



Stunning Year 11 and 12 girls at the PBAS Formal

The famous PBAS Sour Dough Bread will be available at the Christmas Pageant Seaside Markets on Saturday December the 9th.

Pancakes with Strawberries and Ice Cream and Arrosto Coffees will also be available on the day



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Dates to Remember

Friday 1 December

SRC Windup, Kmart Wishing Tree

Year 11 First Aid

Books and Babes 9.30am

Monday 4 - Friday 8 December

R - Year 4 Swimming

Austrdrive

Wednesday 6 - Friday December

Yr 5,6,7 Port Vincent Aquatics Camp

Friday 8 December

PBAS Year 8 -10 STEM Show

Tuesday 12 December

Year 12 Dinner

Wednesday 13 December

Awards Day 1pm

Friday 15 December

Last Day of the School Year

Monday 29th January

Student Free Day

Tuesday 30th January

First Day of the School Year

Wednesday 31st January

CUS School Colour Fun

As the term rapidly comes to an end the lists we are all writing ourselves seem to be getting longer. Whilst the Year 12s have completed their assessment tasks we look forward to formally farewelling them at their Year 12 dinner and at the final assembly for the year on Wednesday 13th December starting at 1.00pm. It will be a lovely day to celebrate student achievement from across the school and recognise special efforts by individuals.

Annually we survey our parents via a Parent Opinion Survey. The survey is out at the moment and can be accessed by the link <https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/3dVxfOu2>. Alternatively, paper copies of the survey are available at the front office. We would like all responses completed by 8th December. The responses are included as part of the Annual Report.

A very important date for the diary is Monday 29th January. This will be student free day for all staff across the Northern Yorke partnership. All staff will be involved in A Framework for Understanding Poverty training at Kadina. The school term will now begin on 30th January. Additionally, dates which have already been approved by the Governing Council that you can now include in your calendars are Early Closures (2.10pm): 27/2, 15/3, 7/8, 13/11. Student Free days: 12/7, 10/9.

Tyler Hogan
Principal

Colour Run

We're having a colour run!!

Wednesday 31st January, 1:30pm

If you would like to help the school raise funds for the STEM re-development you can set up an online fundraising page at <https://schoolfundraising.com.au/> Raising as little as \$10 will guarantee you a prize (students will be able to select their prizes online).

Please note: all students will get to participate in the colour run, regardless of whether or not they take part in the fundraising.

More information will be distributed to students as it arrives.

To truly experience the mess of colour, we encourage students to have a white t-shirt to change into for the colour run.

We look forward to this being an exciting start to 2018 and encourage parents/caregivers to join us for the colour run.



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VISITING HIROSHIMA PEACE PARK

In the October holidays Mr Broughton-Wright and myself accompanied a group of Moonta Area School students on a trip to Japan. We visited Tokyo, Hiroshima, Osaka, Kyoto and Nara cities, and had a terrific time enjoying the sights and diverse experiences that these places had to offer. Notably, while in Hiroshima, we presented 1000 paper cranes to the **Children's Memorial at the International Peace Park**. R-7 Japanese students from PBAS industrially folded 260 of these cranes, and the remaining 740 were folded by Moonta's students. Our collective efforts, and our wish for peace in the world, are now hanging directly behind the memorial for everyone to see.



JAPANESE IN SEMESTER 2:

R-2 students have been busy learning how to describe things and animals with simple adjectives like big, small, fast, slow, thick, thin, yummy, yucky, cute, scary, colours, and animal sounds through song, dance and pictures. We're now focussing on creating simple sentences using all the new words we've learnt!

Year 3/4 students have also been learning about animals, but to a greater extent. They've learnt how to describe their pets in age, colour, size, personality, and type. This term we've even started working with counters for animals – including recognising the written kanji.

The 5/6 class have been studying prepositions, map making, vocabulary for places, and giving and receiving of directions in Japanese.

Lastly, Year 7s have been practicing vocabulary for telling time, schedules, everyday verbs, subjects, and making comparisons with the Japanese school system and our own.

On Monday week 6, R-7 students tried cooking up some Japanese cuisine!
Happy Language learning, everyone!

Thanks, Mrs Swan

Foreshore Light Painting

On a cold and windy spring night, staff and students methodically set up an array of cameras and tripods under the jetty at the Port Broughton foreshore. Dressed in black and armed with torches and coloured lights, they set out to practice a photography technique called *light painting*. It was a dark, cloud free night with the moon at least 70% exposed creating the perfect mood.

With the work of Denis Smith fresh in their minds, the group tackled the illustrious method of Orb spinning. The Orb, which is also known as the ball of light, is difficult to master and the rugged, freezing conditions, were not going to make it easy. It was an extremely tough shoot which produced plenty of teachable moments.

If you would like to see some flawless examples of Light Painting, please refer to <https://www.denissmith.com.au>.



Alicia Rimington

Shae Morrison



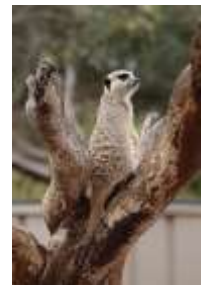
Phoebe Turra

Year 9/10 Photography Excursion

Photography students Alicia Rimington, Phoebe Turra, Liam McBride and Shannay Nunan visited Monarto Zoo during week 5. When the rain stopped and the tour bus windows began to clear of condensation, students were able to get a range of great photographs. Students attended ranger talks and saw many animals in close proximity during feeding times. A range of camera lenses from 50 mm to 500 mm were experimented with, to achieve close-ups of the animals. The students had a great day taking over 800 photos each and viewing animals in a relaxed open, uncaged environment.



Giraffe and Meerkat Alicia Rimington



Hyena and Meerkat by Phoebe Turra

National Agriculture Day



Ag Day Market Stall

On Thursday 23rd November PBAS ran a market stall to recognise National Agriculture Day.

We sold a variety of produce from our own school vegetable garden, including fresh vegetables, herbs, eggs from the year 3/4 chooks and some pickled produce.

A group of Year 9/10/11 girls learnt about the process of making sourdough bread led by Mrs Harris and made a total of 30 loaves and baguettes and 42 small rolls. They did a great job and at the end of the day they successfully sold out of bread. The Agricultural Studies class organised pulled lamb packs to be sold with a sourdough roll and these proved popular as a takeaway dinner option.

We would like to thank Mrs Harris and Mrs Wilson-Turra for the fantastic effort organising the day, Lesley Wilson for helping with the bread and Mr Smith for organising the lamb and everyone who helped out on the day.



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Planner/Canteen Roster

W8	4/12 R-4 Swimming Austrive	5/12	6/12 Yr 5,6 and 7 Pt Vincent Camp	7/12	8/12 PBAS Year 8 -10 STEM Show
W9	11/12	12/12 Year 12 Dinner	13/12 Awards Day Assembly 1pm	14/12	15/12 Last day of the School Year - Early Finish 2.10pm
W0 2018	22/1	23/1	24/1 All Staff Return	25/1	26/1 Australia Day
W1 2018	29/1 Student Free Day	30/1 First Day of School for 2018	31/1 Colour Run	1/2	2/2



**December 2017
& January 2018**

Programs at over 130 pool & beach locations for primary school aged children

Book online at vacswimsa.com.au

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SA Water

CANTEEN ROSTER	
MONDAY WEEK 8	MONDAY WEEK 9
Monique Smart	Monique Smart
WEDNESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Cilla Mildren	Volunteer Needed
FRIDAY	FRIDAY
Karissa Opie	Benita Palmer

School and Community Notices

GIVING BLOOD FEELS GOOD

Every donation can save three lives.

The Blood Service Mobile Blood Donor Centre will be visiting:

Kadina
Victoria Park, Kadina

Wednesday 27 December	12:00pm – 6:00pm
Thursday 28 December	10:00am – 6:30pm
Friday 29 December	7:30am – 12:00pm

Make an appointment today.

To make an appointment call 13 14 95
or visit donateblood.com.au



The future needs YOU!

PBAS Yr8-10 STEM Show

Featuring science and engineering practical demonstrations, presentations, and innovations for the future!

In the gymnasium
1:30-3:00pm (L5-6) Friday 8th Dec wk8



DISCO POOL PARTY

Wed 20th December

6.30pm to 8.30pm

8yrs to 16yrs

Crystal Brook Swimming Pool
Mais Tce, Crystal Brook

\$5 ENTRY

Food & Drink Available for Purchase

NO PASSOUTS

Prizes on the night

Port Broughton Community Christmas Carols

In the Port Broughton Community Hall
On Sunday 3rd December 2017
from 7.00 to 8.15pm

Hot Weather policy If Pt Pirie forecast is for 40° C for both Saturday and Sunday the event will be cancelled

Presented by the Port Broughton Combined
Christian Churches

Editor's
Note...

Incorrect time in last newsletter





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