



Resilience Teamwork Kindness Respect

Hello everyone,

I hope you all enjoyed the long weekend and got time to rest and do the things you wanted to do.

GOVERNING COUNCIL

Many thanks to those who attended our Governing Council meeting on Monday night. We are fortunate to have an adaptive and forward thinking group. ***Congratulations and huge 'thank you' to Jana Williams for volunteering to take on the secretary role.***

NAPLAN

Congratulations to our year 3 and 5 students who completed NAPLAN assessments over the past 2 weeks. Unfortunately due to illnesses and absences we had to use a catch up day.

SAPSASA

We are very proud of Alexis for participating in SASPSASA softball this week in Adelaide. She has returned to school very excited and sounds like she had an awesome time with her teammates.

COVID AND ILLNESS

Last week we were hit with COVID and illness in our community. Thank you to everyone for following the Dept. requirements keeping children home when unwell and when testing positive for COVID. ***Please continue to contact your child's teacher through Class Dojo message, the school mobile 0428 112 397 or landline 86889029 to inform them of any absences or simply to touch base.***

RELISH

Staff, parents and community members begin the 'Leading the Pack' stack of the RELISH framework this week. While many of us are finding our commitment a huge time constraint the feedback I am receiving is positive. Many are starting to relate the learning to school, personal and community life. Lani will be seeking people's thoughts about how to implement each stack at the school level so we are ready for implementation when Shelley is here in July. Many thanks to everyone who is doing their best to jump online with the learning. I honestly believe this has been money well spent for our school and community and look forward to implementation so RELISH becomes a way of being at PNPS.

PRE-SCHOOL TRANSITION

I had a wonderful morning meeting with the mum's of our new mid-year intake students. We met to discuss what they would like their child's education to be like, transition and to provide an opportunity for them to ask any questions. I will aim to meet with these parents again prior to transition. Olivia is aiming to visit the Preschool either Tuesday, week 11 and hopefully another day early term 2. We all look forward to welcoming the new children and families to our school.

Student Learning Conferences now until end of term

Student Learning Conferences are an opportunity for parents to share what you want for your child's education, ask questions, find out how your child is achieving academically as well as generally as a little person. At PNPS we strive to provide a holistic education so it is important we share all information with you at these conferences. It is also vitally important that parents and students are seen as an equal at these discussions and work in partnership with the teacher and school. Please ensure you arrange a time to meet with your child's teacher before the end of term.

Whole School Assembly

You are invited to our whole school Assembly on Thursday April 4th. More information will be sent out on Class Dojo & school FB page.

Wishing everyone a safe and wonderful Easter holiday break.

Best wishes, Lisa Masters

Diary Dates

APRIL

Mon 1st - Easter Monday
Thurs 4th - Assembly 2.15
Fri 5th - Beach Sports Day
Mon 8th-9th Swimming lessons
Thurs 11 - Swimming lessons

APRIL

Fri 12th - Early dismissal 2.10
Mon 29th - School resumes





PNPS News

AFL CUP COMES TO SCHOOL!!

about the cup

The AFLW cup is called Shazza & the AFL cup is named Tommy. The Premiers are able to hold Tommy or Shazza on the GF day but have to give it back., as they then get their own cup to keep!

Austin Year 4



facts

One cup was made out of a little bit of gold.
Hugo Year 1

The footballers brought a big cup to school.
 You had to wear white gloves to touch it, so we weren't allowed to.
Harry Reception





ART GALLERY



Upper Primary Class



World Math Day



On Friday, 22 March, it was World Math day. We celebrated by learning about the Fibonacci Sequence, an amazing sequence of numbers which is all around us. We used the sequence to make Fibonacci Circles, which we turned into artworks. We also learned about the Indian mathematician Kaprekar, who discovered an incredible trick with numbers. Ask your child(ren) all about it!

Inquiry

We have started to investigate the different types of energy so we can think about how we want to power our sustainable houses.



Class Novel

We finished reading our class novel Blueback and watched the movie.

Students designed new Book Covers. Gypsy did a great job with water colours.

Governing Council news



Beach Sports Day

could every family supply
1 dozen cakes or muffins for Friday 5th April.
Please have them individually wrapped

Bakery fundraiser

The bakery fundraiser was a great success
and made over \$350.

Thank you to everyone for your continued
support for this fundraiser from the school
families and community.

Also thank you to Alison, Deb, Lisa and Liv
who helped pack the orders.

regards

Janet Shepherd

Also a huge thank you to Janet Shepherd
for organising the bakery fundraiser.

thank
you

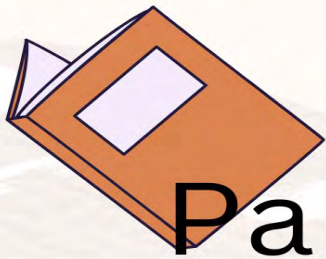
Playcentre news

Big thanks to everyone for supporting the
Playcentre Easter Raffle



Raffle
winners

1st Prize Terisa Paynter
2nd Prize Marlene Goss
3rd Prize Val Connolly



Dear Parents/Families and Community

Please come to our assembly at Port Neill
Primary School on Thursday April 4th, Week 10
at 2:15pm

ABC
ABC

Come and see what we
are learning about.
Learn a game from us!
Students as Teachers

From the SRC Families,
Partnerships and
Community Group

Please contact class teacher through DOJO, or ring
school mobile 0428 112 397 or landline 86 889029 for
any absences.

WHAT DO I DO IF MY CHILD TESTS POSITIVE TO COVID?

If your child tests positive to COVID, they must stay home from school for at least 6 days. Day Zero being the day they tested positive. Therefore, they must stay home for a further 5 calendar days provided their acute symptoms have cleared. There is no need to keep testing, the initial test is sufficient.

Do not attend if still symptomatic. Any questions please phone the school.



PORT NEILL & DISTRICTS COMMUNITY
SPORTS CLUB (PND CSC) AGM

APRIL 2ND

PT NEILL SPORTS CLUB

7.30PM

BAR OPEN

ALL WELCOME



Port Neill
Primary School

**Beach
Sports
Day**



2024

Arrive @ 8.45 for a 9am
start

Friday April 5th
Port Neill Beach

PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN
EASTER

Market

SATURDAY | **30** | **MARCH**
10.00 - 2 PM | | 2024

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**Stakeholder
Engagement Session**

Are you interested in learning more
about body image and how you can
make positive change for the
young people in your community?

PORT LINCOLN

**ADULT COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS,
WE WOULD LOVE TO MEET YOU!**

Join us for an hour of power, featuring a panel
discussion about body image and how you
can help the young people in your
community improve their relationship with
their bodies. You will have an opportunity to
ask questions and receive practical advice.

Tuesday 9 April, 2024
4:30pm - 5:30pm
Nautilus Arts Centre
66 Tasman Terrace
Port Lincoln

Very limited spaces available,
[follow this link to register.](#)

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