CASTLE CAMP AT ADARE HOUSE

The Reception and Year 1 students from Mrs Kelly and Ms Kwong’s Classes recently spent two nights at the Adare Castle. Perfect weather meant that the children could spend a wonderful afternoon at the beach on the first day. Dinner & a night walk with our torches were a highlight.

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ABSENCES

LATE ARRIVAL

Students who arrive at school after 8.50 must sign in the front office.

EARLY DEPARTURE

If you are picking your child up early they must be signed out through the front office.

If your child is absent, please notify the front office on 85521166, via email to the above address and or a note in their diary upon returning to school.
The next day was spent dressing as castle characters. Knights, Kings, Princesses, a Court Jester and a dragon could be seen on the gardens and steps of the castle. This was a wonderful opportunity for Dramatic Role Play. Camp activities included a nature hunt and counting the stairs and bunk beds in the castle. The night was filled with music as the children danced at their Pyjama Disco. The yummy meals, awesome leaders and fantastic children made this a wonderful first camp for our Early Years Students. Many thanks to Shane Foley (Parent) Sue Jones (Volunteer) Milly Smart (Relief Teacher) and Mark Harris (SSO) who helped us on our camp. Thankyou to all the parents who supported this wonderful experience and allowed their children to come along and share in an amazing camp. Rena Kwong & Bryher Kelly.

In Week 9, Term 3 we had our sister school, Sekolah Petra Berkat visit us from Bali, Indonesia. The visitors were hosted by the three schools of Goolwa, Port Elliot and Victor R-7 School. Students got to participate in a range of cultural activities including dance, cooking and mask making. A big thank you to our wonderful host families at Victor Harbor R-7, the Nobbs family and the Tymko family, who helped to make the visit such a huge success. A big thank you to Urimbirra also, for their support of the Indonesian program across the Fleurieu and for always making our Indonesian visitors feel welcome.

As requested, I have included a copy of the recipe below:

### Mie Goreng – Fried noodles

- 4 Instant noodles packets (no flavouring)
- 1 onion
- 4 tbsp of kecap manis (sweet soy sauce)
- 2 cloves garlic
- 2 tbsp of soy sauce
- 1 carrot
- 4 tbsp of tomato sauce
- 1/4 cabbage
- salt & pepper to taste
- 2 eggs (whisked)

Boil noodles (but leave them slightly uncooked). Pour soy, sweet soy and tomato sauce in with the noodles. Cook egg in the pan, like scrambled eggs, and then take out and set to the side. Fry onion and garlic. Then add vegetables and salt and pepper. Add noodles, fry for a few minutes and then serve. You could add meat or other vegetables to make this into a quick and inexpensive family meal.

Sharon Mann, (Indonesian Teacher)
I am the Victor Harbor Primary School ICT teacher. I’ve been at our school for just over 10 years. Before the R-7 school I worked in high schools in Victor Harbor, various Adelaide high schools and Darwin High. It was in Darwin, while teaching Physics and Middle School Science that I had the opportunity to teach in classes with computers. As a physics teacher I would teach knowledge that was over 100 years old. Now I teach things that are less than a year old. I enjoy teaching at the cutting edge of education as we prepare our children with the digital tools to become global citizens.

I haven’t always been a teacher. Leaving school in Murray Bridge I became an industrial electrician working at a local cheese manufacturing factory. Some of my tasks there were to program computers to open valves, turn on motors, heat and cool milk and a multitude of other things., this is where I learnt some of the real world uses of computers.

I think I always really wanted to become a teacher and so I left my job and went to Uni. After my university studies to become a teacher, and some globe-trotting, I settled in Middleton with my wife and two children.

I’ve really enjoyed seeing the change in computing in our school. When I started teaching specialist ICT our students had to share one computer between two students, we now enjoy a computer for every student, eight times faster internet (which is about to become even faster with the NBN) and the introduction of robotics to our classes. I am looking forward to 2016 when we will have a first ever National Australian Curriculum for Digital Technology. It proves to be an exciting time for us and we plan to branch robotics into the junior school too.

Besides teaching ICT I have coordinated the school’s volleyball team, which I have taken to Melbourne several times, I initiated the school’s weekly chess club and interschool chess and run the Robot Extension Group for students who have demonstrated talent in this area. I also enjoy our wonderful Fleurieu outdoor lifestyle of hiking, cycling, running and of course the beach.

If you have any questions about ICT and your child please come and see me as I’m always happy to talk to you.

LAP SWIMMING

Lap Swimming Monday & Thursday evenings from 6.30pm, 1/2 hour sessions. Classes recommence on 12th October 2015. For enquiries or bookings please call Linda on Ph: 0417823815

REMINDER-NO HAT NO PLAY-TERM 4

Please remind your child/ren to have their hats on whenever they are outside for an extended period of time. Our school policy dictates that a student without a broad brimmed hat (caps not allowed) will be redirected to an area under shade. If this is not followed, the student may receive a consequence for not following instructions.
COMMUNITY NOTICES

PORT ELLIOT BOWLING CLUB
5 The Cutting, Horseshoe Bay
Phone 8554 2317
-mail pebc1913@bigpond.com

ENCOURAGES YOUNGSTERS aged 8 – 15 TO ‘GET ACTIVE’ AFTER SCHOOL BY PARTICIPATING IN ‘JACK ATTACK’
LAWN BOWLS FUN FOR YOUNG PEOPLE
EVERY FRIDAY 4.15PM – 5pm
COMMENCING 6TH NOVEMBER
No cost to participants – wear flat soft soled shoes
For further information
Phone Youth Development Officer, Don Gifford 0437 826 250

Boat/Jet Ski
Marine Licence Exam Night
$35.00 seats limited - bookings essential
Opportunity to sit the exam after hours!
Victor Harbor R-7 School, The Parkway Victor Harbor
PLEASE ENTER MAIN ADMINISTRATION AREA -
Tuesday 24th November 2015
6.30pm
HELD APPROX. 5 times per year, call for the next date.
The SA Recreational boating Safety Handbook should be studied before arrival. You will be shown a power point presentation (approx 90 Minutes) by our local Marine Safety Officer then sit the exam which is marked on the night, if you pass you are then accredited and can visit the DTEI Customer Service Centre (Service SA), and convert this to a full licence. (There is a licence cost of $34.00) age 16 and above.

Cost for Presentation and Exam $35.00
Pre-booking is essential as numbers are strictly limited.
Refresher $10
(already licensed, but would like to watch the presentation)
Juniors (12-16) $15 welcome to sit the exam for special permit
- (Please ring 1300 363 805 for full details of special permit)
** YOU MUST BRING: Valid Photo ID to the Exam **
Presented as community service: Proceeds to VH R-7 School Chaplaincy programme; Chaplin Maureen Moores and the programme designed to cater for the needs of disengaged primary school students.
Teacher in charge: Liz Edwards.

Please contact Meredith on 8552 4833B/H 8554 3333A/H 0418 890 948 Anytime meredith@fcrash.com.au

SA DENTAL SERVICE
Keep your kids smiling
Dental care is FREE for most school-aged children and ALL preschool children at the School Dental Service. All babies, children and young people 0-17 years are welcome to attend.
School Dental Service clinics are open during the Christmas school holiday break.