

ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS:

- Book Week 2018
- Arts Week Calendar
- Year 8 Art Gallery Visit
- Pedal Prix Race 1

(Pictured: Pedal Prix 'Odyssey' team - see article on page 8)



DIARY DATES

2/8	Stage I Cert III Screen & Media Excursion - AIE
3/8	AIME Excursion (Year 9/10) Stage I Child Studies & Preschool Picnic Year 10 Science Alive Excursion
7/8	Governing Council Meeting (6.00pm)
9/8	Primary Years Assembly (CFI1 & CF6)
10/8	STAR Group Meeting Night (Observatory)
13/-17/8	Science Week
13/8	Science Week Celebration Day VISTA Year 8/9 Boys 9-A-Side AFL Carnival
14/8	Book Week Parade in the Courtyard (9.00am) ICAS Mathematics Competition (Year 2-12)
15/8	Wakakirri Performance Day School Tour (9.00am)

See next page for **Upcoming Dates**

Click here to view our online calendar

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Preparing for 2019

We are at the time of year where we identify leadership and teaching positions for 2019 as well as reviewing curriculum and seeing what, if any, changes we might make.

From 2019 we are formalising how we arrange our organisational structure as we move to a Preschool to Year 6 and Year 7 to Year 12 model within our P-12 School. We are also working on programming to move Year 7 students more into the secondary timetabling process.

We have recently advertised many leadership positions to support this and we will also have a number of new permanent teacher positions too as our school continues to grow with increasing enrolment demand.

From 2019 we are introducing an Outdoor Education subject offering and maintaining all other subject offerings from this year.

NAPLAN Online

In Week 5 this term some of our students will participate in trial NAPLAN tests using computers online. This is in readiness for 2019 when the paper based NAPLAN tests move to an online model.

Welcome Osaki Visitors

On Wednesday 25th July we welcomed a group of students from Osaki High School, a metropolitan school in Tokyo. They will be with us for a week until the 1st August immersing themselves in our school to improve their English and learn about our way of life. Thank you to our families who have supported this visit with homestay arrangements and of course our buddy students.

Term 3 Staffing Changes

Senior Leader Sharon Robertson is on long service for the first 4 weeks of term. Alan Cadd and Arthur Roubanis continue looking after Maths and Science Coordinator roles respectively in her absence.

Steph Bastian has begun maternity leave. Colleen Goerner and Heather Christie have taken leave for extended holidays. Kate Reid returns to Paralowie School in a student support leadership position.

Consequently the following people have begun contracts at the start of this term:

Katrina Meatheringham is taking Steph Bastian's Reception class for Terms 3 and 4.

Lesya Volkova is taking Colleen Goerner's class for the next 6 weeks.

Anita Rathee is taking Heather Christie's class for the next 4 weeks.

Christina Tziortzis is taking Kate Reid's class for Terms 3 and 4.

Daniel Smith continues teaching Tech Studies behind Ian Pfizner who is taking leave in Terms 3 and 4.



Nigel Gill, Principal

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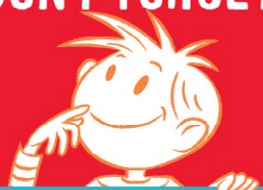
2-5 Around Our School

6-7 Arts Week

8 Pedal Prix

9 Community Notices

DON'T FORGET!



SCHOLASTIC
Book Club
orders are due:
Friday, 10th August

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

SCHOOL TOURS 2018

School tours are held on Wednesdays mornings from 9.00am-10.15am as listed below

Bookings are required via our website

15 August	Term 3, Week 4
12 September	Term 3, Week 8
7 November	Term 4, Week 4

PUPIL FREE DAYS 2018

Friday 31 August	Term 3, Week 6
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SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY

Monday 3 September	Term 3, Week 7
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- > Serving our community
- > Instilling values and embracing our future

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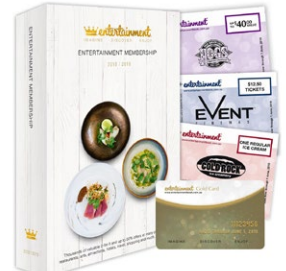
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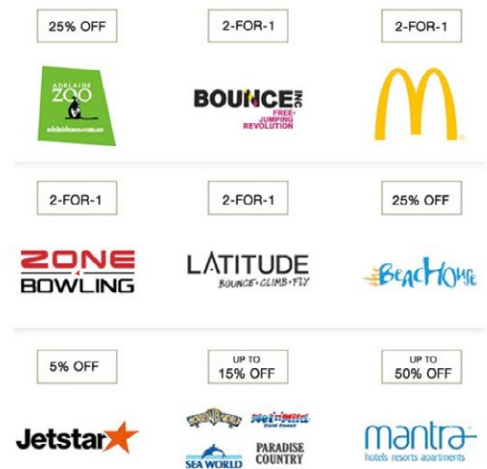
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If you wish to order a hard copy of the Entertainment Book you can contact Sonja Hahn, Finance Officer on Sonia.hahn343@schools.sa.edu.au or call 8263 6244.

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PRESCHOOL - NOW ENROLLING FOR 2019



LET YOUR CHILD GROW WITH US

The Heights Preschool is an integral part of The Heights P-12 School. It is committed to developing mutually respectful partnerships with families, professional colleagues and support agencies in providing a high quality Preschool program that reflects the values and vision statement of The Heights School and The Early Years Learning Framework: 'Belonging, Being and Becoming'.

Guided by the Early Years Learning Framework, The Heights Preschool aims to consistently provide a personal, welcoming, caring, safe, stimulating and appropriately challenging environment that upholds the rights and voice of the child and celebrates all young children as competent, creative individuals.

For all enquiries;

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Preschool - Year 12

SCHOOL VOLUNTEER PARTNERSHIP - KRISPY KREME FUNDRAISER

The School Volunteer Partnership is running a Krispy Kreme doughnut fundraiser.

Order forms will be sent home to families shortly. Additional forms can be collected from the Front Office or Finance Office.

One dozen Original Glazed doughnuts for \$20, one dozen Classic Assorted doughnuts (half/half) for \$23. \$5 from every box sold goes back to our school!

Please return order form with payment to the Finance Office or Class Teacher by Thursday 6th September 2018 (Week 7). No online payments will be accepted after 3pm on this day.

Orders can be collected from the Community Room on Wednesday 26th September 2018 (Week 10) between 2.30 pm and 3.30 pm.



Original Glazed Dozen

One pack contains:
12 x Original Glazed doughnuts

Legendary in taste & simplicity.



Fundraiser Assorted Dozen

One pack contains:
6 x Original Glazed
2 x Chocolate Iced
2 x Chocolate Iced with Sprinkles
2 x Strawberry Iced

Something the whole family can enjoy.

SCHOOL VOLUNTEER PARTNERSHIP - FATHER'S DAY



FATHER'S DAY STALL

WEDNESDAY 29TH AUGUST 9AM – 2.30PM

MIDDLE SCHOOL BREAK OUT AREA

Primary Learning Years – when your teacher takes you

Middle Learning Years – Recess and Lunch Time

Senior Learning Years – Recess and Lunch Time

AIP – you are welcome whenever you can

VARIETY OF GIFTS FROM .50c TO \$6.00

Gift wrapping available

ALL PROCEEDS GO BACK INTO THE SCHOOL



BOOK WEEK 2018 - FIND YOUR TREASURE

This year the students are celebrating Book Week with a parade on **Tuesday, 14th August** at around 9.00am in the courtyard between the Resource Centre and Canteen. Because the ground is cold and hard, maybe you might be able to find an old cushion or pillow that your child could bring to sit on.

We would love it if all students could be involved by dressing up as one of the following:

- A favourite book character
- A character connected to this year's Book Week theme which is "FIND YOUR TREASURE"

Costumes don't have to be elaborate. If you don't have anything suitable, try making a mask or hat or something simple to create a character.

And of course parents and teachers are invited to dress up and join in our parade.

There will also be lots of activities during the week to celebrate the books that we love.

Joan Sullivan, Resource Centre



YEAR 8 ART GALLERY VISIT

Year 8 Art Gallery visit to *Colours of Impressionism: Masterpieces from the Musée d'Orsay*

On Wednesday in Week 1 three Year 8 Visual Art Classes went on an excursion to the Art Gallery of South Australia to see the Colours of Impressionism Exhibition and the Waterhouse Natural Science Art Prize 2018.

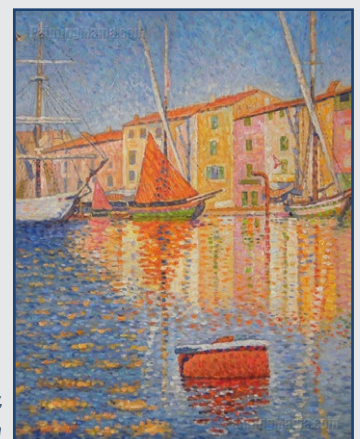
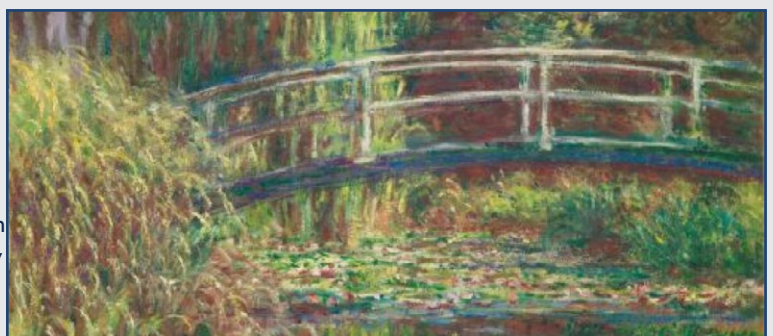
The Colours of Impressionism Exhibition includes the work of artists such as Monet, Renoir, Manet, Morisot, Pissarro and Cézanne, among many others. The students were impressed with the paintings and felt it was a really worthwhile experience. They will be following up in class by analysing their favourite paintings and creating some artworks of their own, based on what they saw at the Gallery.

While we were in the city we also had the opportunity to visit the Museum and have a look at the Waterhouse Exhibition. The students found the use of different materials to make art works quite challenging, as they viewed sculptures and images made from a variety of media. Of particular interest, in both exhibitions, was how the works were displayed and we discussed the curatorial aspects and preparations involved in putting on an exhibition.

It was also great to meet up with Ms Sims and her group of Year 11 Art Students while we were in town and we all travelled back together on the bus.

Thank you to the students for helping to make the day a great success.

Catherine Bourn and Beth Sztel
Visual Art Teachers



Pictured right: Paul Signac, *The Red Buoy*, 1895 Oil on Canvas 81.2cm x 65cm



ARTS WEEK 2018

Prizes worth a total of \$200-00!
The Heights Art Exhibition
Competition
Celebrating Ten Years!
20th to the 24th August 2018

The Visual Arts Department would like to invite entries for this prestigious Art Award, now in its 10th Year! The Exhibition will be held in the Middle School Multi Space and has been planned to coincide with both Arts Week and Book Week this year. This venue will be a focal point for other activities planned for the week so your work will gain maximum exposure. Awards and prizes will be announced in the morning on Tuesday 21st August at the official opening of the exhibition.

First Prize

A Gift Voucher to purchase Art Materials to the value of \$80 plus a certificate acknowledging your achievement.

People's Choice Award

A Gift Voucher to purchase Art Materials to the value of \$30 plus a certificate acknowledging your achievement.

Inggarni Wardli Prize Pronounced IN-GAA-NI WAD-LI, 'place of learning or enquiry' in Kaurna
 (A new prize first offered in 2017 open to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students only).

A Gift Voucher to purchase Art Materials to the value of \$30 plus a certificate acknowledging your achievement.

Book Week Prizes (Book week entries must be A4 size)

Senior School Prize \$20 gift voucher for Art Materials

Middle School Prize \$20 gift voucher for Art Materials

Junior School Prize Art Materials to the value of \$20

Diary Cover for 2019 - Your art work could be selected for the cover of next year's school diary.

Conditions of Entry

1. Art works can be of any medium
i.e. acrylic, oil, watercolour, ink, pencil, pastel, charcoal, photography, digital imaging, multi-media.
2. Art works can be 2D or 3D, except Book Week Entries (A4 only).
3. Art works must be no larger than 1.5m x 1.5m including frame, except Book Week Entries (A4 only).
4. If works are framed they must include a wire or hook to hang them from.
5. You can offer your art works for sale but any work sold must remain on display until the exhibition closes.
6. The judging panel consists of Nigel Gill - Principal, Vicki Cook - Business Manager and Catherine Bourn - Artist and Art Teacher.
7. The judges' decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
8. The winning entry will be chosen according to the following criteria.
 - a. Creativity and originality
 - b. Sensitivity and skill in use of media
 - c. Presentation
9. Winners will be announced in the venue on Tuesday 21st August at 9.30am. Entry forms are available from the Art Department and the Library. Please use a separate entry form for each art work entered. Entries must be received by Monday 13th August and work must be delivered to the Art Department by Thursday 16th August.

No late entries will be accepted.

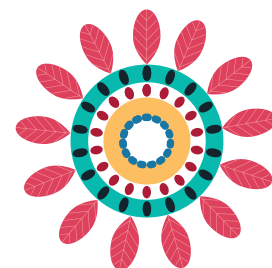
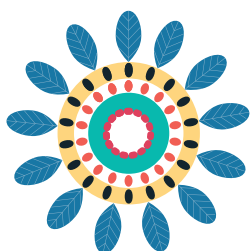
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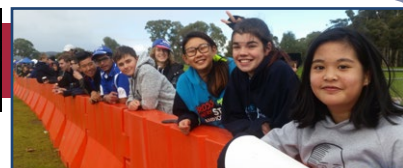


Mon Aug 20	Audience	Tues Aug 21	Audience	Wed Aug 22	Audience	Thurs Aug 23	Audience	Fri Aug 24	Audience	Lessons
Art Exhibitions / Competition Musical Delights Before School, Recess Photography –Yr 10 Creative Arts Class Year 12 Cake decorating display in the Resource Centre										Static Displays
Opening Primary School Art Exhibition Breakout Area	Festival Choir Primary students	Opening of the Art Exhibition and Competition Awards Multi Space	Selected Audience	Yr 5 Music Technology Workshop DG12	Selected Yr 5	Preschool/Year 8 Clay Preschool	Preschool Year 8 Art Students	Heights Got Talent Primary Drama Space	Primary Years	1/2
Music Theatre Workshop Drama Space	Selected Students	Wakakirri Presentations Gym	10. am P-4 10.20 am Yr 5-7	Preschool/Year 9 Clay Preschool	Preschool Year 9 Art Students					
		Music Theatre Workshop Drama Space		Vocalists Masterclass Workshop Performance Space	Selected Vocalists					
				Performance Skills Performance Space	Senior Music Students	Heights Got Talent Middle Years Drama Space	Selected Students	Yr 7 Singing Workshop Drama Space	Primary Year 3/4/5/6	3/4
Heights Got Talent Senior Drama Space										Lunch
		Music Theatre Performance	Year 7			Dress Rehearsal Sounds of Winter in Concert Performance Space	Performers Yr 3-4 Audience	Yr 6 Singing Workshop Drama Space	Year P-2	5/6
						6.30 pm Sounds of Winter Concert Performance Space	School Community			

Tues Aug 28	Audience	Wed Aug 29	Audience	Thurs Aug 30	Audience
Wind in the Willows Drama Production Tech Rehearsal	Tech Crew	Wind in the Willows Drama Production Rehearsal	Cast and Tech crew	Wind in the Willows Drama Production Performance	Upper Primary
				Wind in the Willows Drama Production Performance	Middle Years
		Performance	Early Years		
		Wind in the Willows Drama Production Performance	School Community	Wind in the Willows Drama Production Performance	School Community



Race #1 Report Victoria Park Racecourse



On Saturday and Sunday 16th/17th of June The Heights School Pedal Prix team were at Victoria Park Racecourse as early as 7.00 am setting up their pits, workshop and kitchen on the edge of the track for a day of racing. Although the weather was cool and at times a bit drizzly, our determined team of students, parents, old scholars and volunteers from The Heights community were there with their vehicles THOR and Orion, on Saturday morning and Pulsar and Odyssey on Sunday morning, ready for their 6 hour races.

Our students on the Sunday morning are shown below before the race.



"Pulsar" Riders (From left): Zayne Henderson, Yaxuan Zu, Gemma Blake, Brenton Bull, Evan Johnson, Jas Dhingra, Jirah Baker, Jackson Li, Minuka DeSilva, Liam Bloomfield, Madeline Blake

"Odyssey" Riders (Pictured on cover page - From left): Lovanya Mittal, Althea Partible, Anthony Gouws, Saya Kikuchi, David Maslov, Campbell Stoddard, Lachlan Blake, Troy Fortanier, Jamie Habbershaw, Bryn Follet, Caitlin Bull, Mithuni De Silva, Deborah Baker

Students have commented on their involvement in Race #1 below answering a series of questions:

- How you felt before the race:**

"A little nervous and excited at the same time" (Lachlan Blake)

"Worried, anxious, but excited" (Evan Johnson)

"I felt fine as I had done this race before" (Claudia Doeland)

- How you felt after the race:**

"Tired and happy" (Anthony Gouws)

"I felt relieved and very hungry!" (Lovanya Mittal)

"Relieved, happy and proud of myself and my team" (Jirah Baker)

- The best part of the event**

"Getting a good time for one of my laps" (Jamie Habbershaw)

"Seeing other riders crash" (Troy Fortanier)

"The food!" (Bryn Folland and Caitlin Bull)

- The most challenging part of the day**

"The hill climb part of the race" (Yaxuan Zhu)

"Near the end when you have no energy to ride" (Minuka De Silva)

"Going uphill!" (Jas Dhingra)

- Anyone you would like to thank**

"My dad for waking up so early and taking me" (Anthony Gouws)

"Ms. Niven and Alison Blake" (Jackson Li)

"Ms. Niven, Alison, Stephen, Jason and Mr. Button" (Althea Partible)

- Your aim/hope for the next Pedal Prix event**

"To ride faster and do more laps" (Saya Kikuchi)

"To do more laps" (Mithuni DeSilva)

"To get a faster time" (David Maslov)

Riders watch the race at "crash corner" between rides in their vehicle

"I think that this Pedal Prix race was very successful and although everyone was a bit nervous beforehand, we all got through it. Altogether Pedal Prix is really fun and lots of people get to enjoy it every year. I think that the best part of Pedal Prix is riding and the team spirit. Although not everyone knows each other, or may not get along, everyone still comes together to enjoy the race which is always great. I would like to thank Jason and his dedicated team of people who work tirelessly on the bikes every week so we can get to the race and ride the best we can. I hope that next race everyone will continue to have a great time!" (Deborah Baker)

"Pedal Prix may seem hard and terrifying but once you are in the bike and out on the track it isn't that bad and is quite fun. Even as one of the most experienced riders from the team, I still find it a little nerve racking but it is great experience and good exercise. The schools team is really supportive of everyone and isn't there to win but just to have fun." (Madeleine Blake)

"Participating in Pedal Prix is pretty terrifying to begin with but getting in the bike is so much fun and great exercise. Pedal Prix is an amazing experience and getting to ride in the bike is well worth the effort put in during training. Our teams are great and supportive and overall the Pedal Prix is just a really great experience." (Jirah Baker)

Thanks to those who work so hard to make Pedal Prix possible...

As always there has been a huge amount of planning, workshops and logistical work to prepare for our first race of the 2018 HPV Super Series. Parent and vehicle manager, Jason Habbershaw has coordinated the repair, maintenance and modification of our 4 vehicles and has ensured that they were all passed by the scrutineers for racing. Jason and his team have also made modifications to our team trailer so that we could more easily transport the large amount of equipment along with our vehicles to the event. His team of vehicle workers on Wednesday nights and some weekends included parents, Stephen and Alison Blake, Brett Boyce, Anthony Cox, Robin and Liz Dowding, Rob Baker and old scholars Stephen Dowding, Matt Habbershaw, Anthony Ward-Colbert, Raumund Cotton, Liam Mickan, Caleb Bond as well as several current students. Our gratitude to these people for their hard work and commitment to ensure our vehicles can compete and look great also.

Special mentions should go to Robin, Liz and Stephen Dowding who again masterminded much of the logistics, including the power, lighting, furniture, lap timing, transportation and catering. Another invaluable family involved in Pedal Prix are the Blakes.... Stephen and Alison Blake managed and coordinated track marshals, uniforms, drink bottles, riding shoes and whatever needs doing at any given time. They both also race in each event along with their children.

Our thanks to our fitness gurus Adrienne Niven and Alison Blake

Our ongoing appreciation must again go to Adrienne Niven and Alison Blake for planning and coordinating training sessions each Tuesday after school and for creating the fitness and teamwork necessary to compete in this challenging series of events.

Once again, thanks to our 2018 Sponsors....



There is still time to join the school's Pedal Prix team.... simply meet in the library after school on Tuesdays or email Mr Button or Ms Niven. "Expression of Interest" forms are available on the school intranet and on our website.



Our next race is July 28th and 29th

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Tuesday 28 August
7pm-8.45pm

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Linda Cranley
University of Notre Dame



Genevieve Johnson
La Trobe University

Wednesday 29 August
7pm-8.45pm

Behaviours for learning and wellbeing

How to set your child up for success



Dr Justin Coulson

Thursday 30 August
7pm-8.45pm

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Tips for identifying, defusing and preventing bullying



Lesley Harrison
eSafety Commissioner



Brett Murray
CEO of Make Bullying History Foundation



Andrew Fuller
Clinical Psychologist

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Summer Season 2018/19 SPORTS VOUCHER REGISTERED CLUB

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- 9 and under (MALE & FEMALE)
- 11 and under (MALE & FEMALE)
 - 13 and under
 - 15 and under
 - 17 and under
- Seniors – open age

Date of birth taken as at 31/12/18

If you are interested in playing summer season 2018/19

REGISTER ONLINE NOW!!!!

You can contact club via club's website:

www.gemini.sa.netball.com.au

All inquiries will be responded to asap. CHECK JUNK MAIL!!!!

All relevant information is available on website—
eg: training times, fees, uniform etc

Club and Team Registrations have to be organised and submitted to association in the coming weeks

daddy AND daughter night

Saturday August 18, 6.30 - 8.30pm

Cost \$5 each (supper included)

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SUMMER PROGRAM

T-Ball is on Thursday nights and commences in the 4th School Term 2018, breaks over Christmas and continues in the 1st School Term 2019

Summer Baseball season commences in August and games are played on Sundays from October 2018 through to March 2019 with a break over Christmas

SEE WEBSITE FOR MORE INFO

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