



# Wilmington Primary School Newsletter

*Respect ~ Care ~ Honesty ~ Persistence*  
*Learn Grow Achieve Together*

**Term 2    Week 2    2022**

## School Rules

**Be Respectful**

**Be Caring**

**Be Persistent**

**Be Honest**

## Upcoming Events

### Dancify Incursion

Monday May 16

### Mobile Library

Tuesday  
May 17 & 31

### Choir Practice

(Jamestown)  
May 20  
July 1

### Assembly

Tuesday May 24  
9:15am

### Queen's Birthday Holiday

Monday June 13

### Student Free Day

Tuesday June 14

### BIRTHDAYS

**Alaiah**

**Olivia**

## From the Principal.....

**Welcome to Term 2. We hope you all had an enjoyable holiday with your children.**

### WELCOME

We welcome Layth (Year 4) and Matt (Year 2) to our school and hope they enjoy their time here.

### NAPLAN

NAPLAN testing will occur online for our Year 3 & 5 students over the next two weeks. NAPLAN tests the sorts of skills that are essential for every child to progress through school and life, such as reading, writing, spelling, grammar and numeracy. It is important to remember that NAPLAN is not about passing or failing, but about assessing learning progress. We appreciate the effort and time students put into completing the tests.

### DANCIFY

On Monday, May 16, a group called Dancify will visit the school. Dancify teaches students a wide range of different dances and styles in an environment that is familiar to them. The dances have an emphasis on building self confidence, creativity, body awareness and most importantly, self esteem in young children.

### STAFFING

Ms Grace Hollitt is taking personal leave this term. We welcome Mrs Sue Eatts who will be filling in for her.

### SAPSASA CROSS COUNTRY

Thank you to the parents who donated and helped prepare food for the SAPSASA Cross Country day.

Well done to all students who made the effort to participate in the cross country events.

Congratulations to Oskar Stroeh for coming 6th.

### JUMP ROPE 4 HEART

A big thankyou to Mrs Eatts for ensuring that our students are prepared for our Jump Off in Week 8. It is wonderful to see our students practising their skills both during PE sessions and break times. Participation forms for students were sent home last week. Please register your interest online.

Kind regards

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# My experience at the GRIP Leadership Conference

On Thursday the 5<sup>th</sup> of May, Sari, Amelia, Riley and I went to a special leadership conference in Port Augusta. We learned many different things on how to “step up”, which means to make change. There were some breaks, funny shows like the “loud noise boys” who were really funny and made LOTS of NOISE! There was also a role-play where there was a mad scientist and three students; Riley from our school, Duncan from another school and Estella from another school. The role-play was to show integrity and honesty is very important as a school leader and/or SRC. Another major thing we learnt about was “teamwork”. Teamwork was a very important point of being a leader, and the way they presented the major points of being the best school leader/SRC you can.

In general, I really loved that day and would hope some of you can see it for yourself!

-|==| - Aaliyah Taylor, Year 6 -|==| -

## My experience at the GRIP leadership conference

Last Thursday Aaliyah, Sari, Riley and I we went to the GRIP leadership conference in Port Augusta to talk about how to be a good leader at our school. Then we talked about how to stand up for yourself and be brave. Also our host was Rohan that talk to us through the day and how to be a good leader. Then after a break Riley got to go on a role play on the stage. Riley and two other people where playing a show where the science teacher boiled the seeds and made them plant them. One month later they went back to the science room and Riley didn't have any flowers but the other did. When you boil a seed it wont grow. So Riley was showing honesty. Honesty is a good thing because when you lie, people won't believe you. Also we had a lesson on loud noises and Jack and Levi were teaching us for loud noises. I got to go up on stage for a game of heads or tails and this girl called Estella won the game and it was fun!!

\_\_\_Amelia Eve Noll\_\_\_





# WPS Term 2 Calendar 2022



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 2	09/05	10/05	11/05	12/05	13/05
	NAPLAN				
Week 3	16/05 Dancify Incursion (12-1pm)	17/05 Mobile Library (10:30-11:35)	18/05	19/05	20/05 Choir Practice (Jamestown)
	NAPLAN				
Week 4	23/05	24/05 Assembly (9:15am)  Governing Council 6:30pm	25/05	26/05	27/05
	Reconciliation Week				
Week 5	30/05	31/05 Mobile Library (10:30-11:35)	01/06	02/06	03/06 Tyke-Oh Drumming (9-1pm)
Week 6	06/06	07/06 NE SAPSASA Soccer Trials @ CB	08/06	09/06	10/06
Week 7	13/06 <b>Queen's Birthday Holiday</b>	14/06 <b>Student Free Day</b>	15/06	16/06	17/06
Week 8	20/06	21/06 Assembly (9:15am)	22/06	23/06 Jump Rope for Heart Showcase	24/06
Week 9	27/06	28/06 Mobile Library (10:30-11:35)	29/06	30/06	01/07 Choir Practice (Jamestown)
Week 10	04/07	05/07	06/07 NE SAPSASA Golf Trials @ Gladstone	07/07	08/07 Casual Clothes Day 2:20pm Dismissal