

Diary Dates

Week 5

Book Week

Camp Week for years 4-6 Monday 22nd August to Wednesday 24th August

Week 6

Monday 29th August School Closure Day Tuesday 30th August Book Week Parade

Week 8 Governing Council Tuesday 13th September 6pm

Wednesday 14th September Student Free Day (Wellbeing training for staff)

Week 9 School Dentist Visit 19th - 23rd September

> Week 10 Friday 30th September Last day of Term 3 Students

dismissed at

2:05pm

Reminders: Choir Students - Consents due Wednesday 17th August School Closure Day Monday 29th August -OSHC bookings available

Dear families,

Our school community is growing, we had 5 new enrolments in week one of this term. The pattern of enrolments over the past few years has been interrupted with COVID impacting families and their ability to move into the area. It is a lovely celebration for our school community to see that families are choosing to come to Modbury School P-6.

One of the new students who is in year 4 let me know that although she had transferred from a much larger school, she felt that Modbury had really good learning programs. She also talked about her excitement in attending SAPSASA and camp for the very first time.

It is important that we hear children's voices when sharing how they feel about school and their learning. Modbury School P-6 is a smaller school that does offer a more personalised approach in support for children, recognises individuality and focuses on learning improvement for each child tailored with their academic and wellbeing goals in mind.

I would like to invite our parent community to spread the word about your own experience at Modbury School through word of mouth, reviews and surveys. One of the ways you can do this is by completing the Annual Parent Survey. Families should have already received an email or sms with their unique survey link. If you did not receive a link and would like to complete the survey please email: <u>education.ParentSurvey@sa.gov.au</u> and reference our school.

There is so much for parents to consider when choosing a school with a large amount of public schools in our catchment, it can be a difficult decision. Please support our school so that we can continue to grow and do what we do best, help children to gain a love of learning.

Mary Ttikirou Principal



Ms Mary took this gorgeous photo when she visited Berri with her family. Spending time in nature, taking walks and gardening are some of the things she loves to do.



This year in LCB teachers and students have been learning how to use Minecraft Education as a learning tool.

We have used Minecraft for learning in Maths, Technologies and CPC. Minecraft helps us to develop skills such as communication, collaboration, patience, problem solving, growth mindset and creativity.

As part of our learning, we are creating a collaborative town where every student is building their dream house and we are all working in the same world together. The teachers are also creating their houses too! We love getting to see what our friends and teachers are building. We use the camera and book and quill to take photos and document our progress in our journal.



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In Maths we used Minecraft to learn financial skills. Students earnt money and had to decide how to spent it. They spoke to residents in the world who gave them knowledge into how they could spend their money.



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I bought house 1 for \$2500. I bought it because I could add furniture and lots of room for pets.



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I got a car so that I can travel and save up money. I also bought a SUV because I can sell it for loads of money. This cost me \$500 dollars.

Students could purchase houses, cars, food, pets, and more. They could open a savings account and choose to have money in the bank.

Students tracked their learning in their journal, where they took screenshots and wrote about what they did in Minecraft.



I have a chest in the bank that I can put all my money in if I run out of money in my inventory.

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This term in LCB we are starting to look at Poetry. We have brainstormed types of poems, their purpose and how poetry makes us feel.

We have started to look at important poetic devices such as rhyme, rhythm, repetition, onomatopoeia, alliteration, personification and imagery.

<u>Onomatopoeia:</u> is when a word mimics the sound of the object.





<u>Rhyme:</u> is when the final sound of a word that can be repeated.

The rumble of

waves pounding

on the beach.



away with the spoon.

<u>Rhythm:</u> is the natural beat of a poem. Rhythm is affected by the length of syllables, whether they are long or short sounds. <u>Personification:</u> is using a human characteristic to describe something that is not human.

> <u>Alliteration:</u> is when words start with the same sound.

Sheep should shower in a shed.



The wheels on the bus go round and round, round and round, round and round. The wheels on the bus go round and round, all through the town.

<u>Repetition:</u> is when words, lines, and verses are repeated for effect and emphasis.

Students are enjoying reading, hearing and responding to different types of poetry and the challenge of creating their own poems.



<u>Imagery:</u> creates a clear picture of something in the reader's mind.

What did our staff do during the holidays?





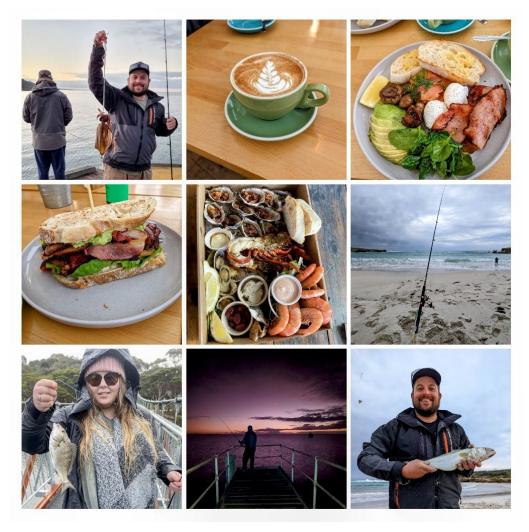
Mrs T and her dog Ohana spent a lot of time with their besties in the holidays!

They celebrated Ohana's best doggie pal Cricket's first birthday in the holidays with presents, special doggy

"barkday cake" and a trip to the park!



In the school holidays I went down to Kangaroo Island for a week with my partner and friends. We caught squid off the jetty in Kingscote, caught bream at Chapman river and Australian Salmon at Hanson Bay. We visited our favourite cafes on KL Lavender Farm cafe and Cactus cafe for delicious food and couldn't resist visiting the Oyster Farm at American River to indulae in a delicious seafood platter. **Ms** Jackie









Mrs Brumby and her family had a great time visiting the beautiful island of Fiji. The weather was amazing, they experienced the wonderful arts and culture of this gorgeous tropical location. We are so lucky she came back!



Ms Vanessa and her children went to visit the Big Rocking Horse at Gumeracha. They enjoyed a chilly climb all the way to the top.

This picture also shows the beautiful storm clouds rolling in over the Adelaide Hills!





Ms Kym did lots of arty things in the holidays. She helped her son take photos in beautiful Burra for his Bluegrass duet *Miss Ohio* (they had to take Edwood along for a ride!)

She was also busy painting for this years SALA exhibition at Campbelltown Arthouse. Music, Art and family are her favourite things!





GEMINI NETBALL CLUB INC

Male and Female Players invited to join club for Summer season 2022/23 commencing term 4 - October 2022

Players from 7 years of age

Male players 7 to 12 yrs

Online registration process opening 1st July2022

Gemini Netball Club Inc.

Club practise held at **SA District Courts, Atlantis Drive, Golden Grove**.

Practise Thursday nights for Junior teams 5.30pm to 6.30pm Seniors 6.30pm to 7.30pm

Games are played following times:

Seniors — 6.25pm, 7.30pm or 9pm (either time slots) Intermediates – 6.25pm, 7.30pm

Sub Jun 13 and Under - 6.40pm Tuesday nights Juniors 15 and Under-8.10pm Tuesday nights

Primary 11 and Under – Friday nights - 8pm Sub Primary Teams – (Modified rules) 9 and Under - Friday nights 6.40pm

Online registration process opening 1st July 2022 LINK FOR ONLINE REGISTRATION: https://www.playhg.com/netball-australia/register/f53064

Training for summer season 2022/2023 - to be advised

If you are requiring more information please ring Margaret on 0414641063 (before 8pm)



THE ROYAL LIFE SAVING SWIM & SURVIVE PROGRAM YOU KNOW AND LOVE!

COMING THIS DECEMBER & JANUARY!

BRING YOUR LOGBOOKS AND GET READY FOR A WEEK OF FUN!

ENROLMENTS OPEN AUGUST 22nd



Come and Try – 3 visits for FREE Northridge Para Vista Scout Group Kentish Green, Warren Road, Para Vista Joeys – Tuesday Nights – 6.00pm – 7.00pm Cubs – Tuesday Nights – 7.00pm – 8.30pm Scouts – Thursday Nights – 7.00pm – 9.00pm Venturers – Friday Nights – 7.00pm – 10.00pm Contact: Gary Powell (Leader) – 0481354 800 Email: <u>gl.northridge@sa.scouts.com.au</u> <u>www.sa.scouts.com.au</u>

ATTENTION: CHOIR STUDENTS

If your child/children is in our school choir and attending the choir performances on 30th August and 15th September.

Please ensure your consent notes are returned by **Wednesday 17th August** (our apologies for incorrect date of Wednesday 20th August on the form).

Please include payment with your consents \$10.00 for bus fare only or \$20.00 for bus and dinner option. Payments can be made in cash or by credit card in the office or by credit card via the school website. Please call 82642027 if you have any questions.

If you are planning for your child to visit our mobile dentist please complete the pack that was sent home and return it to the office by **Tuesday 13th September**





Visiting Modbury School between 19th August and 23rd August

Free* Mobile Dentist is coming!

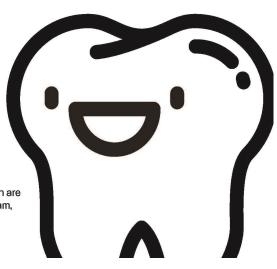
Australian Dental Foundation's 'My School Dentist' program is a not-for-profit, FREE* mobile dental program that delivers onsite oral health care and education for children and teens across Australia.

How to register your child/children?

Simply complete a patient pack (per child) and return to your site prior to the deadline for onsite dental treatment.

SA (08) 7226 1709 VIC (03) 9013 6644 dentalfoundation.org.au

*Check-ups and dental treatment performed at your child's school, pre-school or kindergarten are at no out of pocket expense to parent (or the school/site). For more information on our program, visit our website.



Term 3 Important Dates

Lunch Orders available through QKR! App from Pie Time on Wednesday and Friday only

Week 5: Monday 22nd to Friday 26th August - BOOKWEEK
Week 5: Monday 22nd to Wednesday 24th August: School Camp for students in years 4-6 (last day to pay 8th August)
Week5: Friday 26th August SAPSASA Soccer (selected students)
Week 6: Monday 29th August - School Closure - OSHC available, bookings required
Week 6: Tuesday 30th August BOOKWEEK PARADE 'Dreaming'
Week 8: Tuesday 13th September Governing Council 6pm
Week 8: Wednesday 14th September - Student Free Day - OSHC available, bookings required
Week 10: Friday 30th September, last day of term, students dismissed at 2:05pm



What students need to bring to Illawonga Camp

Due to Privacy Issues students are NOT PERMITTED to bring PHONES

- 1 pair of jeans or track pants (2 pairs in winter)
- 1 pair of shorts (2 pairs in summer)
- 2 t-shirts
- 1 windcheater or jumper (extra jumper in winter)
- 1 warm jacket or parka (especially waterproof coat with a hood in winter)
- <u>Hat</u>, sunscreen, lip balm & insect repellent (NO Hat NO Play)
- Beanies & gloves (in winter only)
- Pyjamas, underwear and socks
- 1 pair of sandshoes (ILLAWONGA camp policy closed in shoes at all times)
- Sleeping bag and <u>pillow</u>
- Toiletries (soap, toothbrush & paste, hair brush etc.)
- Bath Towel
- Small torch for cave
- 2 plastic bags for dirty or wet clothes
- **Drink bottle** to refill for activities (compulsory item)
- Any special medications along with directions for the camp supervisor

NO Thongs, Phones, Nuts, Lollies or singlets are allowed on camp. No electronic devices.

It can be quite cool out on the river during winter. Bring plenty of warm & waterproof clothes, beanies, scarves and gloves.

Please limit your packing to one medium size soft bag and a sleeping bag. Each child should be able to carry their own luggage. Bring RECESS for day 1 in carry on bag.

