



Dates to Remember Term 4

Week 2

- Friday October 23 Sports Day

Week 3

- Monday October 26 Governing Council special meeting 6:15pm to discuss 2021 Material & Services Charge. Use this meeting to raise any concerns about the M&S charge.

- Wednesday October 28 Yr5/6/7 Cricket Carnival

- Thursday October 29 Book Club Issue 7 due

- Friday October 30 Assembly—Year 3.

Week 4

- Tuesday November 3 to Thursday Errappa Camp 7 Cunningham/Tokarski

- Monday—Thursday SAPSASA Softball

Week 5

- Friday November 13 School Closure Day

Week 6

- Monday November 16 Pupil Free Day

- Monday November 16 to Wednesday Errappa Camp 7 Van Riet

- Wednesday November 18 to Friday Errappa camp 7 George

Week 7

- Monday to Friday Swimming 3 West & 3 Theakstone

- Monday November 23 Governing Council meeting 6:15pm

Week 9

- Monday to Friday Swimming 4 Beard & 5 Trevor

- Friday last day early dismissal 2:20pm. Reports go home



Term 4 Week 1

Friday October 16, 2020

Important Information from the Principal *Te Leah Wilson*



Park Terrace Crossing Information

During the Road Crossing Training in Week 5 last term we were advised that there must be two trained volunteers if a school crossing is to be monitored to reduce legal responsibility. Providing crossing monitors is a volunteer service and not a legal requirement. We currently struggle to fill the roster for the Adelaide Place crossing and would not have enough students or staff members to provide an additional crossing monitor for the Park Terrace crossing. As a staff we have decided to stop providing crossing monitors for the Park Terrace crossing from the start of Week 3. If your child uses this crossing please talk to them about making sure that they use it safely.

Sports Day

After a lot of careful consideration we have decided to run our usual Sports Day because we can see many benefits to the students for holding the day. Due to the additional requirements that would be needed to allow parents to be onsite to watch Sports Day, we have decided that we will run a parent free event. I know that this will be disappointing to many parents but as a staff we would prefer to run Sports Day without parents, rather than cancelling Sports Day altogether. We will live stream on Facebook many of the events, especially the finals.

The program of events is on the back page.

Classes 2021

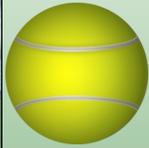
It is that time of the year again when we start planning for 2021. If you know that your child is not going to be at Port Lincoln Primary School next year can you, please inform me in writing using this email address dl.0359.info@schools.sa.edu.au.



We have decided to run all straight classes but have not allocated teachers to classes. If you have a request regarding which students you would like your child placed with because you feel that they are a good influence on their learning or students you would like us to try and avoid because you feel they may hamper their learning, please put that request in writing to me using the email address above. The deadline for this information is **Friday the 23rd of October which is the end of Week 2.**

Class teachers will also go through a process with the students to get their perspectives but we understand that sometimes parents have a different perspective to their children.





Tennis

On Wednesday September 23, 63 Year 3/4 students braved the wintery weather conditions to participate in the ANZ Hotshots Tennis Tournament at the Port Lincoln Tennis Courts on Tennyson Terrace. Despite the weather, the day was a huge success and all students seemed to really enjoy participating in a modified, friendly tennis competition against students from other schools. With the summer tennis season about to start, it was a fantastic opportunity for students to apply their skills learnt in PE lessons and see if they'd like to continue playing and try and become the next Ash Barty.



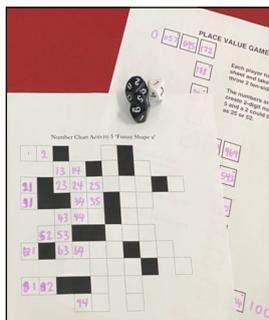
A massive thank you must go to Tennis SA for organising and running a great carnival, the Port Lincoln Tennis Association for letting us use the facilities, our parent helpers - Chloe, Bec, Sharyn, Caitlin and Lisa - for helping organise our teams, Mrs Fraser, Miss Lincoln and Sharon.
Mr George



The Big Ideas in Number Staff professional learning

During week 10 last term, Port Lincoln Primary School teachers attended professional learning sessions via Zoom with Dr Margarita Breed to build on their knowledge of 'The Big Ideas in Number'.

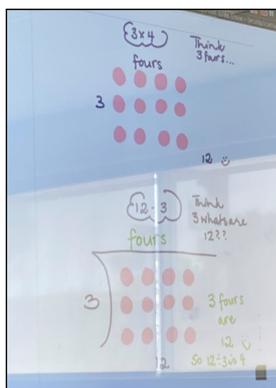
Teachers explored our place value system, efficient strategies for multiplication and addition facts as well as ways to support students to make their thinking visible.



Activities to support students developing a deep understanding of place value and our number system.

'**Multiplicative thinking**' is the capacity to work flexibly with the concepts, strategies and representations of multiplication (and division) as they occur in a wide range of contexts. Not just rote memorization of times tables.

The transition to students thinking multiplicatively is a major barrier to learning mathematics in the middle years so these strategies will enable students to develop a deep understanding of concepts before they learn number facts to support memorisation and application. We want students to be flexible with their mathematical thinking and have a range of strategies they can draw on to solve problems.



There is one strategy for division, 'think multiplication'

Sharing recipes..

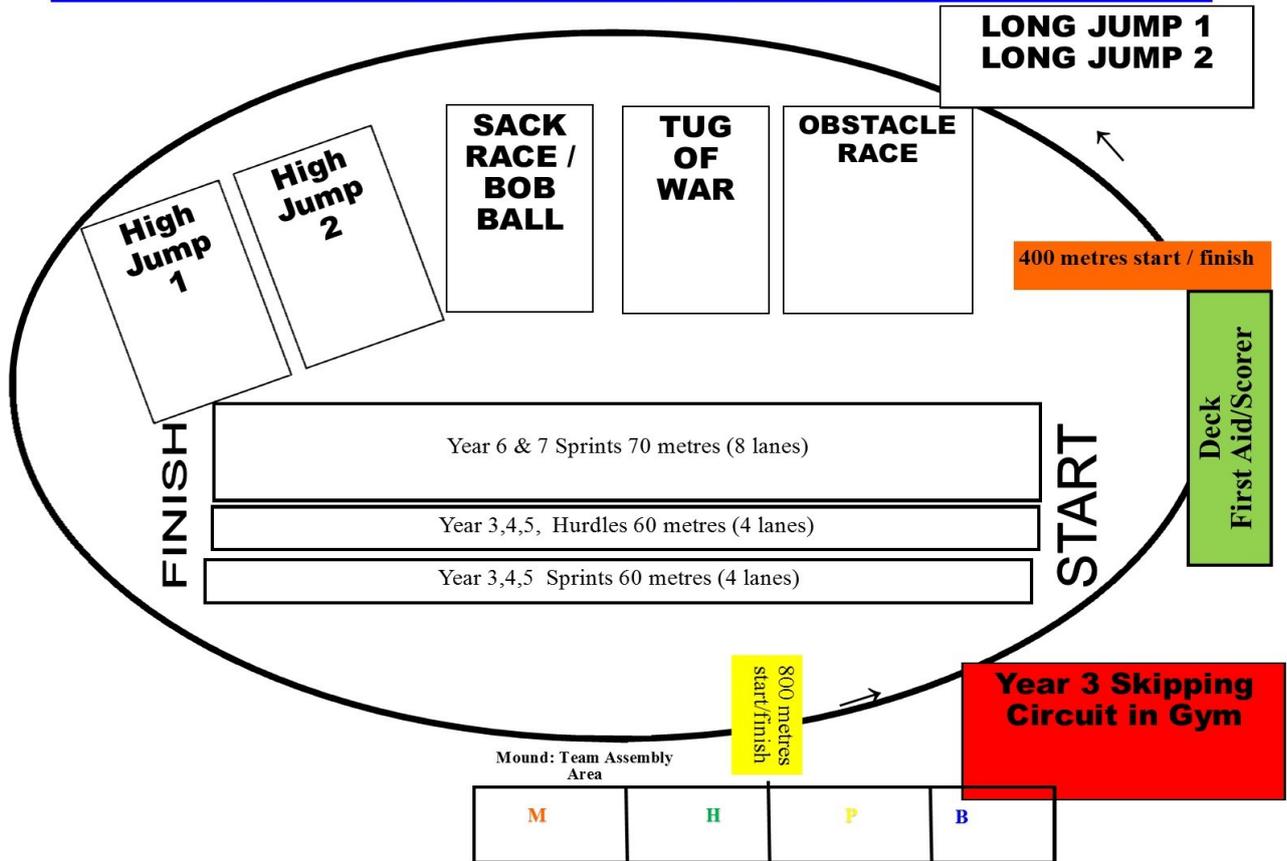


Discussing maths when cooking can provide a daily maths lesson involving measurement, time and cost.

Here are some activities you could try at home:

- Collect and read recipes and discuss the use of fractions, millilitres and grams. Encourage your child to make accurate measurements using measuring cups and spoons.
- Discuss how you would double or halve a recipe. Encourage your child to record new measurements for the recipe. Discuss why and when you might need to do this.
- Identify the temperature and cooking times.
- Estimate the cost to buy all the ingredients to make the recipe. Compare this with the actual cost of items. Ask your child if they think it was cheaper to buy the ingredients and make dinner or get takeaway.
- Make a list of the abbreviations used in the recipe and then write them in full—for example, L for litre, ml for millilitre, tsp for teaspoon, tbsp. for tablespoon.

SPORTS DAY OVAL PLAN





W C Y C S !



GAME ON!

FRIDAY NIGHT BASKETBALL

ARE YOU AGED BETWEEN 10-17?

7PM TO 8PM WCYCS DRIVE AROUND IN STREET BUS TO OFFER LIFTS FROM HOUSE TO GYM. CONTACT US 0400 746 642

8PM TO 9PM BASKETBALL PLAYED AT PORT LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL

9PM WCYCS WILL PROVIDE LIFTS HOME STRAIGHT AFTER BASKETBALL

TERM 4

EVERY FRIDAY



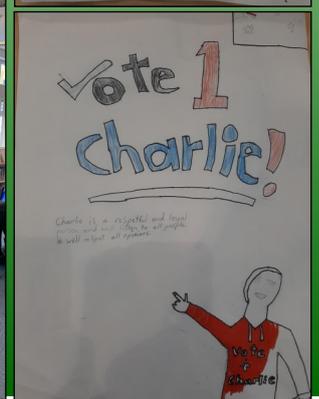




ELECTIONS

Last term Year 5 Freeman, Fiebig and Bolger learnt all about being responsible citizens and making their vote count by organising a mock election. This is inline with their Civics and Citizenship learning. Three leaders were voted in and formed political parties and chose two people to represent them. Their platform was "how could Year 5's celebrate the end of the year."

The literacy centre was set up like a real polling booth with electoral roll, issuing officers, ballot box guards, scrutineers and queue controllers. The winning candidate was Charlie Scott from 5 Fiebig. Well done Charlie.



YEAR	9:35am	9:55am	10:15am	10:35am	10:55am	11:15am	1:05pm	1:25pm
	TABLOID 1	TABLOID 2	TABLOID 3	TABLOID 4	TABLOID 5	TABLOID 6	TABLOID 7	TABLOID 8
3 West (c)	Obstacle Race	Skipping Circuit 400 metres Recess Sprints	Recess Skipping Circuit Sprints Hurdles	Sprints Recess Hurdles Skipping Circuit	Sack Race	Hurdles Sprints 400 metres Recess	Tug of War B v P H v M	400 metres Hurdles Skipping Circuit 400 metres
4 Farl/Linc (c)	Hurdles Sprints Long Jump 2 High Jump 2	Long Jump 2 High Jump 2 Sprints Hurdles	High Jump 2 Long Jump 2 400 metres 400 metres	400 metres 400 metres High Jump 2 Long Jump 2	Obstacle Race	Sack Race	Sprints Hurdles Hurdles Sprints	Tug of War B v M H v P
5 Trevor (c)	Sprints Hurdles 400 metres 400 metres	Bob Ball Relay	Obstacle Race	Tug of War M v P B v H	High Jump 2 Long Jump 2 Hurdles Sprints	Long Jump 2 High Jump 2 Sprints Hurdles	400 metres 400 metres Long Jump 2 High Jump 2	Hurdles Sprints High Jump 2 Long Jump 2
6 Williams (c)	800 metres 800 metres Sprints Hurdles	Tug of War B v P H v M	Obstacle Race	Obstacle Race	Sprints Hurdles High Jump 1 Long Jump 1	High Jump 1 Long Jump 1 Hurdles Sprints	Hurdles Sprints Long Jump 1 High Jump 1	Long Jump 1 High Jump 1 800 metres 800 metres
7 Van Riet	Sprints Hurdles High Jump 1 Long Jump 1	High Jump 1 Long Jump 1 800 metres 800 metres	Long Jump 1 High Jump 1 Hurdles Sprints	Hurdles Sprints Long Jump 1 High Jump 1	Tug of War B v M H v P	Obstacle Race	800 metres 800 metres Sprints Hurdles	Bob Ball Relay

LUNCH 12:05-1:00pm

SPORTS DAY PROCEDURE – Friday 23rd October (Week 2) 2020

- 8:55 am Siren - Assemble in house teams under shades on the mound. Warm up and reassemble on mound
 - 9:10 am House tunnel ball relay.
 - 9:30 am Move off to start first tabloid event, send score sheet to Scoring Room after each event.
 - 9:35am Start of first Tabloid: WAIT UNTIL HOOTER SOUNDS; before you start your event.
 - 9:35-11:30am Tabloid events
- When you finish an event, have the children remain seated. When the horn sounds, then move to the next event and start. Remember score sheets.**
- 11:35 am Siren sounds – move to mound to view 400/800m Finals.
 - 11:40 am **FINALS** - 400m (Year 3, 4, 5) and 800m (Year 6, 7)
 - 12:05 pm LUNCH
- 12.15 pm **FINAL** - HIGH JUMP - Year 6, 7
 - 1:00 pm **FINAL** – LONG JUMP – Year 4, 5, 6 & 7
 - 1:05 pm Siren sounds - children gather with their teacher at the 7th event of the tabloid section.
 - 1:45 pm Horn sounds - start tabloid event number 7.
 - 1:50 pm Horn sounds - children to position on mound to view finals (hurdles/sprints/relays).
 - 2:50 pm **FINALS** - HURDLES (Year 3 - 7)
 - 3:00 pm **SPRINTS** (Year 3 - 7)
 - RELAYS (Year 3 - 7)
 - TIDY UP: reassemble on mound.
 - PRESENTATION OF SHIELD

IF THE WEATHER IS INCLEMENT, THE DATE MAY BE CHANGED