

## Diary Dates

13.04.18 Sports Day  
13.04.18 Early dismissal – 2.10pm  
30.04.18 **FIRST DAY TERM 2**

## Notices Sent Home

05.04.18 Sports Day Sausage Sizzle Order Form  
05.04.18 Sports Day Schedule  
09.04.18 Whole School Excursion

## WHAT A FIRST TERM!

It has been an amazing first term of 2018 for the Reynella South School community! There have been so many experiences for our children and young people that have helped to support and develop the learner dispositions of resilience, reflectiveness, resourcefulness and social awareness. The learning programs have had a focus on critical and creative thinking and we have noticed some brilliant thinking within our school community! We have also provided opportunities outside of the classroom such as the whole school picnic, Monster Trucks, Pancake Breakfast, cricket for PE, Harmony Day, Anti Bullying Day and First Aid training for our Year 4-7 students that help to develop them as people and citizens of a community. Tomorrow we have our annual Sports day- what a positive and fun way to end our term!



Go Light! Go Hack! Go Morphett! Go Fisher!

We hope that you can come and enjoy this whole school event with us!

## SPORTS DAY REMINDER

We know that we are going to experience a fun Sports Day! Please make sure that you encourage all children and young people to try their best on the day. Just a reminder that Sports Day will finish at 12.50pm then children will return to their classes. If parents wish to take their child

home at this time the child must be signed out by their class teacher. If any children are leaving before 12.50pm then they will need to be signed out at the Front Office. Thank you.

## ASSEMBLIES

Thank you to all members of the school community who sent feedback about the change to Wednesday for assemblies. As well as the positives that we noticed there were also other positives noticed such as providing conversation starters in the car on the way home and being able to take the time to connect with parents whilst waiting for the siren. With all of the factors kept in mind the decision has been made to continue to run assemblies on a Wednesday from 2pm. We look forward to seeing you at the first assembly on Wednesday, Week Two next term. Thank you

*Kind Regards,  
Karen*

## LEARNING CLUB

The Smith Family in collaboration with Reynella South School will be running a Learning Club on Thursday afternoons 3:15 – 4:15pm, starting on Thursday the 17<sup>th</sup> of May (Week 3, Term 2). The club will be in Room 1 in the Morphett Building and facilitated by a member of the school staff and volunteers recruited by The Smith Family. The Learning Club is where students can go to get help with their homework or anything else that they would like to learn about. For students to attend parent/caregivers need to complete a

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registration form. Registration forms and more information about the Learning Club will be sent home in week 1 of next term. We are really looking forward to having Learning Club at Reynella South School!

## KIDS MATTER

On Thursday this week we are having our first Kids Matter Action Team meeting. Kids Matter is a flexible, whole-school framework that aims to improve children's mental health and wellbeing. Reynella South School started our KidsMatter journey in 2014 and created an action team of parents and staff. The action team lead the implementation of the projects aligned with the KidsMatter framework, such as the school magazine, exploring social and emotional learning programs for classrooms, creating nature play spaces and starting the school soccer teams. We are always looking for more members for our action team to support these and other projects within the school. If you would like to be a part of the action team or know more about KidsMatter, please let Marcia know in the front office.

**Tracey Middleton**  
on behalf of the  
**KidsMatter action team**



## COLES VOUCHERS

Thank you to everyone and their extended families that collected Coles Sports Vouchers for the school. We are now in the process of sending these off for the counting to begin and then anxiously await our rewards!!

## LIONS CLUB OF NOARLUNGA-MORPHETT VALE SHED SALE

3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month, 9.00am- 12 noon  
21 April, 2018

Lions Shed, Brian Road, Lonsdale  
(follow signs from Sherriffs Road)

Bring the whole family and invite your friends

For further information Contact:

Rob, Lions Club of Noarlunga-Morphett Vale on  
8387.1754 or email: lionsmv@picknowl.com.au

## FINANCE NEWS

WINDOW OPEN - 8:30AM – 3:30PM MON- FRI  
SCHOOL FEES 2018 - \$235.00

DUE BY END OF TERM 2

YR 3-7 CAMP Arbury Park – 2<sup>nd</sup> Payment of \$40  
was due Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March

Final Payment due Term 2, Week 2, Friday 11th  
May

Monarto Zoo Excursion Rms 4&5 – Payment of  
\$25 due Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> May

School fees, Preschool fees and most  
excursions/camps can be paid through the Qkr  
app

**Anita Barnes**

## CANTEEN

A huge thankyou to Caroline Rafeh (Monday),  
Stephen Holden (Wednesday) and Amanda  
Rooney (Thursday) for collecting lunches from  
Reynella Primary during Term 1. Reynella South  
looks forward to their continued support for  
Term 2 and beyond. If you see any of these  
people say "thank you" to them as without them  
our lunches wouldn't get to Reynella South.



## CELEBRATING AUTISM IN EDUCATION

At Adelaide High School 27th April 9am-4pm



To celebrate autism month, Disability Policy and Programs is hosting a day conference on autism in education. The two keynotes and 8 workshops to choose from will provide practical take-away strategies and new insights from a range of autistic students, parents and professionals. Workshops will focus on developing and refining skills to engage and facilitate achievement of children and students across the spectrum.

### Keynotes:

- Effective strategies to support autistic children and students to achieve their potential
- Engagement in Learning

### Practical Workshops including:

- Drama for autistic students
- Teaching through student interests
- Universal Design for Learning – self-regulation

### Insider talks:

- What Autistic students and Adults wish teachers knew
- Authentic autistic experiences and education
- Flexibility and effective support in education across the generations
- The intersectionality of difference
- Being an autistic teacher

For more information phone 8226 0521

Autistic autism resource and fundraising stalls

	Price	without lunch	with lunch	Registrations close on the 20 <sup>th</sup>
Parent/carer of autistic child/student	\$25		\$50	April. Cash or completed Dept.
Dept. for Education staff (NEED employee ID number to register)	\$50		\$75	for Education registrations only at the door if capacity at venue.
Other professionals	\$100		\$125	
Dietary requirements: Vegetarian <input type="checkbox"/> Gluten free <input type="checkbox"/> Dairy Free <input type="checkbox"/> Vegan <input type="checkbox"/>				

All speakers of all ages are on the autism spectrum.

