



NEWSLETTER

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DIARY DATES : TERM 3, 2023

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 1	24/7	25/7	26/7	27/7	28/7
Week 2	31/7	1/8	2/8 - Rm 7 Zoo Snooze	3/8 -Room 8 Zoo Snooze	4/8
Week 3	7/8	8/8	9/8	10/8	11/8
Week 4	14/8	15/8	16/8 Class 4 camp - Douglas Scrub	17/8	18/8
Week 5	21/8	22/8 Steiner Info night	23/8	24/8 Book Week Parade	25/8
Week 6	28/8	29/8 - Assembly 1.40pm - Rm 14 - All welcome Fathers Day Stall	30/8 SAPSASA Athletics 	31/8	1/9
Week 7	4/9	5/9	6/9	7/9 Moon Lantern Fest 	8/9 SCHOOL CLOSURE
Week 8	11/9	12/9  Governing Council	13/9	14/9	15/9
Week 9	18/9	19/9 Assembly 1.40pm - All welcome & Room 8 performing	20/9	21/9 Mud afternoon 	22/9
Week 10	25/9	26/9 Spring Festival 	27/9 Room 5,9,10 AFL Max camp	28/9	29/9 Last day of term Early dismissal 2.10pm

School Returns Term 4 – Monday 16th October



...a moment with Ms Miller!

On Thursday we got to join in with the children and have a great deal of fun dressing up for BOOKWEEK! I danced through the aisles at our special assembly/parade, dressed as Elsa, which totally pushed me way out of my comfort zone (clearly Olaf – aka Mrs Wilson was well in her comfort zone!!) However, we do it for the kids and to see their beautiful faces light up with smiles and giggles, makes it all worthwhile! I'm blessed to work with such an amazing, supportive team that is more than happy to join in on all the shenanigans!!



I also got a special cuddle and photo with a gorgeous little girl who was star-struck by Elsa and said:

***"That was so special, I want to grow up just like Elsa.
She was so sparkley and soooo nice"***

This week, I also want to thank and acknowledge the Steiner faculty for the amazing work, time and effort they put into our Steiner Information session on Tuesday night. We had a great turn out of interested families and were able to give them a very detailed picture of Steiner Education at Sheidow Park school. We have already received lots of positive feedback from the people attending and look forward to more families joining our community.

HEALTHY... WELL-THY ...& WISE!

Five Domains of BSEM Teacher Practice

Building blocks to achieve academic and personal growth

The five domains of the Berry Street Education Model correspond with child-development capacities that each student must grow in order to be 'ready to learn'. When considering how to best meet the needs of students, we focus on building self-regulatory ability, relational capacity and then nurture wellbeing and willingness to engage in learning.

So what are the five domains?

Body

Increases students' capacity for physical and emotional regulation of their stress response, de-escalation and focus.



Relationship

Nurtures on-task learning through relational classroom management strategies.



Character

Harnesses a values and character strengths approach for learning and future pathways.



Stamina

Creates a culture of academic persistence by nurturing resilience, emotional intelligence and a growth mindset.



Engagement

Motivates students with strategies that increase their willingness to learn.



The implementation of The Berry Street Education Model has strengthened our whole-school approach to build consistency and predictability across all classrooms throughout the school.



A huge **CONGRATULATIONS** to Stella from Year 3/4, Willow from Year 4/5 and Summer from Year 5/6 for receiving Celebration of Values notices. Thank you so much for your positive contribution to our school.

Christie Wilson / Wellbeing Leader

Classroom News - Room 9 - Mrs Prowse's class

We have been working on collage as our Art and Design and Technology focus this term. Inspired by the work of Eric Carle, we used a guided collage technique where we created our own painted papers and templates to produce a scene from our class novel, "The Wild Robot". Then we used a more 'free form' technique with torn and cut coloured paper to create landscapes, thinking about background and foreground. We are currently using our developing skills in collage to apply patterns to our lanterns for the upcoming Moon Lantern Festival, and have to carefully consider the end use of the lantern in our design as well as it's 3D shape. We need to pay careful attention to how it will look both as a decorative piece, and when it has light shining through it. We hope you come along and see our finished lanterns at the Moon Lantern Festival in week 7!

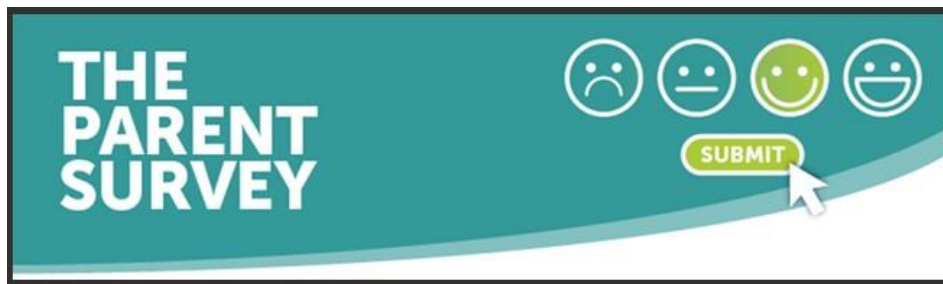


Book Week Parade

Everyone did a fabulous job dressing up for the costume parade today. It was great to see so many interesting and colourful characters. Thank you to the staff, students and parents for your costume efforts. Thank you to all of the parents who were able to watch the parade today.
Karen Dwyer - Librarian



Parent Survey



You're invited to complete the 2023 annual parent survey, which is now open.

In the week beginning Monday 31 July you would have received an email or SMS from the Parent Survey Team with a unique link to participate in the survey.

If you didn't receive an email or SMS with your unique survey link, our school's unique link to the survey is

<https://survey.education.sa.gov.au/sc/17NIWMzcA8yqs7f5lmagQA2>

Or QR code



The survey takes less than 10 minutes and will help us understand:

- what we're doing well
- where we can improve
- what's important to you.

It has been coordinated centrally so that added administration workload isn't placed on the school.

Your answers won't identify you or your child. Only collated feedback will be provided to our school.

Information collected will inform school improvement planning and activities at the school.

The survey closes midnight Sunday 27 August.

Parents can find more information about the parent engagement survey on the [Department's website](#).

If you have any questions or feedback, email the Parent Survey team at education.parentsurvey@sa.gov.au

Kind regards

Parent Survey team | System Performance

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I acknowledge the Kaurna people as the traditional custodians of the Adelaide Plains area where I live and work, and I respect their spiritual relationship with country.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

ALL WELCOME

TUESDAY - 29TH AUGUST - 1.40PM - 2.20PM
ROOM 14 - JAPANESE SONGS

TUESDAY - 19TH SEPTEMBER - 1.40 - 2.20PM
ROOM 8 PRESENTING

HELD IN THE GYM ON THE OVAL



ENROL FOR 2024

Our experienced teachers and engaging curriculum in both Mainstream and Steiner Education offer children the opportunity to learn and grow in a safe, nurturing environment.

EXPERIENCE THE #SHEIDOWLIFE

- ✓ Wellbeing focused
- ✓ Nature play
- ✓ Highly engaged school community

ENROL NOW OR BOOK A TOUR!

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🌐 <https://sheidowps.sa.edu.au/>

"A village of learning, a world of opportunity!"



Fundraising News



spoil your dad at our **FATHER'S DAY STALL**

WEEK 6 - THE LIBRARY

TUESDAY 29TH AUGUST 2023



GIFTS \$1.00 - \$10.00

Catch up - Wednesday Morning



Student absences/sick

If your child/ren are absent
please email

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Or call 8381 8911

If you notice that your child(ren) are unwell in the morning,
it is important that you keep them home to prevent the spread of illness.

Our policy is to send any child home if they are sick.

Many thanks for your co-operation.



Connecting Parents

ZOOM Workshop

hosted by *Kate McMurray*

Sheidow Park School invites all current Steiner parents/carers to take part in Kate's zoom workshop. During this session, Kate will talk about connecting as the Steiner parent community, and also supporting your child at the end of the school day. There will also be an opportunity to break out into groups to discuss what will support parents to connect further at Sheidow Park School.

When: Monday September 4th, 8:00pm - 8.45pm

Where: Via Zoom (link will be given after registration)

Who: All parents welcome

Topic: Connecting as the Steiner Parent Community

Cost: Free

Please register for this event by emailing:

dl.1537.info@schools.sa.edu.au

After registering you will receive an email confirming the details of the event including the Zoom link, Meeting ID and Passcode.



Kate McMurray is based in the Adelaide Hills in South Australia on Peramangk Land. She has been a teacher for nearly 25 years and has worked in Waldorf Early Childhood education for nearly 15 years. She has a background in Steiner Education, Community Development, Nature Play and has lived and worked in Aboriginal Communities as well as in South East Asia. She has found that working with families and children within the community context is where her heart lies. Kate's business Mindful Family Life has grown out of her passion for community and is aimed at nurturing families through the early years.

Kate was a pioneering family in a Steiner Playgroup and at Basket Range Steiner Stream School. Kate runs Steiner Groups for families from pregnancy to steady walking and also Nature based Steiner Integrated Family Support Programs for families from pregnancy to Kindergarten. She facilitates workshops and courses for parents and carers as well as supporting parents and NDIS clients one on one. Kate also works as a consultant in schools and community groups supporting them with education and community development

OSHC NEWS

Moon Lantern Festival- Relocation

On Thursday 7th September the school is hosting the Moon Lantern Festival. This means we will be relocated on the night to classroom 6. This will enable us to have direct access to the courts and playground and make it much easier for parents to collect children without having to come through the school.

School Closure Day

Please note that the School has a Closure Day during week 7- Friday 8th September, (the day following the Moon Lantern Festival) which means OSHC will be CLOSED. Please organise alternate care arrangements for your child/ren.

October Vacation Care Program

The October Vacation Care program will be available from Monday 4th September (week 7). Early bird prices will commence for the first two weeks: Monday 4th - Friday 15th September. Remember only Sheidow families are offered the program during the first week and then it is released to the local community.

Moon Lantern Festival



Moon Lantern Festival

7 September, 2023

Sheidow Park School

PROGRAM

5pm to 6.45pm Asian market (food and drinks)

7.00pm Welcome and lantern parade

7.45pm Fireworks

Forest Installation

IT'S NEVER TOO LATE!!
to get your leaf or picket on our beautiful
Forest Art Installation



Order forms are available from the
front office
or can be found under 'Documents'
in the Team App
Orders will go in at the end of Term 3
Orders close for Term 3
10th September 2023

Community News

SHEIDOW PARK CRICKET CLUB COME & TRY DAY



Sunday
27 Aug
10:00am



Boys, Girls & Mixed teams
Ages 8-16

Woolies Cricket Blast
Ages 5-8



EXTERNAL DISTRICT TRIALS

TRIAL TIMES

Under 10 Boys & Girls

Born 2015-2017

3:00-4:30pm

scan the QR Code below to register

AUGUST
27

LOCATION

MITCHELL PARK
SPORTS AND
COMMUNITY CENTRE
MORELAND AVE,
MITCHELL PARK





OPEN DAY!

SUNDAY 27 AUGUST
10AM - 2PM

JOIN US FOR
GAMES, TENNIS
FUN, AND A
FREE SAUSAGE
SIZZLE!



COME AND LEARN ABOUT
OUR JUNIOR AND SENIOR
COMPETITIONS, COACHING,
AND WEEKNIGHT SOCIAL
LEAGUES



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CHANDLERS HILL RD,
O'HALLORAN HILL

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O'HALLORAN HILL TENNIS CLUB



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