

## From the Principal

Dear Parents/Carers,

On Monday next week a group of Year 5/6 students are participating in an online workshop hosted by the Department for Education Chief Executive, Martin Westwell, and facilitated by the visiting Professor of Education, King's College London, Guy Claxton. The purpose of the online workshop is for students to discuss the purpose of public education in South Australia to help deepen understanding of learner agency in our schools. This workshop will demonstrate how student voice shaped the strategy and discuss what we should consider to understand learner agency and how we might develop this in our preschools and schools. This workshop continues the discussions from the forum that some of our students participated in last November which provided the basis for the new [strategy for public education in South Australia](#).

To continue our journey in learning more about supporting our students to learn and thrive, Lisa and I are looking forward to attending a session with Guy Claxton on empowering effective learners on Wednesday of next week.

We are also looking forward to welcoming our new Reception students who will start school at the beginning of next year to their first transition visit on either Tuesday or Thursday next week. While Tracey and Sasha meet with these new students our current Reception students will continue their learning with Simon Reeves and Elle Turner.

To support us with planning for 2024 classes, if your child or a child you know turns 5 next year, if you know families who are moving into the area or your child will not be attending Thiele Primary School in 2024 please email [Renata.brook241@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Renata.brook241@schools.sa.edu.au) or contact Renata at our Front Office on 8270 4222.

Kind regards,

*Sharon Willoughby*

Principal

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# Thiele News

## AUTISM INTERVENTION TEACHER

Hi, my name is Lauren and I am the new Intervention Teacher here at Thiele for Term 4. I have taken over the role from Amanda Allen, who is currently Acting Deputy at The Hub Primary School.

I am looking forward to expanding my knowledge and supporting our students with Autism. In the next few weeks, I will be visiting all classrooms so that the students know who I am and what I look like.

If I can support in any way, please do not hesitate to reach out.

My email is: [Lauren.hood619@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Lauren.hood619@schools.sa.edu.au)



## SRC FUNDRAISING UPDATE

Congratulations and thank you to the SRC students for organising the Cake Stall at the end of last term \$279 was donated to Motor Neurone Disease MND SA.

Our casual day was supported by the kind donations of socks and non-perishable foods. These will be donated to Amanda Rishworth to distribute. We appreciate the generosity of our families in supporting both of these events.

## LEARNING AND CELEBRATING RECONCILIATION

Students and staff are continuing their work with Simon to create an Acknowledgement of Country for Thiele.

Our next RAP parent/carer meeting with Simon Wilson is on Friday, December 15th (last day of the school year) at 9:00am in T8. We look forward to seeing you there. All parents/carers are welcome to attend.



## TOYS AT SCHOOL

We are seeing an increase in the amount of toys being brought to school from home. It is not recommended that students bring toys to school as this causes distraction from their learning and students becoming upset in the event of toys being lost, broken or misplaced. We appreciate your support, by communicating with your child's teacher if there is a need for your child to bring a toy to school.



# Assembly Awards

We would like to congratulate all of our students who received awards at the Week 2 Assembly last Friday 27th October . Keep up the great work everyone.

## PRINCIPAL AWARDS

T1 - Rachel W, Georgia D, Jasmine M, Grace T, Lara J, Eloise C, Jayden S, Sullivan M

T3 - Ethan P, Chase C, Charlie W, Ethan P,

T5 - Zeke W, Carter W, Clara S, Daniel O, Sienna C, Ebony S, Jaxon R

T13 - Zaria C, Ivy D, Archer S, Ricky L

T14 - Amari C, Fynnley J, Anna M, Lewis L, Blake B, Anna M, Aidan G

T15 - Ruby B, Amelia C, Rhyse G, Tyler G

T16 - Milly A, Hamish S, Jesse A, Ila-Renae L, Isabella E, Anisha N, Jesse N

## RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS

**Winner: Ollie A-T (T13)**

## RUBBISH RAFFLE

**Winner: Ollie A-T (T3) and Amelia B (T15)**

Students received a canteen voucher for winning the rubbish raffle.



## CLASSROOM AWARDS

### **Bare Food Award T5**

**Congratulations to T5** for having the most Bare Food lunches which contain no wrappings, packaging or litter. Our Youth Environment Leader's Challenge to you is to pack a Bare Food lunchbox every day!

### **Mr G-no-me Award T13**

Mr G-no-me likes to spend his time in the class that takes care in keeping their yard area clean and tidy. This supports our school value of integrity. **Congratulations to T13** who have were successful in earning Mr G-no-me for the next fortnight.

### **Palmy Award T13**

Palmy is an orangutan who enjoys spending his time with the class who recycles the most recyclable 10c containers because this supports our school value of sustainability. **Congratulations to T13** who collected the most recyclable containers and won the opportunity to have Palmy in the classroom for the following two weeks.



**FOR MORE VISIT:** [thieleps.sa.edu.au](http://thieleps.sa.edu.au)

# Youth Environment Leaders

## YELP - YOUTH ENVIRONMENT LEADERS PROGRAM

Our Youth Environment students have been busy growing seedlings to transplant into the Campus Community Garden, making plaques to identify the plants, rocks to share positive affirmations and self-watering bottles to help water their thirsty plants.



## SCHOOL COMMUNITY GARDEN

The seedlings our students have been busy growing have now matured. Fresh spinach, silverbeet, parsley or lettuce will be available for a gold coin donation at our assembly on Friday 27th October or by contacting Renata at the Front Office.



# Thiele Updates



## **CAMPUS CANTEEN**

The Campus Canteen Menu is available [here](#).

Don't forget the special meal days: Wednesday and Thursday - PIZZA special. Friday - SUSHI special

## **CAMPUS COMMUNITY GARDEN**

Thank you to the parents and carers who purchased fresh oranges and lemons from our garden this week. All proceeds will go back into our garden. If you are interested in volunteering within the Community Garden or have any seedling donations, please contact the Front Office.

## **CAMPUS KIDS PLAY CAFE**

Campus Kids Play Café is open every Friday of term in the Geoff Simpson Hall. Come along and meet Lois, enjoy a cappuccino or fresh brewed tea with some delicious morning tea. We welcome parents/carers within our three schools, along with their friends, family and community members.

## **SUN SMART SCHOOL**

Hats are compulsory in Terms 1, 3 and 4. All students are required to wear a wide brimmed or legionnaires hat. Students who do not have a wide brimmed or legionnaires hat will be required to follow our "No Hat, No Play" policy. If students are not wearing their hat during recess and lunch, they are to sit in the area near the Coorong building. Hats and beanies are not to be worn in classrooms.

## **FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE**

We are seeking new members for our fundraising committee. If you are interested in joining the committee, please email [dl.1664.info@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:dl.1664.info@schools.sa.edu.au). Committee members assist with local donations, festive stalls and raffle prize organisation.

## **UPDATED POLICIES**

We have updated the Dress Code Policy and Mobile Phone and Personal Device Policy for Thiele Primary School. Please click [here](#) to view. We appreciate your continued compliance with these policies.

## **NEW UNIFORM SUPPLIER**

Belgravia Apparel, our new supplier, have opened their onsite shop. Opening hours are Monday 2.30pm – 3.30pm; Wednesday 8.30am – 9.30am; Friday 8.30am – 9.30am..

## **SECOND-HAND UNIFORM SHOP**

Thiele's Second-hand Uniform Shop is open Thursday mornings from 8:45am. The shop is located next to the Junior Primary Science room in the Heysen Building. Cash payments are preferred please.

## **THE CAMPUS WAY**

Respect others | Respect yourself | Respect our place | Sitting while eating | Walking on pavers  
Keeping out of garden areas | Courtyard/grass area is a quiet play space | No hat, No play  
Being a Nude Food Dude and bringing litter free lunch

# Pedal Prix News

Campus Tornadoes  
Pedal Prix  
Come and Try



CAMPUS  
Nativity • Pilgrim • Thiele

**CAMPUS TORNADOES**



Sunday 3rd December - 3:00pm to 6:00pm

Nativity Carpark off London Road

For students currently in Year 4, 5 and 6 - Please bring your own Helmet

## CAMPUS TORNADOES



Thank you to the sponsors of our Pedal Prix Team:-

**Go Sunny Solar**:- mention Campus Tornadoes Pedal Prix for a special price on solar

**Air Diffusion**:- mention Campus Tornadoes Pedal Prix to Bill Threadgold at Air Diffusion for any insulation or air conditioning needs

**Scallywags Coffee**:- enjoy a cup of coffee at Canberra Drive, Aberfoyle Park

**NJD Book Keeping, Jayco, Ryco, Real Good Design, Diverse Water Solutions, Snap Printing Lonsdale.**

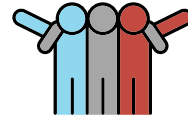
# Thiele Events



# 2023 Thiele Planner



## THIELE PRIMARY SCHOOL TERM 4 - 2023



WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1	16-OCT FIRST DAY OF TERM 4	17-OCT	18-OCT	19-OCT	20-OCT	21-OCT	22-OCT
2	23-OCT	24-OCT	25-OCT	26-OCT	27-OCT	28-OCT	29-OCT
3	30-OCT	31-OCT	01-NOV	02-NOV	03-NOV	04-NOV	05-NOV
4	06-NOV	07-NOV <b>RECEPTION TRANSITION VISIT 9-10AM GROUP 1</b>	08-NOV	09-NOV <b>RECEPTION TRANSITION VISIT 9-10AM GROUP 2</b>	10-NOV	11-NOV	12-NOV
5	13-NOV	14-NOV <b>RECEPTION TRANSITION VISIT 9-10AM GROUP 1  YEAR 6 JAPANESE DINNER</b>	15-NOV <b>PEDAL PRIX ASSEMBLY YR 4,5,6</b>	16-NOV <b>RECEPTION TRANSITION VISIT 9-10AM GROUP 2</b>	17-NOV <b>PEDAL PRIX CAMPUS DISCO</b>	18-NOV	19-NOV
6	20-NOV	21-NOV <b>RECEPTION TRANSITION VISIT 9-10AM GROUP 1</b>	22-NOV	23-NOV <b>RECEPTION TRANSITION VISIT 9-10AM GROUP 2  CHRISTMAS STALL</b>	24-NOV <b>CHRISTMAS STALL</b>	25-NOV	26-NOV
7	27-NOV	28-NOV <b>RECEPTION TRANSITION VISIT 9-11.30AM BOTH GROUPS</b>	29-NOV <b>YEAR 6 FINAL CAMPUS ASSEMBLY</b>	30-NOV	01-DEC	02-DEC	03-DEC <b>PEDAL PRIX COME AND TRY 3-6PM</b>
8	04-DEC	05-DEC	06-DEC <b>YEAR 6 GRADUATION ASSEMBLY</b>	07-DEC	08-DEC	09-DEC	10-DEC
9	11-DEC	12-DEC <b>YEAR 6 GRADUATION DINNER AND CEREMONY</b>	13-DEC	14-DEC <b>END OF YEAR CELEBRATION EVENING</b>	15-DEC <b>LAST DAY OF TERM 2PM DISMISSAL</b>	16-DEC	17-DEC



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# Sporting Opportunities



## PLAY FOR KICKS

Superkick is next level fun for 8 to 12 year olds who are new to footy, or want to continue to grow their skill levels.

**MORPHETT VALE PS**

MONDAY NIGHTS 4-5PM  
30TH OCTOBER - 4TH DECEMBER

**AFL PLAY Superkick**



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## HOLIDAY SWIM

ENROLMENTS OPEN NOW

Swim and SURVIVE GET IN QUICK! Holiday Swim

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## Come and Try CALISTHENICS

Does your child enjoy dancing?  
Why not explore the art of Calisthenics!

First 2 sessions free!

**Ages:** 3-7  
**When:** Saturdays 9am-10am  
**Where:** Reynella East College Gymnasium

**Contact:** 0438 847 458 or 0430 231 573  
**Email:** rbcalisecretary@gmail.com

www.reynellaeschools.com.au/reynellaeastcollege



Join our family friendly, development oriented club!

# JUNIOR PLAYERS WANTED!

Aged 8 - 16 as at 1st September 2023!

Interested in playing cricket this year? We are looking for new players to join our club!

Matches are played Sunday morning with occasional matches on Friday evening across the season..

Contact our Junior Director Helen for more information: 0432 200 557 or juniors@coromandelramblers.com.au

# Parenting Ideas

## Online psychological support for children with big feelings & life challenges



Do you have a child who:

- Worries & gets frustrated
- Has difficulties in making/managing friendships
- Has been through tough life situations
- Might have a mental or emotional health challenge or diagnosis

**We can help!**



## Calm Kid Central

1. Our child psychologists are on standby to help you with unlimited questions about children within 48 hours.



Tell us any question or concern you have about your child. Our panel of experienced & fully qualified child psychologists will carefully read and answer your questions online within 48 hours.



2. We help children learn to cope with big feelings, act confidently, stay calm, cope with friendships & act co-operatively.

Animated videos (and activity sheets & posters) for children on topics such as: Following Tough Instructions, Why We Get Mad and What To Do, Being Brave, Coping with "Mean" Behaviour – & many more:



**BEING POSITIVE**  
about screen  
free time



**MAKING CONNECTIONS**  
with friends

3. We teach you to feel calmer, more confident and effectively support kids with "big feelings" & life challenges

IDENTIFYING  
the why and  
**KNOWLEDGE GAPS**  
in children with  
**CHALLENGING BEHAVIOUR**



**KIDS GETTING CALM**  
by  
RELAXING THEIR BODY



Videos, articles and "cheat" sheets to know how to support children with anxiety, frustration, challenges with friendships and psychological disorders.

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