

## ELIZABETH GROVE

PRIMARY SCHOOI

Principal: Julie Brown | Deputy Principal: Sonja Blazevic | Wellbeing Leader: Kristy Doolan | Pedagogical Coach: Chris Guy

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## Term 1, Week 1 2024

## UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

Week 2	Wednesday 7th February Acquaintance Night & AGM			
Week 3	Friday Weeks 3 to 8 Bike Ed Years 4 - 6			
Week 4	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> to Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February Reverse Interviews			
Week 6	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March SAPSASA Boys & Girls Lacrosse			
Week 7	Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March PUBLIC HOLIDAY Adelaide Cup			
Week 7	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March PUPIL FREE DAY			
Week 7 and-8	NAPLAN Testing Year 3 and Year 5 Students			
Week 9	Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> – Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March Health checks for Aboriginal Students			
Week 9	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> March PUBLIC HOLIDAY Good Friday			
Week 10	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> April PUBLIC HOLIDAY Easter Monday			
Week 10	Swimming Week Years 3-5			
Week 10	Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April SAPSASA Girls Netball/Boys Football			
Week 11	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April Last Day of Term 1 Casual Day and 2:05 Finish			

## **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

Dear Parents and Caregivers,



Welcome to the beginning of 2024! The teachers and support staff have done an amazing job setting up the classrooms and preparing for the year to ensure a smooth transition back to school. We are pleased to see all our returning students and

Welcome to the 20 new students who have joined our year 1 to 6 classes and to our new reception students. I am sure you will all make them, and their families feel welcome and part of our school community.

#### Acquaintance Night and AGM

Our Acquaintance night will look a bit different this year as we want to use it as an opportunity for teachers to work with families to set the year up for success. The event will run from 3:15 to 4:30pm and will be followed by our AGM for parents to attend if they wish.

#### **Reverse Interviews**

families.

Notes have gone home about reverse interviews that will occur in week 4. This is an opportunity for you to share information with the teacher to support your child's learning. We request that every family connects with their child's teacher/s through the week.

#### Communication

Please take note of communication that comes from the school in the form of text messages, Seesaw or Class Dojo messages and notes home. Please also ensure your contact details remain up to date at all times.

#### Staff Changes

We have an amazing team, and we are excited about what we can achieve as a school and with our students this year!

Welcome to: OSHC Director: Mandy Norris SSO Staff: Kimberley Moya (M-F - Rm 1), Molly Craig (T Rm 14, Th Rm 16) Teaching Staff: Jasmine Hart (Intervention), Yuting Huang (Year 1)

#### **Building Works:**

Over the summer holidays our library roof was replaced to reduce leakages. We are also building a new bike compound towards the front of the school which will provide a locked, covered house for bikes and scooters. We will let you know when this is ready for use.

Kind Regards, Julie Brown – School Principal

### School Card

School card applications need to be completed ASAP. They can be completed electronically on your phone or device, in the front office using a school device or you can complete a paper form. Please see Kerry in the office for help.



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## 2024 School Captains

I am excited to announce our 2024 school captains. These students will have a range of leadership responsibilities across the year.

McEwan 2024 House Captain (Red) – Jacob McEwan 2024 House Vice Captain (Red) – Khang Sampson 2024 House Captain (Yellow) – Tevita Sampson 2024 House Vice Captain (Yellow) – Jade Ridley 2024 House Captain (Blue) – Eden Ridley 2024 House Vice Captain (Blue) – Kalani Playford 2024 House Captain (Purple) – Charlotte Playford 2024 House Vice Captain (Purple) – Sophia

## **Breakfast Club**

Every school day our site hosts breakfast club. Mrs Rigney, along with guests from Kickstart for Kids and social work students, welcome students from 8am until 8:45am in the library kitchen. Students can choose to have toast or cereal for breakfast before they start their learning.

#### Hats

A reminder that school hats are now a required part of the school uniform all year round. This policy came into effect at the beginning of the 2021 school year. If your child does not have a hat they will be asked to spend outside play in the shelter shed, nature play or library. If you need to purchase a new hat, please see the front office.

# OSHC

Elizabeth Grove OSHC operates on site from 6.30 – 8.30am and 3.05 - 6pm each school day. Fees payable by each family will vary based on income and Child Care Subsidy received. Full fees are \$20.00 for before school care and \$30.00 for after school care Breakfast and a healthy afternoon snack are included in the fees. Mandy Morris OSHC Director on 82556872 or the School front office for an enrolment form.

# Elizabeth Grove Primary School Staff Team 2024

Leadership Team Julie Brown	Front Office Team Cherylynn Foster	Aboriginal Education Team		SSO Team Molly Craig Charlene Akurangi	
Sonja Blazevic	Kerry How	Lisa Linnell- Aboriginal Education Teacher Tatum Winwood-		Cooper Wilson	Debbie Deller
Kristy Doolan Chris Guy	Julie Scolyer Middle Years Team			Kimberly Moya Jaimaya Harris	Emma McNab Genevieve Radakovich
Early Years Team Ellie Bowden	Jasna Kelly Shelby Dunlop	Aborig Commu Engagemer	unity	Jandra Winning Jill Sellars	Jeanette Reich Rhiannon Edwards Kirsty Stanley Maddison Westwood
Stephanie Kempinger Ashlee Dollman	Keely Coard Jasmine Hart	Facilities Sandy		Judy Rigney Lindy Baker	
Kristie Morshead	Min Lu Yunting H	Jaso	n	Payal Joshi Olivia Varacalli	Michelle Mangubat Stacey Hardaker
Primary Team Michael Koenig	Specialist Team Max Clarke	Bilingual S	Support	Siarra Hiscock Michael Morgan	Bailey Kapellides Lisa Eitzen
Rachael Harron Lachlan Sparrow	Jasmine Craig Noan Mangubat	Menuka Kafley		CONTROL ST	
Jovana Johnson Angela Varacalli		Pastoral Care Worker Ashlee Beecroft			

