**From the Principal**

Dear Parents / Caregivers,

During weeks 8, 9 & 10 of this term we will be holding parent-teacher interviews. It is our expectation that all families make a time to meet with their child’s teacher to hear about their child’s learning progress so far this year. This year we are introducing a new interview booking procedure which can be done online via a website called school interviews. This will enable parents to make a booking with the relevant teacher and to know straight away what that time will be. For families that do not have internet access, bookings will be able to be made at the school. A letter explaining the new booking procedures will be sent home next week.

Our annual Campus Sports Day is being held on Friday April 1. Team captains have been selected, running trials have been held and all is in readiness for a great day. On the day our canteen will be selling pre-ordered barbecue sausages. Order forms will be sent home in the near future. It would be great to see many family members and friends come along and support your favourite team. In case you have forgotten, our four sports teams are:

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Later this term on Sunday April 10, our Campus Community Fair is once again being held. The Campus Fair Committee under the guidance of Juliet Craker have put in many hours of planning for this biennial event. The purpose of the fair is to bring our Campus Community together and help raise funds for our Campus but also to have a good time on the day.

So if you haven’t already done so, put this date in your diary and come along to the fair and support your school and Campus. Don’t forget to bring other relatives and friends to join in the fun. The money raised from this fair will go towards upgrading our Campus library. We are also still looking for parent volunteers to help for a while on the day. A letter from the parent liaison committee requesting assistance will be sent home shortly next week.

Cheers
Shaun
Konnichiwa,

Did you know that during Japanese lessons the R/1 classes have been learning / revising common greetings in Japanese? We have learnt how to say good morning, hello, good evening, good night, goodbye and see you tomorrow. Here is a list of the greetings…Please encourage your child to use them at home.

Ohayo gozaimasu- good morning
Konnichiwa- hello
Konbanwa- good evening
Oyasu minasai- good night
Sayonara- goodbye
Mata ashita- see you tomorrow.

Sayonara,
Alysha Milani

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I will be running a colouring in competition for the next two weeks.

The ages are Reception - Year 3 and Year 4-Year 7

The winners of each age group will receive a framed picture of their design, a copy of their design displayed in the office and a block of chocolate.

Competition closes 18th March

If you have any questions feel free to contact me via Thiele front office.

Happy colouring !!!

Thank you
Bree Johnston
Pastoral Care Worker

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Reminder – the 2016 Material & Service Fees have been sent home to all families. Thank you to all of those that have made payments, contacted the school or completed a school card form.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FINAL DUE DATE FOR PAYMENT IS WEDNESDAY APRIL 13 2016.

If you are unable to pay by the due date please contact Jo Hicks 8270 4222 or email: jo.hicks915@schools.sa.edu.au. Payment Instalment Plans are available. If you are eligible for School Card please complete a 2016 School Card application form available from the Thiele front office (Please Note: previous years school card applications do not cover you for this year. A new school card application form must be completed annually). Payments can be made by cash, cheque – made payable to Thiele PS, Credit card – in person or over the phone or EFT – please ask Jayne or Jo for bank details.

Also over recent weeks all families would have received invoices for Swimming or Aquatics and our Year 6/7 students for 2016 Canberra Camp along with Campus expenses like Sport, Choir, Instruments etc. Please, if you would like to speak about finance related issues do not hesitate to contact me. I am happy to work with you to ensure all of our students participate and succeed.
When using the Campus car park please ensure you use the correct entry & exit points for safety reasons. There was a near accident in the car park recently when a car entered via the exit causing the driver of the car exiting the car park to brake heavily to avoid an accident.

There will also be an information sheet and map sent home to families next week that outlines the parking and pick up options for families around Campus.

On Friday 4th March students from The Campus competed in the combined Southern Heights / City South District SAPSASA Swimming Carnival held at the Marion Outdoor Swimming Pool. The students that competed were Georgia O., Amalie V. and Phoebe H. from Thiele; and Alex W., Cooper W., Connor B., Rosie T and Jasmine M. from Nativity. All participants swam very well with many of the competitors winning ribbons for their efforts.

Thank you to the parents who attended the swimming carnival with their children and also to those who assisted with the breaststroke timing.

From this event the Southern Heights swimming team has been selected to compete in the SAPSASA Metro Day being held on March 17th at the SA Aquatic & Leisure Centre, Marion. The students that have been selected are Georgia O., Alex W., Cooper W. and Connor B.

Congratulations to these students, and good luck on the day.

Chris Gent
Campus SAPSASA Rep.

Last Friday students from all of the classes on Campus collected rubbish from around our school yard.

To further develop our skills in Sustainability the teachers worked with their students to sort the rubbish into piles determining what could be recycled and what needed to go into landfill.

As you can see from the photo the students from T16 were highly engaged in this activity.

Palmy spent this week in T5 with Mrs Hill's students.
Campus Car Parking Guidelines

(Please note the following. There is a map attached for further explanation)

Staff and Visitor Car Park
- This car park is primarily for staff working at the 3 schools and OSHC
- Parents ARE NOT to park in the car park unless visiting during the day for a school related issue
- NO PARENT OR CAREGIVER should park here at morning drop off (8.20- 8.45am) or after school pick up (3.00- 3.30pm)

Campus Kiss and Drop
- This is a 2 minute parking area for picking up or dropping off children. NO PARKING-drivers are not to leave their vehicle
- Parents should drive to the end point and make sure children only exit and enter the vehicle from the passenger side
- If the child is not there to be picked up you are to drive through and exit to Campus Drive then come through the Kiss and Drop Zone again

Nativity Car Park
- Parents are welcome to park in this car park before and after school.
- Everyone is to use the designated paths and drivers are required to give way to pedestrians at the crossovers.

Nativity Kiss and Drop Zone
- This is the path leading in front of the church entrance and enters the Nativity car park
- This is a NO PARKING area and drivers are not to leave their vehicle.

Thiele and Pilgrim Kiss and Drop
(Top of Campus Drive) This is the same process as the Campus Kiss and Drop.

Pre School Car Park
- This is strictly for Pre School parents and staff use only. NO CAMPUS SCHOOL parents are to park in this car park.

Please note the following:
1) Speed limits with children around Campus streets are 25km/h when children are present.
2) Speed limit on site is 5km/h
3) No one is to park in the aged care (Estia) Car Park (Private Property)
4) Obey parking restrictions and signs around Campus
5) Be mindful of the pedestrian crossings on Sunnymeade Dr and Campus Dr
6) Permits must be displayed to use Access (Disabled) Car Parks.

These guidelines are a joint initiative from the Leaders of the 3 schools. We would expect all families to respect and cooperate with the guidelines.

Campus Leaders
March 15th 2016

Aberfoyle Park Primary School Campus

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OPEN NIGHT
Tuesday
22nd March

Tours will leave from the marquee every 10 minutes between 6:00pm & 7:30pm

Come and meet our great students and teachers, be inspired by our dynamic programs and state of the art technology in a school where your child is our focus.

I look forward to meeting you at Open Night.

Liz Mead  Principal
Taylors Road
Aberfoyle Park SA 5159
Phone: 08 8270 4455

Principal Tours 2016
9.00am – 10.30am

Friday 1st April
Wednesday 6th April
Thursday 5th May
Monday 9th May
Friday 20th May
Wednesday 25th May

Bookings are essential. Please phone or email to reserve a place.

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