

# Campus Newsletter



The Newsletter of the Aberfoyle Park Primary School Campus - Term 4 vol.1, 2013

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### Sports Day Wrap Up

Sports Day 2013 has been run and won, with all feedback indicating that the students involved had a great day on the ovals and the COLA on Friday 1st November. Thanks to all of the parents who came to cheer on and encourage their children and to all of the staff, volunteers and organisers for making the day run smoothly. A new championship house has been honored for 2013 with **Eyre** winning the Championship Shield and **Flinders** taking out the Team Spirit Shield for 2013. Congratulations to both houses!

At this stage it looks like **Sports Day** will be moved to Term 1 in 2014. The weather will still be great and having it earlier in the year will assist in student's preparation for inter-school sports carnivals & SAPSASA carnivals, also held in Term 1.

### Campus Green Day

For the first time, this year **Green Day** was held Campus-wide, with all three schools participating in environmental activities.



Clean up crew



Barrow brigade



These included establishing a small Japanese garden, new veggie beds at Pilgrim and recycled novelties for sale!

### Ladies Shopping Night



The *Campus Ladies Shopping Night* was recently held in the Campus Gym and those who attended were treated to a fun night of retail therapy from 25 special stores, fashion parades and fantastic prizes. Congrats to the winner of the door prize, Mary Davey and to the many other women who took home raffle prizes on the night. Besides a complimentary bevvy, each shopper received a goodie bag and access to some special offers and discounts from the traders there.



Fashion Parade



Thanks also to some assistance from the Hub Fruit Bowl, Professional Tanning Studio, our lovely catwalk models and Crossroads Fashions for putting on the parade. Special thanks to Lisa James, Sylvia Maso, Wendy & John van Loggem for helping to organise and assisting on the night.

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## “Campus Kids” Play Cafe

The *Campus Kids* Play Cafe is open every Tuesday & Friday from 9.30am to 1.30pm during school terms in the Geoff Simpson Hall. The final Play Cafe for 2013 will be Tuesday 10th December. The *Play2Learn* Play Group is also in the same location every Wednesday from 9am to 10.30am with Kristy Baldock. The final Play Group for 2013 will be Wednesday 11th December.



*Campus Kids* Play Cafe is also looking for eager volunteers to assist each Tuesday and Friday. If you are interested, please contact Philip on Mon/Tues or Fri at Campus on 8270 3077.

## Performing Arts Night

This year's Performing Arts Night at the PAC was a huge success with the singing, dancing and musical talents of Campus students again on display. Both the evening and matinee sessions were well attended with a sausage sizzle available at the evening session, creating a great family night.



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## Committee Members Wanted

With the 2014 Campus Fair looming, volunteer committee members are needed to help make it happen. Fairs don't organise themselves and many of the other Campus-wide programs can only operate with support from parent volunteers also. Library, Canteen, Play Cafe, community events, etc. all need the assistance of parents to help out. If you can give some of your time to help in any of these areas, please call Philip at the Campus Office, 8270 3077. Without support these programs and events cannot run. Please help if you can.



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## Campus Card Update

Two new businesses have joined the Campus Card, offering Campus families even more discounts on products and services. They are **Coffee to Inspire** and **Garden Pallets**. Also note that due to the closure of the Flagstaff Hill shop, **Superior Meats** can only offer their 10% off discount from the Southgate Plaza shop.

## Goodbye Mr. Hicks

At the end of Term 2 the Campus said “goodbye” to groundsman of 27 years Paul Hicks, as he left Campus for retirement. Students and staff honored Paul with a special Campus Assembly where SLTs presented him with his own miniature gator and immortalised the grounds shed with his name.



There was even a special performance from students who had perfected their cup & clap song, which Paul had admired earlier in the year when he had seen them rehearsing. We wish Paul all the best with the next phase of his life & thank him for his hard work over the years.



## DVDs Still Available

If you've missed out on securing your DVD copy of the following Campus events throughout the year, there are still copies available, so contact Philip at the Campus Office for yours.

Titles include: **Performing Arts Night**, **Nativity Grandparents Day**, **Pilgrim Musical Go Down Mo!** or **Campus Instrumental Music Night**.

## Pedal Prix Results

Campus Pedal Prix finished on a high at Murray Bridge in the 24 hour race back in late September. The Old Scholars Team took out the overall Category 2 Series Championship 2013 and were the only Category 2 team to finish in the overall top 20 out of 256! The primary school team finished 8th in a race of 80 trikes in Category 1 and 9th overall for the championship year. Well done to the current Year 6 & 7 students involved.



If you are going to be in Year 6 or 7 in 2014, then perhaps you should come and try Pedal Prix on Friday 15th November between 6.30-7.30pm on

the Nativity car park. It's great fun! Contact Ali Sellick for more info on 0416 175 252 or check out the Campus Pedal Prix website at: [www.campuspedalprix.com.au](http://www.campuspedalprix.com.au)



## Kids Gymnastics at the Hub



Aberfoyle Park "Hub" Recreation Centre, 100 Taylors Road is under new management and they're offering a 10 visit \$50 Sports Pass. You can *come & try* every week day from 4-5pm.

Mondays - Junior Soccer, Tuesdays - Junior Netball, Wednesdays - Dance, Thursdays - Gymnastics & Junior Soccer, Fridays - Parkore. Available from November 11th.

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## Streetscape



Not even a shower or two of rain could deter the 50-60 volunteers who came along to assist the Streetscape/Church in the Streets initiative recently to beautify Campus Drive. Residents, Campus staff & parents and members of the Seeds Uniting Church all pitched in for 3 hours on Sunday 13th October to spread soil/mulch, plant seedlings, clean streets and pave pathways. The activities took in the length of Campus Drive, the Campus car park, the Sustainability Garden and an area near the oval's sheds. The workers were rewarded with a free BBQ and kids activities at Seeds afterwards. A big thanks to all who helped out, Seeds Aberfoyle, the residents involved and the Onkaparinga City Council for funding the project.



## Club Kid'preneur



SLTs recently held a mini-market to sell assorted items as part of *Business in a Back Pack*. The \$50 challenge gave them products hoping to make a business profit.

