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No. 8 AUGUST 30 2023 DIARY DATES

August 2023

30 Father's Day stall – 2 Storey Bdg
31 Father's Day stall – Quad block

September 2023

4 Water Safety Rm 1, 13, 14, 16
4 Year 6's Transition to GSC
Innovation Day 1
6 Rm 7 & 9 Incursion
6 Learning Showcase 3.30pm
8 SHOW DAY HOLIDAY
13 Governing Council
14 R U OK? DAY
15 Rm 1, 2 & 4 Excursion
23-24 Mini Photo Sessions
27 Musical Showcase
29 End of term 3
Early dismissal 2.15pm

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NEWSLETTER

"Quality Education in a Caring Environment"

OUR SCHOOL VALUES ARE:

Organisation • Persistence • Confidence • Getting Along • Resilience

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BOOK WEEK



Congratulations to all students and families who participated in our 2023 Bookweek dress up and parade. Dr Seuss' The Lorax was the inspiration for staff to dress up for bookweek this year, don't they look amazing as truffula trees surrounded the Lorax. The parade began a week of loving books and reading, with displays in the library, colouring in competitions, 'get snapped' reading opportunities, and activities at break times. More photos are further in this newsletter.



SALA



SALA Schools Art Show

In its 6th year, we once again displayed student art work in the SALA Schools Art Show at Investigator College in August. Over 500 visitors attended over the weekend. The art work will be on display in the Indonesian Room during the Learning Showcase on Wednesday 6 September.

LEARNING SHOWCASE – WED 6 SEP – 3.30PM TO 5PM

If you haven't made a time to visit your child/ren's class yet, please contact their teacher asap. This is a terrific evening for your child to share their learning goals with you and show you their work. Families will also be able to visit specialist learning areas where students can have their passports stamped. Completed passports can then be dropped off at Student Services to collect a Showbag!

Be kind. Be responsible. Be respectful. Try your best.



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IN THIS EDITION...

- Welcome
- School Matters
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- Oliphant Awards

GOOLWA PRIMARY SCHOOL OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE (OSHC)



Please contact GOSHC directly by phoning 0438 861 943

GOSHC will not be operating on the Show Day Holiday.
Please contact Port Elliot OSHC for care that day
on 0456 595 883 or via email portelliot.oshc@ymcasa.org.au

SCHOOL MATTERS

HATS HATS HATS

Hats must be worn outside from Monday 4 September. This includes outside learning, break times and excursions. Hats can be purchased via QKR app or during the Uniform Shop opening hours at \$14 each.



WATER SAFETY AND SWIMMING

Invoicing and further information has been sent home to families in the following classes, 1, 13, 14 and 16, shortly. Payment will be available via QKR, credit card, bank deposit or cash at Student Services. Payment plans are available, please liaise with Pam Johnston, Business Manager.

Sessions begin for Rooms 1, 13, 14 and 16 in Week 7, Monday 4 September.



MUSICAL SHOWCASE – WEDNESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

Classes are working with their buddy class to put together a performance for families and friends, where we “fly around the world” in the week 10. **Save the date.** More details to follow.

BOOKCLUB

Issue 6 orders are due on Wednesday 6 September.



PRINCIPAL FOR A DAY



“I had a great day as Principal on Friday, it was real fun. I had to give the award winners their prizes and I liked to see the winner’s smiles. They were really happy. I spent time reading articles, attending meetings and introducing visitors to Mrs Guest. I designed a competition and made a poster for the Royal Show Day school closure. I counted out notes and sent all the messages to the classes. I had a picnic lunch with Mrs Kenny and a hot milo and helped set up the gym for the disco. I got to do some fun things with all of the staff.”
Elayna, Room 1

BUS SAFE INCURSION

All our students travel by bus at some time during their schooling years, whether to an excursion, water safety sessions or travelling to/from home. This interactive incursion included how to board the bus. The lucky winners of the colouring in competition were

Ruby W Willow Ava Lila Cleo

Silas Madison C Caleb Lucy



BOOKWEEK

It was so lovely to see so many staff and students making such wonderful costumes for our Bookweek dress up parade. From trees, wizards, princess, fairies, super heroes, sports people, animals, Wally to Harry and more! See also our facebook posts for more photos from the dress up day.



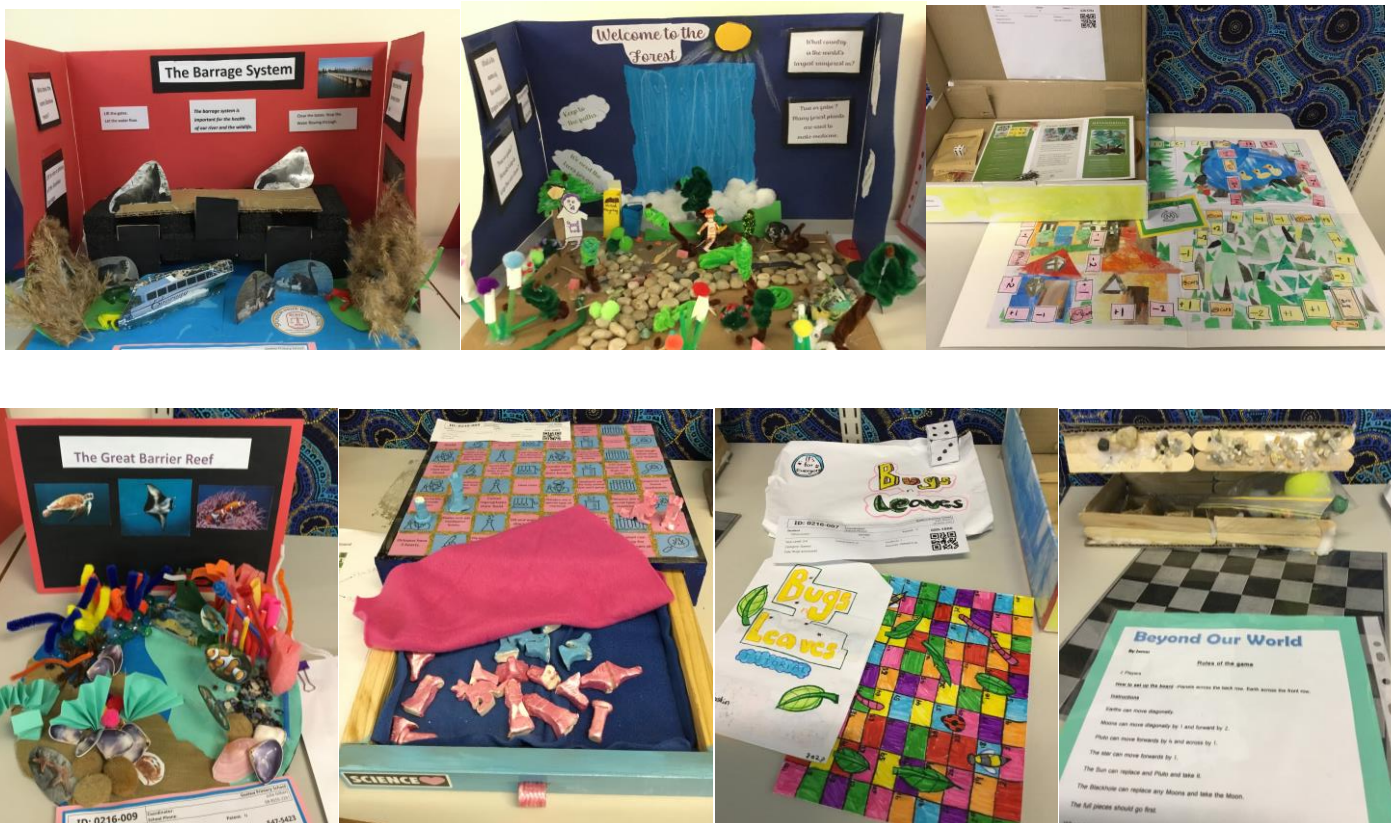
SALA DISPLAY



OLIPHANT AWARDS

We are super proud of our students and all of their hard work in the Oliphant Science Awards this year. Each year students have the opportunity to work on small group or independent projects. This year we had entrants in photography, games and models or inventions. Many of our projects were on display at the recent Science Alive exhibition at the Adelaide show grounds. Congratulations to everyone involved.

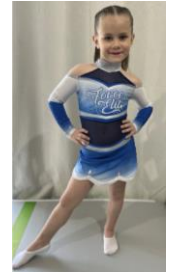
These models will be on display in the Indonesian Room during the Learning Showcase on Wednesday 6 September.





CHEERLEADING

Aubree completes in Cheerleading at Seaford Force Elite Academy. She's been doing it since she was 4. She is in 2 teams one is called Tiny Diamonds which she is in with her brother Tate, and a team called Topaz. The medals are from Cheerleading competitions last weekend with her team Tiny Diamonds placed 2nd.



SAPSASA SOCCER

"A couple of weeks ago we competed in SAPSASA Soccer. Our team was made up of girls from Strathalbyn, Investigator, Goolwa, Victor and Port Elliot schools. They were all really nice and we played well as a team. We even had THREE girls named 'Ruby' in our team, that's pretty cool! First we had two practice games, which we won! Then we competed in 9 rounds of soccer over three days. We won 7 games, tied one and lost to Mount Barker on day three in our second to last game. We would like to thank Mr. C.B for taking time out of his afternoons to coach us and rescue our balls from the lake, TWICE!"

By Ruby B, Maci and Kirby



ADELAIDE STRIKERS CRICKET VISIT

"James and Smash the Adelaide Strikers mascot visited the Reception to Year 4 classes this week. Paul from the Goolwa Cricket Club came too. First James gave each of us a cricket ball to squeeze. We were shown how to throw and catch a cricket ball. We got 50 points if we could clap and catch the ball. We had bunny ears and a tail to pretend bowl the ball, with the other hand we had to point to where we wanted the ball to go. We learnt the hand you write with holds the bat closet to the fat bit, the other hand goes above it. We had our photo taken with James and Smash."

Room 1 Students

'Smash is buff and as tall as Tori.'


'The Strikers are the best cricket team.'

'I like cricket and I'm going to the cricket clinic in the holidays.'



*******SHOWDAY HOLIDAY – FRIDAY 8 SEPTEMBER*******

GOSHC will not be operating on this day, please contact Port Elliot OSHC.




Father's Day Stall

Under the Shelter
8.25am to 8.55am

**Wednesday 30 Aug -
2 Storey Building students**

Thursday 31 Aug -
Quad Block students

Max of 2 items can be purchased per student.



FUNDRAISING FOR GOOLWA PRIMARY SCHOOL

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FAMILY PHOTO MINI SESSIONS



**SAT
23RD SEPT
SUN
24TH SEPT**

**HELD AT
STUDIO IN
GOOLWA
EVERY 15
MINUTES**

- 1 x Edited Digital Family Photo - \$25**
- 3 x Edited Digital Family Photos - \$50**
- 6 x Edited Digital Family Photos - \$80**
- 10 x Edited Digital Family Photos - \$120**

VISIT - www.ehphotography.com.au to book

COMMUNITY NEWS

BUILD IT! SOLVE IT! PLAY IT!

Fun with lego, meccano, puzzles and games



**3.30 - 5.00pm
Thursdays
Cost \$2 each**
(parents, caregivers and support workers free)

Bookings Essential
admin@goolwacommunitycentre.org.au
 8555 3941 or FACEBOOK

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Free Basketball Event

**Saturday Mornings
10:30am - 11:30am**



STREET BASKETBALL COMPETITION



BEGINNERS WELCOME

LEARN WITH NBL1 PLAYER ORLANDO ZOHAR FROM THE SOUTHERN TIGERS

city of
Victor Harbor

