



# CRAIGMORE SOUTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Learners today, leaders tomorrow

## NEWSLETTER

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### DIARY DATES

April 6

SAPSASA Athletics

April 7—10

Easter

April 14

Assembly

April 14

Make a Wish  
Fundraiser

April 14

LAST DAY OF TERM 1  
2.00pm Early Dismissal

1 May

TERM 2 BEGINS

1—3 May

RAA Street Smart  
Road Safety

5 May

Year 2 Excursion to  
Adelaide Oval

10—11 May

**Mother's Day Stall**

8—11 May

Life Ed Van

12 May

SAPSASA X Country



Government of South Australia  
Department for Education

### Attendance



Unfortunately, our attendance rate has dropped 1%. We are experiencing a number of illnesses in the community, and we appreciate families keeping children home when they are sick but please make sure you contact the school to let us know.

### NAPLAN

Congratulations to our year 3 and 5 students who undertook the NAPLAN testing over the past few weeks. The students participated in a writing, reading, language conventions (grammar and spelling) and numeracy test. All of the students made us so proud with the effort they put in throughout the testing process. Families will be notified of the results later on in the year.

### Parent teacher interviews

Successful parent-teacher communication creates a positive environment for a child to learn. When parents and teachers freely share information about the child, their skills, growth, areas of development, and struggles, they can work as a team to ensure every child reaches their full potential.

I hope all of you have been able to take up the opportunity to share some time with your child's class teacher over this week. As educators, we share the same goals as you for your child and it is important that we work together in order to provide your child with the best possibility of achieving them. Staff are committed to finding out where your child's learning is currently, in order to target the learning at the correct level and we want to make sure you are aware of this too. Your support of the school and your child is invaluable.

Our School acknowledges the Kurna People as the traditional custodians of the Adelaide Plains. We acknowledge their connection to the land our school is built on. The land on which we congregate to learn, play and work. We pay our respects to their Cultures and to the Elders past, present and emerging.



# ASSEMBLY AWARDS

## *Collaboration Awards*

- Kayla B—Completing shared tasks with her group  
Elissa J—Listening attentively during learning time  
Hunter B—Working well with his partner during Maths  
Oliver W—Working well with his partner during Maths  
Alyssia R—Valuing other people and their contributions  
Evie N—Working well with others  
Ainsley G—Working well with others  
Ella-Marie S—Working well with others  
Riley R—Always working well with others  
Becky P—Always working well with others  
Seth F—Collaborating well with new students during Art swaps  
Ryder F—Working well with others when engaged in learning  
London S—Working well with her buddy during morning reading time  
Elissa J—Always working well with others in Digital Technology  
Aubrey E—Working well with her partner to complete morning jobs  
Marie V— Working collaboratively in Maths  
Jacoby L—Greeting all members in the class during morning circle time  
Tahlya T—Confidently sharing her Maths learning with others  
and guiding them to success  
Ellie P—Outstanding leadership skills in English group work  
Aleah R—Collaboration with her peers in Maths lesson  
Charlotte S— Working well in a group on the computer  
Ethan W—Always offering to help others  
Aubrey E—Working well with others in PE  
Anmol B—Participating in all lessons in a positive way  
Kruize W—Working well with any partner  
Hallie C—Working well with any partner  
Noah F—Working fantastically in pairs to complete his work  
Logan C—Collaborating with a partner to successfully finish his work  
Noah F—Having a positive calm manner helping others in the Library  
Logan H—Always having a positive manner and helping others in the Library



## ASSEMBLY AWARDS cont...

### *Diversity Awards*

Oliver R—Noticing how others are different  
Millie C—Accepting different ways of learning  
Braiden D—Accepting others and their differences  
Kade E— Accepting others and their differences  
Jeremy K— Including other students in class activities  
Esther B—Being inclusive of others during lunch and recess  
Ava C—Showing great interest and respect for Indigenous learning  
Mitchel T—Sharing his enjoyment of Dreaming Stories  
Charlotte S—Being inclusive in PE lessons  
Riley R—Being inclusive in PE lessons  
Brenton H-H— Always being inclusive of others  
Mia M—Always being empathetic and inclusive of others  
Hartlyn C—Always being inclusive and accepting of others  
Mason B—Always being inclusive and accepting others  
Michael W—Always being empathetic and checking in with others  
Jacob J—Always being inclusive of others  
Ivy M—Showing empathy and caring for her classmates  
Zahaliyah G—Always being inclusive and accepting of others  
Mya C—Being respectful of others  
Levi C—Demonstrating kindness towards others  
Aya C—Showing empathy towards others  
Chelsea P—Always being inclusive and accepting of others  
Hamza H—Always polite and accepting of others  
Shaun R—Showing empathy towards others and helping in the Library  
Jaxon W—Showing empathy towards others and helping in the Library  
Jacob J—Being inclusive of others in Science  
Hunter W—Being inclusive of others in PE  
Ellanah W—For including other students in class activities  
Bentley Mc—Showing empathy towards others

It's great to see our students displaying our school values!

Keep up the good work



# AROUND THE CLASSROOMS

## Mr Bond's class

### Year 3/4

#### **MINDFULNESS**

Our class has been using movement and stretching as a strategy to take a break and refocus. The students really enjoyed it and they also enjoyed identifying the muscles in their body they felt were stretching during these activities.



#### **PHONICS**

In Phonics we have been focussing on "Parsing". Parsing is being able to identify parts of speech in sentences. The students have enjoyed trying to identify nouns and verbs in sentences.



#### **MATHS**

This term in maths we have been looking at identifying odd and even numbers, place value as well as developing efficient strategies, including skip counting, when counting large amounts of objects. The students have also enjoyed using our "Exit Tickets", which allows them to explain their thinking for our maths topics / concepts.



# AROUND THE CLASSROOMS

## Mrs McLean's Year 3/4's

**School values:** In the first few weeks of school the students had a focus on the school values and learning to develop integrity and collaboration even with people who weren't within their friendship group. One activity saw the students being blindfolded, listening to their partner who tried to guide them safely through the maze of cones from start to finish. Students realised how important successful communication and questioning was to achieve the set goal.



**Maths:** The class have been using a range of manipulatives and engagement games to help develop their reasoning, understanding and problem-solving skills when using place value.



**Auslan:** Students have embraced learning the basics in Auslan. They have learnt to finger spell the alphabet and basic words and begun to recognise and use particular signs to represent words instead of spelling them. They are able to introduce themselves and ask for someone else's name in response.





# CLASSROOM

## Announcement

Mrs Furnell year 3/4

### Maths

In our Maths lessons we have been learning about addition and subtraction word problems. Students have really loved sharing their ideas with their peers and practicing their reasoning skills.



### HASS

In our HASS lessons, students have been working in groups to learn about Australia's neighbours. They have enjoyed researching facts on Indonesia, Fiji, Solomon Islands, Tonga, New Zealand and Papua New Guinea.

### Harmony Day



Harmony Day was a great success and all students enjoyed participating in activities that celebrate our cultural diversity in Australia.



## SCHOOL NEWS



**CRAIGMORE SOUTH  
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**MOTHER'S DAY STALL**

*Come and grab a bargain for your Mother, Grandmother, Caregiver or Family Member.*



*Prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$8.00*

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 9am-2pm**  
**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May 9am-11am**  
**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May 9am-11am**



Once again, the school will be holding a Mother's Day Stall on the 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> of May.

There are lots of items to choose from eg picture frame, mug, bracelet magnet etc. Prices range from \$1 to \$8

## GOVERNING COUNCIL

Have you ever considered nominating to become an important member of our Governing Council?

All you need to do is to commit to 2 meetings per term (each meeting is 1- 2 hours long)  
Help develop ideas and promote Craigmore South P.S.  
Help develop close cooperation between the school and the local community.

If you would like further information you can Make a time to talk to a member of Governing Council or speak to someone from Leadership. Your time, help and opinions will be very much appreciated.

## 2.00PM EARLY DISMISSAL

Parents are reminded that on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April students will be dismissed at 2.00pm for end of term.

Vacation Care is available for the school holidays but bookings are essential.

Term 2 begins 1st May



## FINANCE NEWS

### Material & Service Fees 2023



The M&S Fees for 2023 has been set at \$269.00. However the State Government has announced a \$100.00 rebate which brings the fee down to \$169.00 per child. School card eligible families will not receive this rebate.

Invoices have been sent to families via post and have all the vital information required on how to apply for School Card or how to arrange a regular payment plan.

Debt proceedings will commence in Term 2, so to avoid this from happening, please see admin staff if you have any difficulties paying the fees by the due date.

Payments can be made via the QKR app, direct credit into our bank account (see staff for details), cash or card.

Due date for payment of the fees is Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2023.

School Card applications must be applied for every year and submitted ONLINE for 2023.

If you need access or support to assist you with your application, please see the admin staff who will help you. Don't forget to bring your CRN number with you.

School Card applications should to be lodged before the end of Term 1 2023.

## SCHOOL NEWS



### Sports Vouchers program

The Sports Vouchers program is a Government of South Australia initiative administered by the Office for Recreation and Sport. The program provides an opportunity for primary school aged children from Reception to Year 7 to receive up to a \$50 discount on sports membership/registration fees. The purpose is to increase the number of children playing organised sport by reducing cost as a barrier to participate in sport.

All South Australian primary school aged children are eligible and it is one voucher for every primary school aged child per calendar year. Vouchers can be collected from the Front Office or downloaded from: <http://www.sportsvouchers.sa.gov.au/>

# COMMUNITY NOTICES

## 2023 GET ON THE COURT



**Register Today!**  
Gawler & District Netball Assoc.

Winter Netball Season  
Saturday's, April - September

Entry Level Programs  
Junior & Senior Competitions  
Representative Netball

Central Location (Gawler)  
Regular Match Times  
Available Parking  
Low Entry Fees  
Canteen Facilities

**CLUB, TEAM, &  
INDIVIDUAL  
REGISTRATIONS  
WELCOME!!**

Phone - 0438 801 557  
E-mail - [secretary@gawlernetball.com.au](mailto:secretary@gawlernetball.com.au)

**GAWLER AND DISTRICT  
NETBALL ASSOCIATION**

Government of South Australia  
Department for Education

**Learning  
Together**

### Craigmore Learning Together Communities Playgroup Birth - 4 years

Tuesdays and Thursday's 9.30 to 11am  
during school terms  
Located in the old YMCA gym towards the  
back of the  
Craigmore Village Shopping Centre

Come and play, sing, read together and enjoy  
activities with your child/children in a fun,  
safe and supported environment with  
experienced educators.

**Please bring along a hat, some cut up fruit  
for a small snack and a bottle of water to  
drink.**






Please contact Tricia on 0402893773, Kerriane 0417138870 or  
Lesley Lewis on 0409631775  
for more information.

Come with your  
child and learn  
drama games and  
activities as you play  
with us.

Make friends and have fun  
while learning drama skills and  
having fun!

Our classes are fun, inclusive,  
safe, accessible and completely  
free!



**TRUE NORTH  
Little Stars**

Come with your  
child and learn  
drama games and  
activities as you  
play with us

A fantastic  
creative  
playgroup for  
little stars  
aged 4 to 6

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Join today!  
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[truenorthye.com](http://truenorthye.com)





**It's easy to join**

- 1  
Sign up by phoning us or  
messaging online
- 2  
Come along to a workshop
- 3  
Learn new skills for free!

**What we learn**

We get together to learn a whole  
bunch of skills like:

- Drama games
- How to make videos
- How to make plays
- Dance & movement

**Our team**

You will be mentored by director  
Alrino Zavarce & a team of industry  
professionals.

**Dates & Times**


**True North Little Stars  
Northern Sound System**  
73 Elizabeth Way  
Elizabeth

Saturdays  
12:30pm-1:15pm  
Ages 4-6

Join today!  
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# OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

## Vacation Care | 17 - 28 April






 Mobility Impairment	FULL FEE \$60.00	CCS REDUCED FEE* \$11.55-31.50
	FULL FEE \$75.00	CCS REDUCED FEE* \$13.48-36.75



### WEEK 1

Monday 17 April	Tuesday 18 April	Wednesday 19 April	Thursday 20 April	Friday 21 April
In-House	In-House	Excursion	In-House	Excursion
<b>The Greatest Games Day</b>	<b>Silly Science</b>	<b>St Kilda Adventure Playground</b>	<b>The Y Sports Day</b>	<b>Bop Till You Drop disco</b>
				
Join us for a day full of board games, card games and outdoor games!	A day full of all things MESSY!	Come with us for a play at the playground at St Kilda! Lunch will be provided.	You are invited to the Y sports day! We've got coloured hair spray and face paint to support your team! Let's get our racing shoes on. Prizes for the winning team.	The team from Bop Till You Drop are bringing the fun to us! Join us for a wild party with lots of singing and dancing!
Bring your favourite board game to OSHC to play with your friends!	We will be looking at a range of experiments, exploding volcanoes, elephant toothpaste and much more!	Depart: 10:00am Return: 2:00pm Transport: private bus		Starts: 12:00pm Finish: 2:00pm
<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 4, 5	<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 2, 3, 4	<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 3, 4, 5	<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 3, 4, 5

### WEEK 2

Monday 24 April	Tuesday 25 April	Wednesday 26 April	Thursday 27 April	Friday 28 April
In-House		Excursion	In-House	Excursion
<b>Gymnastics Day</b>	 <b>PUBLIC HOLIDAY</b> <b>CLOSED</b>	<b>Wacky Sock and Face Painting Day</b>	<b>80's Day!</b>	<b>Aladdin Musical at The Parks</b>
				
Wear your comfiest clothes for a day full of stretching and all things gymnastics! We will have the mats and trampoline out ready to learn some new tricks!		Wear your wackiest pair of socks! Think about who you want to be today because a face painter will be here to turn you into your favourite characters! Face painter will be here from 10:00am - 1:00pm	Take a step back in time with us!  Come dressed in your best 80's outfit! We will be holding a fashion show and have prizes for the best dressed!	We are joining Riverbanks OSHC at The Parks to watch Aladdin the musical! Followed by lunch and a play at the park. Depart: 9:15am Return: 1:30pm Transport: private bus
<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 3, 4, 5		<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 3, 5	<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 2, 3	<b>Outcomes:</b> 1, 3

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# OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

## Craigmore South OSHC



### Important information:

- OSHC will be open from 8:30am – 4:00pm, please sign in and out between these times.
- All bookings must be received by Monday 10th April to avoid a \$3 casual fee.
- Cancellations must be made two weeks prior to the date of requested care to avoid payment.
- Please send children in appropriate clothes for the activity they will be participating in.
- Sun Smart guidelines are followed so please ensure a hat is worn and no singlets.
- Sunscreen is provided. If your child is sensitive to sunscreen, please provide your own.
- Please review our terms and conditions online for our fee and policy information.
- Please provide morning tea, lunch and a drink bottle every day unless stated otherwise.
- Please note that we are a NUT-aware centre.
- Breakfast and afternoon tea will be provided.
- Handheld electronic devices are not permitted at the centre unless specified in the day's description, communication devices are allowed.
- We welcome feedback and suggestions at any time, please see your centre staff.
- By making a booking you are agreeing to pay the fees through your direct debit account in addition to normal OSHC bookings.
- Please inform the service if your child suffers from travel sickness.
- Programmed activities are subject to change.

\*Typical fee after subsidy is applied

*While bus drivers (in SA) are exempt from ensuring passengers under 16Y are restrained, YMCA OSHC will make every effort to ensure the safety of all children by using seat belts that are supplied and be guided by our policies and transport risk assessment.*

### Learning outcomes:



#### OUTCOME 1

Children have a strong sense of identity



#### OUTCOME 2

Children are connected & contribute to their world



#### OUTCOME 3

Children have a strong sense of wellbeing



#### OUTCOME 4

Children are confident and involved learners



#### OUTCOME 5

Children are effective communicators



Book your session via the Xplor Home App  
Visit [sa.ymca.org.au/OSHC](http://sa.ymca.org.au/OSHC) for more information

# TERM 1 PLANNER

Week 1	30/1	31/1	1/2	2/2	3/2 Assembly
Week 2	6/2	7/2	8/2	8/2	10/2
Week 3	13/2	14/2 Year 6 Aquatics Open Afternoon	15/2	16/2	17/2 PUPIL FREE DAY
Week 4	20/2	21/2	22/2	23/2	24/2
Week 5	27/2	28/2	1/3	2/3	3/3 Assembly
Week 6	6/3	7/3	8/3	9/3	10/3
Week 7	13/3 PUBLIC HOLIDAY ADELAIDE CUP	14/3	15/3 NAPLAN	16/3	17/3 Assembly
Week 8	20/3 NAPLAN	21/3 HARMONY DAY	22/3	23/3	24/3
Week 9	27/3 NAPLAN	28/3	29/3	30/3 Special Lunch	31/3 Assembly
Week 10	3/4	4/4	5/4	6/4 SAPSASA Athletics	7/4 GOOD FRIDAY
Week 11	10/4 EASTER MONDAY	11/4	12/4	13/4	14/4 Assembly Make a Wish Fundraiser 2PM DISMISSAL