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Mid Murray Immunisation Programme
10.30am - 11.00am
at the Swan Reach Area School/Community Library
3rd Tuesday of each month except December.
FREE Pneumococcal Vaccination is available for infants up to 2 years Please book through the Cambrai Council office on 8564 6020

Swan Reach Area School  P.O. Box 31, Swan Reach, S.A.  5354
Phone: 8570 2053  Fax: 8570 2325
www.swanrchas.sa.edu.au
or email: dl0423.info@schools.sa.edu.au
Swan Reach Community Library: Phone: 8570 2298
Hello Swan Reach,

What beautiful afternoon and early evening weather we were blessed with for our WeMatter Launch. It was pleasing to see that the thorough organisation of the WeMatter Action Team and staff, ensured the success of this school community event. There are many individual efforts, time, dedication and actions given, proving that ‘the whole is greater than the sum of the parts’.

WEMATTER LAUNCH THANKYOU
There are many who made the launch fun, exciting and run smoothly. The list is too extensive to name all individually involved, however we are most grateful for the contributions of the following groups, organisations and services.

WeMatter Action team and SRAS staff
Nildottie Tennis Club
Ridley Lions Club
Swan Reach CFS
Mid Murray Family Connections
Mid Murray Tours
Mallee Car Club
Swan Reach Hotel
Berri Disability Advocacy

SRAS Parents & Friends
Nildottie Progress Association
Busy Bouncers
Swan Reach Ambulance
OPAL
Big Bend By Night
Swan Reach Op Shop
Murray Bridge Centacare
Swan Reach Lutheran Church

Finally but not least, thank you to the community members, parents, carers, friends and students for supporting the launch. Let’s keep collaborating to continue building positive relationships that are important for the wellbeing of ALL, especially our children and students.

FORMAL
Our year 12s and their partners ‘glammed it up’ for the formal at the Stamford Grand in Glenelg on Friday 20th May. The formal provides a great opportunity for their enjoyment and is somewhat a reward for so many years of schooling. I’m sure everyone had a great time.

PEDAL PRIX
Well done to our Pedal Prix team who competed in the Loxton event on Sunday 15th May. The team is quite young when compared with previous ones. They managed to finish about halfway out of the 90 teams. Thanks to Mr Carter and Mr Martinson for facilitating the team’s development.

John Robertson

Swan Reach/Nildottie Youth
“A MEAL, MOVIE & MORE”
6– 8pm
FRIDAY 24th June
At the
Nildottie Church Hall
Food and drinks will be supplied
Please bring along an item of non-perishable food for the
Lutheran Community Care Winter Appeal
For further info please phone
Sonya 8570 1068
Or Taryn 8770 2377

Keep your kids smiling

At the School Dental Service, dental care is FREE for all babies, children not yet at school and most children to age 17.

The School Dental Service is a Child Dental Benefits Schedule provider.

Call us now for an appointment!
Nuriootpa Dental Clinic
Phone: 8562 1588

SA Dental Service
**PRIMARY SCHOOL**

It is getting COLD!! Please make sure to keep warm and let's get through this winter with a smile.!!

Week3 Focus Class: Year 3/4 class Geography

Students are learning about three different climate zones: Polar, Temperate, and Tropical with Mrs O. Year 3s have been finding photos

The Biome for Polar Zone is Tundra. Leslie

Tropical climate is hot and humid. Tahni

In the Polar climate zone, Winters are long and dark. Dana

Primary Sub School Coordinator
Yuka Endersby

**Colouring competition**

Well done to all the students who participated in the Berri Office Shop Easter colouring competition!! Congratulations to Olivia who won a stationary pack for best colouring in.
Swan Reach and Area Kindergarten
Director Jess Schwarz
Phone: 8570 2032
Fax: 8570 2174
Email: jess.schwarz538@schools.sa.edu.au

"Eat a Rainbow"

In Term 1 we introduced the children to Opals healthy eating program:
"Eat a Rainbow".
We tasted fruits and vegetables in the rainbow colours. The children helped cutting them into small pieces and tasted everything. They didn't have to eat it, if it was disliked by them. However, we pointed out, that it is a good idea to retry foods because tastes buds can change over time. It's Term 2 now, and we finished our selection. Have a look how colourful it is.

Learning Outcomes:
Children are effective communicators
- They express ideas and use information to represent their thinking
Children have a sense of wellbeing
- They take increasing responsibility for their own health

Swan Reach and Area Kindergarten and Playgroup Governing Council

Playgroup

@ Swan Reach & Area Kindergarten
Showground Road, Swan Reach (same grounds as school)

All children birth – school age and their parents/carers welcome!

Held WEDNESDAY 10am – 12noon during selected weeks of term

Playgroup dates in 2016 please note changes:

TERM 1: February 3, 17, 21 March 3, 23 April 1, 15
TERM 2: May 7, 21 June 5, 19, 23 July 7
TERM 3: July 21 August 4, 18, 22 September 5, 19, 23
TERM 4: October 19 November 3, 17, 21

During weeks 2, 6 and 9 of any term, Swan Reach Playgroup members are invited to join in at the Blanchetown Play Centre 9am - 12noon

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEE PAYABLE TO PLAYGROUP SA
NO SESSION FEES

For more info contact Kristy Castle 0438 857 721
SWAN REACH

kids club

Swan Reach Lutheran Church Hall
3:15pm to 4:30pm
Wed 8th June, Wed 29th June
For children Reception to Year 5 Cost $1 per child
Program includes

- An afternoon snack
- Bible story
- Songs
- Activity

For more information contact
Taryn Grieger 8570 2377

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Our friends at the Cambodian Orphanage
"New Smile" - 2016

Lily’s grandparents, Chris and Don visit Cambodia regularly to help and support children and staff at the Orphanage. They introduced us to their different way of life, by sharing photos and stories. We will stay in contact with them, by exchanging paintings, photos and craft items.

Learning Outcomes:
1. Children are connected to their world
   - They respond to diversity with respect

2. Children have a sense of identity
   - They learn to interact with care and empathy
Swan Reach Area School were extremely lucky to have a visit from One50 Dance. One50 is all about creating a positive space for young people to be inspired, build friendships and learn and perform incredible dance moves! One50 have a studio in the Barossa for more info visit www.one50.com

SWAN REACH COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Come in and check out the new children’s picture book area in the library. It looks fantastic! New books and DVD’s are arriving every week.

Friendly staff, fresh produce available for sale, all your photocopying, faxing, laminating and enlarging can be done in the community library.
**Milo/Pyjama Day**

**FRIDAY 3rd June**

*Bring your own*

**PYJAMA PARTY**

*Gold coin donation*

Students may wear a tracksuit or pj’s for the day!

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**CERT 3 IN RURAL PRODUCTION**

Simone is doing a Cert 3 in Rural Production. Simone is able to complete this Certificate will working on her family property. If you think this is something you would be interested in doing please talk to Simone to find out more or contact

Trade Schools for the Future Riverland on 8595 2697

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**Parents and Friends**

**Australia’s BIGGEST MORNING TEA**

**Friday**

**24th June**

**10am**

**SRAS Library**

Please bring a plate of food to share and a donation for this great cause.

Helpers are needed on the day to set up and clean up

Please contact Jo Dettloff if you can help in anyway

8570 2332

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**Scholastic Book Club Orders**

have gone home today

and are due back by

**Wednesday 8th June**

For more information about the scholastic book club please contact

Mrs Poole 8570 2053

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**DON’T FORGET**

Download “Remind” today

Don’t miss important messages from SRAS

Download the app or log on at

www.remind.com

and join the srnote class
Pedal Prix

On the 15th May the pedal prix team went to Loxton to race for the 6 hour pedal prix race. Everyone arrived at the race by 9:00am so we all helped set up and get everything organised for the race. Ben was the first racer, he had to do the pit lap where no one is allowed to move ahead of anyone until the next lap. Once that lap was down everyone went fast.

I was the 4th racer to race, I did 3 laps because my legs didn’t feel very good and there was no air in the bike. I felt like I was going to faint because it was really hot in the bike. During my time in the bike I got sandwiched between two people they tried pushing me against the wall so I would crash, lucky I got away and didn’t crash.

Once I got out of the bike Blake got in the bike while I had some rest and moved my legs around because I couldn’t feel my legs or my feet. While I was moving my legs I ate some food so I would have some energy to ride up the big hill, it was hard to ride up the hill as it was steep.

Once Blake got out of the bike Dalton got in, he went for roughly half an hour. Once he got out he was sweating but he looked like he still had enough energy to keep on going but we had to pull him in otherwise he would have been very tired and we also had to let others have a go in the bike.

After everyone had a go in the bike we went back to the start of the order. Everyone had another go. During my 2nd time in the race I was going a lot faster than I did before because I had more energy from eating and drinking lots of water. I also had a powerade as a lot of people said it helped them so mum brought me some and that helped me race because it gave me more energy.

Overall we came 56 out of 88 bikes, that’s not bad for our team who are in year 7, 8 and 9 verses year 11 and 12s and some others who were in their 20s who were in category 4. The average speed was 32km per hour and the fastest lap was 2:50. During the 6 hours we did 138km all up with a team of 8 kids which was a really good result.

Jill Hall
NEW DVDS
Fiction, Non Fiction

Books for Everyone
A great range of new books now available.
Come and visit us in the library today!
Local newspapers, magazines and a large range of DVD's are also available.
We have books for everyone.