



# CLEVE AREA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

11th November, 2020  
Term 4, Week 5

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## HELLO EVERYONE,

Our current Year 12 students have completed formal lessons and are in the middle of exams, finalizing assessments and assignments. This should all be over by the end of this week. On behalf of all staff and students R – 11, I wish to congratulate our Year 12 students for reaching this important milestone. I wish to offer our support and best wishes for the remainder of the year. Good luck for the next phase of your lives.

I would like to thank families for supporting our local school by choosing Cleve Area School as a preferred school for completing their child/children's secondary education.

A special thank you and acknowledgement to those families who have completed all years of schooling at Cleve. The Year 12 Graduation will be held on the evening of Friday November 27<sup>th</sup> in the new Sporting Bodies Complex. The Parents & Friends group will cater for the event.

Planning continues for 2021 and we need to have accurate enrolment figures. I thank the families who have mentioned to us that their child will be leaving our school. Please inform us of any changes to your circumstances

## DIARY DATES

Monday 9th – Friday 13th  
November  
NAIDOC Week  
Thursday 12th November  
Year 10 First Aid  
Friday 13th November  
JRFH Jump Off

Tuesday 17th November  
Weir Walk  
Wednesday 18th November  
Library Book Fair  
Friday 20th November  
R-7 Concert  
SAPSASA Athletics

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and Friends  
Cleve Area School Sims Farm



regarding your children attending our school. This will help us with our staffing requirements and class group placements. At this stage our student enrolments numbers for 2021 are very similar to 2020. We expect our resourcing from the Department and parent contributions to be similar, so staffing should also be the same. This assumes that no more families are leaving or students are being sent away from Cleve for their secondary years of schooling. Our school continues to prepare students for tertiary education and the world of work. Senior students also have the benefit of small classes and bonus points if they have a pathway to tertiary education.

**Hats:** Sunsafe hats (wide brimmed or legionnaire style) must be worn for all outside activities. We have a firm 'NO HAT, NO PLAY' rule at school. Students who do not have hats must report to the computer room at lunchtime. Please ensure that your child brings an appropriate hat to school.

At an earlier meeting of the Governing Council approval was given for a pupil free day to be held on Friday December 11<sup>th</sup>. All staff will be working on reviewing our Site Improvement Plan a continuing our strategic planning for 2021 & beyond. We will be evaluating this year's priorities and setting directions for 2021. I extend an invitation to Governing Council members and parents who are available and interested in helping us to plan for the future.

The next meeting of the School Governing Council is on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> November at 6:00pm in the Cleve Hotel. As parents you are most welcome to attend as observers and even nominate for membership of subcommittees. David Penfold from the Cleve District Council will be a guest speaker.

Please contact me at the school if you need further information.

At the end of this year I will have completed 10 years as principal of Cleve Area School. The Education Director, Rowena Fox, the Governing Council and the Personnel Advisory Committee (PAC) have conducted an appraisal of my performance and have agreed to grant me a one year role-over. This means that I will be Principal of Cleve Area School for one more year.

I thank all the families for the ongoing support that you give the school and me as your Principal.

*Ray Marino.*

## DEPUTY NEWS

I must have blinked! Where have the past 5 weeks gone? Firstly, apologies for last newsletter. I was in Adelaide on the Year 7 camp, too busy enjoying the jam packed itinerary of activities and forgot all about the newsletter (don't worry I've already been told off!). We were in the middle of a tour with Peter Treloar at Parliament House at the time it was due. (Yes, I hear you, I shouldn't leave things to the last minute!). The Year 7's were very well behaved throughout the week and we had many comments from members of the public about how polite and great our kids were. Congratulations to Elle Kenny and Erin Martens for organising such a wonderful experience for our Year 7's and for puffing me out!

Friday last week, we had Miss Roach and the 4/5's host the primary assembly. I was reflecting after I had been reading the CREW awards, how amazed I am at the outstanding qualities which our students are displaying within their learning. The 4/5's did an excellent job hosting, speaking clearly and showing off many of their skipping tricks which they have been practising, ready for the Jump Off this Friday.

A big thankyou to Jordan Hooper and Anna Williamson for coordinating activities for NADOIC week. I unfortunately was in Adelaide on Monday this week, but I have had numerous students relay how engaged and informative the activities were. Many students also mentioned how they would like to learn more of the Barngarla language. The video clips were a hit, and I think the one that was most enjoyed was the acknowledgement of country, which has been created by many within the school.

This Friday we have the Jump Rope for Heart 'Jump Off'. A big thanks to Graeme Byrnes for organising this event. Well done to all the students and families for their efforts in fundraising and supporting the important work that the Heart Foundation do in the community.

The primary concert is happening Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November, starting at 9:30am. It will be held on the oval, so everyone is welcome to come along with their blankets and chairs, and settle in to enjoy the entertainment which the students will provide. This year we are very fortunate to have the Kindy kids involved as well. The students and teachers have been busy polishing their performances, under the guidance of Gemma Leonard. I am really starting to get excited about this event!

In Weeks 7 and 8 the students from R-7 will undertake swimming lessons. A timetable will be sent home next week outlining when your child will be having their lessons.

The Primary Class configurations for 2021 have now been decided. They will remain the same as this year, being 2 x R/1's, 2 x 2/3's, 2 x 4/5's and 2 x 6/7's. At this stage we are still working through staffing process, but this should be completed in the near future.

As in the past, if parents have a request for their child, we are more than happy to try and accommodate this. We cannot accommodate your student being placed with a certain teacher, but can take into account siblings or any other issues, which you believe will have an impact on their learning. If you can message the school or myself by

the end of week 6, then we will be able to complete the class placements for 2021. We will need to make the final decision based on what is in the best interest of all the students within the school.

Please remember that at any time you have any concerns, issues or ideas, please feel free to contact your child's class teacher, in the first instance, or Ray or myself. We are more than happy to discuss how we can continue to work together to improve our school.

*Trevor McDonough, Deputy Principal*

## 2021 M & S Fees

The charges were approved for 2021 by Governing Council. We will now undergo a polling process due to the changes reflected in the new Education and Children's Services Act 2019.

Governing Council is hoping receive support from parents. Polling closes Saturday 14th November.

*Helen Heron*



**Always Was,  
Always Will Be.**

**8-15 NOV 2020**

Do you have any spare fruit? We are looking for donations of fruit for healthy, hungry students.

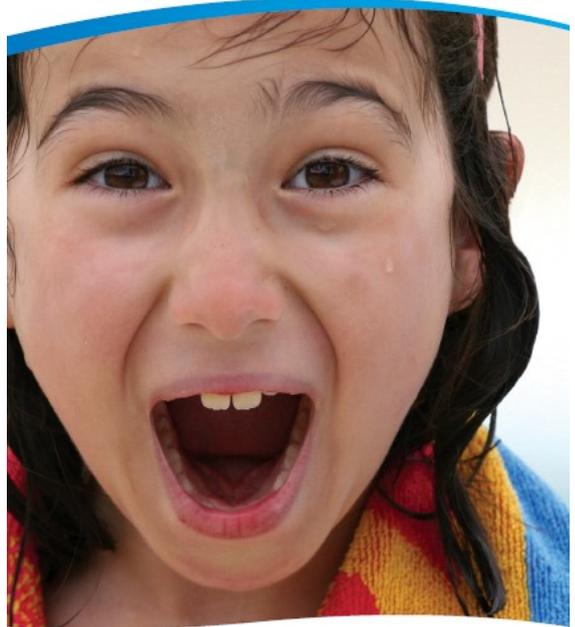
If you are able to help, please drop off at the Front Office.

Thank you.





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## Reduce your risk of heart disease

LEARN THE WARNING SIGNS OF A HEART ATTACK

Each day, on average,  
**20 Australians** die  
of a heart attack.

Many could have  
been prevented.



Come along to a **FREE**  
Heart Foundation Presentation

Date: Thursday 12th November 2020  
Location: Cleve Area School - Staff Room  
Time: 3:30pm  
Organiser: Trevor McDonough  
08 8628 2104

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For more information contact:  
Charlie Sheridan (Heart Foundation)  
[charlie.sheridan@heartfoundation.org.au](mailto:charlie.sheridan@heartfoundation.org.au)

Pupil Free  
Day

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> of December



# Dear Santa

**PRIMARY END OF YEAR CHRISTMAS CONCERT**  
**FRIDAY NOVEMBER 20, 9.30AM (WEEK 6)**  
**PRIMARY OVAL - PLEASE BRING A PICNIC RUG TO SIT ON**

## End of Year CELEBRATION

**Cleve Area School  
Presentation Morning  
Friday 27th November  
9:20am  
Cleve Area School Gym**

NØHAT. NØPLAY





### School / Community Library Term Hours

Monday— 9am - 3pm  
 Tuesday— 9am - 7pm  
 Wednesday—9am -5pm  
 Thursday—9am - 7pm  
 Friday—9am - 5pm



Book Club are meeting on Wednesday 2nd December November at 2pm in the library. See the invitation below. John L Read has written several books about ecology and history.

### New in for Children:



Guest Author and Ecologist:  
John L. Read

## Book Club Invitation

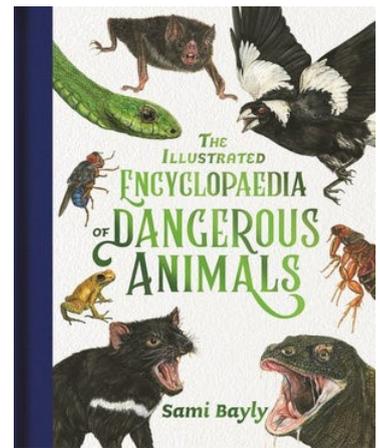
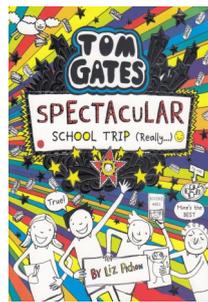
Wednesday 2nd December at 2pm in the library for afternoon tea.  
RSVP to the library: 8628 2607

*The LAST WILD ISLAND*  
Saving Australia's  
Savanna Ecosystem

*AMONG THE PIGEONS*  
How our cats helped rid us of  
rodents

*Dear Grandpa, Why?*  
COLLECTIONS FROM GRANDPA  
TO GRANDMA

JOHN L. READ



**ancestry**  
Discover your family's history

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<https://www.libraries.sa.gov.au/digital>

To access:

1. Log in with your library card number & PIN
2. Then select 'Ancestry Library' from the list that appears

CLEVE SCHOOL COMMUNITY LIBRARY

# Scholastic Book Fair

Wednesday 18th November -  
Wednesday 2nd December  
EFTPOS facilities available



Calling for Expressions of Interest to hold a Tafe SA First Aid Course in Cleve on the 28th or 29th November from 9am - 5pm with location and price to be advised once numbers have been confirmed. Please contact the school - 86282104 prior to Monday 16th November if you are interested or for more information.



**darke peak CHRISTMAS TREE**

pool party POOL OPEN . WEATHER PERMITTING!  
BRING BATHERS + TOWELS

**SUNDAY 20TH DECEMBER**  
**DARKE PEAK SPORTING COMPLEX**

**4:00PM START**  
**BURGER + SAUSAGE SIZZLE TEA AVAILABLE**

FOR FURTHER QUERIES: HALEY BEINKE 0429 818 083 OR KELLY MORROW 8620 4065  
NAMES, AGES AND PAYMENT (\$15 PER CHILD) FOR PARTICIPATING CHILDREN NEED TO BE IN BY FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER  
DIRECT DEBIT- BSB 433000 ACCT 177325503 (NEW ACCOUNT) PLEASE PUT SURNAME AS REFERENCE AND ALSO  
SEND EMAIL CONFIRMATION WITH NAMES AND AGES TO CHLOEWAKE@HOTMAIL.COM  
CHEQUES PAYABLE TO DARKE PEAK CHRISTMAS TREE OR MAIL WITH NAMES AND AGES TO  
CHLOE WAKE RSD 165 DARKE PEAK SA 5642  
CHILDREN MUST BE PRESENT ON THE NIGHT TO RECEIVE THEIR GIFT FROM SANTA

Final call for monetary donations for groceries for the graduation. Our wonderful community has donated what was already asked but extras are required for sweets and salads on the night. To make a monetary donation towards the night please put in an envelope and deliver to CLEVE HARDWARE attention Kelly. Thank you so much for your generosity. Liz Nield and Kelly Richardson



## Saving the School Dental Program

If you would like to help save the school dental program, please attend the parent forum on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm, at the school to discuss the future of this important health initiative and make a plan for solutions in 2021.

The School Dental Program is designed to provide consistent, dependable and sustainable local dental services for children between 0-18 years old.

In rural areas, the program is delivered by the private dental practice and is free.

The program is funded by the government but due to a shortage of dental practitioners and growing funding gaps, the continuity of the program across the Central Eyre region is at risk.

Dental disease is preventable and all children deserve the opportunity to access information and treatment.

This is your community and we want to exchange ideas and views of how we can collaborate and ensure a vision for all our children to be disease free for their future.

To prepare for a COVID-safe meeting, please RSVP via your local school by Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November

Dr Carol Koch and Dr Cindy Dennis



# JUMP ROPE for HEART



A reminder that students have been busy at school spending their time learning new skills with skipping ropes and improving their fitness levels at the same time, whilst getting themselves ready for the big JUMP OFF on Friday November 13<sup>th</sup>.

Many of our primary students have raised money for this worthy cause both online and through the traditional method of visiting family, friends and community members and asking for donations or sponsorship. As of Tuesday this week, we had raised over \$8900 – Wow!

The Jump Off will be the cut-off date for fundraising so any money collected needs to be returned to the school before Friday. Students are encouraged to return the 'scannable wristband' to school so they can be sent back to the Heart Foundation for recycling.

I have included a timetable of the sessions for Friday if you would like to come along, however, it is a good idea to check with your child's class teacher just before the day, in case there are any last minute changes. Visitors will need to sign in at the main entrance before entering the gymnasium.

Session	Time	Class	*Be there by.....
1	9.00 – 10.00	Year 4/5 Roach Year 4/5 Williamson	8.55 to start 9.00 sharp
2	10.05 - 10.35	Reception/Year 1 Agnew Reception/Year 1 Hunt	10.00 to start 10.05 sharp
3	10.40 - 11.10	Year 2/3 Millard/Elson Year 2/3 Quinn/Crosby	10.35 to start 10.40 sharp
4	1.45 - 2.45	Year 6/7 Martens Year 6/7 Kenny	1.40 to start 1.45 sharp

*Graeme Byrnes and Jess Quinn*

*JUMP ROPE FOR HEART Co-ordinators*

