



Respect - Honesty - Responsibility



## Some of our Greek learning this term!

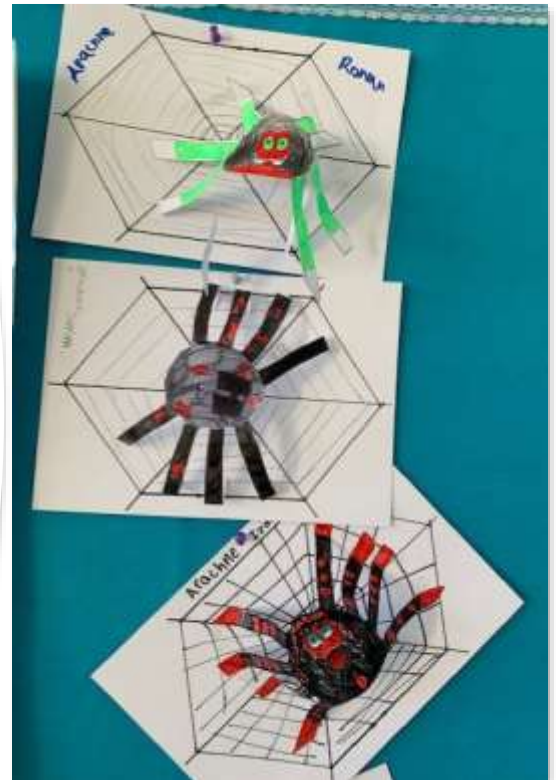


The Weather: Did you know that the Greek and English word for Umbrella sounds the same? :)

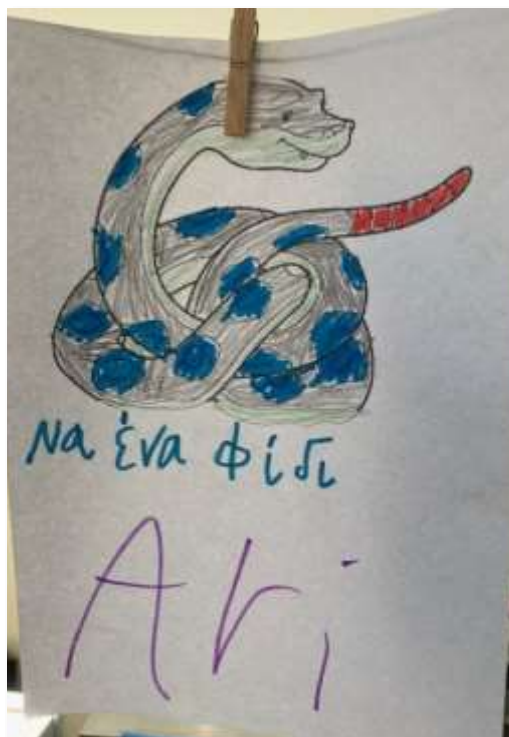
DID YOU KNOW?

The etymology of the word "NEWS" comes from the initials

N(orth)  
E(ast)  
W(est)  
S(outh)



The story of "Arachne"  
Arachne is the Greek word for Spider



Learning to form and read sentences like

"Here is a Snake"  
"Here is a Cheetah"



Mrs Tzanavaras



# From the Principal

**Dear Parents and Friends of Renmark West,**

## *School Closure and Pupil Free Day Term 4*

The Governing Council has approved a Pupil Free Day on 21<sup>st</sup> of October which is Monday of week 2. On this day staff will be involved in reviewing our School Improvement Plan and redefining our strategies in preparation for 2020.

A school closure has also been confirmed for Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> of December which is the day after our school concert. On this day there will be no staff at school.

## *NAPLAN Results*



The NAPLAN results have arrived at school and will be sent home in a sealed envelope later this week. If you have any questions about the results please feel free to make an appointment to discuss them.

## *Transition to School Meetings*

We have been holding transition to school meetings for preschool parents in preparation for the transition visits next term.

Brittany Williams will be hosting the visits and her students will have alternative arrangements during the visits.

Our Year 6 students will be acting as buddies for the preschool children and assisting them in feeling comfortable at school.

## *Enterprise Day*

On Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September our Year 6/7 students will be hosting Enterprise Day.

During this term they have developed a business proposal and will be selling food items during lunchtime on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> of September.

A list of the food that is available and prices is included with this newsletter.

Students may bring up to \$10 to spend on this day. Half of the profit from the day will go towards a charity identified by the Year 6/7 students.

## *Magpies Swooping*

Over the past two weeks we have had a lot of trouble with swooping magpies who are nested in our trees.

By the time we return from holidays they should have finished nesting and be much calmer. In the



meantime the back half of the oval has been closed. Many of our classes have designed magpie helmets as part of design technology. These were paraded at assembly today



## *Spring Fair*

Spring Fair is fast approaching and the committee have been very busy preparing for this event.

Thank you to the parents who have donated items for the class baskets.

Please make sure that you keep Friday the 1<sup>st</sup> November free and attend this important fundraiser.

## *Sports Day*

Due to the weather forecast for Thursday Sports Day has been cancelled. All students are expected at school as normal. Subway lunches will be delivered to the school tomorrow at 1.00 pm so we can have a whole school lunch on the COLA. Parents and siblings who have ordererd are most welcome to join us. If you are unable to attend please request your refund directly with Subway. Sports Day will now be held next Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September at the school.

## *Parent Surveys*

Thank you to all of the families who have returned the survey that we distributed last week. If you have not completed the survey please do so and return it to school. If you prefer you can complete it online. The web address is on the front of the survey. This information assists us in determining improvement strategies for 2020.

## *Last Day of Term*

Next Friday is the last day of term 3. School will finish at 2.05 pm. The last day is a casual clothes day and students are welcome to come to school in casual dress.



# SAPSASA NEWS



## Hockey Carnival

Hockey Carnival Adelaide 9-11<sup>th</sup> September.

Sincere apologies to Matthew and Tayte as it was incorrectly stated in the last newsletter that they were attending the Soccer Carnival in Adelaide **AND** most sincere apologies to Kaela and Chelsea who were omitted completely. They were both members of the Riverland Girl's Hockey team also competing in Adelaide.

## T-20 Cricket Carnival

The T20 Blast cricket carnival unfortunately has been cancelled for this Friday due to the weather. It has been re-scheduled for Term 1 next year.

SAPSASA Coordinators

*Georgia Tzanavaras*

*Liz Pendle*

## Second Hand Sports Day Tops



Sports Day is now on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September. Second hand sports tops are available from the Front Office for a cold coin donation.

## Sports Day Stall Donations

Anyone who offered to donate baked goods for the Sports Day Stall please bring them in on Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> September. Please let Clair know as soon as possible if you are unable to donate.

Thank you



## Certificates

Term 3 Week 9



Back Row: Tiarna, Cameron, Teleah, Ritika  
Middle Row: Braxton, Eric, Breeanna, Willow  
Front Row: Brooke, Kali, Lily  
Absent: Gurveer



## Sports Day

It was with great regret that the Committee had to make the decision to cancel Sports Day this week. Based on information from the Weather Bureau of dangerous and high winds and for the safety of the students, staff and community of the school we cancelled this event.

Unfortunately the High School Oval is unavailable next Thursday and ideally we would prefer to have it there. Taking into consideration that next term is extremely busy with the Spring Fair event, school camps for three classes, concert preparation, Year 7 transition, Pre-school transition and delivering the curriculum, as you can appreciate to have Sports Day at the High School would be quite difficult to organise and fit in Term Four.

We will be running Sports Day at Renmark West Primary on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September, Week 10. The program will run as normal without discus. Programs will be sent home early next week.

*Thank you for your support and understanding*

# Community Notes & Info

## DIARY DATES

### Term 3

**Week 9** 16 - 20 September  
Friday T-20 Blast Cricket Berri

**Week 10** 23 - 27 September  
Thursday Sports Day  
Wednesday Enterprise Day  
Friday **Last Day of Term 3 -  
Early Finish 2 05 pm**

### Term 4

**Week 3** 28 October - 1 November  
Friday Spring Fair  
Renmark Hub Band  
**Week 4** 4 - 8 November  
Monday-Friday Cricket/Tennis Carnival Adel  
Wednesday-Friday Year 6/7 Camp

## RSS FASHION PARADE



**Thurs 19th September**

**Berri Hotel - 6:45pm**

**TICKETS are now available  
for purchase from our front office.**

**ADULTS: \$10 CHILD (5-15) - \$7**  
Family of 5—(2 adults, 3 children U15) \$35  
Family of 4—(2 adults, 2 children U15) \$30

## Riverland Baseball

Season 2019-20

### NEW JUNIOR COMPETITION

No Experience  
Necessary

All Equipment  
Provided



Season Starts  
19th October

All games Played at  
Glassey Park  
Berri

**Come & Try / Registration Day**

Open to all ages of new and returning players for all Riverland Clubs  
Saturday 28th September, Glassey Park Berri, 10 am start.

**A and B grade Season starts 18th October 2019**

Visit Riverland Baseball League or your local Club on facebook  
for more information



**With the 2019/20 softball season commencing...  
LYRUP SOFTBALL CLUB will start their training  
WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 18<sup>th</sup> TIME - 5.00PM  
GLASSEY PARK BERRI**

Girls, boys & females of all ages & skill level are welcome to  
join the team coached by Beth Hueppauff.  
For all enquires contact Sue Jungfer  
Ph 0429852748

## The RTLTC Junior Tennis Try Outs and Registration

Thursdays Sept 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> and Saturday September 21<sup>st</sup>

For all juniors intending to play Saturday Morning Intertown Tennis and HOTSHOTS

### HOTSHOTS Training Times

#### Thursday

3.45 – 4.25 pm Hotshots children 6 - 8 yrs.  
4.30 – 5.10 pm Hotshots for children 8 -12 yrs.



#### Saturday

9.00 - 9.40 children 6 - 8 yrs.  
9.45 - 10.25 children 8 -12 yrs.

Hotshots is Tennis Australia's Official Getting Started Program and is designed for children who have little or no tennis experience. It is fun, social and active. Racquets are supplied.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FOGOViKczLo>

### Saturday Morning Competition Training Times

#### Thursday

4.15 pm – 5.15 pm.

#### Saturday

9.15 am. – 10.15 am.

Our Saturday Morning Competition is played throughout the Riverland during Term 4 2019 and Term 1 2020, starting at 9.00 am.

- 8 divisions
- Modified balls, courts and scoring used.
- Teams of 4 or 5 – all girls, all boys or mixed.
- Adult support given to children in the younger divisions
- Approximately half the divisions are timed, which encourages maximum participation and a definite finishing time.
- Good sportsmanship and having fun are most important

**If you have any questions, please contact  
John Pick on 0427 385 380**

The Blood Service Mobile Blood Donor Centre will be visiting:

### Renmark

#### Greek Orthodox Community Hall

Wednesday 18 September 12.00 pm - 7.30 pm

Thursday 19 September 7.30 am - 12.00 pm

To make a group booking call 1300 886 524

To make an appointment call **13 14 95**

or visit [donateblood.com.au](http://donateblood.com.au)

## Murray River National Park September Celebrations!

You're invited to celebrate Murray River National Park this September. Get involved with free events and activities happening throughout the park.

<p><b>Sept 4</b> Bodoo Grounds clean-up 10.00 am - 12.00 pm Berri Bowling Club car park, Draper Road Work with Rangers to clean up rubbish followed by a free sausage sizzle and the opportunity to express your views about the future of the Bodoo Grounds.</p> <p><b>Sept 8</b> Yoga and a cuppa in the park 9.30 am - 11.00 am Campsite 12, Lyngup Flats Section Cost is \$15 per person - bookings are essential. <a href="https://www.riverlandmuseums.org.au/cuppa-in-the-park">https://www.riverlandmuseums.org.au/cuppa-in-the-park</a> Join us for an easy introduction to Yoga in the National Park. \$5 from each booking will be donated to the Thin Green Line. For information contact Leanne Rathbone 0438 229 235.</p> <p><b>Sept 15</b> Nature Sound Bath 2.00 pm Booky Cliffs Campground, Lock 4 section Join Revolution Learning in the afternoon for a Nature Sound Bath, relaxing to the healing sounds of nature. Sound baths are like a combination of restorative yoga, meditation and sacred sound concerts. For more information contact Belinda or Ross on 0419 952 399.</p> <p><b>Sept 18</b> Guided walk along Ngah Indoo Wetland Trail 10.00 am - 12.00 pm Ngah Indoo Wetland Trail car park, Lock 4 section Join a guided walk with members from the Riverland Friends of Parks and learn about the wetlands and associated floodplain vegetation.</p>	<p><b>Sept 21</b> Family day in the park 10.00 am - 3.00 pm Campsite 26, Katarapko Creek Section Join our Park Rangers for a lovely day in the park with your family. A series of activities have been organised to entertain the whole family.</p> <p><b>Sept 22</b> Murray River National Park bike ride 9.30 am Meet in the Berri Senior Citizens Hall car park, corner of Crawford Terrace and Draper Road. Ride through Murray River National Park and see the park as you have never seen it before. There are two levels of ride on offer: 30 km track for experienced or fit riders, and a 10 km track for inexperienced riders and children.</p> <p><b>Sept 25</b> Waterbugs in the park 10.00 am - 2.00 pm Campsite 16, Lyngup Flats section Join the NRM Education team for a waterbug survey at Lyngup Flats and learn about local macroinvertebrate species. This is a drop-in event and is open to anyone interested in learning more about waterbugs. For more information or if you would like to bring a large group please contact Cris on 0429 412 274.</p> <p><b>Sept 27</b> A Cultural Experience Time to be confirmed Campsite 10a and 11, Lyngup Flats section Time to relax for the afternoon around a camp fire. Meet local Aboriginal ladies, learn how to weave and find out about their lives and culture. The afternoon will finish with some camp oven cooking. To register your interest, contact Ranger Shana on 0800 1800.</p>
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For more information about these events, go to: [www.parks.sa.gov.au/get-inspired/park-of-the-month/sepember-part-of-the-month-murray-river](http://www.parks.sa.gov.au/get-inspired/park-of-the-month/sepember-part-of-the-month-murray-river)  
Phone: 0800 1800  
Please note that events will be cancelled in the event of severe weather or if the day is declared a total fire ban.

### Keep your kids smiling



Dental care is FREE for ALL babies, preschool and most children under 18 years at School Dental Service clinics.  
The School Dental Service is a Child Dental Benefits Scheme provider.

Call us now for an appointment!

Your local clinic is: Riverland Oral Health Centre

Phone: 8550 2700

[www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/sahealth](http://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/sahealth)



To sign up visit: [www.rlyt.org.au](http://www.rlyt.org.au)

CIRKIDZ CIRCUS WORKSHOP OCTOBER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	THEATRE MAKING WORKSHOP with SLINGSBY THEATRE COMPANY	BELL SHAKESPEARE GENERAL PUBLIC WORKSHOP
<p>Tickets: 15 - 19 years Mon Sept 30th - Thurs Oct 3rd 10.00am - 11.00am \$10 each</p> <p>Tickets: 6 - 15 years Mon Sept 30th - Thurs Oct 3rd 11.00am - 1.00pm \$10 each</p> <p>Times: 10 - 11pm Mon Sept 30th - Thurs Oct 3rd 5.00pm - 5.00pm 1 hour workshop</p> <p>Community and Friends Performance Day Thursday 3rd October Free Spect!</p>	<p>Ages 5-8 10am - 11am Tuesday October 8 Wednesday October 9 Thursday October 10 \$10 each</p> <p>Ages 9-12 11.00am - 12.00pm Tuesday October 8 Wednesday October 9 Thursday October 10 \$10 each</p> <p>Ages 13+ 5pm - 6pm Tuesday October 8 10 hours</p>	<p>General Public Workshop - 15-18 years old 12th OCTOBER 1.30pm - 3.00pm</p> <p>General Public Workshop - 18+ years old 12th OCTOBER 4.30pm - 6.00pm</p> <p><b>JOHN BELL SCHOLARSHIP AUDITIONS</b></p> <p>To be eligible to audition, students must be 16 years of age or older by 11 December 2019, and still be at high school. Edisons in 2019.</p> <p>Auditions: October 10th</p> <p>Auditions are extremely limited and must be requested.</p> <p>Please email <a href="mailto:chris@ryt.org.au">chris@ryt.org.au</a> to register your Audition</p>

RIVERLAND GYMNASISTICS ACADEMY

## School Holiday program

for 5 - 18 year olds

Tuesday 1st October 2019 Tuesday 8th October 2019  
2:00pm - 3:30pm 2:00pm - 3:30pm

"Gymnastics for All" session "Parkour/Tumbling and Acrobatics" session

Please wear comfy gym clothes (no buckles, belts or zippers) and bring your water bottle.

PRIOR BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL via website link below  
\$15 per session (pay on the day)

[www.rlyt.org.au/programmes/holidayprogrammes/](http://www.rlyt.org.au/programmes/holidayprogrammes/)

RIVERLAND GYMNASISTICS ACADEMY

## Kindergym School Holiday program

for 0 - 5 year olds

Tuesday 1st and 8th October 2019  
12:30pm - 1:30pm

No bookings required  
\$10 per session, pay on the day

Please wear comfy gym clothes and bring your water bottle.

[www.rlyt.org.au](http://www.rlyt.org.au)

# ENTERPRISE DAY

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> of September

*Snow Cone Siblings*



**\$1 with 1 flavour**

**\$1.20 with more Flavours**



**CHURRO BAR**  
BETTER THAN A BRAINBREAK

**Come to the... CHURRO BAR** Yum!

Enterprise Day is coming soon and Molly, Maya, Crystal, Aliya and Kulraj are selling AMAZING Churros! Churros are a delicious Spanish donut, shaped like a stick, covered in cinnamon and sugar. You can come and dip it in warm, melted chocolate. Come and buy 2 mouth watering Churros for only \$1.50!



SpiderCream

ICECREAM SANDWICH \$1.00

SPIDER (DRINK COKE) \$1.00



SpiderCream

**Eat it or Beat it**



**BOTH \$1.00**



*Soda Pups*



*Soda Pups*  
LONG LIVE SAUSAGE

**Sausage & Bread: \$1.50**  
**Drinks: 50c**



*Ice Cream Experts*

## Ice-Cream Experts

Our group is selling Ice-Creams & Bouncy Balls, an ice-cream with no topping costs 80 cents and an ice-cream with topping costs \$1.00.

There are 3 different types of toppings they are caramel, chocolate and sprinkles.

Our Bouncy Balls are 50 cents each and bounce quite high.





**Popcorn Palace**  
*Business is popin'*

Visit Popcorn Palace next Wednesday and try some of our POPPING POPCORN!

*Sweet and Salty - \$1.00*

**Buttery - \$1.00**

**Caramel - \$1.50**