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Diary Dates

April

26th – ANZAC DAY
27th – Term 2 Begins
30th – Boys Footy Carnival

May

5th – Mother's Day Stall
7th – Cross Country Carnival
10th – Governing Council 7pm
11th – Naplan Starts
14th – Assembly 10am

Road Crossing Monitors

Wed 28th April – Tue 4th May
Jade O, Kaylee R, Tilly-Rose P

Wed 5th May – Tue 11th May
Zoey E, Samuel P, Tammy V,

Wed 12th May – Tue 18th May
Maddison H, India S, Siana D

Please arrive by 8.25am

DRAFT Policy on Student use of Mobile Phones and Personal Devices



The Governing Council has reviewed and updated our policy to provide direction to students, educators and families about managing mobile phones and other digital devices that students choose to bring to school. This draft policy will be finalised early next term after gaining parent feedback. If you would like to give feedback on this policy, please email your ideas to dl1540.info@schools.sa.edu.au by 27th April 2021. The policy applies while students are at school, or attending an authorised school activity such as an excursion, during school hours.

[Go here to see the full draft policy on our website.](#)

Digital devices include, but are not limited to, smartwatches, tablets or laptops that are not part of a separate 'Bring Your Own Device' arrangement.

The department's position is that primary aged students cannot use their mobile phones and personal devices (including smartwatches) at school during school hours. The department and the school recognise that there are legitimate reasons for students to bring a mobile phone or personal device to school. This may include to ensure their safety while travelling and so parents can contact them outside of school hours.

However, during the school day students are not permitted to access or use their mobile phones or other personal devices for communication. Students must switch off or mute their devices before storing them at the beginning of the school day. They will not be able to access their device until they have left their classroom at the end of the school day. At this time, as well as any other time, they cannot share screens with other students while on school grounds.

If students bring devices to school, they must take personal responsibility for their safe storage. We recommend that they are switched off and kept in bags with a lockable compartment. Teachers do not have to take responsibility for storing devices.

If the student does not comply with school processes

If a student uses their mobile phone or electronic device to communicate with others, film or take photos, without teacher permission, during the day, the device will be confiscated. The device will be stored in the front office, and a member of the leadership team will be notified. Parents/ carers will be contacted by leadership to inform them of what has happened.

The school will consider requests for exemptions from the policy from parents on a case-by-case basis and ensure exemptions are documented.

Any student personal devices handed in for staff care are stored in a secure location in the office and are returned to the student or their parent.

Parents are expected to support the implementation of the school's policy, including the consequences for non-compliance as they support their child to use their mobile phone (or other personal device) in a safe, responsible and respectful way.

Excursion and Incursion Update			
ACTIVITY	DATE/S	STUDENTS INVOLVED	LAST PAY DAY 4pm
Festival Choir			31/5/21
Maths Online		Rm 15	overdue
Narnu Farm	23/6-25/6	3,4	18/6/21
Narnu Farm	26/5-27/5	4A & 4B	
Materials & Service Fees			9/4/21
Mathletics		2A	overdue

CANTEEN ROSTER

Tuesday 27th Michele S
 Wednesday 28th Mary-Anne R
 Thursday 29th Tui M, Deneice P
 Friday 30th Rhonda P, Stacey C, Emma J

Tuesday 4th Michele S
 Wednesday 5th Mary-Anne R
 Thursday 6th Irina M, Ling C
 Friday 7th Jenni F, Natasha H, Sonoko F



COVID-SAFE CHECK-IN

Ardtornish Primary School

Remember every time you come onto school grounds you need to scan the QR code and check-in.



NORTH EAST HOCKEY CLUB

PLAYERS NEEDED

WE ARE LOOKING FOR MORE PLAYERS ESPECIALLY GIRLS FOR THE FOLLOWING TEAMS
 UNDER 13 GIRLS, UNDER 11 MIXED & UNDER 9 MIXED

WWW.NEHC.ASN.AU

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT
 SONDRRA 0419 801 338 OR
 BELINDA 0407 795 535
 JUNIORS@NEHC.ASN.AU




LinkSA School Holiday Special

Between 10th to 26th of April 2021
 receive **1 free child bus ticket** with every bus ticket purchased.

Available On All LinkSA Bus Route Services in these Regions

 Murray Bridge
  Barossa
 Victor Harbor
  Adelaide Hills

Mention this special to the driver in order to receive 1 free child bus ticket (4-15 years).



For timetable information check out our website at

www.linksa.com.au



APPLYING FOR SCHOOL CARD ASSISTANCE

All types of School Card applications are now online.

You can access the online forms from any device that gets internet, including mobile devices, such as tablets and smart phones, as well as laptops and computers.

Applying online is easy! Simply follow the steps below.

- STEP 1** Visit sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard
- STEP 2** Select the type of School Card you would like to apply for (for example 'Type A') and follow the prompts.
- STEP 3** Complete all mandatory fields.
Please note: you cannot submit your application unless all mandatory fields are complete.
- STEP 4** Once you have completed a page click on the 'NEXT' button.
- STEP 5** Once you have filled out all pages click the 'SUBMIT' button.
Please note: if you exit the form without clicking 'SUBMIT' your details will be lost.

You can save the form and return to complete it at another time by clicking on the 'SAVE' button.

The table below lists the income limits for applications lodged in 2021
 Based on the family's gross income for 2019 / 2020 tax year.

No. of dependent children	Annual School Card Income Limit	Weekly School Card Income Limit
1	\$60,867	\$1,171
2	\$61,954	\$1,192
3	\$63,041	\$1,213
4	\$64,128	\$1,234
5	\$65,215	\$1,255
Each additional dependent child	\$1,087	\$21



sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard



Maintaining your Wellbeing during the school holidays

'I'm bored!' you might hear from your children over the school holidays. There are so many different activities students can do over the break, but I am sure using their devices to access social media will be a top pick. Be sure to monitor what your children on their devices and the time spent on electronics. Most social media sites are designed for users over the age of 13. Be sure to check the recommended age for the apps your child is using.

Refer to the image provided by rechout.com for 5 Top tips on how to monitor social media use. <https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents/skills-advice/are-they-old-enough> is a fantastic webpage to access for further information too.

Take care and enjoy the school holidays.

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Term Two Program

Hi, we are now preparing the Term Two program. There will be a couple of events for men and the young children in their care – not sure what yet – perhaps a Saturday am cycle and picnic early in the term and a twilight walk with torches when it is really dark in June! Join us on Friday assembly for coffee in the Community Room.

Grow Up Smiling Dental Outreach will also be visiting. In early May. Registrations are available from the Children's Centre and will be sent to current clients.

A second, Thursday, **Ardtornish Playgroup** will be running as well as the usual Friday group. We have a **Being A Dad and My Child and Me** course running over three Wednesday evenings from 20th May. If you have any requests for activities or speakers addressing the need of families with young children or want a space to work with young children give us a call.

Vacation Activities

Free or low-cost activities and events during the school holidays

Tea Tree Gully Council:

https://www.teatreegully.sa.gov.au/Events_and_places/School_holiday_program

Port Adelaide Enfield:

<https://www.cityofpae.sa.gov.au/explore/libraries/programs-and-events>

Salisbury

https://www.salisbury.sa.gov.au/Community/Libraries/Library_Programs_and_Events/School_Holiday_Program

Adelaide Playgrounds – discover something new:

<https://adelaideplaygrounds.com.au/>

Nature Play: <https://natureplaysa.org.au/> has a Forest Festival on April 20 and 21 @ 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM see:

<https://natureplaysa.org.au/event/nature-play-sa-forest-festival-kuitpo-wirra-inparri/all/>



For updates, the program, and flyers, when they are posted, see our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/ArdtornishCC>

Enjoy the break, catch you in term two!

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5 WAYS TO TAME YOUR SOCIAL MEDIA USE



For practical tips on getting social media to work for you, visit ReachOut.com/Social

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OUT.COM

School Photos

(Change of date)

Thursday 3rd June – Class/Individual

Friday 4th June – Sports/Groups

**First Day of Term 2
Tuesday 27th April**

Year 7/8 Transition Packs will be coming home Week 1, Term 2, with information about how to apply for high school enrolment online.

3D PRINTING IN ROOM 3 & 4

Room 3 and 4 have been using Tinkercad.com to design a bag tag which are currently being printed on the 3D printer. They had to use their mathematical knowledge of area, height and length to ensure their design was within the given dimensions. Once printed, the bag tags will be coloured in using permanent textas.

Here are a few thoughts from the children about this STEM experience:

'We had a lot of fun designing it' Lachlan

'It was hard to design it' Ashtar

'It was hard to measure the length and fit it in'
Harper

'It was really hard but it paid off' Rhea

'I learnt how to make the base with a hole in it'
Olive

'It was really fun using Tinkercad' Nathaniel

