

# **NEWSLETTER**

**LAST DAY OF TERM EARLY DISMISSAL Friday 2nd July** 2:05pm



Term 2, Week 6

Friday 18th June 2021

### NEARING THE END OF TERM AND MAXIMISING YOUR CHILD'S REPORT...



The end of term and the halfway point of the year is almost upon us. It is frightening to think how quickly the first half of the year has whizzed past, as it feels like only yesterday, we were just returning to school after the summer holidays! It has been such a busy yet incredibly productive time in all classrooms! In these first two terms, we have seen so much development and improvement in the learning of all students at our school.

In Week 10, half-yearly reports will be coming home that will provide information to you about the learning and progress of your child/ren. Over the past few weeks, teachers have been working very hard to compile this information and write these progress reports. The reports provide a great opportunity for you to sit with your child/ren and commence conversations about their work so far and potentially setting some targets or goals for the second half of the year with them.

Below are some ideas and tips that may help to guide these conversations and continue building a growth mindset in your children that will stretch them to be the best they can be. This will also complement a lot of the common language and terminology that is being used at school.

When providing praise or recognition, look for some of the following: effort, progress, hard work, persistence, learning from mistakes, or rising to a challenge that may have seen them initially struggle. Try to avoid just giving praise for being smart, talented, fixed abilities, or not making mistakes. Mistakes are a very important part of the learning process and something you can talk positively about with your child. 'Mistakes help you improve', 'you can learn from your mistakes', or 'let's see what other strategies you can try' are some ways you can approach this. The power of 'yet' is also another really great way to give students belief and confidence that with persistence and continued effort they will continue to improve and work towards their goals. 'You just can't do it yet' or 'you just don't know it yet' are effective ways to continue to build belief and a positive mentality towards their learning, even when things are challenging. Challenges in learning are a positive thing and should be seen and talked about this way...they help us to think deeply and work hard to find solutions to overcome them.

It is very important to open as many avenues as possible with your child to speak about their learning. This should happen daily and can go a lot deeper than 'what did you do today?' or 'how was your day at school?'. Instead, try questions like; 'what did you do today that made you think really hard?', 'what new strategies did you try?', 'what mistakes did you make that taught you something?', or 'what did you do or try today that you didn't think you could yesterday?'.

I would like to wish all families a great final couple of weeks of term. Finally, good luck and enjoy the many valuable conversations with your child/ren that lie ahead.

**Guy Walmsley** 

**Assistant Principal** 

Learning is a journey not a race

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TERM 3 **STARTS TUESDAY** 20TH JULY

**IMPORTANT DIARY DATES** 

TERM 3 **PUPIL FREE DAYS Monday 19th July Friday 3rd September SHOW DAY Monday 6th September** 



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RESPECT **EXCELLENCE HONESTY** RESPONSIBILITY

ABSENT SMS: 0427 016 460 SCHOOL DAY: 8.45AM - 3.05PM

### **Magill School Values Award**



**EXCELLENCE** 

**RESPONSIBILITY** 

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded

a certificate in week 7

Well done for demonstrating the Magill School Values.

Excellence Responsibility		Specialist Subjects
M1 Beth S M2 Airlie W	<b>M1</b> Martina P <b>M2</b> Avigayil J	Science - Dani Excellence - F4 Zoie K
M3 Isobel W M4 Chelcey L	M3 Enoch C M4 Deliah S	Science - Amanda Excellence - M3 Georgia M
M5 John L M6 Amelia Y	M5 Kerry L M6 Pranav R	Chinese - Ivy Excellence - F4 Charlie A
M7 Max H F1 Alisha Y	M7 Vasilia T F1 Lazarus J	<b>Chinese - Mai Excellence - M3</b> Avanti D
<ul><li>F2 Samuel Z</li><li>F3 Avishi A</li><li>F4 Amanda N</li></ul>	<ul><li>F2 Mia B</li><li>F3 Chelsea B</li><li>F4 Abigail L</li></ul>	Performing Arts - Milda Responsibility - M6 Harry B
F5 Seth M F8 Lucy R	F5 Aislynn L F8 Austin W	
F9 Izabella R F10 Tristan C	F9 Cooper M F10 Abigail F	
F11 Jayden P F12 Joshua G F13 Gurnoor B	F11 Alana Z F12 Ava K F13 Emmett O	RESPECT
F13 Gurnoor B F14 Manas S	F13 Emmett O F14 Rhonda Y	HONESTY

**F15** Ophelia L

**F15** Jennifer L

### **Magill School Values Award**

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded a certificate in week 8



Well done for demonstrating the Magill School Values.

Exce	xcellence Responsibility		Specialist Subjects			
P1 P2	Marcus L Sophia L	P1 P2	Olivia L Nikita V	Physical Education - Florin Responsibility - P4 Lucas T		
P4 P6	Nethum K Cordelia M	P4 P6	Isabella Z Hailey C	Performing Arts - Georgea  Excellence - P4 Tallulah B		
P8 P9	Raphael S Poppi B	P8 P9	Flora S Luke F	Chinese - Min		
P11 P12	Bailee R Yilei Z	P11 P12	Charlotte X Finn X	Excellence - P1 Giselle G		
P13 P14	Isaac K Bella Y	P13 P14	Anoushay A  Ewin R	RESPECT		
P15 P16	Yoon P Shuman W Scarlett M	P15 P16	Caleb P Ivy F Blake M	HONESTY EXCELLENCE		
P17	Scaricti W	P17	Diake W	RESPONSIBILITY		
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SECOND HAND UNIFORMS ON FACEBOOK

The Magill School Facebook page for second hand uniform items is up and running to assist families to buy, swap or sell official Magill School uniforms only. The page is a closed group and you will need to agree to the terms and submit your child's information in order to join.

You can join by finding the link on the school Facebook page. Please note this group is not administered by Magill School. The page will be administered by parents from our uniform committee. Parents are responsible for their own transactions when they buy, swap or sell.

# SCHOLASTIC BOOKFAIR WELL DONE MAGILL SCHOOL

Thank you for supporting our recent Scholastic Bookfair. We will receive over \$2700 worth of resources for the school.



#### SAPSASA FOOTBALL



Congratulations to Joel B who has been selected in the Torrens River Year 7 District Australian Rules football team, competing at the SAPSASA Football State Carnival from 23rd to 25th June.

Well done on your selection and good luck Joel.

NETBALL RESULTS								
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5th June	Magill	٧	Rose Park Green	5		3		
	NETTA 4 - Magill Green							
5th June	Magill	٧	East Para	5		0		
PRIMARY 10								
5th June	Magill	٧	Saint Ignatius	18		2		
	PRIMARY 9							
5th June	Magill	٧	Dernancourt Gems	9		4		
SUB JUNIOR 10								
5th June	Magill White	٧	Magill Green	6		19		
SUB JUNIOR 4								
5th June	Magill	٧	Вуе					

SOCCER RESULTS							
10 YEAR DIVISION							
5th June	Magill	٧	Walkerville	4		2	

HOCKEY RESULTS							
TEAM MINKEY							
4th June	Half Field	v	Gillies Street	1		2	
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#### **SAPSASA NETBALL**



Abigail L was selected to compete in the Torrens River Year 7 Metro Netball SAPSASA State Carnival. This was a great achievement. Well done!

For information on becoming involved or playing school sport for your school go to the Magill School

website: www.magillschool.sa.edu.au



Congratulations to both our year 6 and year 7 netball teams who won both games in their SAPSASA girls knockout competition.

The year 6 games were extremely even and competitive. We just got over the line each time. Magill v Norwood 28 to 27. Norwood v Marryatville 27 to 24. Magill v Marryatville 23 to 21.

In the year 7 competition we had more convincing wins. Magill v Norwood 44 to 26. Marryatville v Norwood 35 to 23. Magill v Marryatville 31 to 27.

The girls now go through to the next round, competing against other schools. Well done girls, super effort.

#### Jacqui Blackeby



# **Year 6/7 DreamBIG Excursion**

On Friday 21st of May, students in the year 6/7 classes attended the DreamBig Children's Festival and saw a performance titled 'Creation Creation'. The 50 minute performance conducted by Windmill Theatre presented theories around the mysteries of the universe including the Big Bang and the afterlife, through a comedy lens. They also participated in a silent disco with DJ Monski Mouse.













P1, P8 and P9 were treated to a DreamBig performance of Wolfgang's Magical Musical Circus at the Dunstan Playhouse.

Here are some comments from our P9 audience members.







## WHAT RECONCILIATION MEANS TO F15

G'day! Ni Hao! Ninna Marni! Just a few of the wonderful ways we can greet people. These examples mean hello in the English, Chinese and Kaurna language.

Over the last few weeks, F15 have been diving into some deep learning around Reconciliation. We explored the Reconciliation Week poster by artist Jessica Johnson, music by Baker Boy and Thelma Plum and the storybook *Our Home, Our Heartbeat* by Adam Briggs, Kate Moon and Rachael Sarra.

I am very proud of the work, conversations and thinking that has been going on. Below are a few responses from students. They wrote a piece about an inspiring Indigenous person and drew pictures of what Reconciliation means to them.

Look out around the school for their final assessment piece in a few weeks, individual chalk artworks that convey a message they want to share about Reconciliation.

Sarah Sammut
Preservice teacher in F15

I can run like the wind as I turn the bend so close to the finish about to hit the end (about Cathy Freeman)

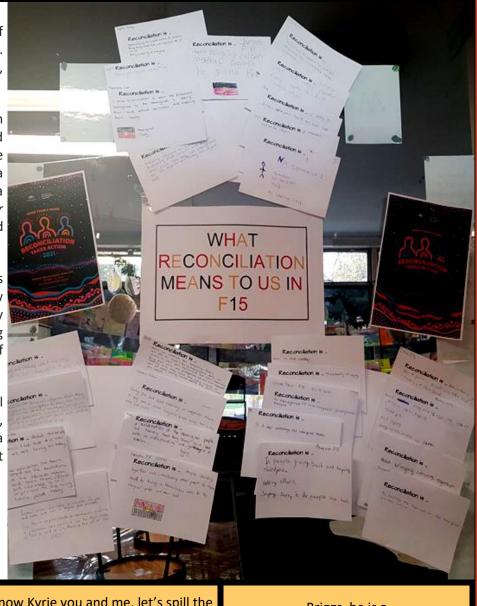
Lara C

So now Kyrie you and me, let's spill the tea and you can teach me about the history of Indigenous families.

Isaiah T

Briggs, he is a rapper, activist and comedic writer. He is inspiring.

Thomas H

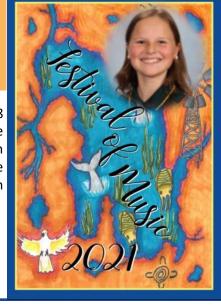


# 2021 FESTIVAL OF MUSIC CONCERT SERIES CONGRATULATIONS SORCHA

Congratulations to Sorcha C for being successful in gaining a position as one of the 8 Hosts for the 2021 Festival of Music concert series. This is a very prestigious role requiring an enormous amount of work, study, practice and performance at a high level. Sorcha will be presenting two evening concerts with three other students in the Adelaide Entertainment Centre, surrounded by over 1500 choristers, dancers, an orchestra and Guest Artists.

We are thrilled that Sorcha will represent Magill school in such a prestigious way.

Well done Sorcha!





## 'Navigating Together'

You are invited to a Parent Forum for parents and carers of children and young people with disability.

The forum will include a keynote 'My Lived Experience' by Matt Cowdrey OAM, Member for Colton and Paralympian.

You can register to attend 2 workshops available on the day:

☑ Transition to High School

☑ The Behaviour Support Toolkit

☑ Student Support Services – making the connections

The forum will provide a safe and supportive environment to share your experience, obtain information and helpful strategies as well as providing the opportunity to have your questions answered.

The information you provide will also assist us in the planning of future forums.

This workshop is for a limited number of parents and carers and will be held maintaining current COVID 19 guidelines.

WHEN: Thursday 1 July 2021

9.30 am - 10.00 am Register/tea/coffee

10.00am - 2.00pm Parent Forum

WHERE: Special Education Resource Unit (SERU) & Fulham Gardens Primary School
Performing Arts Centre

72A Marlborough Street, Henley Beach SA 5022 Ph: 82352871

Contact: Jill at: Education.ParentForumConference@sa.gov.au if you have any questions

lunch / refreshments provided

Register via:

https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/parent-forum-july-1-2021-seru-tickets-156458261873

Parking is available in Northey Avenue, Marlborough Street and surrounding streets.

The entry to the conference is via the Special Education Resource Unit entrance and reception office from Northey Avenue. You will be greeted at SERU where you can sign in before being shown through to the conference room in the grounds of Fulham Gardens Primary School.

#### **SIBLINGS COMMENCING RECEPTION IN 2022**

The school is about to commence planning for the Reception intake next year. If your child is due to start Reception in 2022 and you have not already lodged a **Registration of Interest**, please make contact with the Front Office at your earliest convenience.







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