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ATTACHMENTS

- Aquatics Consent Form (Year 5-7)
- NRM Consent Form x 2 (year 6 and 7)

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

**Year 5-7 Aquatics**

Monday the 7th of March and Tuesday 15th of March are aquatics days for year 5-7’s. Monday will be 9.30am to 12.45pm and Tuesday will be 9.30am till 3.00pm.

**Students will need to bring:**

- Bathers
- In water shoes
- Hat
- Sunscreen
- Rashie/t-shirt for water
- Drink
- Recess
- Lunch for Tuesday only
- Towel

Students will come to school as normal and be taken to Port Vincent for aquatics by either Kirsty Campion or Kim Hoskins. Tuesday the 15th of March, students will arrive back at school approximately 3.15pm for pickup. Please fill in the consent form attached and return it to school on Monday the 7th of March.

**NRM Excursion**

One Wednesday 9th March year 6 and 7 students will be going to Minlaton for the first Natural Resource Management Board – Youth Environmental Leaders meeting. Students will leave from school at 9:15am and return to school by 2:30pm. They will need a packed recess, lunch and drink bottle. Please fill in both excursion consent and talent release forms to school by Wednesday 9th March.

**Assembly**

Out first Assembly for the term will be on Wednesday 9th March at 2:30pm in the Activity room. All are welcome.
Small Schools Sports Day
Thursday the 10th of March is the Small Schools Sports Day at Curramulka Community town oval. Students will be given a Stansbury Primary School sports top to wear on the day.
All students will need to bring a spare t-shirt to put on at the end of the day, so the sports tops can be returned.

Students will need to bring:
Hat
Drink Bottle
Sunscreen
Packed recess

Hamburgers will be supplied for lunch, courtesy of the Stansbury Lions Club. Should your child not want a hamburger, you will need to bring a packed lunch.

Stansbury Lions club will also have limited items for sale on the day.
These include:
Fruit box - $1.50
Water - $2.00
Healthy muffins - $1.00
Tea and coffee - $2.00
Hamburgers - $4.50

Students need to arrive at Curramulka town oval by 9.15am for a 9.30am start. If Thursday’s forecast temperature is 35 degrees or higher, Sports Day will begin early at 8.00am to beat the heat. Kim will notify all families via SMS if this occurs.
At the conclusion of Sports Day, all students may go home. They do not need to return to school. As always, we will be looking for parent helpers on the day. If you have any questions, feel free to see Kim in the office. Hope to see you all there!

Student Free Day
The day following sports day, educators from Curramulka, Edithburgh, Stansbury and Port Vincent Primary Schools will join together at Port Vincent in a day of professional learning. The main focus areas will be strategies to improve learning for students with dyslexia (which are usually good strategies for all), and using the Numicon system to improve mathematics learning (a hands-on system using specific equipment). We appreciate the support of families to provide these important days for adult learners in our schools, and hope you enjoy an ‘extra-long’ weekend with your children.
Governing Council
During our recent AGM the 2015 Annual Report was presented, which will be available via our website (or a hard copy is available from the office). Please let us know if you would like a copy. During the AGM and the first meeting of the 2016 Governing Council the following members and office bearers were confirmed:
Chairperson: Lynda Farrow
Treasurer: Angie Newbold
Deputy Chairperson: Michelle Ryszawa
Secretary: Jess Brooks-West
OHSC Rep: Kerri Ormsby
Play Centre Rep: Ebony Macgowan

Thank you and congratulations to everyone who volunteered to be part of the governing council and/or a committee! The next Governing council meeting will be held at 5:30pm on Monday 4th April in the Sharks classroom. We also formed our committees for this year, which are the Finance Advisory Committee (FAC) and Fundraising Committee. The FAC usually meets twice a term to review the financial position of the school. The Fundraising Committee usually meets prior to fundraising events and takes responsibility for their organisation. Should you wish to join the fundraising committee please contact Ebony Macgowan or Michelle Ryszawa

Tuck Lunch Day
The fundraising parent group are going to have a tuck lunch day for the children. It will be on Monday 21st March. On offer will be pizzas – either; ham and cheese or ham, cheese and pineapple with a small icecream the cost will be $5.00. An order form will be sent home in week 7 for this.

Kim Hoskins
This term, our focus in Maths has been on Number. Some of us are learning about place value, other students are practising counting to 5 or 10 and some students are working on their matching skills.
The Art Room

The Seahorses have been very busy in the art room. They have done a self-portrait to decorate their room.

Then we learnt that abstract art can be lots of lines and shapes. They all made an abstract piece of art.

I liked doing the abstract art because we could just make lots of crazy shapes and then colour them.
- Brock

I liked colouring in all the shapes on the abstract art.
- Ruby

Doing the scribbles in the abstract art was really fun.
- Riley
**Stansbury Netball Club**
There will be an AGM followed by a General Meeting on Thursday the 3rd of March at 7.30pm. To be held at the Stansbury Sports and Community Club. All interested players and parents please attend. If you are unable to attend the meeting please let us know if you wish to play, as we need definite numbers to be able to nominate which grades we will submit in the 2016 season.
Anyone interested in coaching, umpiring or helping the club in any way, please attend the meeting or contact:
Barb Agnew on 88524418
Lynda Farrow on 0448 188 526 after 6pm.