks to all the parents who supported us on the day. Thanks to Mark Hancock for goal umpiring.

Bruce Pearce



## SAPSASA STATE SOCCER COMPETITION



In week 6, we went to a SAPSASA District Carnival and represented the Tea Tree Gully soccer team for 3 days at West Beach Parks. We played 8 games in total, 2 were on Wednesday, 3 on Thursday and 3 on Friday. We would warm up for 20 minutes before each game, we did some stretching, a possession and passing drill, volleys and a controlling drill. Each game was 40 minutes long with 2, 20-minute halves. We watched the girls play their games and supported them as they supported us with our games. We won 3 games, drew 2 and lost 3. We had so much fun and were very eager to win our games, the opponents that we had faced were all very challenging to overcome but in the end we were able to get 3 wins out of the 8 games. We had learnt lots of new skills and used them in the field. Jacob had scored 1 goal in the last game and Xavier had scored none. Even though Xavier hadn't scored any he was a brick wall for the defenders to get past by making tackles constantly and holding them off. Our coaches were all super nice and very helpful.

Overall, the carnival was fun and you should try it too!

By Jacob and Xavier



In week 6, term 3, Charlotte, Louisa and Lily went to West Beach Parks to play in the Division 1 Girls SAPSASA Soccer Carnival. SAPSASA was a great experience, we got to meet new people, learn new things and develop new skills. Each day we had a set of games. On Monday we won all three of our games, with high scores and great teamwork. The second day was a tough day, we lost both of our games to two tough opponents, but we came back on Friday, resilient but sore. We won one out of the three games and placed either a shared title at third or fourth place. The carnival was overall, a highlight of our year. It brought friendships, new bonds, fun memories, three days off of school and some great soccer.

By Lily, Louisa, Charlotte.



# KIDZBIZ

## Family Evening Sessions @ GGPS (Staffroom)

Kidz Biz Ed will provide two sessions for **students** and **their parents/caregivers** at our school on **WEDNESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> September 2021**.

Designed to be fun, informative and easy to understand, these highly interactive sessions will provide students and their parents / care providers with an introduction to basic personal and social development education; traditionally known as the 'facts of life'. By all means, sessions will be facilitated in a manner that is not conducive to an awkward or threatening environment.

### **Session 1: 'Where Did We Come From' (suitable for Year 2 to Year 4 students)**

- ◇ Name & discuss basic female & male body parts of the reproductive system
- ◇ Myths about where babies come from
- ◇ Conception/fertilization (age appropriate)
- ◇ 9 Month Foetal development
- ◇ Birth – natural & caesarian

### **Session (2) 'What's Happening to Us' (suitable for Year 5 to 7 students)**

- ◇ Puberty: Physical and emotional changes
- ◇ Body image, self-image & media/social messages
- ◇ Dealing with parents

The duration of each session will be approximately 50 minutes:

**Session 1:** Commencing at 6.40pm and concluding at 7.30pm

**Session 2:** Commencing at 7.40pm and concluding at 8.30pm

At the end of each session, a list of recommended and age-appropriate books for both students and parents will be provided as well as the details of a recommended retail outlet offering books at discounted prices (arrangement exclusive to Kidz Biz Ed only)

The cost per family (payable on the night) will be \$5 for one session or \$7 for both sessions. More information can be found at [www.kidzbiz.edu.au](http://www.kidzbiz.edu.au)

Bookings are essential. Please return slip below to Karen in the front Office or via [karen.smith965@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:karen.smith965@schools.sa.edu.au)

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### **Growth & Development Family Evening Sessions**

\_\_\_\_\_ would like to attend Kidz Biz Education's Family Evening Sessions on 22/09/21.

Please indicate family numbers and which session/sessions you will be attending. No\_\_\_\_  
**(Session 1), (Session 2) or Both – please circle**

Signed\_\_\_\_\_ Parent / Caregiver Date\_\_\_\_\_

### TERM 3 WEEK 7 – OSHC NEWS



Well what a whirlwind the start of the term has been! It has been great to see children's resilience during this time and adapt to the changes. They still been enjoying their time at OSHC with the variety of experiences programmed. Activity has been very popular with children's creativity, design, imagination and exploration of new mediums portrayed through their art. Children participated in the OSHC Olympics as they made their way through obstacle courses, raced with eggs and spoons and demonstrated great sportsmanship during team games. The OSHC team continue to extend on the children's interests and provide experiences that enhance and develop their skills.

Thankyou to our families who have continued to adhere to the restrictions in place by checking in with the QR code and wearing masks at arrival or collection times.

### NEW STAFF

We'd like to welcome two new Educators to our experienced team. Emily Scarman comes to us with experience from another OSHC service and Aime Soda is enrolled in Diploma of OSHC.

### CHRISTMAS CLOSURE DATES 2020

Closed from Thursday 23rd December 2021  
Re-open Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2022



### IT'S HAT TIME

As from the 1<sup>st</sup> of September, children and Educators use a combination of sun protection practices. Hats and sunscreen must always be worn from this date when outside, as per our Sun Protection Policy.



Please remind children to pack a hat when they attend before school, after school care and vacation care.



### VACATION CARE

Vacation Care program for the upcoming September/October holidays will be available to families as of Week 8 Monday 6<sup>th</sup> of September. Please visit our website for all booking forms or will be available next to the sign in sheet.

Bookings are essential.

### FEE STRUCTURE

Just advising families that there will be a fee increase for vacation care as of January 1<sup>st</sup> 2022. Please see the attached fee structure.

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](mailto:info@cobblercreekoshc.com.au) Website: [www.cobblercreekoshc.com](http://www.cobblercreekoshc.com)



August 2021



## 2022 FEE STRUCTURE

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

The CCOSHC Advisory Committee and the Golden Grove Primary School Governing Council have endorsed a fee increase for Vacation Care pricing structure.

**The new fee structure will be effective from the 1<sup>st</sup> January 2022.**

BEFORE SCHOOL CARE	\$12
AFTER SCHOOL CARE	\$20
EARLY SCHOOL CLOSURE	\$22
PUPIL FREE DAY	\$45
VACATION CARE HOME DAY	\$50
VACATION CARE INCURSION	\$55
VACATION CARE EXCURSION	\$60
VACATION CARE PREMIUM EXCURSION	\$65
VACATION CARE BOOKING MADE DURING THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS WILL INCUR AN ADDITIONAL \$5.00 FEE FOR CHILD.	

*Please note there is a \$3 per minute late fee per Family for children that are collected after 6 pm.*

Thank you for your continued support on behalf of the Cobbler Creek OSHC Advisory Committee.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wendy Moore". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Wendy Moore

Principal  
Golden Grove Primary School



Legacy Week

29 August - 4  
September

I recall the day back in 2010 like it was yesterday. There were military cars all up our street. It was surreal and made you uneasy. We were all out the front and my neighbour was holding the hand of a little boy. He was happy but knew something wasn't quite right and probably wondering why this strange lady was holding his hand.....

His Daddy had just been killed whilst in Afghanistan. He died from wounds sustained when an improvised explosive device detonated. He was just 26yrs of age, leaving behind a wife, young son and his family & friends.

Legacy is an organisation that supports partners and children of Australian Defence Force men and women who have lost their lives or health as a result of their service. Legacy also supports the families who have died many years after serving. Legacy currently assists 48 000 widow's including 1800 children nationally.

Legacy offers programs and services aimed at providing financial, social and education support. Their aim is for the families that are left behind will not suffer any financial hardships and social isolation. Social isolation can be very detrimental to a person's health and wellbeing, especially elderly widows. Legacy may be their only contact. Each individual circumstance is looked at and support is then provided.

During the week beginning 29<sup>th</sup> of August is Legacy week, people will be out fundraising and selling badges. This important week on the legacy calendar has been running since the 1940's. The legacy badge may be little in size but the funds raised can make a big impact to the lives of our veterans' families.

Please if you can use the QR code to buy a badge, merchandise or make a donation and help Legacy support the families of our veterans.

Thank you. Karina Damare DSM







# Golden Grove Primary School Award Winners





TTGNC  
**GULLIES**  
EST 1949

# NET SET GO!

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS  
4:30 - 5:30 PM  
SUITABLE FOR 5 - 7 YEAR OLDS

13 OCTOBER TO 8 DECEMBER 2021  
COST \$70  
88 / 100 ELIZABETH STREET, BANKSIA PARK

For more details email Sarah at [ttgncreg@gmail.com](mailto:ttgncreg@gmail.com)

## JOIN US FOR AN **INTRODUCTION TO LITTLE ATHLETICS**

**FRIDAY 10 SEPTEMBER @ 5:30 PM**

**At Bridgestone Athletics Centre  
Frost Road, Salisbury**

- New families can learn what's on offer for Little Athletes with Northern Districts Athletics Club
- Kids will have the opportunity to try events
- Time for Q&A

Register your interest by emailing  
[president@jets.org.au](mailto:president@jets.org.au) or calling 0432 501 844.

## JOIN THE SQUADRON!

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