



## PRUE/LAUREN'S YEAR 1 CLASS



**20<sup>th</sup> November**  
Fitness Club/Coffee  
Van

**22<sup>nd</sup> November**  
Fitness  
Club/Organic  
Market

**23<sup>rd</sup> November**  
Assembly presented  
by Prue Cawley's  
year 1 Class  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reception  
Transition

**27<sup>th</sup> November**  
Fitness Club/Coffee  
Van  
Grounds Committee  
Meeting

**29<sup>th</sup> November**  
Fitness  
Club/Organic  
Market

**30<sup>th</sup> November**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Reception  
Transition

**3<sup>rd</sup> December**  
Governing Council  
Meeting

**5<sup>th</sup> December**  
Volunteers Morning  
Tea

**6<sup>th</sup> December**  
Year 7 Graduation

**10<sup>th</sup> December**  
Casual Day

**11<sup>th</sup> December**  
Celebration Night

# Science with Miss Williams

In Science lessons we have been learning about light.

Light comes from many sources. We learnt that without light we cannot see. We made light boxes to show our understanding. Light boxes are dark when the trap door is closed and you cannot see in to them. When you lift up the trapdoor and let light in you can see the little worlds we created. Here are some photos of the year one's putting in hard effort to create their light boxes!



# PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

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Dear Families,

Congratulations to the Fundraising Committee for a fabulous day on Saturday. The Christmas Fundraising Market Day was a huge success attracting members of our community to the school to enjoy the entertainment, food and purchase a variety of items. The committee committed a lot of time and effort throughout the year to make the day a success, we thank you for your work and support. Have a look at our Facebook page to see some of our students with Father Christmas!

Our students are working hard to finish their academic year with results that reflect their efforts to grow and learn. Student work is being assessed against the standards in the Australian Curriculum for their individual year levels and will be reflected in their reports at the end of the year. Teachers are currently preparing the reports to be distributed to families on the last day of term.

The first Transition visit for children from Pre-school occurred on Friday 16th November with 32 excited students arriving to meet new classmates and explore the school environment. Parents had an opportunity to meet and become part of our community. We will spend the next two Friday mornings together as we develop an understanding of the children and support them in their orientation to school.

We are in the process of developing classes for 2019, students have identified friendship groups which have been used to determine the best opportunities for learning. Further review will occur and information will be sent home on the last day of term with the reports. Students will meet their new teacher before the end of the year.

During the holidays builders will be working on site to remove asbestos cladding from the Administration building and will replace the windows on the eastern side. Under the Department for Education policy we are required to have a complete school closure during the asbestos removal stage therefore there will be no access to the school for any staff or community members. We ask all families to remind children that they cannot come on to the school grounds from the 7th Jan – 10th Jan 2019.

Excitement is growing as the students prepare their items for Celebration night. Angela has been teaching each class their item and supporting students as stage crew and announcers. Keep the 11th December free on your calendar to share the night with us and the community.

Regards

Debbie



*Congratulations we hit*

**94%**

*Attendance this week.*



## SOUTHERN VALLEY BEACH VOLLEYBALL

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On Friday the 9<sup>th</sup> of November, we had 5 teams entered in the Southern Valley Beach Volleyball competition. Our Year 6 Girls team made the finals but unfortunately didn't win. Our year 7 Girls made the semi-finals but unfortunately lost. The rest of our teams were very competitive in their grade. All teams demonstrated the Happy Valley school values and we are very proud with how they all competed on the day.



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# CHRISTMAS MARKET FUNDRAISER

Our Christmas Market on Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup> November was a resounding success. That Christmas feeling was certainly in the air! We had a many visitors who experienced a variety of market stalls and food trucks, raffles and lucky dips. Santa was a hit with the children, arriving on the CFS truck with sirens blaring. The children then had the chance to experience being a fire fighter, by using the fire hose to put out a 'house', with the help of the local CFS and MFS. Our ever enthusiastic band of volunteers kept the day running smoothly and our thanks go to each and every one of you.



## DONATIONS FOR CELEBRATION NIGHT RAFFLE



A friendly reminder to please bring in your donations for the raffle boxes for Celebration night if you haven't done so already. The collections boxes are in each room. Please make your donations before Friday the 30<sup>th</sup> November according to the list below. We would greatly appreciate any volunteers to help assemble and wrap the boxes in Week 8.



**Mrs Bartlett – Stationary**

**Miss Watts – Christmas Theme**

**Prue/Lauren – Kitchen**

**Lesia/Pooley – Lollies**

**Ms James – Chocolate**

**Mrs Loveday – Toys**

**Ms Resnais - Sports**

**Mrs Lane/Angela – Summer**

**Miss Tilling – Pampering**

**Ms Bosworth – Toiletries**

**Mrs Read – Books**

**Mrs Liscombe – Garden**

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# CELEBRATION NIGHT



Join us for a night of Entertainment and Fireworks

## Celebration Night!

Tuesday December 11<sup>th</sup>

6:00 p.m.

On the oval at

Happy Valley Primary School

**Please be entertained by the instrumental students showcasing their skills from 6:00pm to 6:30pm**

Classes will be showcasing work from the Drama, Dance and Music Curriculum at **7pm!**

Ending with a bang at around 8.50pm with Fireworks!

Please bring your chairs and/or picnic rug.

Food & Drink available to purchase - Pizza, Sausage Sizzle, Pre-ordered Platters, Coffee and ice creams/ice blocks.

Raffle tickets will be available to purchase on the night.

**We appreciate your contribution of a Gold Coin for the fireworks. Please place in the collection tins.**

And, of course, your Christmas Cheer!

Hope you can join us!

## FUTURE LEADERS - NUDE FOOD

Over the last two terms the Future Leaders have been trying to promote 'Nude Food' throughout the school. Every Tuesday we have had 'Nude Food Day'. The main aim of this is to reduce the amount of litter being dropped in the school. Litter pollution has a direct effect on our environment and affects our local wild life and bird life.

We looked into this further and decided if we would be able to cut down on the individual wrappers we have for a bag of chips or cereal bar. We used Coles and Woolworths online shopping sites to see if there were benefits by buying the larger packets (this would mean less packaging for the week). We found that a majority of the items we looked at were cheaper when bought in larger bags/cartons.

### Online shopping with Coles and Woolworths

<u>Name of Product</u>	<u>Cost for multiple bag per 100g</u>	<u>Cost for large bag price per 100g</u>	<u>Best buy</u>
Cheese Twisties	\$2.75 per 100g	\$2 per 100g	Large Party bag
Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual pouches \$6 per 100g	Large tub \$4 per 100g	Large Tub
Apples	Prepacked \$5 per 1KG	Loose \$3 per 1kg	Loose apples
Smith's Chips	Individual packets \$2.75 per 100g	Large packet \$1.53 per 100g	Large bags
Juice	Individual cartons \$1.75 per L 1L	Large carton \$1.25 per 1L	Large carton
Pizza shapes	Individual packets \$2 per 100g	Large box \$1.58 per 100g	Large box
Jatz	Individual bag \$2.17 per 100g	Large Box \$1.33 per 100g	Large Box
Popcorn	Individual bags \$1.75 per 100g	Large bag %1.24 per 100g	Large bag
Kit Kat	Individual Kit Kat \$4.44 per 100g	Bag of mini Kit Kats \$2.65 Per 100g	Large Bag

Our research shows that it is cheaper and more beneficial to buy the larger packets, and to split it into smaller reusable containers.

The Future Leaders are also looking into designing new wax wrappers to use for packed lunches. These are reusable and will help reduce the amount of cling film and foil used. Information letters regarding the reusable pockets/wraps have been sent home with your child. If enough parents are interested we can start the designing process, ready for parents to purchase in the New Year.

## NUDE FOOD – REUSABLE POCKETS

Reminder to bring your forms back if you are interested in purchasing a Reusable pocket/wrap. If we have enough interest, we will have a competition to design our own wrap that will be available to buy. It is a fantastic way for our school to do its part in reducing the amount of waste produced.



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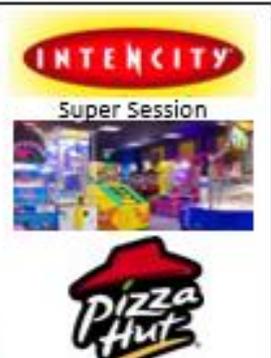


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# Vacation Care

17/12/18	18/12/18	19/12/18	20/12/18	21/12/18
  <p>Glenelg Foreshore Playground</p>	<p>Harvest the Fleurieu</p>  <p>Pt Noarlunga Playground</p> 	<p>WALLIS CINEMAS</p>  <p>Inflatable Zone</p>	<p>HENDRIE STREET INCLUSIVE PLAYGROUND</p>  <p>INDOOR SKATEPARK PUMP</p>	 <p>Christmas Party Lunch</p>

## Merry Christmas

7/01/19	8/01/19	9/01/19	10/01/19	11/01/19
				 <p>Dodgem Cars &amp; Arcade</p>  <p>The Beach</p>
14/01/19	15/01/19	16/01/19	17/01/19	18/01/19
<p>Marion Outdoor</p>  <p>Pool</p>	<p>SciWorld</p>  <p>THINKERS' ELIZABETH PLAYGROUND</p> 	 <p>Waterworld</p>	<p>WALLIS CINEMAS</p>  <p>Charlie's</p>	<p>Cooking &amp; Electronics Water Fun</p> 
21/01/19	22/01/19	23/01/19	24/01/19	25/01/19
 <p>Semaphore Beach &amp; Waterslides</p>	<p>Water Fights</p>  <p>Paintballs</p> 	<p>INTENCITY</p> <p>Super Session</p>  <p>Pizza Hut</p>	<p>Ice</p>  <p>Blocking</p>  <p>BBQ Lunch</p>  <p>The Beach</p> 	<p>Klemzig Playground</p>  <p>LATITUDE</p> 