



Littlehampton Primary School and Preschool

NEWSLETTER

REMINDER

School closure day
Friday 7th September
Pupil free day
Monday 8th October

Major Sponsors

Gold-\$1000 +

2005

Nairne Boys & Girls Club
Adelaide Hills Retaining Walls
Littlehampton Saw Mill

2006

Mt Barker Home Hardware
Littlehampton Saw Mill
Steve & Jodie Hall
Bev & Don Byrnes

2007

Mt Barker Home Hardware
Littlehampton Saw Mill
Mt Barker Rotary Club
Blakiston Rotary Club
Gerflor Pty. Ltd

2008

Littlehampton Saw Mill
Matthew & Kim Hockin
Pope Nitschke First National
Real Estate

Mt Barker Home Hardware
2009

Blakiston Rotary Club
Littlehampton Parents & Friends
Littlehampton Saw Mill
2010

C&N Roberts Constructions

Silver-\$500 +

2004-2006

Haffer Roofing
G and N Parker
Monsfours Pty.Ltd

2007

Mt Barker Budget Carpets
2008

Littlehampton P.S. Staff

Bronze-\$250 +

2006

Sue & Frank Meffle
2007

Larissa & Larry Squillace
2008

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Dr Mark Purvis

2009

Larissa & Larry Squillace
Shaun Clarke & Joanne Spencer
2010

Larissa & Larry Squillace
2011

Balhannah Junction Meat
Littlehampton Netball Club
Larissa & Larry Squillace
2012

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Week 6 Term 3 , 2012

Its Time to Say Thankyou to our Families for your Contributions to our Gym!

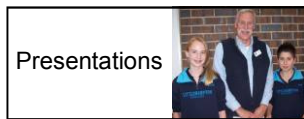


Once again, we are happy to report that our Gym has performed during the past year, with events, concerts and sporting activities!

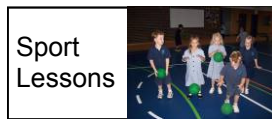
Thanks to the generosity of our families, we have already receive \$12,500 from families and our major sponsors, which represents contributions from 45 % of our school families.

Thankyou to all who contribute to our school in a myriad of ways, and especially to those who regularly donate to our Gymnasium. Without your contributions, and the contributions of all our families since 2007 and earlier, we would not have a gymnasium.

Just a reminder to all families, its not too late to make a contribution. We accept contributions from families right up until the last day of school. Please consider making a donation if you have not already done so, and remember your donation is tax deductible.



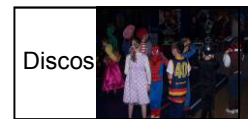
Presentations



Sport Lessons



Active After School



Discos

Family Maths Morning Friday 31st August

All Mums, Dads, grandparents and friends of the school are invited to join our Family Maths Morning 9-11am. Every classroom will be open at times during the morning. Students will show visitors different ways they learn Maths and the skills they have been practising. You are invited to visit as many classes as possible and join in with the activities. A program of the morning's event is attached to the newsletter.

Dads who are joining us for the Father's Day breakfast are especially welcome to stay and visit classrooms before they need to go.

The Maths Challenge Forum has designed a Maths quiz for all visitors to try. Each classroom will have a clue outside their door to help you answer the questions. All you need to do is collect an entry form from a classroom you visit, fill in as many answers as you can and leave your entry at the entry box in the Front Office before you leave.

We will award prizes to the families with the most correct answers. So come along and join in the fun. We all look forward to showing you how enjoyable learning maths can be. Toni Burford & the Maths Challenge Forum group.

Principal from 2013—2018



The selection process for the Principal for 2013 – 2018 is now complete, and Jenny Lewis has been appointed to the position of principal at Littlehampton for the next 5 years. Jenny says, "I have loved working at Littlehampton during the last five years. I've found it especially rewarding to see the pride that the wider community takes in this school and what a special part our school plays in Littlehampton History. I'm delighted to be continuing in this role. My thanks to parents, staff and students for all that you do to make Littlehampton Primary School and Preschool an excellent place to learn and grow."



Government of South Australia
Department for Education and
Child Development

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Family Contributions 2012

Anonymous	Leach
Adams	Liebelt
Ascott	Linke
Badenoch	Littlewood
Bald	Luxon
Ball	Maczkowiack
Bands	Margetson
Banks	Marshall
Barrow	McCune
Bishop	McKenny
Blatchford	McLean
Bowden	McSporran
Bowry	Medlin
Brock	Melville
Brown	Metcalfe
Bubner	Miels
Clark	Mitchell
Collingwood	Moult-Smith
Colotti	Mumford
Copping	Munn
Davis	Mussett
Davis	Neller
Doecke	Nykamp
Dunn	Ormandy
Eades	Parker-Boers
Fielding	Payne
Fimmano	Pollard
Fishers	Porter
Fleay	Provis
Fuss	Reddy
Gaborit	Rees
Gaff	Rice
Galetis	Riddell
Geary	Riley
Gooden	Roach
Gore	Roberts
Graham	Ronan
Gray	Rose
Griggs	Rowe
Hall	Samwell
Harris	Sarre
Hart	Schmidt
Hart	Schmidt
Hawke	Scholz
Hincks	Scroby
Hogben	Selby
Hong	Shephard
Hopgood	Squillace
Hughes	Stafford
Hunter	Taplin-Barton
Intervera	Taylor
Jocks	Thom
Johns	Thomas
Johnson	Thomas
Jones	Thompson
Jones	Tilton
Kalugala-	Van Eck-Braine
Hweage-Don	Vivian
Kerr	Wallace
Kipling	Warhurst
Kohlhagen	Westcott
Krop	Wilson
Kupczynski	Witt

Wipe Out Waste Forum Update

We need to shout out *"Thank you"*.....

Thank you to all the students, parents and staff who have made such quick and incredible changes to the waste levels of waste materials. **ALL classrooms** are reporting huge reductions in the waste materials levels being produced in their classroom every day. Most classrooms are close to or are achieving the 300 ml miniature wheelie bin limit each day – Great work! Some classrooms have a large majority of students achieving **waste free** status every day. These results are showing us what a significant difference we can really make. **Thank you** to those who have already returned the survey sent home to every family last week, please keep them coming. We need to collect data for evidence and to justify the funds we are receiving to supply two reusable plastic food containers to every student in the school. The purchase of those is progressing and we look forward to sending them home soon. It is rewarding to know that others recognise the significance of what we are doing and to then invest money in our initiative and success. Data collected also, importantly, informs our school community of the levels of our progress and the success we are having.

Thank you to our winners of our **Waste Free Thursday competition** –

Term 3 Week 4 – Mrs Thomas/Mr Munt, Room 10 – 16 waste free lunches - Congratulations!

Term 3 Week 5 – Mrs Douglas, Room 5 – 22 waste free lunches - Congratulations!

These classrooms had the highest number of students with completely landfill waste free recess/lunches for the day. It is planned that we will have a winning classroom with the highest score receiving a special celebration/prize towards the end of Term 4. The competition has just started so any classroom can win it.

Thank you to Pippa Cattanach, Senior NRM Education Coordinator, Natural Resources, SA Murray-Darling Basin, Department of Environment, Water and Natural Resources who will attend an assembly soon to present us with a sign for our front fence in recognition of the many integrated projects our School is working on towards healthy and environmentally efficient sustainability practises - with our SAKG Program [Growing, Harvesting, Preparing, Conserving seasonal produce, Consuming organic healthy foods, Composting], reducing landfill waste, Youth Environment Council membership/attendance, supporting our families by providing reusable plastic containers and learning, four environmentally focussed School Forums, Recycling programs, Coppin's Bush Volunteer Support Program participation.

CAN we do it ? – YES we CAN !

National Recognition Week for SSO's 20-24 August 2012

This week is National Recognition week for SSO'S. At our school we are very fortunate to have a terrific team of support staff helping to care for and educate your children, and run our school. Most parents will have met some of the support staff, however the full team is: Dawn Clampitt, Janelle Robinson, Judi Daniel, Kerry Marshall, Kylie Moul-Smith, Lucy Cahill, Tony Herve, Maree Pomery, Michelle Calderwood, Nicole Kolhagen, Paula Simmons, Pauline Bolto, Samantha Butcher, Kevin Jesshope, Sandra Ferber and Wally Brunbauer. Please join us in thanking these staff during National Recognition week. We'd be lost without them.

1ST SEPTEMBER HATS ON: ADVANCE WARNING

In line with our Sun Smart policy all students will be required to wear suitable broad brimmed or Legionnaire style hat, as described in the school uniform policy, whenever involved in outdoor school activities between 1st September and 30th April. This is the recommended position of The Cancer Council and part of our Sun Smart policy. Students not wearing a hat will be required to move to a shaded area of the school.

DONATIONS for our SA Kitchen.

Thank you so much for all of the wonderful donations of produce we have received for our kitchen. Sam has been thrilled with your fabulous response. She would love them to continue if you have surplus supplies. Sam can still use as much **citrus** as you have to spare. If you have any **glass bottles** with metal swing stoppers to spare she would love these also. Sam intends to have the students make old fashioned lemon cordial and will need bottles to store it in.

Coppins Bush Spring Walk

Meet at the school on Sunday September 16th at 1.45pm followed by afternoon tea at the school.

Fundraising Forum News– Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes

Donations of shoe boxes or goods to fill shoe boxes can be left at the front office. A note was sent home last week in regards to suitable items. Call in to the office if you need more information.

SAPSASA News

Firstly apologies to Maya Harnett for leaving her name out of the 12 year old girls team for Cross Country. Maya successfully gained a ribbon for 2nd place. Well done Maya.

Congratulations to Liam Doecke and Harry Ronan for making the state under 13's hockey team. This is a great achievement. They will play in Nowra (NSW) in the Nationals under 13's competition in the school holidays. Good luck boys. Play well and enjoy the experience.

Congratulations to Riley Stone and Cai Rees on making the Hills District soccer team which competed in the State championships in Adelaide in week 5 of the second term. They had a successful week coming 4th overall.



On Thursday 9th August 14 boys travelled to Pasadena Basketball Stadium to compete in the SAPSASA basketball knockout competition. The year 6/7 team consisting of Bailey

Hough, Hayden Brock, Liam Doecke and Sebastian Bald had a successful day with 4 wins, 1 draw & 1 loss. Thankyou to parent Jason Bald for training and coaching this team.

The 5/6 team consisting of Liam Lucas, Dylan Hopgood, Ethan Timms, Josh Hogben, Josh Thompson, Cooper Hough and Joel Parker-Boers performed well with 3 wins, 1 draw & 2 losses. Thankyou to Mark Billington a SA Country coach from Strathalbyn for giving up his time to coach the boys.



All the boys played well displaying good sportsmanship and good skills. Special thanks to parents for helping out with transport, scoring and supporting the boys. This is our final school based event in a very busy SAPSASA year. There are still district tennis and cricket carnivals next term. Thankyou to all the students for their enthusiastic participation, the parents for your support and the teachers for your patience in allowing children to come out of class for practises and carnivals. Thankyou *Liz Murphy*.

ICAS Science Awards

Well done to the following students-
CREDITS

Yr 3 – Seth Ormandy Yr 4 – Ben Barrow, Max Galettis and Justin Margetson.

PARTICIPATION

Yr 4 – Sophie Barrow and Amber Barrow Year 6.

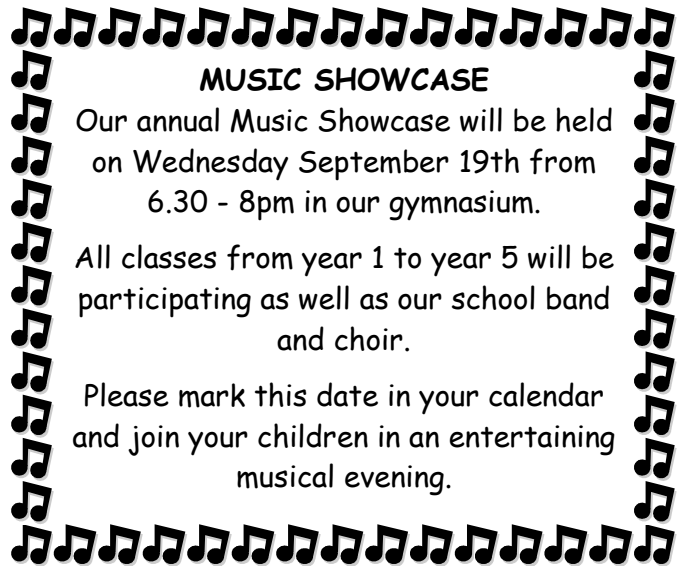
Community Notices

We have been asked to advertise the following. If you would like more information it is available at the front office.

** Wistow Cricket Club Junior Registration day.

Sunday 2nd September at the Wistow Oval. 10am-11.30am. Under 10's to Under 16's. More information contact Michael Paech on 0457 202 994.

**Echunga Softball Club Enquiries to Mark Lucas on 0433 947 009.



MUSIC SHOWCASE

Our annual Music Showcase will be held on Wednesday September 19th from 6.30 - 8pm in our gymnasium.

All classes from year 1 to year 5 will be participating as well as our school band and choir.

Please mark this date in your calendar and join your children in an entertaining musical evening.

Premier's Reading Challenge

Congratulations to the following students who have recently completed the Premier's Reading Challenge. Well done!

Kiera Gerrard, Caitlin Payne, Jade Marshall, Lilee Nykamp, Carla Gore, Madeline Scudds, Leah Hockin, Katie Waters, Jack Bills, Poppy Montague, Hannah Mussett, Kayla Riddle, Abbey Kerr, Jesse Amos, Jack Geary, Sophie Norris, Joel Parker-Boers, Dhiren Karunanithi-Carter, Josh Miels, Maya Harnett, Sabine Montague, Paige Lambe, Zac Lambe, Jayde Reddy, Luke Bradey, Charlie Wotton, Simone Harnett, Jemma Lawson, Karly Taylor, Jack Kipling, Martin Pollard, Tash Munn, Hunter Collingwood and Isabel Provis.

Parking



We will be making it a focus this term to gently remind drivers that the Kiss and Drop zone is for pulling in for a maximum of **two minutes**, to drop off children, or pick up

children who are **already** standing near the exit on Baker Street. **Please do not use this space to pull in and wait for your child to arrive.** If your child is not present when you first pull up, please go around the block and pull in again a few minutes later. If you would like to have a place to park and wait, we suggest arranging another pick-up point with your child, such as on Darnley or William Street. Please do not park on neighbours lawns. Parking inspectors will be monitoring the parking regularly.

Thank you so much for your cooperation.

Lost Property

There is a large amount of lost property in the PACA room. This all needs to be reclaimed before week 9 this term. Please make the time to go through it and take your children's things. Please ensure all of your children's clothes are named.

LITTLEHAMPTON PRIMARY SCHOOL OSHC
VACATION CARE
 24TH SEPTEMBER 2012 – 8TH OCTOBER 2012
 (Closed Monday 1st October 2012 for Labour Day)

 <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Monday 24th September 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">About Me</p> <p>Bring favourite toys and games and any family photo's you would like to add to an Oshc book we will be making. Craft : Photo frames, photo taking and story making</p> <p>Cost: \$45 less CCB & CCR</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Monday 1st October 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">CLOSED PUBLIC HOLIDAY LABOUR DAY</p>
 <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Tuesday 25th September 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Crows Tour Aami Stadium</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bus will depart at 9am</p> <p>Cost : \$60 Less CCB & CCR</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Tuesday 2nd October 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Movies Mt Barker Madagascar 3</p> <p>Cost : \$60 Less CCB & CCR</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Wednesday 26th September 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cleland Wildlife Park</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Bus will depart at 9.30am</p> <p>Cost : \$60 Less CCB & CCR</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Wednesday 3rd October 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cooking</p> <p>Sushi, Cold Rolls and Japanese meatballs for Lunch Japanese craft</p>  <p>Cost: \$45 less CCB & CCR</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Thursday 27th September 2012</u></p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Teddy Bears Picnic</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bear Hunt</p> <p>Baking scones and cakes for Afternoon Tea Please bring your favourite Teddy</p> <p>Cost: \$45 less CCB & CCR</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Thursday 4th October 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Puppet Show Performance</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10.30am—11.30am</p> <p>Please bring in an old sock to make a sock puppet with</p> <p>Cost : \$60 Less CCB & CCR</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Friday 28th September 2012</u></p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Tennis and Lunch at Miles Park</p> <p>Plus visit to Littlehampton Nursery to pick out spring flowers for garden. Please bring any Tennis racquets you have</p> <p>Cost: \$45 less CCB & CCR</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Friday 5th October 2012</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">AMAZING RACE AROUND OSHC</p> <p>Join us for our annual day of group challenges and fun games all around the School.</p>  <p>Cost: \$45 less CCB & CCR</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>MONDAY 8TH OCTOBER 2012—PUPIL FREE DAY</u></p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Bungee Run 10am—1pm</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Cost : \$60 Less CCB & CCR</p>	

OPENING TIMES 7AM—6.30PM

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BOOKINGS CLOSE 14th SEPTEMBER 2012

(Booking after 14th September may not be accepted)

Enrolment and Booking forms: <http://www.littlehaps.sa.edu.au/OSHC.htm>

Library News

Premier's Reading Challenge

The time is coming to an end. All forms must be to Mrs Crossley or Paula by 3:30pm Thursday 6th September. If you need assistance with your child's participation in this challenge please see us now.

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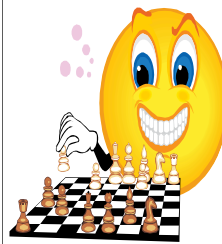
Bailey Camp, Izaak Benfield, Helena Intervera, Hannah Gaborit, Hunter Boudet-Wilson, Matilda Caire, Thomas Roberts, Mollie Demasi, Brittany Proeve, Denis Henke, Taylah Wallace, Amy Jocks, Jessica Gore, Bailey Hough and Carmen Bubner.

Stirling Library Activities

Stirling Library has a Lego Construction Day on Saturday August 25th and Saturday 8th September from 2.30 –3.30pm.

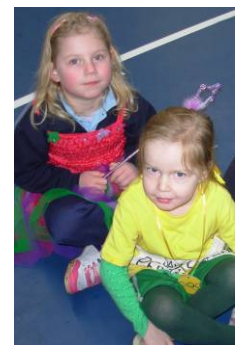


This is for all children over the age of 5.



Chess for kids over the age of 5 will be held on Saturday September 1st and Saturday September 15th from 2.30-3.30pm with Alan from the SA Chess Association.

A big thank you to all the parents and caregivers who assisted in the wonderful "outfits" for dress-up day for book week. The children were very excited and everyone appreciated the effort! Thankyou



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