DIARY DATES

SEPTEMBER

29th September  Spelling Bee Comp
29th September  3.10 Dismissal
30th September  Student Free Day
END TERM 3

17th October  TERM 4

2nd-4th November  Charlie & The Chocolate Performance

BELL TIMES

DAILY ROUTINES

8.30  Allowed on grounds
8.50  School Day Begins
8.50-10.40  Morning Session
10.40-11.00  Recess/Play time
11.00-12.40  Middle Session
12.40-12.50  Eating Time
12.50-1.30  Play time
1.30-3.10  Afternoon Session
3.10  School Day Ends

ABSENCES

LATE ARRIVAL

EARLY DEPARTURE

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

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 web address and or a note in their diary upon returning to school.

Does anyone know the most famous book written and illustrated by May Gibbs? Snugglepot and Cuddlepie, of course! Since it was published in 1918, Snugglepot and Cuddlepie has never been out of print, which just goes to show how much people love the characters.

The May Gibbs Children’s Literature Trust supports the work of people who write and or illustrate for children.

Our most recent May Gibbs Children’s Literature Trust Fellow was author Yvette Poshoglian. Yvette is from Sydney and has been a book-seller, a journalist, a teacher and a writer.

I am sure many families from Reception to Year 3 three have shared one or more of Yvette’s books from the Ella and Olivia series. She certainly has inspired the students not only to read but encouraged them to be creative and write stories. Frankie Fox, Girl Spy series and Escape from Cockatoo Island have all been in high demand since her visit.
BLUE 10 Foot/Smart camp comments.

Best overall summary……..
Day 1- Today we got to camp and unpacked our stuff. After a while we did our first activity which was bridge building- this required a lot of team work. The other activity was the giant swing which was kind of scary by mainly AWESOME. Kelsey
Day 2-Today was very fun. We had 5 activities. They were all so much fun. First we had archery, then low ropes, bouldering wall, treasure hunt and finally raft making. At night we had a fire and a talent show. Amelie
Day 3- We did the flying fox and a Lava team game. We did the flying fox with Mornay. Monique.

The scariest happening on camp was…
At night getting to sleep with other people trying to scare you! Amelie..
Jumping off of the platform for the gigantic flying fox. It was freaky. Ciara.

The most dangerous moment was...
When we let go on the giant swing. Ciara
Archery. Olivia

The most exhausting moment was …
Climbing the bouldering wall. Monique.
The bouldering wall. Kelsey..

The funniest happening on camp was …
When Charlotte, Ashlee, Kayla and I were having a sing off in our dorm. Ciara.
When we were at the Talent Show, Jake and Charlie were dabbing and pretending to be professionals. Olivia.
Ashlyn at night. Shayla

The biggest challenge on camp was …
Doing the initiative pursuits. Kelsey.
Getting to sleep because I was excited about what we would be doing the next day. Olivia.

The most embarrassing moment on camp
Was waking up in the morning because we stayed up late. Olivia.
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Please note if any of your child’s medical information changes it is important that you let the class teacher or the front office know ASAP.

**ICAS COMPETITIONS**

**SPELLING**

Fergus: Distinction

Isaac: Distinction

Olivia: Participation

Congratulations to these students!

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**WEBSITE**

**HAVE YOU VISITED OUR WEBSITE LATELY?**

[www.victorr7.sa.edu.au](http://www.victorr7.sa.edu.au)

Did you know you can report your child absent by using the links on our website home page? Also on the home page you will find the current canteen price list and menu and the most recent newsletter. Keep up to date with school events by clicking on Diary Dates or have a look through our photo galleries and enjoy some of the experiences offered to our students. Have something to say? You can use the Feedback/Complaints link on the home page or you can e-mail anyone in our leadership team directly by using the leadership section of the website. All the current information regarding the new middle school building progress is also available. Please enjoy our exciting website as we hope it is another opportunity for you to feel a part of our school community.

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**SRC EVENT**

**DATE:** 29th September  
**TIME:** 12.50-1.30 – LUNCHTIME  
**PLACE:** VHR-7 CANTEEN SHELTER

Auditions have been ongoing through the week and the finalists will have a ‘spell off’. Winners will be announced in our next newsletter!

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Come and try KARATE lessons in your area.

Family focuses on martial arts.

*Thursday 6:30 until 7:30 at Encounter Lutheran school gym with Matt and Dee Legg (senior instructors)  
Ph: 0413 629 993 or 0405 656 752  
www.nationalkarate.com.au*
SWIMMING LESSONS

It’s time to register your children for swimming for term 4 2016

The swimming program runs during term time, Monday - Thursday evenings starting from 3:45pm.
The program is designed to teach water safety and stroke technique to children starting school through to the advanced swimmer.
All the instructors are trained and are Austswim Accredited.

Bookings are made on a term by term basis.

For more information on:
- After School Swimming lessons
- Adult Lap swimming
- Adult learn to swim classes

Contact – Teresa King 0429 840 944

December 2016 & January 2017
Programs at over 130 pool & beach locations
Book online at vacswimsa.com.au

TOZER TENNIS

Tozer Tennis Academy (TTA) is a new tennis coaching business based in Victor Harbor. Tennis lessons for children aged 4-12 years are available on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday afternoons after school at the Victor Harbor Tennis Club. Lessons are for 45 minutes and times are available from 3-6pm. Saturday morning time slots are also available. Racquets are supplied if needed.

FREE T-SHIRT WITH REGISTRATION
www.tozertennis.com.au Facebook/Tozer Tennis Academy

Holiday clinics are being run these coming holidays
Monday-Friday 9am-12noon
Please call Sam Tozer on 0431 921 082 with any questions
Free come and try day Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd October/ Limited spots

VAC SWIM

Tickets for Charlie & The Chocolate Factory Performances are now on sale from the front office.

When: 3rd & 4th of November
Where: Victor Harbor Town Hall
Time: 7pm
Cost: $5.00 per ticket

CHARLIE & THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY

Back Valley Tennis Club – Wednesdays from 4pm starting term 4 – ages 3 and up – call Kerryn on 0427545336

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