From the Principal’s Desk...

Mr Kenny has been busy this week in Port Augusta for a Principal’s conference and I have been Acting Principal in his absence. It has been a very busy term so far with lots of exciting classroom activities and camps. The Reward Camp was a great success with the students excited to share their stories and experiences. Thank you to our counsellors Mrs Geri Prizzi and Mr Daniel Botten for organising this camp and well done to all the students that worked hard all year to meet the requirements for Reward Camp. The year 6/7s have also recently returned from their camp to Errappa. Thank you to Mrs Griffiths for her organisation and also to Mr Andy Wooden for his assistance.

SAASTA Shield Camp is currently in Adelaide and we look forward to hearing all about their adventure when they return.

Thank you to the parents that put in letters for class requests next year.

Every effort will be made to accommodate these, however, please be aware that this does not guarantee that your child will be allocated as requested.

There are many different considerations we need to take into account for each child, these include social and emotional needs, friendships, academics, behaviours and other individual learning needs. For example, you may put in a request for your child to be with a friend but another parent may request against this. Therefore as a school we spend a considerable amount of time to ensure the best possible placement for each child. Classes will be announced at the end of the year so that you can prepare your child for their new teacher.

If you have been on site lately, you will have noticed a lot of building construction being undertaken on our Senior rooms. Our Home Economics building is also undertaking major construction in preparation for our Trade Training Centre. Our new Preschool building is also still in the planning stages and should be in full swing next year.

We wish all our year 12 students the very best as they finish up their studies and exams. May you all have bright futures ahead of you!

Mrs Adele Kenny
Early Years Senior Leader (Acting Principal)

Upcoming Dates to Remember...

Monday 10th Nov—Governing Council Meeting 5:30pm in the Library Boardroom
Tuesday 11th Nov—Remembrance Day
Friday 21st Nov—Year 12 Graduation
Wednesday 26th Nov—Carols by Candlelight
Thursday 27th Nov—Year 7 Graduation
Tuesday 2nd Dec—Presentation Day
Ms Johansen’s 
Year 2/3 Class

In Design and Technology, we learnt how to construct a 3D animal model by drawing it by grid referencing, modelling it in clay, and then making a life size emu from chicken wire, paper mache, wood and crepe paper.

We are making the body shape

The head & beak were constructed separately from the body

The legs are made of wood, covered in paper mache & will be painted brown

It will be finished for viewing before the Christmas break.
DEADLY Centre Recount Book

The Deadly Centre class wrote a recount on our trip to the Breakaways, which has now been printed into a book. In week 2 this term the book was officially presented to all of the students who attended the trip and everyone who helped in making our day out so special. The book will now be used as a learning resource in the school to encourage students to understand the cultural significance of the Breakaways and inspire students to read in English and Yankunytjatjara.

A very special thanks to Dave Laslett for his help in getting this beautiful book printed and to Marion Baker for translating the book into Yankunytjatjara.

Sarah Turner (DEADLY Centre Teacher)
Year 8—10 Reward Camp

Year 8—10 students have been working hard all year to meet weekly attendance, behaviour, achievement and effort goals. Last week 22 students travelled to Adelaide for their Reward Camp.

Students enjoyed activities including go karting, laser skirmish, rock climbing and bowling. For some of the students, it was the first time they had participated in these activities. It was fantastic to see everyone encouraging each other and trying their best.

On Wednesday evening we enjoyed a very special celebration at the Stamford Grand where we were able to enjoy some delicious food and watch the sunset at Glenelg beach. During our time at Adelaide Shores, students enjoyed spending time at the beach, riding the go karts, playing on the jumping pillow, and swimming in the pool. On our final day in Adelaide, we spent the day at Marion enjoying some shopping and a trip to the movies. A big thank you to Dean Aulich for all your help during camp.

“\textit{I loved spending time at the beach and playing in the waves. We definitely don’t get to do that in Coober Pedy!}” - Tyson, Year 8.

“\textit{I have never tried oysters before. At our celebration dinner, I tried them and didn’t like them but at least I can say that I’ve tried oysters!}” Olivia, Year 8.

Thank you to our sponsors: Oz Minerals, Remote School Attendance Strategy and Mike Maylin Constructions.

\textit{Daniel Botten & Geri Prizzi — School Counsellors}
Carols By Candlelight

*Back on the stage again this year at IMX Oval on Wednesday 26th Nov at 8pm.*

Unfortunately we are not having the usual Poster Competition this year BUT we are looking for Kids to decorate the posters for advertising the event, Lots of colour and flare. You can find the posters to decorate at the Library. Pop your name and age on the back and deliver back to the Library by Friday of next week…14th November. Every participant will get a small gift of thanks on the night. Any questions about Posters ask Tracey 86725038

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