



Port Augusta Special School

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ISSUE 4

MARCH

DATES TO REMEMBER

**30 MARCH -
GOOD FRIDAY
(SCHOOL CLOSED)**

**2 APRIL -
EASTER MONDAY
(SCHOOL CLOSED)**

**6 APRIL -
SPORTS DAY**

**12 APRIL -
ASSEMBLY 9.30AM**

**13 APRIL -
END OF TERM 1**

Tour & Cuppa

Mornings

Every Tuesday @ 9am



From the Principal

Special Olympics Torch Run

This year the Special Olympics National Games will be held in Adelaide commencing on 16th April. Preceding the games there will be a Law Enforcement Torch run that will be in Port Augusta on **Tuesday 10th April**, arriving at **Gladstone Square at 1.45pm** followed by a cauldron lighting ceremony and speeches.

The Law Enforcement Torch Run is the biggest grass roots supporter of the Special Olympics movement. SPECIAL OLYMPICS is a worldwide organisation supporting athletes with intellectual disabilities, both young and old.

Our school has been invited to attend Gladstone Square for this special event.

SRC

The SRC has been busy this term. The group decided to introduce themselves to the school through a whole school pancake morning tea. The SRC decided to include a basketball game as part of our Harmony Day celebrations and organised times, players and umpires.

Assembly

Many family members attended our last assembly which included introducing the SRC members. Kelly Falcione, speech pathologist, presented the SRC members with their certificates. Room 2 hosted the assembly and included many visual supports via PowerPoint.

Sarah

PRINCIPAL

HARMONY DAY

HARMONY DAY was celebrated at our school on **Tuesday 20 March**. Harmony Day celebrates tolerance of all people no matter what their differences. Staff and students were encouraged to wear international costumes or wear orange, as this is the colour representing harmony. There was a parade during the day on the bike track and shared international foods at recess and lunch. SRC organised a students' basketball match and the Aboriginal Education team organised the making of a school banner. Everybody had an enjoyable day celebrating.

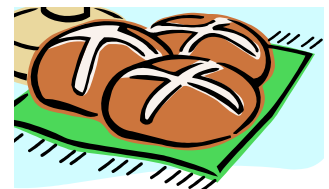
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DEPUTY PRINCIPAL



START COLLECTING

Don't forget to collect your vouchers when you shop at Coles and bring them into the Front Office and place them into the collection bins.



Materials & Services Charges

Materials & Services charges are now due. Families needing a "school card application" form can collect one from the front office.

It would be appreciated if payments can be made ASAP.

Do you know that you can direct deposit into the school account? If interested in this easy option please contact the school.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL



OUR NEW SRC MEMBERS



ADELAIDE 500



A GREAT DAY WAS HAD BY ALL



Season Starts
Tuesday 1st May
Central Oval Complex
6pm Juniors
7pm Seniors

Further details
Facebook: Inclusive Basketball Port Augusta
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