



# Booleroo Centre District School

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## Newsletter Term 1 Week 2

**DATES FOR THE DIARY**  
**THURSDAY**  
**4TH FEBRUARY 2021**

Primary swimming carnival  
Tuesday 9th February

Governing Council Meeting  
Monday 8th February 7:30pm

Secondary parent information evening  
Years 7&A & 7&B—6:30pm  
Years 9 & 10—6:50pm  
Wednesday 10th February

Secondary swimming carnival  
Friday 12th February

MNSEC swimming carnival  
Tuesday 16th February 5pm

Year 8 camp  
Wed 17th—Friday 19th  
February

Sapsasa Swimming Carnival  
Adelaide  
Friday 26th February

BCDS Sports Day  
Friday 5th March

Adelaide Cup Holiday  
Monday 8th March

MNSEC Athletics Years 6-12  
Tuesday 16th March

National Ride to School Day  
Friday 19th March

National Day against Bullying and Violence  
Friday 19th March

### Principal News

Hello Parents and Carers,

#### COVID Safe Check-in

Our QR code has now been allocated to our school. You will now see these at every entry point to the school.

All adults (including staff and parents) entering the site **must** check-in by scanning the QR code or completing the paper recording log.

Students do not need to check-in. Their attendance is recorded digitally and kept on file every day. This information can be readily made available to SA Health for contact-tracing purposes.

Please note the COVID Safe Check-in is purely for SA Health contact-tracing purposes and doesn't replace your normal visitor sign-in process.

All guests should continue to sign in at the front office on arrival.

#### Primary SRC Reps



All the primary students (R-6) participated in the SRC election yesterday. 8 of our students spoke extremely well about why they felt they would be a good SRC candidate for 2021. It was obvious that every single one of them had given this a lot of thought and consideration.

One of the common themes was reference given to our 4 school values: Responsibility, Respect, Resilience and Integrity. Some of them spoke about ways in which the school could improve, including student-grievance procedures, and how student voice could be better heard.

All primary students had a vote and it was made very clear that this was not a popularity contest, but to vote for the candidates who they thought could represent them best.

This year's Primary SRC leaders, as elected by the R-6 students, are (from L-R) **Olivia Roocke, Jemma Groves, Henley Smith** and **Bernie Sun-Dudley**. Congratulations to you all. These leaders visited the classrooms so all our primary students could put 'faces to names' and they could give them a clap for their success.

The leaders then met briefly with me. Already they have shared some bright ideas about how to improve their Primary Assembly. They decided that rather than split the role from one semester to the next, they would share the role for the year. They were very impressed with a suggestion from one of the other candidates and hope to consult with that person about how student voice may be improved. They would love the other 4 candidates to feel that they too can co-lead and co-organise some of the major events this year. They also felt that their voice could be seen through the newsletter as well. As students mature, we gradually release responsibility to them. I am extremely confident that our SRC Leaders will embrace the challenges that lie ahead.



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## Principal News (cont)

They are already thinking like leaders. As Parents/carers you can expect to see their contributions to this newsletter in the upcoming weeks.

Well done team!

Hope you all have a great week,

Peter Blackburn | Principal

## Kindy News

Dear Families,

The Kindy children have been settling well into Kindy over the last week. It's been great hearing how excited the bus kids are getting to catch the bus on their own. This week we have taken part in swimming with the school kids. It's been great fun. An added bonus has been getting to have a play on the playground on the way back.

This week, we have also been reading the story Elmer the Elephant with the children. Together, we have been investigating concepts in the book, such as camouflage, colours and patterns.



From The team at Booleroo Kindy and Rural Care

## Senior School News



**Congratulations to our Class of 2020!**



Although meeting with different challenges throughout the year, it was exciting to see members of the Class of 2020 work steadily towards their goals in pursuing a range of different career options. The diversity of pathways chosen by groups of students is always interesting and this year is no exception. We will miss the class as we shared a lot of laughs throughout the year, and greatly enjoyed their company.

- The class certainly had some reasons to celebrate with 100% of all results achieved above the passing grade of C-.
- All students who applied for a university pathway received an offer to study in 2021 and a number of students are continuing or commencing apprenticeships/vocational pathways or have employment.
- Congratulations to our school dux, Sonia Zanker, who achieved an ATAR of 97.00 with A+ results in General Mathematics and Research Project.
- An excellent 31.25% of results were in the 'A' band and 43.75% were in the 'B' band which enabled us to achieve our target of a B+ average for all Stage 2 results in 2020.

We are so proud of this class and our best wishes go with the students as they embark on the next stage of their lives. From time to time, we hope to see them and catch up on their news. It has been a privilege to work with them as they have progressed through their primary and secondary schooling.

**Kathy Kupke**

**Senior School Coordinator**

## SRC/House Leader Induction

Congratulations to the following students on the election to leadership roles.

### Year Level Representatives

Year 12	Mitchell Orrock, Georgia Kenchington
Year 11	Bethany Reed, Nicholas Hudson
Year 10	Alice Rees, Sophie Orrock
Year 9	Pippa Roberts, Lacey Caines
Year 7/8A	Bayley Dodman, Jasmine Martin
Year 7/8B	Eve Sun Dudley, Danielle Heaslip
Year 6	Jemma Groves, Bernie Sun Dudley
Year 5	Olivia Roocke, Henley Smith
Year 4	Billy Arthur, Olive Smith
Year 3	Darcy Jones, Macy Heaslip
Year 2	Stella Roocke, Ty Roberts
Year 1	Eddie Piggott, Henry Piggott
Rec	Harper Waters, Peter Liversidge
	Charlie Saal, Oscar Arthur
	Matisse Arthur, Frankie Arthur
	Wyatt Clarke, Deshae Adams
	Addy Liversidge, George Nottle
	Chase Waters, Noah Zwar
	Sadie Clarke, Mac Woolford
	Marlee McCallum, Laurie Saal

### House Leaders

#### Dunstan

**House Captain**  
Senior Leader  
Inter Leader  
Junior Leader  
6/7 Leader

**Eliza Watkinson**  
Lisa Stevens  
Sophie Orrock  
Lacey Caines  
Zali Reed

**Darcy Bastian**  
Mitchell Orrock  
Connor McCallum  
Harrison Roocke  
Henley Smith

#### Rogers

**House Captain**  
Senior Leader  
Inter Leader  
Junior Leader  
6/7 Leader

**Leticia Sismey**  
Lucy Giles  
Tara Brinkley  
Pippa Roberts  
Mikayla Garrard

**Hunter Cheriton**  
Kodi Carey  
Bryce Winen  
Rydah Cheriton  
Caleb Prosser

Family members are invited to attend the Induction Ceremony on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> of February at 2:30pm. Unfortunately, due to COVID restrictions, we do not currently have the capacity to cater for a morning tea as we have in the past. A celebration activity will be held for SRC members at the end of their tenure as a school representative.

As mentioned in Peter's article, please note parents will need to sign in at the gym

Gayle Bury  
SRC Mentor

Alby Nicholls  
HPE Coordinator

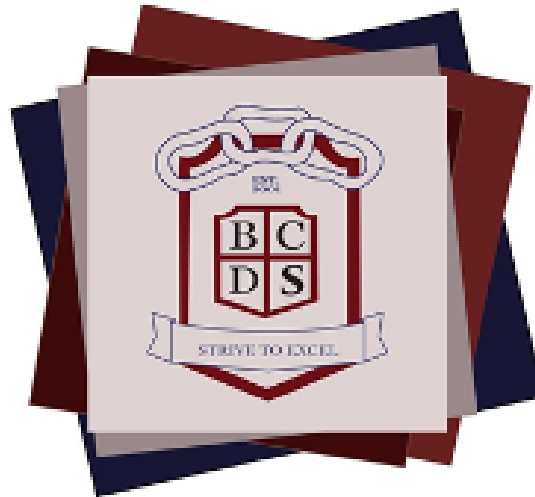


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*The family of our Student Leaders are invited to attend the*

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**INDUCTION OF  
SRC and HOUSE LEADERS**

**Wednesday 10<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2021  
2:30pm**

### **SOUTHERN FLINDERS NETBALL CLUB:**

**2021 REGISTRATION NIGHT AND TRIALS, STARTING THURSDAY 25th February at the  
Laura Tennis Courts**

**I and J Grade: 4:30 PM,** (all players in yrs 6 and 7), **G and H grade: 5:30 PM,** (all players yrs 8 to 12 secondary school), **SENIORS: 6:30 PM**

### **2021 SECONDARY STUDENT PASSENGER TRANSPORT CARDS**

Can be purchased by contacting  
**MSP Photography**  
on  
**08 8664 1363**

Cost: \$10.00

Note:

Please phone our office to make an appointment  
if student portrait wasn't taken on photo day last year



## **Come and Try Futsal!**

**Ages 5 – 18 (2003- 2015)**

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February 5.30-6.30pm**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March 5.30-6.30pm**

**The Big Shed  
Jamestown Showgrounds**

Enter via southern end glass doors

**Come and try Futsal to see if you would like to  
play in the 2021 Season.**

**We play Friday nights May – September.**

COVID measures in place in this venue.

**For more information please email  
jamestownfutsal@gmail.com**

