From the principal

Grounds Update

Work will recommence on the grounds development over the April school holidays. We need to remove a large amount of soil and refill it before continuing with the original landscaping designs. I know this has been frustrating and the children have had to compromise with the blocking off of some of the yard areas but it was, unfortunately, unavoidable. Due to trucks moving across the yard we have delayed the process until the school holidays to minimise any risk. For those families that use Vacation Care you will need to enter the site from the back gate leading to south terrace or the western gate near the second car park. We envisage the soil removal process will take 4 to 6 days over the break. We apologise for any inconvenience during this time.

Deb O’Neill

AGM

This year we are combining the AGM with a family get together. A note of attendance for the BBQ was sent home this week so if you intend coming for the sausage sizzle and haven’t received a note please see Rod in the front office. Nominations are also open for School Council positions. Being a member of School Council is a rewarding experience and a great way to be involved in what is happening in the school and contributing to decisions being made for the school.

Deb O’Neill

Annual General Meeting

MONDAY 21st MARCH 2016
5.30 pm - 7.00 pm

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5:30 - 6.15
FAMILY SAUSAGE SIZZLE
6.15 - 7.00
AGM
PRESENTATION OF ANNUAL REPORT
SCHOOL COUNCIL
NOMINATIONS/ELECTIONS

WEST ADELAIDE WOMEN’S SOCCER TEAMS
are looking for junior girls U11 to U13 to play club soccer in 2016. Trainings are Tuesday or Thursday nights at Park B27 Park Terrace, North Adelaide (opposite the old Clipsal site)

NO COST INVOLVED TO PLAYERS

Games are played Sunday Mornings. Come out and have a go and bring your friends. Beginners very welcome.

For more details and information contact Leon on 0409700354 email; lappelkamp@gmail.com or Nick on 0402965860 email; nmylo@yahoo.com.au
Pokemon & Yu-Gi-Oh

Pokemon and Yu-gi-Oh cards are causing some issues with students during recess and lunch. We would like to request that swap cards of this nature are left at home for the remainder of Term 1. Thank you for your cooperation.

Festival of Music 2016

Do you like to SING, DANCE or ACT?
Are you in Year 6/7? Do you want to try something new and challenging?
Then the Festival of Music PERFORMANCE TROUPE is for you!


Weekly Rehearsals are held at 3 locations: 4.15-5.45pm
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Ask Mr. Aquilina more information or Check out our website: www.festivalofmusic.org.au or call the Festival Office on 8261 5438 for more information.

SCHOOL COUNCIL
NEEDS YOU!!

SCHOOL COUNCIL
NOMINATION FORM
2016/2017

I _______________________

wish to nominate as a member of Gilles Street Primary School Council for the 2016/2017 years (most council members serve for a 2 year period, however those wishing to only serve 1 year are welcome to nominate)

Or

I do not wish to nominate for school council but would like to assist at other times during the year

Name_____________________________

Best Contact Phone Number_________________

Email address_____________________________

Child/ Childrens’ names and class/es
_____________________________________
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SAPSASA Cricket

On the 29th of February our year 6/7s participated in SAPSASA cricket. We played against East Torrens Primary School. We all tried our best to win the game but unfortunately we lost by about 30 runs. Everyone played amazingly even though some of us had never played cricket before. We would like to thank the parents for taking us and for helping out. We would also like to thank Mr Tucker for organizing, umpiring and coaching as we couldn’t have done it without him.

Children are Stinky - Performance Review

Children are Stinky is a hilarious Fringe show for all ages. Stinky Children is about Jason and Kylie, two adults who think kids are scaredy cats, lazy, uncoordinated, bad spellers and of course STINKY! Throughout the show the audience would come on to the stage and prove Jason and Kylie wrong with challenges, bravery tests and much more. It was a great show that filled the audience with laughter and fun. I would give them four and a half stars out of five.

By Saskia Room 11

Which High School?

URRBRAE AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL: Providing unique opportunities for learners and future innovators. URRBRAE COULD BE THE SCHOOL FOR YOU

To find out what Urrbrae has to offer, come along to one of our Information Sessions on Tuesday 22nd March, 2016 - Meeting at the Farm Shed. Two hour visits to the school will include:

Information about the Application Process, Farm Tour and School Tour

The Open Day Program runs from:

9.30-11.30am and will be repeated at 1.00-3.00pm and again at 6.00-8.00pm

Applications for Year 8 2017 will close at 5.00pm Wednesday 4th May 2016

Collect a brochure from your School Office for more details.

E-mail: dl.0798_admin@schools.sa.edu.au 505 Fullarton Road, Netherby SA 5062
Website: www.urrbraehs.sa.edu.au Telephone: (08) 8372 6955 Facsimile: (08) 8372 6999
GILLES STREET PRIMARY SCHOOL VACATION CARE PROGRAM

April 2016
VENUE: RECREATION CENTRE
Gilles Street Primary School
91 Gilles Street, Adelaide SA 5000

8227 1746
OPENING HOURS 8 AM – 6 PM
COST: $51.00 per day per child
(Excursions included)
For more information contact OSHC Director
CHILD CARE BENEFIT IS AVAILABLE TO MOST FAMILIES
BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL

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Don’t forget Lunch, Morning & Afternoon tea every day!
(All food and drink must be provided by the parents)

THIS PROGRAM IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND WE ENCOURAGE ANY LEARNING AND FUN OPPORTUNITY

PLEASE BE AT THE CENTRE BY 9.00AM ON ALL EXCURSION DAYS
(we cannot wait for children arriving late)

LAST DAY FOR BOOKING: Tuesday 5th April 2016 WITHOUT EXCEPTION
(unless booked out prior to this date).
All bookings are final after the closing date and no cancellations will be accepted.
Bookings not paid for and confirmed by the closing date will be cancelled

For more information on Vacation Care daily routines and expectations please go to http://www.gillesstps.sa.edu.au/OSHC