



Term 2 Week 1

Friday 5 May 2017

### School Values

#### Respect-Responsibility-Excellence



Don't forget to download our free Skoolbag app to get all the latest news, events and much more. You can also use it to notify us of student absences or change of details.

### Diary Dates

#### Term 1

##### Week 2

Wed 10 May – Thursday 11 May –  
NAPLAN Years 3, 5 & 7

Saturday 13 May -  
CAR BOOT SALE

##### Week 3

Tuesday 16 May –  
Governing Council Meeting

Wednesday 17 May –  
Music is Fun

Thursday 18 May –  
Principal Tour at 9:30am

Friday 19 May –  
Cross Country

### Out of School Hours Care (OSHC)

Before School Care: 7-8.30am

After School Care: 3.10-6pm

Pupil Free Days: 7.30am-6pm

OSHC bookings: Ring 0413 917 590

or email [ascotoshc@gmail.com](mailto:ascotoshc@gmail.com)

Welcome to Term 2. We hope you were able to spend some quality time with your family and children over the school holidays. The term has started on a positive note and we are looking forward to a busy and productive term.

#### NAPLAN

As you may have seen or heard in the media, all public schools have been withdrawn from NAPLAN online this year. This means that all of our Year 3, 5 and 7 students will now be completing the tests on paper. NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy skills that students have already been learning through the school curriculum and teachers will ensure students are familiar with the test formats and will provide appropriate support and guidance.

#### TRANSITION TO SCHOOL PROGRAM



As you can see on our term calendar, our Transition to School program (4 year old program) begins on Monday 15 May. If you have a child starting school next year (or know of someone who is) make sure you enrol him/her at our school so that they can participate. We believe that our lengthy play-based program helps children cope with new challenges, supports them in developing their social, emotional and learning skills and contributes to a successful start to their schooling.

#### OSHC

We have been fortunate to have secured 2 experienced OSHC educators to work with our children until our new director is appointed. Jeanette Calderwood is working in before school care and Reece Trevenen is working in after school care. Our numbers seem to be slowly increasing which is fantastic – the more children we have using this service, the more financially viable and stable it will be. Please contact OSHC or the school for more details.



## VISION SCREENING AND FREE PRESCRIPTION GLASSES

We have been fortunate to have been selected to participate in a FREE eye test for 50 of our students. It is estimated that 2.5 billion people throughout the world suffer from uncorrected poor vision which can impact on children's learning and success in school. If your child's test shows that your child needs glasses, then you will be given a prescription which will allow you to get a FREE pair of glasses.



This service is provided by the Essilor Vision Foundation which is the world's leading manufacturer of prescription spectacle lenses. Marion Primary School was the first school in SA to participate last year and so far 591 students in SA have been tested. Of those, 257 (44%) students were referred to an optometrist which shows how important it is for children to have their eyes tested.

If you would like your child to have their eyes tested and receive a pair of free prescription glasses, if required, please return the accompanying form. Depending on how many notes are returned, we may need to make a priority list.

## Term 2 Performing Arts

### ♪♪♪♪♪♪ MUSIC IS FUN – DREAM BIG FESTIVAL ♪♪♪♪♪♪

We have a performance by the MUSIC IS FUN BAND on Wednesday of week 3 and are using this to celebrate the festival by sharing it with the other schools on our campus – DARA, SASVI & Kilparrin. The performance is free for our students as we raised money for this by decorating our horse last year. We will be able to sing and dance along with the band and will continue to prepare for this in our Performing Arts lessons this term.

## Kids After-School Study Club

Wednesday 4.15pm—6.15pm



Come join us after school.

We help you catch up with your homework—  
maths, reading, spelling, writing and speaking,  
in a fun environment.

Suitable for kids of primary school ages.

Qualified TESOL tutor

*Cooinda Neighbourhood Centre  
Cnr Sturt and Diagonal Roads Sturt*

*Phone: 8375 6703*

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245 Sturt Road, Sturt.

Glandore Community Centre: T 8371 1139

25 Naidera Street, Glandore

Mitchell Park Neighbourhood Centre: T 8375 6804

1 Cumbria Court, Mitchell Park

Trott Park Neighbourhood Centre: T 83872074

34 Hessing Crescent, Trott Park

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A green car with colorful text on top that says "CAR BOOT SALE". Below the car, the text reads "ASCOT PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL", "Saturday 13th May", "7:30am - 1:00pm", "\$10 per car, \$20 with trailer", "Book by calling 0434 895 144", and "SAUSAGE SIZZLE". At the bottom, it says "Sellers from 6am. Limited spaces available. Bookings essential." and "Ascot Park Primary School, 1-37 Pildappa Avenue, Park Holme".

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**We are moving!**

# Ascot Park Primary School



## Breakfast Club

Ascot Park Primary School Breakfast Club has been happily feeding kids nutritious breakfasts over many years on a Wednesday morning. Our dedicated volunteers - Rod, Pam, Kay and Ben - are always up early with a smile and ready to serve!

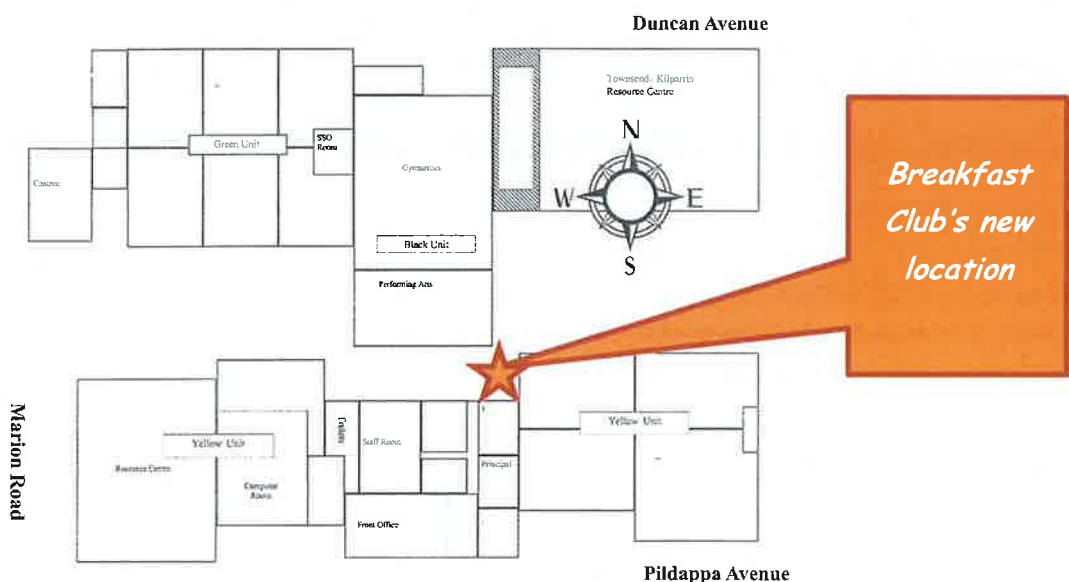
From Week 2 (Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> May) we are moving Breakfast Club from the Sports Centre (new big gym) to the OSHC Kitchen / Centre Courtyard of the school. To celebrate our move we will be serving hot sausages and rolls as well as our usual yummy offerings.

**What:** Breakfast Club

**When:** Wednesdays, 7:45am till 8.40am

**Where:** OSHC Kitchen and Centre Courtyard (between Performing Arts room and the staff room)

*We hope to see many happy faces next week!*





## ASCOT PARK PS CALENDAR 2017 TERM 2



WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
<b>1</b> 1 May					Class newsletters/term overviews sent home	
<b>2</b> 8 May		NAPLAN	NAPLAN <b>2.30-3pm Assembly</b>	NAPLAN		<b>Sat 13 May Gov Council Car Boot Sale</b> <b>Sun 14 May Mother's Day</b>
<b>3</b> 15 May	9-10.30am Transition to School program	<b>7pm Governing Council</b>	1.45pm Music is Fun <b>Netball starts</b> 5.15pm Sport meeting	<b>18-27 May: Dream Big</b> 9am Principal's Tour <b>Free vision screening!</b>	<b>SAPSASA Cross Country</b>	
<b>4</b> 22 May	9-10.30am Transition to School program		<b>2.30-3pm Assembly</b> 11am National Simultaneous Storytime			<b>27 May – 24 June</b> <b>Ramadaram</b>
<b>5</b> 29 May	9-10.30am Transition to School program	<b>SAPSASA Knock Out Soccer</b>				
<b>6</b> 5 June	9-10.30am Transition to School program <b>World Environment Day</b>		<b>2.30-3pm Assembly</b>		Pupil Free Day	
<b>7</b> 12 June	<b>Queen's Birthday</b>					
<b>8</b> 19 June	9-10.30am Transition to School program	<b>7pm Governing Council</b>	<b>2.30-3pm Assembly</b>			
<b>9</b> 26 June	9-10.30am Transition to School program				Written reports sent home	
<b>10</b> 3 July	9-10.30am Transition to School program		<b>2.30-3pm Assembly</b>		Early Dismissal 2.10pm	

*This term planner was correct at the time of printing but may be subject to change. Please display on your pin-up board or fridge for quick reference.*

**School hours:** 8:50am – 3:10pm

**Student absences or enquiries:** Ring the school on 8276 3055

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