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Term 4, Week 9, 2024

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

Week 9	Thursday 12 th Dec 5:30pm Year 6 Graduation
Week 9	Friday 13 th Dec Community Assembly 12:15pm Early Dismissal 1:05pm
Week 0	Open classrooms for students and families to visit Friday 24 th January 2pm-3pm
Week 1	Tuesday 27 th January Term 1, 2025 Begins
Week 7	Monday 10 th March Public Holiday Adelaide Cup Day



Wishing all of our students, families, staff and community members a happy and safe 6 week break.

For those of you travelling, take care and stay safe.

We look forward to seeing you all in the new year and hearing about your adventures.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Please enjoy a safe and happy holiday with your families, and we look forward to seeing you again in 2025. Thank you to all the support you have given to your children's learning and to the school this year. Good luck to all of our Year 6 students who begin their secondary school journey next year and to those students starting in new schools in 2025.

Farewells: Sadly, we are farewelling Lachlan, Maggie, Mary, Siarra and Payal who are moving on to new adventures next year. We are excited to welcome Eleanor Rawson and Janet Leadbeater to the teaching team next year and to also welcome back Chelsea Halsall.

2025 Class Structures:

Reception - Room 18 - Miss Chelsea

Reception – Room 19 – Mrs Bowden

Year 1- Room 21 - Miss Kristie

Year 1 - Room 5 - Miss Yuting

Year 1/2- Room 4 - Miss Lui

Year 2/3 - Room 3 - Miss Keely

Year 2/3 – Room 2 – Miss Janet

Year 3/4 - Room 1- Mrs Kelly

Year 4/5 - Room 12 - Miss Johnson

Year 4/5 – Room 13 –Miss Rawson

Year 5/6 - Room 14 - Mr Koenig

Year 5/6 - Room 16 - Mrs Linnell

PE and Science- Mr Clarke

Healthy Body/Healthy Mind- Miss Craig

Science and Technology - Miss Mangubat

HASS/AET- Miss Keneally

Intervention- Jasmine Hart, Emma McNab and Angela Varacalli

Leadership Team: Julie Brown, Sonja Blazevic, Kristy Doolan, Katie Martin, Rachael Harron and Christina Guy.

2024 Governing Council: Thank you to our committed Governing Council members who supported the management of the school and all our fundraising this year. Without this team the school would not run, so we appreciate their commitment, and we hope that this group will continue and possibly grow in 2025!

Transition Visit: You will receive a letter with your child's report detailing which class they will be in for 2025. Students will visit their new class to support transition from 2:15 on Wednesday 11th Dec.

Year 6 Graduation: Thursday 12th Dec 5:30 - 8:30. Parents will be invited to the formal ceremony from 5:30pm and for photo opportunities afterwards. Parents will then leave their children for dinner and a disco to celebrate, and will return to pick them up at 8:30pm.

Community Assembly: The year will come to an end with our annual community assembly on Friday 13th Dec from 12:15 where we will combine celebrations and farewells with our raffle draw. Students will be dismissed from school at 1:05 this day.

Open Afternoon: We would like to see as many families and children as possible visiting classes on Friday 24th January from 2-3pm. This is a great way for your children to start transitioning back into school for 2024. School starts on Tuesday 28th of January.

Have a wonderful holiday break and we will see you in 2025!!

Kind Regards, Julie Brown- Principal



Year 5 & 6 Camp

In Week 7 our year 5 and 6 students headed to Wirraway Homestead in Strathalbyn for their two night camp. Activities included horse riding, swimming, archery, sheep herding and low ropes. All the students had a great time and were thoroughly exhausted when we arrived back at school.



Elizabeth Grove Soccer Cup

Over weeks 6, 7 and 8 students across year 4, 5 and 6 competed in the inaugural Elizabeth Grove Soccer Cup. The final was played on Wednesday 4th of December between The Greatest FC and The Grove FC. It was a fantastic game which came down to a penalty shoot-out after the recess bell had rung. The winning team was The Grove FC, Riley P, Thomas B, Joey, Osman and Daniel (fill in), Rhyle G was part of the team but didn't play in the final. The winners enjoyed a pizza party on Tuesday 10th December. They can't wait for next year!!





Congratulations to all our graduating students.

We have loved watching you learn and grow over your time here at Elizabeth Grove Primary School.

As you move on to your next chapter, we wish you all the best with meeting new friends, teachers and expanding your subject lessons.

Don't forget to come back and visit us!!

In Healthy Body, Healthy Mind, thanks to the generosity of our school community, we were able to make and donate multiple food hampers to those in need. Each hamper contained a positive message and a picture, which the students enjoyed putting together. We then had a visit from the Elizabeth South Community Centre, where Alaa from Room 1 gave a speech and the hampers were officially gifted.







