

Colonel Light Gardens Primary School **NEWSLETTER**

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Issue: Term 4 Week 7

CHOIR PERFORMANCES





\$27,896.45

What an amazing effort from our generous school community! *More details inside...*



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DIARY DATES

29/11/19 - YR6/7 FOOTSTEPS DANCE PROGRAM

02/12/19 - INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC **BAND PRACTICE**

02/12/19 - GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING 7:00pm

03/12/19 - MITCHAM GIRLS HS TRANSITION DAY FOR 2020 YEAR 8 STUDENTS

03/12/19 - MITCHAM GIRLS HS TRANSITION DAY FOR 2020 YEAR 7 STUDENTS

04/12/19 - END OF YEAR CONCERT

5:00pm - FOOD TRUCKS OPEN 6:30pm - CONCERT BEGINS

05/12/19 - CHRISTMAS WORKSHOPS

06/12/19 - YR6/7 FOOTSTEPS DANCE PROGRAM

06/12/19 - 2020 REC. TRANISITION VISIT #3 9:00am - 11:45am

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10/12/19 - YR6/7 FOOTSTEPS DANCE PROGRAM

11/12/19 - YEAR 7 GRADUATION SCHOOL HALL 7:00pm

09/12/19 - BOUNCE & LUNCH EXCURSION ROOMS 8 & 9

09/12/19 - SILLY SCIENTIST INCURSION ROOMS 01, 02, 03 & 04

12/12/19 - MARION AQUATICS EXCURSION ROOMS 1, 2, 3, 6 & 7

13/12/19 -



COLOUR EXPLOSION

The Colonel Light Gardens Primary School inaugural Colour Run was held a couple of weeks ago an overcast Thursday afternoon. It was wonderful to see the joy on the faces of the children participating and joining in the fun of moving around the school oval, under nets, over mats, over hurdles, through the pole maze, through the sprinkler tent and then through the colour station. Last Friday at our whole school assembly I announced (with the appropriate theatrics) that we raised \$27,896.45. What an amazing effort from our wonderfully generous school community. I would like to thank our hard working Fundraising Committee for all their support and encouragement leading up to, during and after the event.

The main reason for holding the Colour Run was to raise money to contribute to the building cost of our Covered Outdoor Learning Area (COLA) which is beginning in the school holidays. We set an ambitious goal of \$15,000. After costs and prizes are taken out of the total amount committed, we'll easily achieve this goal. These funds will pay for all the audio visual items we are adding to the COLA which were not in the original budget.

Thank you again for the support of the school community. I have had some students ask me if we can do the colour part every term! I am sure it will happen again in a year or two.

Where do our year 7 students go?

I had a parent recently email me asking for some information regarding where the majority of our year 7s enrol in high school. I indicated due to confidentiality reasons, I couldn't name schools, however I could provide some statistics which may be of interest.

In 2019 going into 2020

- 18% of our year 7 students will attend non-government secondary schools
- 11.5% will attend their zoned government school
- 70.5% will attend an out of zone government secondary school
- 21% of these out of zone placements were accepted into a specialist secondary school

SEMESTER 2 REPORTS & 2020 CLASSES

On **Friday**, **December 6**th, all students will bring home their 2019 Semester 2 report and inside will be a letter detailing their class placement for 2020 including the room and their teacher.

Any questions or concerns about the report or placement needs to be in writing and email to dl.0723.leaders@schools.sa.edu.au . Two more exciting weeks to go to finish off an amazing year. I hope to see you all at our end of year concert.

Kind regards



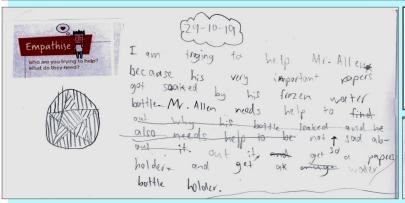
Rick Bennallack Principal 0412 261 231

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WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROOM 12?

Maker's Empire - 3D Printing Designs

Room 12 have been working through their design process to create condensation catchers for their water bottles.



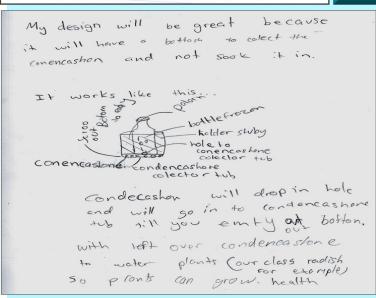


omer Allen because he got water all over his important papers.

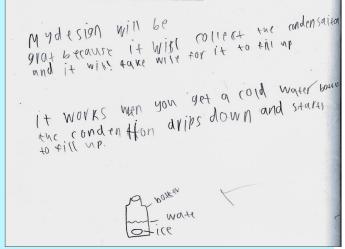
Min Allen needs a water bottle because the other one won't keep all the water in when it is

What is the problem you are trying to solve? How can you turn the problem into a 'How might we...?' question?

How might we collect the condensation?









Which idea will you try first? What will you design to test your idea?







LIBRARY NEWS FLASH

BOOK FAIR SUCCESSFULLY RAISED OVER

\$10,000.00!

What a wonderful crazy week we had in the Library with our Book Fair - such an outstanding success! A huge thank you to the school community for supporting this event. I was privileged to share the secret missions with parents who came in to purchase Christmas presents. Knowing that books will be under many Christmas trees is a happy thought for me.

With the \$10,800.00 + amount of purchases we get a 35% commission to redeem in books. This will be an easy choice for me, as we have so many titles that are getting to the stage of 'beyond repair' due to their popularity. I used the option to take half in books and the remainder as rewards to use in the future for either the Library or Literacy resources.

















PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE AWARDS

All awards, medals and certificates were delivered to classes this week. Congratulations to all students for the effort they put into this years' challenge. Our adopted Library slogan of 'Reading is our Secret Power' is a true description of our students' love of everything books.

PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE AWARDS

PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE - HALL OF FAME!



Congratulations to the following students for the amazing achievement of completing 9 years of the program, earning their 'readers for life' status in the 'Premier's Reading Challenge Hall of Fame':

Room 1 - Sam B, Zoe G, Dylan H, Nellie K, Petros K, Jarred R, Max T, Chloe V and Lachlan V

Room 2 - Trent H, Dylan H, Louis K and Chloe M

Room 3 - Casper H, Haydee K, Ocea L, Angus M and Jackson M

STOCKTAKE FOR 2019 BEGINS



Sadly it is that time of year when we call for the return of all Library books. To complete a successful stocktake, all books need to be on our shelves. Notices will be sent home with students who need to locate book/s. If the book/s cannot be found, we would appreciate a replacement cost or a replacement book purchased from any store.

Students can use the many 'Pop Up' Libraries situated across the school, classes have our digital book Platform Wheeler libraries and there is always the public libraries to continue reading.

Suzanne Fisher, Librarian

2019 - 2021 TERM DATES

YEAR/TERM	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
2019	29 Jan - 12 Apr	29 April - 5 July	22 July - 27 Sept	14 Oct - 13 Dec
2020	28 Jan - 9 Apr	27 April - 3 July	20 July - 25 Sept	12 Oct - 11 Dec
2021	1 Feb - 16 Apr	3 May - 9 July	26 July - 1 Oct	18 Oct - 17 Dec

SRC NEWS

This term we are excited to start up the SRC project helping heroes. The SRC reps and executives have been working really hard all through the year to get this program off the ground. Helping heroes is a program run by kids for kids to reduce the amount of bullying in our school.

Helping heroes will be specially trained year four to seven students who will look out for any bullying in the yard. If they see bullying they will go up to the victim and find out more about the situation and make sure it is bullying. If it is not bullying the Helping Hero will be trained to help out. If it is the Helping Hero will take the victim to a letter box and help them fill out a sheet. We thought the letter boxes were a good idea for anyone who was too shy to talk about the situation that they're in. There will be three letter boxes in the school. One will be in the library, one in the canteen and one in the office.

We have also been looking at what colour the floor and walls are going to be when we redo the toilets. We have decided on the breeze colour for the walls and are yet to decide a colour to go with it.

SRC Representatives & Executives

2020 SCHOOL CONCERT IN THE PARK

MEAL OPTIONS FOR CONCERT NIGHT!

Prior to the concert, the following food trucks will be onsite from 5pm. These will now be located in front of the double story Mortlock building. Come along and support the local food vendors and purchase dinner for your family from the following mouth-watering choices:

- **CANDELA LATIN AMERICAN FOOD**
- THE PASTA GUY ITALIAN CUISINE
- NIKS GOURMET KITCHEN RIBS, SPUDS & WINGS
- MITCHAM ROTARY BBQ SAUSAGE SIZZLE
- **NATURA ICE CREAM**
- **♦ STRAWBERRIES GALORE (FOR DESSERT)**
- **⇔** COFFEE VAN

For those who come early for dinner, a siren will sound for students to move to meet their teachers at 6.15pm.



YEAR 5 - 7 BYOD RECOMMENDATIONS

Next year our bring your own device program (BYOD) will be extended to year 5 students. The key reasons underpinning this decision are:

- Year 7's will be transitioning to high school in 2022, meaning students would only have one year of the BYOD program
- The BYOD program supports the iPad program that continues at Unley high school in years 8-10
- Most BYOD programs offered by government schools in SA are offered for years 5-7
- IPads are a personal device, allowing the students to efficiently access their work. It takes more time to access files on shared devices
- The delivery of a cross-curriculum inquiry program would be enhanced with 1:1 use of iPads.
- The program has been successful in Year 6 and 7.
- Students in year 5 work more independently and often need their own device. Students are currently limited to sharing iPads, one between two, which presents challenges for teaching and learning.

Many parents have been inquiring about what specifications of device to buy. For ease of access we have saved this information to the website so that it is accessible for new and future parents. We have also included a helpful fact sheet to help set up your child's device for the first time. Please read it carefully and follow the instructions to keep your child safe outside of school hours.

Visit the school website https://clgps.sa.edu.au for:

- iPad specifications (minimum requirements)
- Information sheet of how to set up parent controls and restrictions
- Internet safety fact sheets

If you have any further questions or concerns please contact Penny, via email at penny.rowe583@schools.sa.edu.au or by telephone on Ph: 8276 1523.

Penny Rowe, Assistant Principal

ICC T20 WORLD CUP 2020 SCHOOL PROGRAM OPPORTUNITY

The ICC T20 World Cup 2020 Schools Program has been launched with over 700 schools currently registered across Australia. The program is classroom based and curriculum aligned focussing on 3 core units. **Wellbeing (Personal and Community)**, **Inspiring Women and Build Your Own World Cup.** Students will learn about the cultures of the competing teams as well as practical project management skills through building their own T20 World Cup, including collaboration and enterprise.

With the women's tournament less than 100 days away, we are seeking to generate coverage for the 'Inspiring Women and Girl's' (IWG) unit locally across South Australia. With the support of state education minister **John Gardner**, Australian star **Megan**



Schutt and England's **Laura Winfield**, students from Colonel Light Gardens Primary School in Adelaide were invited to participate in a condensed lesson from the IWG unit and take part in photo and vision opportunities.

A big thank you to Glenda Weaver and her class. The unit generated a discussion about the similarities and differences of resilience, focus, confidence, courage and determination of girls and boys in setting goals for success.





SAPSASA, P.E. & AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS (ASS) UPDATE

PE Week, Basketball Competition, Netball & Soccer Competitions

The Sport Monitors have been very busy running lots of activities for our students. The basketball tournament last term was terrific. So many students participated. Well done everyone. Last week was PE Week. Lots of students enjoyed playing tennis, table tennis, volleyball and skipping. Some classes also experienced squash and attended the cricket workshop. A BIGTHARK YOU to James from Squash SA and SACA for offering these workshops. The aim is for everyone to enjoy themselves and continue to be active and healthy.

Soccer and netball competitions started this week. Soccer being played on **Mondays** and Netball on **Thursdays**. Below are the time-tabled games:

Soccer	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	
	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	
Jacob, Ocea & Dylan	6/7	4/5	2/3	R/1	
Netball	Thursday	Thursday	Thursday	Thursday	
	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	
Chloe, Nellie & Abi-Rose	1	6/7	4/5	2/3	

The annual Staff vs Student Netball game will be held in Week 9 on Monday 11th December. Have fun everyone!

SAPSASA DISTRICT TENNIS

Alex G was selected to represent our district, City South in the SAPSASA District Tennis competition from **Monday 4**th **November - Thursday 7**th **November** at Seacliff Tennis Club. The team result was 1st in the competition. **Great effort!**

SAPSASA TENNIS KNOCKOUT FINALS

On **Tuesday 26th November Alex G**, **Lukas E**, **Will V** and **Louis K** played in the SAPSASA Tennis Knockout finals competition. They came third in state overall. A great team effort.. **Well done team!**

SAPSASA SOFTBALL KNOCKOUT FINALS

The boys team: Tyler H (Captain) Finn D, Luke T, Thomas Z, Lachie V, Samuel K, Sam Z, Liam A, Hudson P and Ben H and the girls team: Maggie H (Captain), Beth V, Evie Z, Lily S, Macy P, Abi-Rose W, Chloe V, Alana A, Kiera O, Chelsea H and Emma L played in the round robin finals on Tuesday 26th November at Softball Headquarters, Barrett Reserve. The final results were, the boys team achieved 4th in state and the girls team achieved 3rd in state. Both teams were coached by Mrs Boothey but a big thank you to Steven Ashley who managed the girls team on the day. A special acknowledgement to parents who transported and scored on the day.





SAPSASA, P.E. & AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS (ASS) UPDATE Cont...

SAPSASA 12 & UNDER STATE SOFTBALL

Alex G and **Macy P** were selected to represent the state in the Australian 12 and under Australian Softball Championships at Blacktown, NSW early in November. Alex's team came 4th and Macy's team came 3rd. An amazing experience for both of them. Well done.

CLG IS A SUNSMART SCHOOL

Summer is just around the corner, don't forget to ...



AFTER SCHOOL SPORT

The After School Sports medal and trophy presentations are well on their way for the end of the year season. Last Wednesday night the cricket teams had a BBQ. A big thank you to *Tim Letcher* who coordinated the teams this year.

On **Thursday 28**th **November** the basketball teams are celebrating with an afternoon tea, medal presentation and the great seasons they have had as well as the tireless organisation of **Jennifer Tirrell**. If you are interested in coordinating the basketball teams next year, please contact Mrs Boothey.

The Softball trophy presentation will be on Mortlock Park on **Saturday 30**th **November** after their last home game. **Steven Ashley** has done an amazing job. The team competed this year in the Softball Carnival coming 3rd overall.

Well done Team!!

If you have any uniforms that belong to the school please bring them back as soon as possible.

Registrations are now open for next years After School Sports 2020 Program.

If your child/ren are interested in playing an after school hours sport, register them now using the links below:

Summer sports Terms 1 and 4:

Crickethttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJAKRegistration closing 14/02/2020Softballhttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJBMRegistration closing 14/02/2020Summer Basketballhttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJBQRegistration closing 14/02/2020Winter Basketballhttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJCLRegistration closing 20/03/2020All year Basketballhttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJCPRegistration closing 14/02/2020

Winter sports Terms 2 and 3:

Footballhttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJCSRegistration closing 20/03/2020Netballhttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJCCRegistration closing 06/03/2020Soccerhttps://www.trybooking.com/BFJBVRegistration closing 20/03/2020

Please register your child prior to registration closing dates shown above. For more information contact

Kim Boothey via email: sport.CLG801@schools.sa.edu.au

Kim Boothey PE Teacher

ORIENTEERING SA



Would you like to try orienteering? Want to make the most of your home ground advantage? *Orienteering SA* is holding a park and street orienteering event in Mortlock Park, adjacent to your school, on Friday 29th November which starts anytime between 6 – 7pm. Courses close at 8 pm.

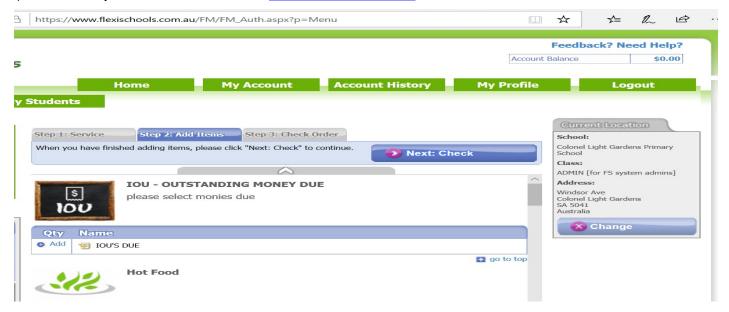
Choose between course lengths of approximately 2, 4 and 6 km or do a 'scatter' course (find checkpoints in any order). You can walk or run, or go in a group or individually. Cost Under 14s: club members free, non members \$10. Newcomers help is available. All welcome.

For more information see sa.orienteering.asn.au

CANTEEN NEWS

PAYING YOUR IOU'S TO THE CANTEEN JUST GOT EASIER!

Outstanding debts (green elephant notes) can now be paid via Flexischools. Flexischools is great for ordering lunches, special order days or IOU's. Follow this link www.flexischools.com.au



LUNCH ORDERS

As the term is close to ending, I will be starting to run my stock down, food/ice blocks and drinks. Please indicate on lunch order bags 2nd preference, if ordering via *Flexischools* we will mark stock unavailable online and/or see your child in class.

REMINDER: NO LUNCH ORDERS WILL BE TAKEN ON LAST DAY OF TERM, DUE TO THE EARLY DISMISSAL TIME OF 1:00PM

Thank You!

A BIG thank you to all my volunteers that have helped me throughout the year, on crazy hot weather days, special days, morning rush or even the lunch rush. I really appreciate your time. I hope you had the opportunity to enjoy the Thank you morning tea on Wednesday.

We would love it if you would please consider volunteering; visit www.carebookings.com.au and register to volunteer using Code - YRHAW

Kelly Gilbert - Canteen Manager

EARN & LEARN REWARDS

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Thank you to all of the families who collected Woolworths Earn and Learn stickers this year. We had another successful year and received just over \$1000 worth of school equipment. We were very excited when it arrived this week.

Thank you also to the school admin staff who counted and sorted the stickers, it was a big task. The school selected the following equipment to support student learning:

- 2 Lego WeDo STEM robotics kits
- 6 board games for the mentor program
- Watering cans and gardening gloves for school gardening programs
- STEM Marble Run construction kit







Penny Rowe - Assistant Principal

FOODBANK - SCHOOL FOOD DRIVE

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CEREAL | BAKED BEANS/SPAGHETTI | LONG LIFE MILK | COFFEE/TEA

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SCHOOL FOOD DRIVE

rice, pasta sauces, canned fruit, canned veggies, canned tuna, jams

COMMUNITY NEWS



SCHOOL HOLIDAY NETBALL CLINIC

Join us for a fun and interactive session of skills and drills

DATE: Saturday 18 January 2020

VENUE: Priceline Stadium, Mile End

TIME: 10.00am - 12 noon (8-13 years of age)

COST: Free

To register or for more details visit: cheerionetball.com email: headcoach@cheerionetball.com phone: 0452 387 003



UNIFORM CLEARANCE SALE 35.00 each item

We have a selection of brand new uniforms from our old supplier for sale. (nothing wrong with them) See list below and see if there is a style and size to suit you. These bargains won't last long.

On Wednesday December II (last week of school) we will have tables outside of the lost property room **2:45 TO 3:20** and this is where you will find these items for sale.

	One size	Size 4	Size 6	Size 10	Size 12	Size 14	Size 16
Scarf	10						
Girls Pants		2		9	3	6	6
Skort					1		2
Rugby Shorts						2	1
Gaberdine Shorts							5
Gaberdine Pants		3	1	9		1	
Fleecy Track Pant		9		3	1		



We are a local family focussed club, where the program emphasis is on participation, fun and skill development.

We offer the following teams in 2020: Under 8, 10, 12, 14 &16 Girls Under 7-11 Mixed Under 12-15 Boys



Contact Junior President Peter Callaghan on 0413 023 518 or email peterjc18@outlook.com To register go to CLGFC Junior Registrations.

JOIN OUR CLGFC JUNIORS IN 2020

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