

SALTIA SCENE

NEWSLETTER

Term 4 Week 3 31/10/06

From the Principal,
Well only a week to go before we perform the Wizard of Oz for you. Can you believe we have less than a hundred tickets left? This is great, so if you want to come along and see what the students have been working on for the year you better get in quickly. It is not only the learning of lines but also the making of all the props. It is so wonderful to see so many students involved. Look forward to seeing you there on the 8th November.

Next Monday and Wednesday the performers and backstage crew will be at the Lea Theatre all day, we however need to get them there. If you can help transport to and from the theatre on any of these days please let the front office know.

We are all very excited as Colleen Langdon has just informed us she and her husband Michael are expecting their first child next year. Congratulations and all the very best.

Last Friday we hosted the Super 8 Cricket Carnival for both boys and girls. It was great to see so many students actively involved. At the end of the day SNPS had both trophies so congratulations to all who played and represented SNPS.

Also last Friday we were hosts to 10 teachers from England. They were on a study tour of education in Australia. After visiting a number of schools in the metropolitan area they came to Pt Augusta. They were very impressed with SNPS especially the way the students responded to their questions and their

willingness to talk to them as well as our wonderful grounds. They also commented on the 'feel' of SNPS. They noticed how well everyone got on, and their enthusiasm.

FOR SALE

1999 Yamaha XY 125 \$3000

ring 0412100019

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Dates to Remember

6th Nov - Whole day Wizard of Oz rehearsal

6th Nov - Governing Council

8th Nov - Wizard of Oz Performance

8th Nov - Swimming money due

9th Nov - Whole school assembly

13th Nov - Swimming

Wizard of Oz - News

*Programs - Will be available for the performance. The program will include photos of our year, interesting tips and info about our play, the itinerary for the evening, who did what..... You must pre-order and send money (\$3 each program) to school by **Monday 6th November**. The programs will be sent home with your child on Tuesday 7th November.*

There are still quite a few families with children in the actual play, who haven't been in to purchase tickets. Please do so at your earliest opportunity as we would hate to see you miss out.

Tickets are now available to any JP Family who would like to come along and watch our performance.

There is now no limit to how many tickets people can buy. If we sell out - you miss out!!! (\$4.50 each)

Cheryl West - Director

Library News:

There are 94 missing books!!! Could you please help your child look for their 'lost' book or send a note to the school to let us know that it is lost? Many thanks, Lesley & Julie

Kindy News:- When was the last time you had a professional family portrait taken? Please collect an order form from the SNPS front office, or ring the kindy on 86436205 for more information. The portraits will be taken on **Sunday 26th November.**

Kindy Important Dates

2nd Nov - Kindy Governing Council
26th Nov - Family Portraits
9th Dec - Monster Garage Sale
12th Dec - Morning & Twilight Kindy
14th Dec - NO Kindy

Are you looking for part-time work?

A cleaner is required for the Stirling North Primary School. A police clearance is a must. 3.30pm to 6.00pm 5 days per week. Award rates. Phone Angelo on 0434075489

SA Water VACSWIM program will be held between the 8th – 18th January 2007. Enrolment costs are \$17.50 per child for 9 forty minute lessons. For families enrolling more than four children, the fifth and sixth child do NOT pay the enrolment fee. Enrolment Booklets are available from swimming centres and online. We also have a few VACSWIM forms in the front office.

DROUGHT HOTLINE ~ phone 180 2020

www.service.sa.gov.au/drought.asp

For access to drought related information - including support services, local rural financial counsellors, information on Centrelink payments and services, maintaining land condition, or managing stock and crops in dry times.

For your information - is it okay to smoke when I have the kids in the car if I open the windows?

A. No. In fact, the British Medical Journal found even second-hand smoke may cause diabetes in others. In the study, smoke raised the risk of glucose intolerance - the main precursor to diabetes - by more than 40 %. Keep in mind that every cigarette contains a lethal cocktail of 400 cocktails. Cigarettes contain:

Acetone - used in paint stripper and nail polish remover

Carbon monoxide - a poisonous gas emitted from car exhausts

Ammonia - used in toilet, floor and window cleaners

Nicotine - a pesticide

Butane - a form of lighter fuel

Arsenic - a poison for white ants

Hydrogen cyanide - a poison used in the gas chamber

Methanol - a rocket fuel.

So, remember this when and where you choose to smoke.



Adelaide Christmas Pageant

Are you interested in going to the Adelaide Christmas Pageant? (Sat 4th Nov) SNPS have been given a spot again this year. If you would like to attend, please see Meredith Sutton and she will give you further details and a map.



Just a reminder that Subway lunch orders need to be returned to the office by Friday 3rd Nov, this week.
Thankyou, Linda Murray