From the Head of School, Years 3-7
If you had the opportunity to attend the Chapel Service yesterday, led by the Year 4 students, I am sure you would agree that they covered the topic of HEROES with confidence, enjoyment and fun. The fun was certainly infectious with the congregation totally taken with the various performances and involvement of the students during the Service. Congratulations to the Year 4 students and staff on a wonderful Service.

After looking over the Term 4 calendar and reflecting on the number of events and activities scheduled, whether being class, sport or music based, I believe it is an opportune time to thank the staff for all their time and effort in planning and preparing the students for these events. Thank you to the parents who have also assisted.

One event scheduled for next Thursday evening is the Year 7 PYP Exhibition. I, like many of the staff, have had the opportunity to mentor some of the children as they work through the inquiry process. As well as mentoring a few children I have been in and out of the Year 7 classes and have been very impressed with the students’ engagement and knowledge of the inquiry process. The students are to be commended on the skills they have displayed in researching and preparing their presentations (these skills include management, research and social skills); they have certainly taken the lead and ownership of their learning. I am sure staff and parents are looking forward to being part of the celebration of their learning at the PYP Exhibition as much as I am.

This links so well with an article I read recently, which in essence suggests that we as teachers and parents are more than givers of information and facilitators – we are partners in the child’s learning. This has truly been reflected in the past weeks in preparing for the exhibition.

Thank you to the PFA parents who organised and oversaw the Walkathon this morning. It was a great morning and is one of those special times when we have all the school together to share in the one event. It was wonderful to see all the smiling faces as they continued around their circuit gaining a stamp for each lap. Well done everyone.

Until next time, have a wonderful weekend.

Simon Theel
Head of School

Prayer for the Week

Dear God
We thank you for clear skies and rain
We thank you for challenges and victories
We thank you for things that make us laugh, and things which make us cry
All these things give us a full life and opportunities to grow.
And we thank you for being there always.

Amen
Sports Fixture Changes—Messaging
We are very pleased to be able to communicate that this term we will trial a new system that allows us to send SMS messages about changes to sporting fixtures and game cancellations. We have chosen a cross-section of teams to trial this process who will receive a trial text “TRIAL – Sports change.” If you a part of this trial and receive one of these texts, we ask that you do not respond to the text directly as the system is a delivery-only format. In this instance only, we ask that you email Leonie Jones (ljones@spw.sa.edu.au) acknowledging receipt of this first text. We will seek feedback later in the term on this process.

Should you have any queries, please contact Karen Whelan on 8295 4317 or me by email kwhelan@spw.sa.edu.au or mhore@spw.sa.edu.au.

Thank you for your support of this new initiative.

Mandy Hore
Deputy Principal

Sports News

BASKETBALL
SPW Blue Year 4 Girls  16 points  Flagstaff Hill Green    0 points
SPW Blue Year 6 Boys    7 points  Seaciff PS            6 points
SPW Gold Year 6 Boys   21 points  Emmaus PS           11 points

VOLLEYBALL
SPW Purple Year 4        67 points  SPW Teal              48 points
Seaciff Bashers         63 points  SPW Grey Year 4 Boys  40 points
Brighton Destroyers     65 points  SPW Red Year 4/5 Boys 30 points
Paringa PS              55 points  SPW Aqua Year 5 Girls 40 points
SPW Green Year 6 Girls  52 points  Glenelg PS           41 points
SPW Blockers Year 6     77 points  Glenelg PS           41 points
SPW Blue Year 6/7 Girls 75 points  Brighton Fire Girls 35 points
SPW Jade Year 6/7 Girls 81 points  SPW Orange           53 points
SPW Sky Year 6/7 Girls  70 points  SPW Magenta          66 points
SPW Sky Year 6/7 Girls  25 points  SPW Magenta          20 points

KANGA CRICKET
SPW Black Year 3 Boys   57/3       Paringa PS           40/9

TERM 4 SUMMER SPORTS DRAWS
Please remember to check the fixture every week online, as listed on the team sheet, as unfortunately fixtures can sometimes change at the last minute without schools being advised.

REMEMBER OF SPW’s HEAT POLICY
All games and training, including JP Activities, are cancelled AUTOMATICALLY at 35 degrees and over, as in The Advertiser on the day of games or competition.

Karen Whelan
Extra-Curricular Sports Administrator

PLEASE NOTE
Karen Whelan will be on leave until 14 November. Please direct any urgent messages via Huw Bowen—hb Bowen@spw.sa.edu.au. This includes notifying Huw if your child is unable to attend a fixture, so that coaches can be advised and arrangements made.

YEAR 3-7 SWIM CARNIVAL
Please ensure that all entries have now been handed in. If there are any concerns, please email me on hbowen@spw.sa.edu.au.

JUNIOR PRIMARY SPORTS DAY—FRIDAY 14 NOVEMBER
Coming soon—note the date in your diaries. Families welcome to attend. Coffee van booked!
2015 ONLINE EXTRA-CURRICULAR NOMINATIONS
Information will be forwarded soon for all details pertaining to online 2015 extra-curricular nominations. Please take note of the opening and closing dates for online nominations. Thank you.

Huw Bowen
PE & Sports Coordinator

Canteen
CANTEEN MENU
THE PINES
CANTEEN MENU
R-7

We would like to thank Julia Stone and Jan Vassalo for their assistance in the Canteen during the past week. It has been very much appreciated.

Please phone me on 7221 6216, or email me relphick@spw.sq.edu.au if you are able to assist in the Canteen in Term 4. Thank you.

Rosy Elphick
Canteen Manager

Uniform Shop
UNIFORM SHOP HOURS
Monday to Thursday 8.15am to 9.00am
Monday to Thursday 2.30pm to 4.00pm

UNIFORM ORDER FORM
Please use the order form that can be downloaded from our website if you are unable to attend the shop during opening hours.

Tiona Ryan
Uniform Shop Manager

Maths Attack
We have another game to take home and play with your family, this being an addition game—PAIRS. You will find it opposite Mr Theel’s office.

Mrs Angela Doan

PFA
WALKATHON
Wow, what an amazing morning. The weather was just perfect for the Walkathon this morning. Thank you to everyone who lent a hand; your help was greatly appreciated. It all ran very smoothly because ‘many hands made light work’. The Walkathon is a huge PFA event, and we thank all those people who assisted with the organisation, both on the day and behind the scenes. Thank you.

PFA EXECUTIVE
We would like to thank Narelle Dandy who has stepped down from her role as President of the PFA. Narelle has invested a lot of time over the past 2 years and helped coordinate many of the PFA events which have been instrumental in turning the PFA into the success that it is today. We will miss you Narelle. Please accept our thanks on behalf of all the school community.

Unfortunately, at this stage there is no nomination for her replacement. If you are interested, please speak to either Chris Prance or Jane Tuohy to discuss this further.

The next PFA meeting will be in Week 7 and at this time we will be planning for 2015. If you have any great ideas, please come along and share them, or just be part of some of the decision making for the planning towards an exceptional 2015 with the PFA.
GUEST SPEAKER
After our AGM, we were privileged to hear from our guest speaker, Madhavi Nawana Parker, who spoke on the topic of Increasing Wellbeing and Resilience in Young People. Those who attended went away armed with lots to think about and put into practice in their homes.

SPORTS BARBECUES – AFTER SCHOOL EVERY MONDAY
URGENT HELP REQUIRED FOR MONDAY
Your assistance with helping with Monday’s barbecues would be much appreciated. Helpers for Monday are Clare Coombs and Renee Spouse, thank you. We need two more to assist, so if you are out and about and can spare some time, please consider volunteering. You are only required from 2.30 to 4.30pm, or until sold out—and judging by the last few weeks, we have been sold out by 4.00pm! We look forward to seeing you soon.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH
The whole School Christmas lunch will be held on the last Monday of this term. This is a fabulous event. Our Year 3 parents are responsible for organising the lunch and we look forward to hearing from any Year 3 parents who are interested in coordinating this event. A note will be sent home next week with more details.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE
Christmas is fast approaching. For those who are new to SPW and for those who have experienced Christmas at SPW, this is a very exciting time for the children. The Reception and Preparatory parents have been allocated the task of organising this year’s Christmas Raffle, and Kate H, Narelle D and Kylie B have offered to coordinate this. They have already started buying goodies for the baskets. Details of tickets will be distributed very soon.

CONTACT US
pfa@spw.sa.edu.au

Free Parenting Seminar
“Living with toddlers”, Monday 24 November, 7.15-9.00pm, at the Riverbank Room, Adelaide Convention Centre, North Terrace, Adelaide. Presented by Parenting SA. Attend in person or view the webcast. Are you the parent or carer of a 1-3 year old? Come and hear practical ways to avoid battles and help your toddler thrive. Hear how to connect with your toddler, see things from their point of view, help them manage strong feelings, guide their behaviour.


Sudoku Puzzle
Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3x3 box accommodates the digits 1-9, without repeating any.
Annual Prize Giving
As the year draws to a close our attention falls to celebrations of our year. One such celebration is our Year 7 Graduation and Annual Prize Giving Evening which will be held on 11 December. This an occasion to acknowledge our Year 7 graduates and is also a celebration of the children’s achievements and efforts across a wide range of disciplines, It is importantly an opportunity for us to remind ourselves of the incredible journey our children are on.

As part of the night, awards are presented. These prizes are given for a variety of achievements and for a variety of reasons.

The following criteria explains each prize and may be of interest.

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<td>School Council Prize</td>
<td>Year 7</td>
<td>An all-rounder award, presented to the student who has best typifies the values of a SPW student. It also includes competence across all areas such as academics, sporting pursuits and arts ability.</td>
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<td>Musgrave Academic Excellence Award</td>
<td>Year 7</td>
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<td>Awarded to a Year 7 student who has shown a high level of commitment to a large number, and variety of areas within the Arts and achieved a high standard in one or more of the following areas: music performance, composition, music theory, visual arts and design. The recipient also shows leadership qualities.</td>
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<td>Sports Boy and Girl of the Year</td>
<td>Year 7</td>
<td>Awarded to a boy and a girl in Year 7, for participation in sport through School Teams, Representing the School at District level and representing the District – and or the State. The students will also show all round ability and representation and displays Leadership and attitude at events and trainings.</td>
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<td>SPW Old Scholars Prize for Debating</td>
<td>Year 6 or 7</td>
<td>Awarded to the student who reliably attends practices and adheres to schedules, works as a team member and shows good organisational skills in terms of self and material. The student will also be a good all round debater, displaying a high level of skills.</td>
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<td>Margaret McKenzie Sport Prize</td>
<td>Year 6</td>
<td>The recipients of the prize will be the most dependable, team-oriented students, who are helpful to the sports teachers and not necessarily the most brilliant or outstanding sports participants.</td>
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There will of course be some very excited recipients of these awards and there will also be disappointment. This unfortunately is part of life and in fact a little disappointment can actually be of benefit - as long as there are trusting adults who can teach them how to bounce back from it and talk through and channel this disappointment.

The staff spend many hours nominating and selecting children who will be delighted I am sure to receive these awards on 11 December. It is not an easy task in a community filled with worthy beautiful children. I look forward to our Speech Night and to celebrating the many achievements of our students.
The Principal and Foundation Committee invite you to a

Cocktail Party

Monday 3 November 2014
Nutter Thomas Dining Room, 7.30pm to 9.00pm

Thank our School Community
for the valuable contribution of time with volunteering and for supporting the Foundation in 2014 and to

Launch the 2015-2019
St Peter’s Woodlands Strategic Plan

RSVP  Karen Schaumlöffel
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by Friday 31 October 2014

Netball SA is running a Come & Try opportunity for children aged 3-5 who have not yet been introduced to the sport of netball.

This is a great opportunity for your child to not only learn some of the basic skills of the game, but also to provide them with an excellent opportunity to develop their fundamental motor skills in a fun and safe environment before progressing to an ANZ NetSetGO program with their local club or school.

KindaNET Program Dates:
Thursdays, 13th – 27th November

Time: 4.30pm – 5.15pm

Cost: $15

Age Group: 3 – 5 years

Venue:
Netball SA Stadium
155 Railway Terrace
Mile End SA 5031

Booking Link:
http://www.trybooking.com/GBOA

Contact:
For more information on the KindaNET program please contact Netball SA’s Community Program Manager,
Rachel Horstmann on 82 38 0512 or
rachel.horstmann@netballsa.asn.au
## The Week Ahead

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**Monday 3 to Friday 7 November**

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(Baddams Hall), 9.00am |
| **Year 1 Excursion to Adelaide Zoo**  
8.45am | **Year 1 Excursion to Adelaide Zoo**  
8.45am | **Chapel Assembly, Year 2 Led**  
[Chapel], 8.45am | **Year 7 Exhibition**  
6.30pm |
| **Foundation Thank You Event**  
—Nutter Thomas, 7.30pm | | **Whole School Assembly**  
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| **Games Club**  
(Hub) - 12.50-1.30pm | **SPW Band**  
—8.15-9.00am  
(Music Suite) | **Chess Club**  
(The Hub) - 12.50-1.30pm | **Year 5 B-Cricket**  
8.30am-10.30am |
| **Strain Your Brain**  
(The Hub) - 12.50-1.30pm | **Chapel Choir**  
—12.50-1.30pm | **MP Glee**  
(Music Suite) —12.50-1.30pm | **Year 6 A-Cricket**  
8.30am-11.30am |
| **UP Glee**  
(Music Suite) - 12.50-1.30pm | **JP Choir**  
(Music Suite) - 12.50-1.30pm | **Year 3/4 Basketball**  
(Marion / Pasadena) 3.45-6.00pm | **Year 3 Kanga Cricket**  
9.30am-10.30am  
(Marion Sports Oval) |
| **UP Dance**  
[Chapel] - 1.30-2.30pm | **JP Activities**  
- 3.30-4.15pm  
◊ Gymnastics  
◊ In2Cricket  
◊ J P Kelly Sports  
◊ Dance | **Year 6 Basketball**  
(Marion / Pasadena) 3.45-6.00pm | **Games Club**  
12.50-1.30pm  
(The Hub) |
| **Year 7 Basketball**  
(Marion / Pasadena) 3.45-6.00pm | | **Flute Ensemble**  
—12.50-1.30pm  
(Chapel) | **Year 5 B-Cricket**  
8.30am-10.30am |
| **Girl’s Basketball**  
(Marion / Pasadena) 3.45-6.00pm | | **Percussion Ensemble**  
—12.50-1.30pm  
(Music Suite) | **Year 6 A-Cricket**  
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| **Extra & Co-Curricular** | **Extra & Co-Curricular** | **Extra & Co-Curricular** | **Extra & Co-Curricular** |
| **Sports BBQ**  
3.15-4.00pm | | | |

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