



Government  
of South Australia  
Department of Education  
and Children's Services

# Whyalla Town Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

Whyalla Town Primary School  
Est 1905



Week 5, 15th November 2017

### Diary Dates

8th December	Raffle Books due
13th December	Year 7 Graduation
14th December	Family Night
15th December	Year 7 Assembly
15th December	Last day of Term 4

### New Basketball Court

We are excited to announce that our brand new Basketball Court has opened this week. The kids are very enthusiastic and love their new play area.



## Matter of Urgency

### Class Placements

Class Allocations are being looked at for 2018. During this process we carefully consider the learning, social and developmental needs of students. If there is any information regarding your child's learning, and developmental needs that you would like us to consider we ask that you put this in writing by NO LATER than Friday 24th November.

### Assembly

This Friday will see Room 16 host Assembly. 9am start in the gym. ALL WELCOME!!

## Family Night

**Family night is Thursday 14th December.**

This is a wonderful event that brings our entire school community together and a lovely way to finish off our school year. Programs will be sent home soon.

Food will be available from 5:15pm-6:30pm

Christmas raffle drawn 6:30pm

Performance begins 7:00pm

### Assembly Awards

We would like to acknowledge the recipients from our last Assembly Awards.

*Confidence: Macey Hewitson*  
*Getting Along: Lily Richardson*  
*Persistence: Sienna Phillips*  
*Excellence: Xavier Alofa*  
*Resilience: Xavier Donnelly*  
*Organisation: Gabby Rodda*



3-9 Wall Street PO Box 185 WHYALLA SA 5600

Phone 08 8645 8755 Fax 08 8645 1877 ABN 36 440 906 946

Email [Dianne.dinedios375@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Dianne.dinedios375@schools.sa.edu.au) Website [www.whytownps.sa.edu.au](http://www.whytownps.sa.edu.au)

## Canteen

We URGENTLY need volunteers for our school canteen. If you would like an induction to volunteer in our school canteen please contact the Front Office . Thank you

### ADVANCED NOTICE

There will be no lunch orders on the last day of school Friday 15th December

## Governing Council News

Governing Council are organising a Christmas Raffle. Tickets have been sent home and are due back **NO LATER** than Friday **8th December**. We are currently looking for donations of prizes for the raffle which can be left at the front office. Thank you

## Library News

Please be advised that our STEM works are due to commence in the Resource Centre. This will mean that we will begin to relocate resources and furniture. As a result there will be no borrowing of books until further notice. Thank you.

## Emailed Newsletters

If you do not currently receive the Newsletter by email and would like to please email Kylie on: [Kylie.Buckley401@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Kylie.Buckley401@schools.sa.edu.au)

## Wellbeing Message

Don't let yourself  
**become**  
so concerned  
with raising  
**a good kid**  
that you forget  
you already  
**have one.**

Glennon Melton • [momastery.com](http://momastery.com)

## Canteen Roster

Thursday 16th Nov – Wednesday 22nd Nov

	Recess 11:20am	Lunch 1:20pm
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>HELP NEEDED</b>	Robyn Wade
<b>Frid</b>	Paulette Green	Natasha Burlison
<b>Mon</b>	Keren Burke	Sam Forsyth
<b>Tues</b>	<b>HELP NEEDED</b>	<b>HELP NEEDED</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>HELP NEEDED</b>	<b>HELP NEEDED</b>

## Road Crossing Roster

Morning: 8:30 – 8:50am

Afternoon: 3:10pm – 3:30pm

<b>Term 4 Week 6</b>	
<b>Morning</b>	Kyla Priestley, Brayden Burlison, Kenede Berens
<b>Afternoon</b>	Ashlee Hnarakis, Chloe Martin, Mia Rowlands
<b>Reserve</b>	Morning: Ashlyn Evans Afternoon: Zane Thomson

## Community News



Whyalla Road Safety Centre Inc has applied for funding through Fund My Neighbourhood to resurface the bicycle track at the Centre. The proposal has been accepted and is now open for voting and the Committee request the public support by voting on the following website:

[https://  
fundmyneighbourhood.yoursay.sa.gov.au/  
voting](https://fundmyneighbourhood.yoursay.sa.gov.au/voting)

# PUBLIC SEMINAR

## CYBER SAFETY

### Caring for Kids in an Online World

*An informative, entertaining and enlightening session for parents, carers and interested others that will cover the positive, benefits of technology as well as what parents need to be aware of.*

**Speaker: Susan McLean** – Australia's leading Cybersafety expert and educator. The most highly qualified of all Government eSafety certified providers. Susan McLean is Australia's foremost expert in the area of cyber safety and young people and was a member of Victoria Police for 27 years. Her presentations are vibrant and engaging and draw on her many years' experience working in cyberspace.

---

#### What do kids do online? Where do they go?

The difference between an 'online friend' and a 'stranger'.  
Popular sites for youth: social networking, apps and games

#### Online Grooming

How and when does online grooming occur?

#### Misuse of technology

'Sexting' or sending an explicit image the REAL consequences.  
Cyberbullying and harassment.

#### Legal considerations

Relevant Legislation. What crimes may have been committed and possible criminal charges. When and how to involve local Police.

#### Risks, dangers and safety tips

How to assist the children in your care to stay safe online.  
Learn the lingo, be able to converse yourself with the language of cyberspace.  
Setting rules and boundaries around internet use in the home.

---

**Date:** Monday 20 November 2017  
**Time:** 7.00pm – 9.00pm  
**Venue:** University of South Australia Whyalla Campus  
111 Nicolson Avenue Whyalla Norrie  
**RSVP:** [chair@wspn.net.au](mailto:chair@wspn.net.au)

Tea, coffee and refreshments provided

For further information refer to [www.cybersafetysolutions.com.au](http://www.cybersafetysolutions.com.au) or contact [chair@wspn.net.au](mailto:chair@wspn.net.au)



Department of  
Rural Health



Government of South Australia  
Department for Education and  
Child Development