



Newsletter

4 June 2025, Term 2, Week 6



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Families and Community,

It is hard to believe we are over halfway through the term. This term has been a busy one and we are very excited to see the start of our Kurna Language Trial. We were very fortunate to be one of only 10 schools who were invited to participate.

Research shows that students benefit greatly from learning Languages and the three classes (and the Preschool) who are involved in learning Kurna Language are really excited to be part of this trial and are enjoying sharing their learning. Our ACEO (Aboriginal Community Education Officer) Vicki is our Kurna Language Educator and is supported by the class teachers. The classes that are involved are: Room 11, Room 10, Room 9 and the Preschool.

If you have children in these classes, please ask them about the Kurna Language they are learning. Hopefully everyone will start hearing some Kurna language being used around our school.

JUST A REMINDER - We are moving into Coughs and Colds season. Can everyone please remember to keep children at home if they are unwell. This will help stop the spread of colds and flus and ensure that students are healthy and at school being the best learners they can be.

Thank you. Have a wonderful weekend

Denise Squire, Principal

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Diary Dates

Friday 6 June
PUPIL FREE DAY

Monday 9 June
PUBLIC HOLIDAY
KING'S BIRTHDAY

Friday 13 June
SAPSASA Boys Football

Tuesday 17 June
Governing Council
Meeting at 7pm

Friday 27 June
SAPSASA Girls Football

Friday 4 July
Last day of Term 2
Early dismissal at 2pm

OUR VALUES IN ACTION

This year we want to recognise students, staff and families who are demonstrating our school values and celebrate how this contributes to our school being a positive place to learn, grow and achieve.



Last week Room 9 were brave and got up at Monday Meeting to share the Kaurua language greeting song they have been learning with Ms Vicki.



We are so proud of the individual contributions each student has made towards our Reconciliation Week display in the library.



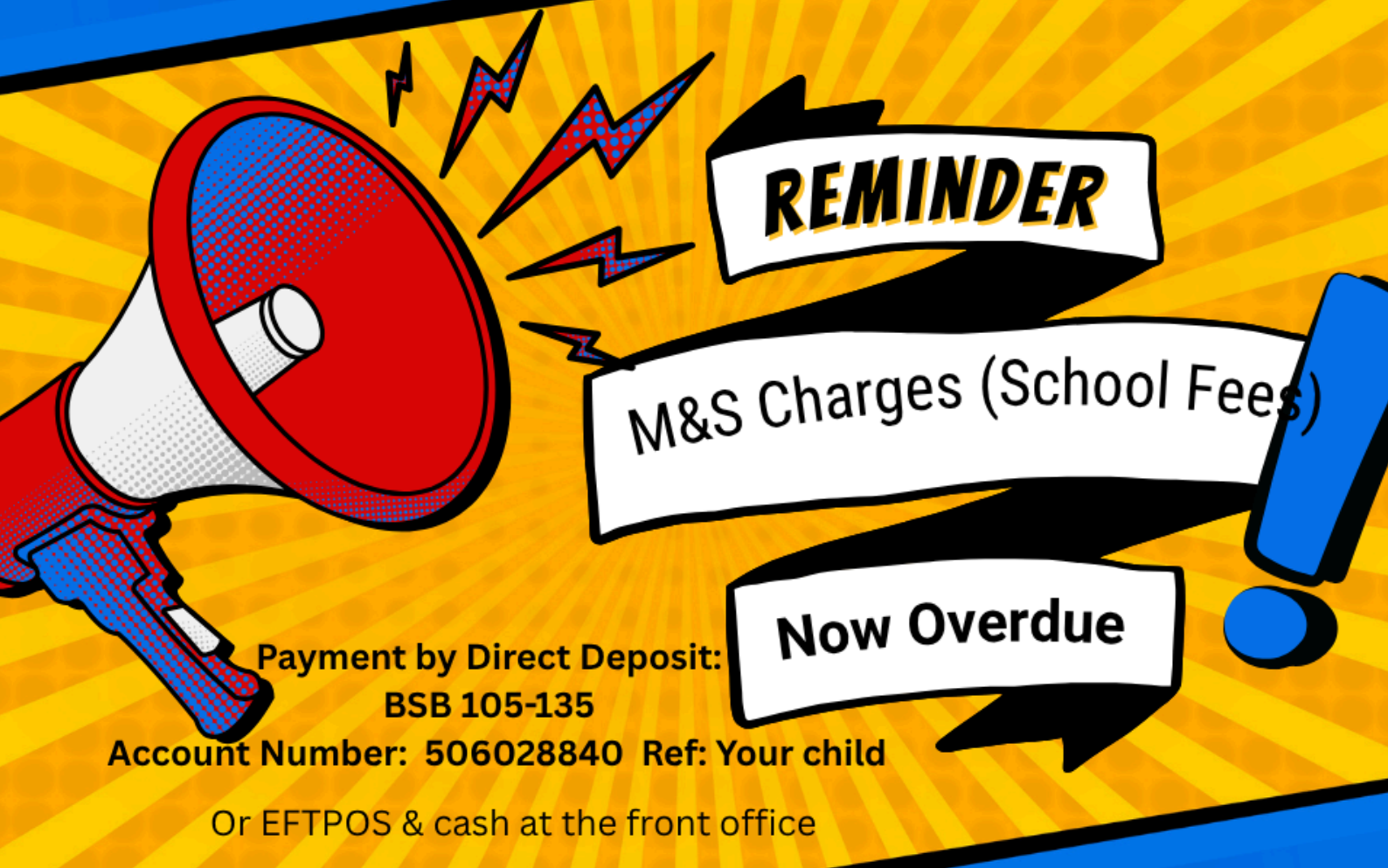
We would like to thank our Parent Club for running our first second hand uniform pop up. It was a great success and greatly appreciated by our school community.

Room 2 - week 5

Apple picking

Room 2 went apple picking with Miss Kirsty in the school garden and got to taste the fruits of our labour. We were joined by Mr. J, a student teacher, who spent some time with us during the day. These were fresh, organic apples grown at school. To quote most of the students: "This is the best apples I have ever tasted!!"





REMINDER

M&S Charges (School Fees)

Now Overdue

Payment by Direct Deposit:
BSB 105-135
Account Number: 506028840 Ref: Your child

Or EFTPOS & cash at the front office



**PUPIL FREE DAY
REMINDER!**

**FRIDAY 6TH
JUNE**



Monday 9th June
King's Birthday
PUBLIC HOLIDAY

PUBLIC EDUCATION AWARDS 2025



NOMINATIONS OPEN 1 TO 30 JUNE

Nominate an amazing team, colleague or yourself today
education.sa.gov.au/awards

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JULY 2025



Languages Alive! is a program of engaging and interactive language and cultural experiences for R-6 students.

Delivered by highly proficient speakers of the relevant language, the program will run during the July school holidays in metropolitan and country locations.

Workshops will explore a range of languages including: Chinese, Croatian, French, German, Hindi, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Nepali, Punjabi & Spanish.



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WHO:

Reception to Year 6 students

WHERE / WHEN:

School of Languages: Tues 8 & Wed 9

Pilgrim School: Thurs 10

Reynella East College: Fri 11

Mitcham Primary School: Mon 14

Port Lincoln Primary School: Tues 15

Tumby Bay Area School: Wed 16

COST:

\$10 per day

FREE for School card/Healthcare card holders

Languages Alive!

JULY 2025 PROGRAM



WHEN	WHERE	LANGUAGES OFFERED
TUESDAY 8 JULY WEDNESDAY 9 JULY 9:30am (registration) 9:45am – 3:15pm	SCHOOL OF LANGUAGES 255 Torrens Road WEST CROYDON SA 5008	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• CHINESE• NEPALI• PUNJABI• FRENCH• HINDI• INDONESIAN
THURSDAY 10 JULY 9:30am (registration) 9:45am – 3:15pm	PILGRIM SCHOOL 2 Campus Drive ABERFOYLE PARK SA 5159	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• CROATIAN• ITALIAN• NEPALI
FRIDAY 11 JULY 9:30am (registration) 9:45am – 3:15pm	REYNELLA EAST COLLEGE 63 Malbeck Drive REYNELLA EAST SA 5161	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• FRENCH• ITALIAN• JAPANESE
MONDAY 14 JULY 9:30am (registration) 9:45am – 3:15pm	MITCHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL 20A Hillview Road KINGSWOOD SA 5062	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• INDONESIAN• NEPALI• SPANISH
TUESDAY 15 JULY WEDNESDAY 16 JULY 9:30am (registration) 9:45am – 3:15pm	TUESDAY PORT LINCOLN PRIMARY SCHOOL Lincoln Place, Port Lincoln SA 5606 WEDNESDAY TUMBY BAY AREA SCHOOL West Terrace, Tumby Bay SA 5605	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• CROATIAN• CHINESE• GERMAN• HINDI• ITALIAN• JAPANESE

National Pharmacies Christmas Pageant

Mini Float Competition

It's time to get creative and express 'What Christmas Means to Me'
by taking part and designing a Mini Float that could be built by our elves
for the 2025 National Pharmacies Christmas Pageant!

Entries close on Friday 27 June 2025.

For more information head to christmaspageant.com.au



2024 Mini Float Winner



Entries open!