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ELIZABETH VALE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

TERM 2 WEEK 10 2021

NEWS FROM MS JORDON

Term 2 has been busy with community projects.

During Term 2...

- Over 300 students were seen by Dental for Schools
- Over 160 students had vision checks through One Sight
- 17 parents regularly attended adult English classes through the Community Hub
- 46 families engaged in Playgroup
- 15 year 6/7 students were part of the Every Girl leadership program

Children who were identified as requiring glasses as part of their One Sight Vision check were fitted at school and will receive their glasses via school in approximately 5 weeks. Children who require further eye checks will be provided a voucher to attend OPSM Elizabeth.

During Term 3, families are invited to join Community Hub programs.

Term 3 programs include:

CENSUS INFORMATION AND FILL IN CENSUS SESSIONS:

- Bhutanese Nepali speakers Information Session Wednesday 28th July (Wk. 2) at 9am in school library
- Hahka Chin speakers Information Session Thursday 29th July (Wk. 2) at 9am in school kitchen
- Swahili speakers information session Friday 30th July (Wk. 2) at 9am in school library

PEACEFUL PARENTS WORKSHOP



Parents are invited to participate in a 4 week workshop which focuses on how to help children manage their big emotions and develop their coping strategies. Workshops will occur on a Friday in the STEM Room from 9am to 11am. Workshop dates: Friday 20th August-, Friday 27th of August, Friday September 3rd and Friday September 17th.

Bookings essential- book at school reception now. No cost.

ENGLISH CLASSES FOR PARENTS

English classes for parents will resume on Friday of week 1 (July 23rd).

The morning class runs from 9:30-11:30am and the afternoon class is from 12:45-2:45pm.

Childminding is available [Bookings essential for childminding].

All welcome. Contact Jordon Keipert, school reception or a BSSO staff member for more information.

PLAYGROUP

Playgroup resumes Wednesday of week 1 (July 21st).

Playgroup is from 1:30-2:45pm in the Preschool. All welcome.

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Our School Values: *Respect—Honesty—Excellence*



Elizabeth Vale School

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE TAKEN ON:

Tuesday 27 July 2021

**ORDER NOW go to www.advancedlife.com.au and enter the code
3QP BK3 WGX**

Dear Parents,

School photographs are scheduled to be taken by *advancedlife*. Whilst an envelope and flyer will be distributed shortly, if possible it is our preference that ordering be completed online to reduce administration and potential security issues related to the return of cash and envelopes on photo day.

Orders for packages and sibling photographs can be placed securely online at www.advancedlife.com.au using our school's unique 9 digit *advancedorder* code. Portrait and group package orders are due by photography day.

Should you wish to purchase a sibling photograph online, the order must be placed no later than the day before photography day. Sibling photographs will only be taken if an order has been placed.

Should you have any queries concerning school photographs or online ordering, please contact us at www.advancedlife.com.au/contact

By now you should have received your photo package and a letter from the company. If you require a sibling package, they are available from the Front Office.

Schools photos are not compulsory however each child will have their photo taken so the school has them on file.

As the above notice indicates families can now go online to order portrait and group packages. If you have any queries please contact the company at www.advancedlife.com.au/contact





Room 17 have enjoyed reading *The Pear in the Pear Tree* by Pamela Allen this term. We have also enjoyed reading other books by Pamela Allen such as *Mr McGee, Who sank the boat?*, *Mr McGee and the Big Bag of Bread*, *My Cat Maisy*, *Daisy All Sorts* and *the Man with the Messy Hair*. We have been learning and practicing rhyming words by finding the words that rhyme in these stories. We have also been talking about the different characters in the stories and writing stories of our own using these characters.

In Room 16, we have been working hard writing our own narratives about gravity, which was our topic for Term 2. Each student brainstormed a character, the setting, the problem, how the character felt, how they solved the problem and the conclusion. We drew what happened in the story, then wrote sentences, using the sounds we have learnt to spell long words. We made sure we were using the correct pencil grip the whole time and wrote the letters correctly and neatly. We are looking forward to learning new sounds and writing more sentences next term!



In Room 14, we have been learning about gravity, how to sound out words and how to write a story. We have worked really hard to learn how to read and write some tricky words to include them in our stories. To finish off our learning about gravity, we made our own little books about every day situations that involve gravity.

WELCOME TO THE VALE

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The staff , students and community members would like to welcome the following students and their families to Elizabeth Vale School.

Dakota

Zachery

Liam

Kate-Ann

DIARY DATES

Friday 2nd July-last day of Term 2

Monday 19th July—first day of Term 3

Term 3, Week 2—Tuesday 27th and Thursday 29th July, School Photos



Come and Try

Young Adelaide Voices

Adelaide's most exciting youth choir!

Share a love of music, make new friends from new places, sing amazing songs

Perform all over Adelaide



Choir for 9– 12 year old boys and girls

Wednesday 7 July 2021

Session 1: 10-11:30am

Session 2: 11:30am-12:30pm

Playford International College

Music Centre

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