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*"We acknowledge the Narungga People as the Traditional Owners of this land and we pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging."*



**PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**



# What do I need to do to be better?

**Welcome to week 3!** It has been great to get out into classrooms and see the learning that is happening. Students are engaged, teachers are inspired and the feel of the school is amazing.

Many of our students are setting goals and looking at how they can be better. Our school is making a big push on Formative Assessment and Reciprocal Teaching. This way students know exactly what it is they are learning and what then need to be able to do to demonstrate success.

As we get better and better at this we will see students really improving at asking the question

*"What do I need to do to be better than I ever have before and understand the journey?"*

In the senior school we have paired this with a focus on flipped learning where students can access the curriculum 24 hours a day 7 days a week. This also allows parents to see what their child's curriculum is and to follow the learning.

We are starting the second year of our Canvas journey where all students work and assessment is available online. I encourage parents to get onto your child's Canvas, have a look at the work and share a discussion in their learning journeys.



**ON THE COVER**

Jono, Jethro, and Rovina show off their newspaper aprons they designed and made in Design Tech lessons.

## STAFF & LEADERSHIP CHANGES

Welcome to new staff and congratulations to those that have stepped up. We have had a fair bit of movement of staff this term and welcome new staff members who have stepped up to take on roles or fill positions. Would you please join me in congratulating and welcoming:

### Merridy Jamieson-Rokobaro

Merridy has joined us from Risdon Park Primary School and is taking over as AET and Learning Hub teacher for Term 1 while Helen Moloney is in the Secondary Counsellor role at Moonta Area School.

### Kath Magarey

Dave Love has had to take the rest of the term off due to a broken leg and Kath has stepped up to the role of Head of Campus at Point Pearce for the remainder of the term. Kath's work with the Point Pearce students and Aboriginal Community has been second to none. It's really exciting to see what she can do in this role.

### Maddy Woodforde

We welcome back Maddy Woodforde who will backfill Kath alongside Deb Nye at Point Pearce.

### Anna Allen

Anna has won the role as Primary Coordinator this year as Linda Bubner has gone on maternity leave. Anna has been at our school as a parent, SSO, teacher and now leader. Anna has always been a huge supporter of CYS and we welcome her to the role.

## STUDENT SUCCESS

**Congratulations to Oscar Arthur.** I am very proud to announce that Oscar Arthur has won a \$10,000 scholarship over the next 2 years to support him in his study of STEM based subjects here at school. Oscar was one of 40 students across the state who won this scholarship. This is an amazing achievement for our school and Oscar and once again shows how Central Yorke can compete with the best schools in the state.



## LEADERS INDUCTION

Next Wednesday is our Leaders induction day where we induct our Prefects, SRC, Music Captains, Bus monitors, House Captains, CYFA team and SAASTA team to our school leadership and governance for 2021. If you have a spare minute or two feel free to come support our students. This is a very important day in our school community and one of our students are very proud to be a part of. It is a time where our students can help shape policies as well as act as role models and advocates for their peers. Central Yorke School has a rich culture of leadership and many of our parents and alumni who were school leaders have gone on to be successful leaders within our school community.

## MEET THE TEACHER EVENING

We had an excellent turn out for our annual Meet the Teacher evening held last Tuesday. Thank you to all the families who took the opportunity to learn more about their children's teachers and the intended learning programs for this year.

Our Meet the Teacher evening at Point Pearce is next week on Wednesday and we look forward to again catching up with parents and students over a tasty BBQ.

That's it for this edition. Look out for information coming home about Splash Carnival and Sports Day in the near future, it's going to be a busy few weeks. If you would like more information about anything you read, feel free to pop in for a cuppa and a chat, or call one of the friendly staff members to discuss your concerns.

Until next time.

Grant Keleher





Invites  
our school community  
to the

**2021 CYS SCHOOL LEADERS**

# *Induction* **CEREMONY**

For the induction and presentation of

CYS Prefects  
Primary Leaders  
The Student Representative Council  
House Captains  
Concert Band & Choir Captains  
The SAASTA Team  
The Central Yorke Football Academy  
School Bus Monitors

On Wednesday, February 17 2021  
Commencing 9.30am  
in the CYS Performing Arts Centre.  
Concluding 10.30am,  
followed by morning tea.

RSVP

Jaynelle Le Feuvre [Student Well-Being Leader]  
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or call the school on 8832 2613

# Meet the Maitland Teachers 2021

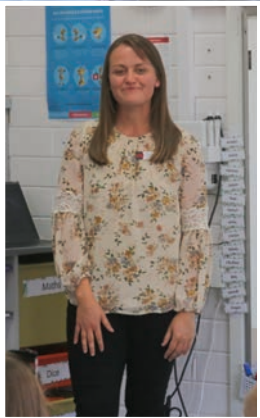


It was terrific to see so many families taking advantage of the opportunity to meet classroom teachers at our annual 'Meet the Teacher' evening at the Maitland Campus on Tuesday February 2.

Parents and students enjoyed the free BBQ cooked by Principal Grant Keleher and his helpers and mingled between sessions under the Primary Coverway.

Teacher presentations included timetabling, curriculum, behaviour, camps, online lesson delivery and daily routines.





# Great attendance & enthusiasm

**We've had a big start to 2021!** First of all, I'd like to welcome some new staff members to the Point Pearce Campus.

**Sophie Parker** will be working in the Kindy on Tuesdays until Week 8 while **Belinda Chapman** is joining the Kindy to work one on one with a student. Both are real assets to our team.

We would also like to welcome **Maddy Woodforde** to Point Pearce. Maddy was a Year 5/6 teacher at CYS Maitland last year and she will be working in the R-2 classroom on Mondays and Tuesdays for Term 1 while I step into Dave Love's Head of Campus role. Dave is on leave until Term 2. Maddy already has good relationships with our families and many of the students and we feel very lucky to have her.

**Deb Nye**, who already works in the R-2 class Monday to Wednesday, will extend her time to work Thursdays and Fridays as the class teacher and I will be in the classroom on Wednesdays.

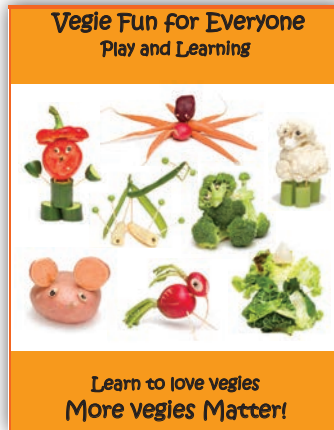
## **SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

We have had a fantastic start to the year with great attendance and a high level of enthusiasm from our students. The students are currently enjoying a week of swimming and some exciting programs are scheduled to be implemented in the classroom over the coming term.

### **Oral Program**

We are working with DfE Speech Therapist on an Oral Narrative Intervention Program at a class and small group level as part of our Literacy program. Oral language is a key focus area for us and this program will provide a solid foundation for reading and writing.

### **Veggie Fun Program**



We have 2 dietetic students coming to deliver a program called Veggie Fun for Everyone also in the R-2 class. This will be once a week and our students will learn all about different types of vegetables, create some characters from vegetables and take home a recipe card with a healthy vegetable recipe and a small pack of food for families to try at home.

We are really looking forward to a term filled with fun and learning.

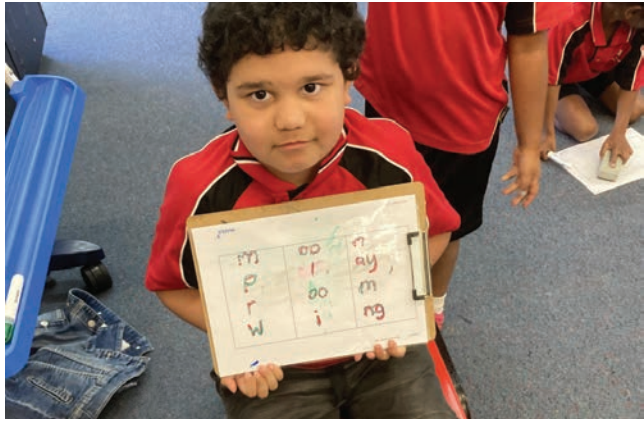
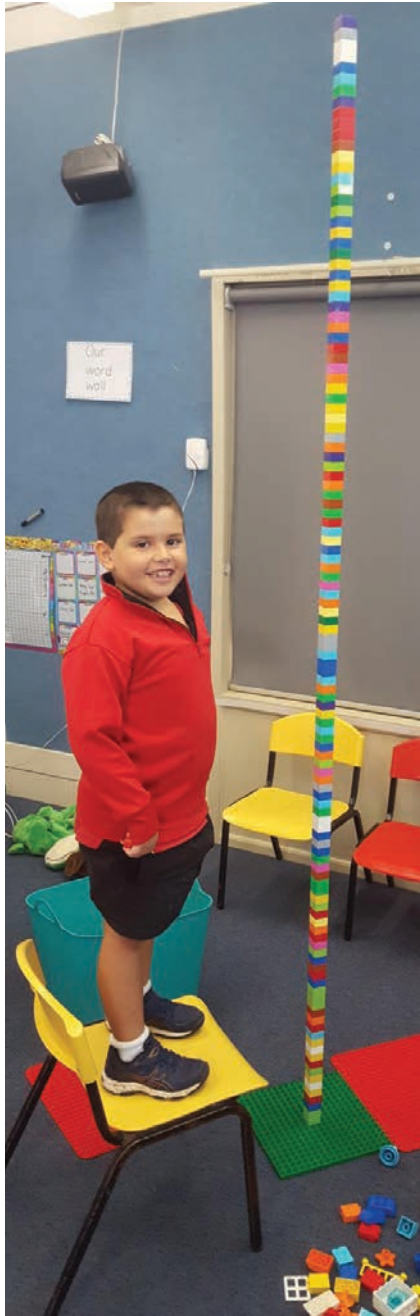


**KATH MAGARERY**

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**"Exciting programs are scheduled to be implemented in the classroom over the coming term"**

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# **Fantastic results**

**2021 is certainly off to a flyer!** After a short summer break this year has begun with a flurry and within a few short weeks it feels as if we never left 2020.

Classes have completed their introductory activities and as I tour the secondary classes I see a range of activities underway. It's great to see Canvas being utilised alongside traditional teaching and even better to see this year's Year 8s mentoring the Year 7s as they learn a new system. In fact, it is hard to believe that only twelve months ago I was teaching Year 8s to save Word documents and now they are integrating ICT seamlessly into their classroom activities.

## **CONGRATULATIONS**

This is my first opportunity to congratulate the class of 2020 on their fantastic results. Three of our students were in the top 11% of the state before any bonus points were awarded, an amazing reflection on the dedication and hard work throughout their primary and secondary years. Many other students achieved individual success including high grades in a range of new and modernised SACE subjects. Well done.

## **SRC ELECTIONS**

The SRC elections have been held and it's good to see a range of students putting their hand up for an

opportunity to represent their peers. Being chosen as a Class Representative or Prefect is a great privilege, one I'm sure this year's group greatly respect. I wish all our leaders a successful year and believe that they will do a great job of representing our school and our student body.

## **CANVAS COURSES**

Lastly I'd like to encourage all parents to sit with their children and have a look through their Canvas courses. These will continue to be developed over the term and are a good way of keeping in touch with the work that is being completed in the classroom including assessment and feedback.

The program can be accessed through the school website and there is an App available that allows course work to be viewed via any mobile device.



SCOTT MOORE

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JASON CLIFFORD



## Captains, events & dates

Congratulations to the following students who have been voted as leaders of their respective House Teams.

### Vincent Eagles

#### Secondary Captains

- Harrison Geater-Johnson
- Georgia Hasting

#### Vice Captains

- Oscar Moore
- Sophie Baker

#### Primary Captains

- Julian Crawford
- Isis Schulte

### Spencer Sharks

#### Secondary Captains

- Lachlan Whittaker
- Sophie Heinrich

#### Vice Captains

- Xenos Petch
- Tammie Rawlings

#### Primary Captains

- Jethro Shipp
- Caitlyn Tape

## UPCOMING EVENTS AND IMPORTANT DATES TERM 1

### FEBRUARY

- 15/16 7/8 Aquatics Camp  
19 R-6 Splash Carnival  
26 Triple Jump and Javelin Day

### MARCH

- 4 Long Run Morning

- 5 R-12 Sports Day  
24 Secondary Interschool (Moonta)  
26 Primary Interschool (Yorketown)  
26 SAPSASA Country swimming championships  
30, 31 Stage 2 Outdoor Ed Kayaking Camp

### APRIL

- 1 Stage 2 Outdoor Ed Kayaking Camp  
8 Secondary Track and Field Athletics (Mile End)

### FURTHER INFORMATION

Further information about sports that are offered through Sport SA can be found on the Sport SA website. This will include information on Individual events, Interstate events and State Championship events. If you require any further information please contact the school.

[www.education.sa.gov.au/schools-and-educators/programs-students/school-sport-sa/choose-sport](http://www.education.sa.gov.au/schools-and-educators/programs-students/school-sport-sa/choose-sport)

### SPORTS COMMITTEE

If you are interested in joining the Sports Committee for 2021 please contact Jason Clifford via the school on 88322613 or email [Jason.Clifford643@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Jason.Clifford643@schools.sa.edu.au)



## Zucchini Slice

Point Pearce students Akheela and Andrew followed recipe instructions to whip up a tasty (and very healthy) zucchini slice.





# *New Soccer Goals*

P & F President Karen Crawford officially opened our new soccer goals at the Primary assembly on Friday, February 5. Inclement weather forced the ceremony inside the PAC where newly elected Heads of Primary Shannon and Isis accepted the P & F's kind donation on behalf of the other students.



**PRIMARY  
ASSEMBLY**

# Action stations!

All our music groups and special programs were up and running this week creating a buzz of excitement (and a lot of music) around the PAC.

## FESTIVAL CHOIR

Festival Choir has started with 5/6 students all joining the choir for a 'come and try'. Conductor Debbie Schwartz was very pleased with the students attentive and respectful behaviour as she put the students through a series of fun singing games, vocal activities and songs. Students will have the option to continue with choir later this term.

## INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

There were lots of excited students arriving for their first instrumental lessons this week, with some able to play complete songs after the first lesson. Students are encouraged to

establish a regular practice schedule, as even 10-15 minutes a week will speed skill development.

## CONCERT BAND

Our first Concert Band rehearsal was well attended on Wednesday with lots of new and old faces. This year we have students enrolled from Kadina, Moonta, Maitland Lutheran, Ardrossan, Yorketown, and Minlaton schools. It was great to see our community members again and we welcomed back new teacher Laura Kotz who played with the band as a student some six years ago.

## SENIOR VOCAL GROUP

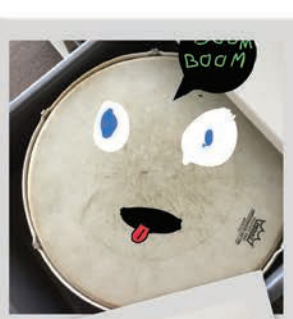
Our Senior Vocal Group has moved to a new rehearsal spot on Wednesdays after band with the aim of encouraging older students to join. Seven students from four different schools started this week.



TIM TUCK



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## Photo Doodles

The Middle School Photography Elective students created these real life doodles by photographing everyday objects and then using mark up tools to decorate them.

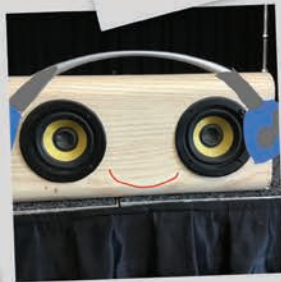
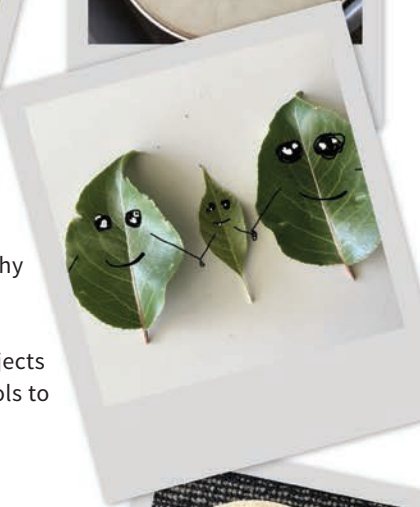


Photo Credits: Ruby, Taylor, Sophie, Lily, Jade, Gabby, Lachlan.





# CYS School Leader Elections

Student meetings have been held over the past week to elect Sports Captains, SRC Representatives and Prefects. The PAC was used for the larger elections, with students braving the microphone and audience to deliver inspiring, thoughtful and heart-felt speeches. Congratulations to all students who put their hand up to be considered by their peers for representing CYS and the student body.



# School & Community Notices

## BEYOND BLUE | HEALTHY FAMILIES

Returning to school for parents and children no matter their age can cause worries, but it is very normal.

Checking in with your child/children and seeing how they are feeling can make a big difference.

Have a look at the website below for some handy tips with dealing with school anxiety.

### Regards The Wellbeing Team



[healthyfamilies.beyondblue.org.au](https://healthyfamilies.beyondblue.org.au)

## P&F AGM

The CYS Parents and Friends first meeting and AGM for 2021 will be held on Thursday, March 11 at 2pm in the CYS School library. All welcome!

## CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Pastor Steve at St Paul's Lutheran church will be running confirmation classes this term. The classes are for students in grades 8-12. For more information, call Pastor Steve on 0400 769 317.

## TAPE MEASURES WANTED

The Year 5/6 class are making aprons in Design and Technology. If you have any old tape measures (or extras from Ikea!) you no longer want, Mr Tuck will be happy to take them off your hands. He can be contacted at the school on 8832 2613.

## BROKEN CERAMICS WANTED

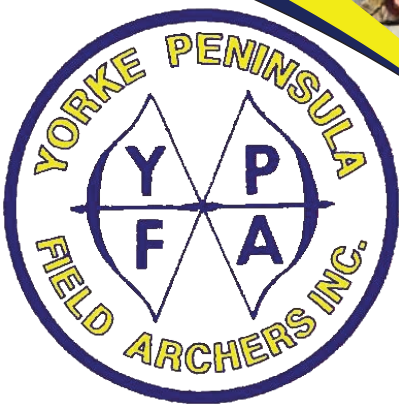
The Middle School Electives Mosaics group are after old broken ceramic plates, cups and tiles. Colour is preferable, but anything is appreciated! Please contact Emily Haydon at school on 8832 2613.



# Yorke Peninsula Field Archers



81 South Terrace,  
KADINA SA 5554



## Come and Try

If you wish to come and try, please phone and make a time with our President.

We will have someone available to help you get started and have equipment to try.

## Membership & Fees

Our members include all ages from all genders. All potential members are able to have a come and try period and after this has expired, membership fees will need to be paid.

Yorke Peninsula Field Archers membership, along with ABA membership, is required for insurance purposes. The club has the right to refuse or cancel membership as appropriate.

## Shooting Styles

- Longbow
- Recurve – Sighted or Barebow
- Compound – Sighted, Pin Sights or Barebow
- Crossbows not permitted

We shoot fortnightly on Sundays

## For more information

Club Facebook page –  
Yorke Peninsula Field Archers



Australian Bowhunters Association  
[www.bowhunters.org.au](http://www.bowhunters.org.au)

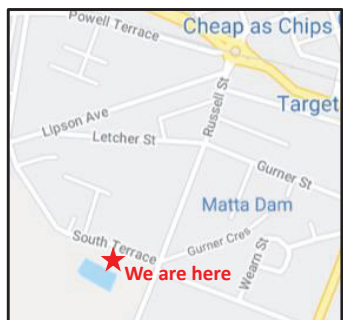


Club members have a WhatsApp group, which is used for communication.

## Contact Details

President –  
Brett Raymond  
0418 810 598

Membership –  
Nina Penna  
0429 485 337



**THINKING UNI?**

**Think Uni Hub!**

Uni Hub Spencer Gulf is the local link between you, your study and your university.

**PORT PIRIE, PORT AUGUSTA AND KADINA**

**UNIVERSITY STUDY CENTRES**

#### **WHAT IS UNI HUB SPENCER GULF?**

Uni Hub Spencer Gulf Inc operates university study centres in Port Pirie and Port Augusta, with the Copper Coast University Centre (Kadina) opening in 2021.

These study centres are available free of charge for local students studying with any Australian university.

Our facilities provide students with a variety of study spaces, high-speed internet access, printing, computers, large screen and 'zoom' facilities, exam invigilation, kitchen and student lounge area.

#### **HOW DO WE SUPPORT STUDENTS?**

Students enrolled in a supported qualification with one of the Uni Hub's partner universities enjoy an additional level of assistance throughout their university journey - from enrolment and orientation week through to graduation.

In addition to on-line academic lectures, Uni Hub Spencer Gulf works closely with its partner universities to deliver local tutorials, student mentoring, industry placement and employer networking opportunities.

#### **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

Uni Hub Spencer Gulf offers meeting room hire and co-working opportunities within the study centres to help strengthen local collaboration, develop local capacity, promote local innovation and help to 'grow our own' local, skilled workforce.

Uni Hub Spencer Gulf is owned and managed by the community - we are responsive to local needs and underpinned by strong partnerships - with our university providers, local government, schools, local employers, business and industry associations.



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*Strikers*  
**GIRLS  
CRICKET  
LEAGUE**



**OUTDOORS  
NON-CONTACT**

# CALLING ALL GIRLS!

- Make new friends and get active playing all-girls junior cricket
- Adelaide Strikers Girls Cricket League is a fun and social competition for girls aged 10 to 16
- Discover how cricket can boost your confidence, develop your skills and grow your friendships today!

MAITLAND OVAL - Sun 14th & 21st Feb 11am-3:30

Cost: \$5

Search 5573 - Girls Strikers @ [playcricket.com.au](http://playcricket.com.au)

FIRST 30 registered will receive a free Helmet

For more info: Peter Brown 0419 921 933



**REGISTER AT [PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU](http://PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU)**



↓ Jamie, Eddie and Travis made this 1.5m long laminated tape measure in Deign & Tech.



↓ The Middle School 'Market' elective made this amazing coasters by recycling newspaper.



↓ R/1 students pose with the cardboard shoes they made in Design & Tech.



**SNI** **PP** **ETS**

↓ The Senior Vocal Group 's first rehearsal



↑ TEXT

# The Back Page



↑ Meet the Teacher Night in 2011 included tours of the newly finished PAC.

## House Competition 2021



Week 2 Total

193

161

Term 1 Total

238

244

2021 Total

238

244

## Calendar

### FEBRUARY

#### WEEK 3

- 8-12 R-6 Swimming Lessons
- 10 Concert Band Rehearsal
- 10 Year 8 Immunisations

#### WEEK 4

- 15-16 Year 7/8 Aquatics Camp
- 16 National Apology Day

#### 17 SRC Induction

Meet the Teacher - Point Pearce  
Concert Band Rehearsal

#### 19 Splash Carnival

#### WEEK 5

- 23 Pancake Day
- 26 Triple Jump & Javelin Day

### MARCH

#### WEEK 6

- 1-2 SRC Leadership Conference
- 2 SAASTA visit

#### 3 School Photos

- 4 Long Run Day

#### 5 R-12 Sports Day

#### WEEK 7

#### 8 Adelaide Cup Holiday

- 11 P & FAGM - 2pm in the Library

#### WEEK 8

#### 18 SRC Activity Day

- 20 Maitland Show

#### WEEK 9

- 22-26 Carclew At CYS