

THE WEEKLY



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From the Head of Primary

During Chapel this week our students were provided an insight into some wonderful messages from the Bible through our staff led Service.

The Parable of the Lost Sheep was soundly demonstrated by Mr Pearce 'misplacing' one of his students whom he later found in the gift shop.

The Parable of the Lost Coin aptly illustrated by Ms Fereday having great difficulty finding her keys and through teamwork and persistence was able to relocate them.

The Parable of the Lost Son communicated through Mr Irvine leaving SPW to party hard only to return when the money had run dry and be welcomed back with open arms. His return was heavily celebrated which caused Mr Mesecke to reflect on his own contribution and perceived worth.

Thank you to Michelle Lewis for script writing and working closely with Mother Julia, and also to Bek Jarrett for some wonderful choreography, making our dancing teachers look like seasoned professionals.

While it was a special opportunity for students to sit back and enjoy the teachers presenting Chapel, it was also a nice reminder for us as staff of the courage we ask from our students on a daily basis.

Thank you to all the staff involved in the service, and to all those encouraging from the sidelines. It was another opportunity to remind us of how fortunate we are to be part of this community.

Amanda Kelly

6/7 Centre Open Day

On Thursday 18 August the 6/7 Centre will be holding an Open Day for parents of children in Years 3, 4 & 5 to showcase the learning and teaching programs and to see students demonstrating their learning. If you have a child in any other year level you are welcome to attend. You may collect your child from their classroom and take them around with you. The Open Day is from 12noon until 6.00pm, you can [click here](#) to look at the program for the day. If you would like to attend please RSVP to Jo Gray jgray@spw.sa.edu.au with the name of who is attending, your child's name and class and the time you will be coming along. If you have any questions relating to the open day please email Jo or phone on 7221 6217.

The Arts

CINDERELLA AND ROCKERFELLA

Can you help? We are looking for some items to complete our musical:

- Old cameras (particularly if it has a strap) or old video cameras
- Fake flowers, fake plants, fake bushes or trees to create our fairy garden

Items can be dropped off at the Music Centre.

Mark DeLaine
Head of the Arts



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Chaplain's Chat

The students thoroughly enjoyed this week's Staff Chapel Service entitled "*Lost and Found*". It allowed the staff to showcase their talents while also reminding everyone that no one is lost to God, and that we need to show compassion to people "on the margins" of society.

Here is a **Franciscan Blessing** used in the Service that captures its theme:

May God bless you with discomfort
 At easy answers, half-truths and superficial relationships
 So that you may live deep within your heart.
 May God bless you with anger
 At injustice, oppression and exploitation of people,
 So that you may work for justice, freedom and peace.
 May God bless you with tears
 To shed for those who suffer pain, rejection, hunger and war,
 So that you may reach out your hand to comfort them and help to turn their
 pain into joy.
 And may God bless you with enough foolishness
 To believe that you can make a difference in the world,
 So that you can do what others claim cannot be done
 To bring justice and kindness, especially to children and the poor.
 God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit
 Bless you this day and forevermore! Amen

Next week's Chapel Service will be led by the Year 3s on the theme of Science, specifically, Matter. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Preparation for Confirmation

Students in Years 6 and 7 may choose to be prepared for Confirmation this term if they wish, with their parent/caregiver's permission. Copies of the information and reply form are available from the Front Office. The deadline for registration is **Friday, 12 August** this week.

Mother Julia Denny-Dimitriou
School Chaplain

Dr Jude Long, Principal of Nungalinga College, Darwin, will be the guest speaker at St Peter's Anglican Church, Glenelg. 10.00am this **Sunday, 14 August**. All Welcome.

Fr Andrew Mintern

Sport

SAPSASA Knockout Tennis

A Boys and Girls team may be entered into the SAPSASA Knockout Tennis this year.

Should any students in Years 6 and 7 who play at a club level wish to participate, please inform Mr Bowen via a diary note from their parents by 25 August.

Mrs Rebecca Winter and Mrs Jodie Clifford have kindly offered to assist by managing the team.

Canteen

THANK YOU

The assistance of Sandy Wallace and Jo Mintern in the Canteen this week has been very much appreciated. If you are able to help out at any time, please contact me in the Canteen.

Rosy Elphick
Canteen Manager



PFA News

JUNIOR PRIMARY DISCO

What an incredible turn out for our Junior Primary Disco last Friday night. And what fantastic hairstyles and hats. A big THANK YOU to the organisers and volunteers who made this evening possible.

BALI RAFFLE

Thank you to those of you who have already sold and returned your raffle tickets and money. Keep up the good work everyone. Money is due back on **22 August**, and the lucky winner will be drawn at the Father's Day Breakfast.

Please note if you have any questions or concerns about the raffle contact either: Craig Hobart (0419 010 097) or Sharon Smith (0416 206 712) or email pfa@spw.sa.edu.au

These details are a correction to those on the letter sent home earlier.

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

Dads and special males—make some space in your schedules to ensure you're available to come along on **Friday 2 September** for Father's Day breakfast at SPW. More details to follow.

PFA MEETING

Thank you to the parents and special friends who came along to our meeting on Wednesday evening to hear our guest speaker, Mark LeMessurier. Mark spoke on the topic of 'Resilience in Children'. I'm sure all who attended would agree that it was a very informative and valuable night.

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Thought for the Week

You may not always have a comfortable life
 And you will not always be able to solve all of the world problems at once.
 But don't ever underestimate the importance you can have
 Because history has shown us that courage can be contagious
 And hope can take on a life of its own.
Michelle Obama

The Week Ahead



2016 Term 3 Week 4

Monday 15 to Friday 19 August

Contact Us

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Canteen	HELP REQUIRED	HELP REQUIRED	HELP REQUIRED	LEONIE HUGHES	SANDY WALLACE
School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Uniform Shop Hours ◇ 1.30pm-4.00pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Uniform Shop Hours ◇ 1.30pm-4.00pm * Year 1 to 3 Assembly— 2.30pm (Chapel) Year 1 led * ICAS Maths—9.00am (Nutter Thomas) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Uniform Shop Hours ◇ 8.00am-10.00am * Playgroup (Nutter Thomas), 9.00am * Fair Dinkum Performance F-6 11.00am (Chapel) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Uniform Shop Hours ◇ 8.00am - 9.00am ◇ 1.30pm - 4.00pm * Chapel Service—Year 3 Led, 8.45am (Chapel) * Year 6-7 Open Day, from 12 noon until 6.00pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Uniform Shop Hours ◇ 1.30pm-4.00pm * Year 2 Excursion (St Peter's Church Glenelg), 9.00am * Year 3BS Incursion - Scientist in Residence, 9.00am, 3AD 11.00am, 3SG 1.30pm * SRC (Foundation to Year 3) Meeting 2.30pm
Extra & Co Curricular	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Show Choir Yrs 4-7 (Music Centre) 8.15-8.55am * Games Club F-7 - 12.50-1.30pm (The Hub) * SSoE Girls - 12.45-1.25pm * SSoE Boys Development Squad - 1.30-2.20pm * Netball Specialist School, Development Squad, 1.30-2.20pm * MP Sport 1.30-2.20pm * JP Sport 2.25-3.05pm * UP Sport 3.20-4.20pm * SSoE Senior Boys 3.30-4.20pm * Netball Specialist School Senior (including Yr 5 training) - 3.20-4.20pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * SPW Band - 8.15-8.55am (Music Centre) * Yoga (Yrs 3-7) - 12.50-1.30pm (Baddams) * Lego Club (F-7) -12.50-1.30pm (The Hub) * Chapel Choir - 12.50-1.30pm (Chapel) * SAPSASA Knock Out Soccer Vs Burnside 1.30pm (Bowker Oval) * Junior Musical Rehearsal, 3.15-4.30pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Run Club - 8.15-8.55am (McKenzie Oval) * Junior Glee F-2, 8.15-8.45am (Music Centre) * Percussion Ensemble - 12.50-1.30pm (Music Suite) * Chess F-7 - 12.50-1.30pm (The Hub) * Year 5-7 Netball Matches (after school) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Chapel Choir & Band - 8.15-9.30am (Chapel) * Flute Ensemble - 12.50-1.30pm (Chapel) * Lego Club (F-7) -12.50-1.30pm (The Hub) * Debating Practice - 3.15 - 4.30pm (4NP Classroom) * Years 3-4 Netball Matches (after school) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Beach Run Yrs 3-7 - 8.15-8.55am (Meet at bottom of Pier Street) * Sport Practice—12.50-1.30pm * Games Club (F-7) - 12.50-1.30pm (The Hub) * Netball Specialist School Matches (after school) <hr/> <p>SATURDAY MATCHES 8.00am Soccer, Yr 3-7 8.30am Football, Yr 3 9.30am Football, Yr 4-5 10.30am Football, Yr 7</p>
PFA	PFA Sports BBQ-Sausage Sizzle after school, 3.15-4.00pm				

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