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NEWSLETTER TERM 1, WEEK 2, 2020



Thank you

ACQUAINTANCE NIGHT TUESDAY 4TH FEBRUARY 2020

Thank you to all families who attended this year's Acquaintance Night.

Classrooms were bursting at the seams. It was certainly a great opportunity for families to meet the class teacher/s along with some of the specialist teachers and to learn about the classroom structures and expectations.

If building good relationships is the cornerstone of how effective we are as educators ... then it stands to reason that we would place high importance on the partnership between you and your child's teachers.

So if you haven't had a chance to meet your child's teacher yet, do make the time to visit the classroom and introduce yourself and should you have any issues or concerns, the first point of call is always the class teacher. All of our educators are good communicators and well equipped in sorting out issues.

We look forward to working together with you in the best interests of your child.



Government of South Australia Department for Education

VOLUNTEER RAN TRAINING WEDNESDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 9.30am

> OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT FRIDAY 28th FEBRUARY

YEARS 5,6,7 AQUATICS 2nd - 6th MARCH

> PUBLIC HOLIDAY MONDAY 9th MARCH

SCHOOL PHOTOS FRIDAY 13th MARCH

CATCH UP SCHOOL PHOTOS TUESDAY 17th MARCH

HARMONY DAY SATURDAY 21st MARCH

STUDENT FREE DAYS TUESDAY 31st MARCH & WEDNESDAY 1st APRIL

A warm welcome back

LYN LANGELUDDECKE

We hope that all of our families had a fun filled holiday with lots of rest, sunshine, friends, family and days filled with those things that you most enjoy doing together. The children have arrived back at school excited to meet their new teacher and classmates. It's been lovely to hear all the holiday stories and to welcome our 552 children at the first assembly for the year last Friday. This was an opportunity to introduce all of the MVPS educators: leaders, teachers and SSOs and our newest children with 75 receptions starting out on their school journey, along with several other children across the year levels who have relocated to our school. We start 2020 with 20 mainstream classes.

A special welcome to new staffand there are several,

Matt Strother in a 5/6 class, Cheree Gordon with 6/7s, Julie Walsh our new library SSO, Patty van den Hoogen and Lyn Scott who are teaming in Year 5, Miru Agil teaming with Sophie with receptions, Kim Corbett teaming with Cate Schueller in a Year 2/3 class, Nat Giffney our new garden specialist teaming with Tamara Piec in the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden program, Jo Rundle curriculum SSO, Kalinda Glatter curriculum SSO/newsletter *...and to staff returning*, Julie Howard teaming with Susie Walker and Anna Bellomarino.

Congratulations to those staff who are continuing in different roles:

Beck Frears our new performing arts teacher covering music, dance and drama and facilitating the choir, Victoria Brown as special education teacher (Mon/Wed) and teaming with Simon Lovett in the 6 & 7 class on Fridays, Cate Schueller in the literacy coach coordinator role and teaming with Kim Corbett (Mon/Tues), Nicky Clark in the Wellbeing Leader Coordinator position (Mon/Wed), Amanda Marcel continuing but in a permanent SSO3 Finance Manager role, Wendy Lithgow in a lead coach role in numeracy (Thur) and teaming with Lauren in Year 6 (Fri) and to Simon Lovett who will have a lead teacher role in wellbeing on Fridays.

Our staff have been busy working together prior to the start of the term to prepare relevant and engaging learning experiences that support and challenge our students. During these initial weeks, the emphasis is on building cohesive class communities based around respectful relationships and supporting every child to grow and develop social and personal skills to be self-aware and self-managing. A driver for this is the continuation of Play Is The Way, with a focus initially on the golden rule: treat others as you would want to be treated along with showing kindness to others. We are again offering mindfulness lessons in a six lesson block for all of our classes, beginning in week 3 with our senior classes.

We continue to look for ways to address and promote growth in any areas requiring improvement. Our key directions for 2020 are continuing our literacy work in reading along with a stronger focus in writing and number. We have two student free days scheduled for week 10 on Tuesday 31st March and Wednesday 1st April when our staff will work intensely with a literacy consultant, Sheena Cameron in these areas. There is always much to consider and this year we will further develop knowledge, understanding and skills relating to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures and sustainability.

We are very optimistic about travelling a well-intentioned journey together with our staff team. Each year as new people join our team and as we each reflect on the previous year's work to refine our practices, new ideas are generated and shared and we are continually in this cycle of growth.

2020 is going to be a great year for all of us at McLaren Vale.

We look forward to the new opportunities that lie ahead and working in partnership with our families.

Have a great year everyone!

It's our first Week!

RECEPTION 2020 CLASSES

Starting school can be an exciting and anxious time for many children (and families). The lead up to the first day, as well as the first week of school can be stressful as it is often unpredictable how it will go.

Leanne caught up with some of our new reception students, parents and teachers to see how it went, and was happy to hear that it has been a positive experience for the majority, with some expected separation anxiety and tears mixed in.

ROOM 6:

Niamh	"I liked seeing my brother when I was eating."			
Arlo B	"I enjoyed playing on the playground."			
Ms Miru	"I have enjoyed getting to know every single person in the class. Especially because we spent the whole day together on Thursday because of the hot weather!"			
Ms Sophie	"Our first weeks was making sure our new students were feeling welcomed and safe. We spent a lot of time learning about our class routines, getting to know each other and lots of play!"			
	ROOM 7:			
Adele C	"I liked learning the numbers."			
Lui P	"I liked everything.The playground,maths and making new friends."			
Ms. Gabby	"I HAVE REALLY LOVED GETTING TO KNOW THE CHILDREN. I AM AMAZED AT THEIR INDEPENDENCE AND HOW WELL THEY ARE SETTLING INTO SCHOOL."			
ROOM 8:				
Connor F	"I'm brave at doing stuff."			
Ella H	"I liked it when we did the painting."			
Mrs Kleinig	"It's lovely getting to know all the brand new children."			
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Welcome New Staff

2020 NEW STAFF













BECK FREARS

Hi, I'm Beck Frears and although I worked one day a week in Room 11 last year, this is my first year teaching Performing Arts at MVPS. I have had numerous teaching roles throughout my career, from Special Education, counselling, classroom teaching, senior drama and primary performing arts. Prior to working here at MVPS I worked for two years at Seacliff PS as their reception to year 7 Performing Arts teacher and I worked as the senior drama teacher of Kangaroo Island prior to that. I have two children that also go to MVPS and I am very excited to have the opportunity to work with the community that I live in. I have a passion for 'The Arts' and I am looking forward to sharing this passion with our school community.

CHERIE GORDON

Hello! My name is Cheree Gordon and I am the new year 6/7 teacher here at McLaren Vale. For the past four years, I was teaching at Willunga Primary School in upper primary classrooms and previous to that I worked in corporate marketing within publishing and financial services. Originally from England, I have lived in Adelaide for the past twelve years with my two young children and thoroughly enjoy the lifestyle Australia offers my family. As a family we play for a local hockey team, hang out at the beach and see as many theatre shows as we can. I feel very fortunate to be part of this welcoming and supportive community which I hope will be reflected in the classroom by providing students with a warm and nurturing learning environment.

JULIE HOWARD

Julie Howard returns to McLaren Vale Primary School after taking some extended leave, and will be working in Room 11 on Thursdays and Room 12 on Fridays.

JULIE WALSH

Hello there everyone. My name is Julie Walsh and I am the new School Services Officer working in the library. Previously I managed the library at Aldinga Beach B-7 School, but scarily I have had over 30 years' experience working for the DECD prior to that.

In a past life I was a Junior primary teacher for over 25 years, and my main passion was literacy and developing a love of books and reading in all my students. After taking a break from teaching for a couple of years, I realised I really missed working with children, so began working in schools again as an SSO. In this capacity I have worked with children with disabilities, literacy and numeracy intervention, one-to-one and classroom support.

I really just fell into the library position at Aldinga by putting my hand up when someone left. It is a decision I will never regret. To be surrounded by books and children all day, every day, is an absolute joy. Creating a welcoming environment where children feel safe and happy is my number one goal, along with providing them with the very best literature I possibly can and ensuring that everyone finds a book that they can engage with and enjoy.

LYN SCOTT

Hi everyone. It is wonderful to be a part of the MVPS community!

I entered into teaching in the late 80s. My schools have included the far west coast, Eyre Peninsula and then the southern districts of Adelaide. My roles have included Special Education Teacher and classroom teacher with key responsibilities in Social Justice, Literacy, Numeracy and Science over the years. Outside of school times, I love being amongst nature particularly the southern beaches and the Murray Riverside.

Camping with family and friends is a favourite holiday. My family is quite a small one now with my teenage son named Scott, golden retriever named Indi and a rescued lorikeet named Lori. In the past my sporting interests have included kayaking, surfing, water skiing and swimming. I am more of a spectator to these (with the dream of riding a long board on a little wave once more.) I laugh when asked what my hobby is because it changes so often.....forever exploring new arts and crafts.

PATTY VAN DEN HOOGEN

I am so pleased to be placed at MVPS.

I studied at Flinders University and began teaching in 2004. I have been very fortunate to work primarily in the southern area, with most of my time being at Seaford Rise Primary School. My roles have included classroom and relief teacher, Aboriginal Education teacher, Special Education teacher and acting School Counsellor. I took a break from teaching to start a family and now have two girls, Brydie and Chloe. They keep me on my toes but are also wonderful little assistants! Our family also includes a rabbit named Snowy, a turtle named Casper, and our newest member...a black Kelpie named Laani. When I am not teaching, I love spending time with family and friends, also being amongst nature, travelling, listening to music, reading, and dancing.

Welcome New Staff

2020 NEW STAFF













MATT STROTHER

Hi, I am Matt Strother and I will be working in room 21. I have worked in the independent and public system through a range of different year levels. Overall I have spent the most time with the year 6 age group. I have had a strong connection to McLaren Vale with my mum and step dad working in the wine industry (now retired). The school community has been very accepting and warm so far. I am really looking forward to 2020, watching the students grow and getting to know lots of new people. Please feel free to come and say hi if you see me out and about.

JO RUNDLE

Hi, my name is Jo and I am a new SSO here at McLaren Vale Primary School. My husband and I have 3 children and as of this year all 3 now attend MVPS. As a family we enjoy spending our free time cramming in as much fun and adventure as we can, but love a movie or two as well. I have been part of the school community for the past 6 years, volunteering in various ways. Whilst volunteering and supporting my own children's educational development, I discovered a deep passion and motivation to support every student to succeed. I am looking forward to working with the students, staff and community at McLaren Vale Primary School.

MIRU AGIL

Hello everyone, my name is Ms Miru and I am going to be teaching in Room 6 on Thursdays and Fridays. I feel very lucky to be able to share our class with Ms Sophie. I started my teaching career in 2009 in Alice Springs in the Northern Territory and have been teaching at various schools both in Alice Springs and Adelaide. I have also worked at various kindergartens I have been teaching receptions at Aldinga Beach Primary School for the past four years and this will be my very first year teaching at Mclaren Vale Primary School. I have lived in Australia for almost 20 years now but I come from the tiny islands of the Maldives in the Indian Ocean. I am blessed with two beautiful children, Rubin who is 9 years old and Maggie who recently turned 2! When I am not at school, I love to paint, sew and go for long walks along the beach with my family. We have a family dog named Rexy who is a Staffy X Blue Heeler who LOVES to run!

KIM CORBETT

Hello, I am Mrs Corbett and I am very excited to join the McLaren Vale Primary School community this year. For the past three years I have loved working as a temporary relief teacher at numerous schools south of Adelaide, including MVPS, while enjoying being a mum to my two children; 3 and 1 years old. Prior to having children I have worked as a specialist PE teacher, middle primary classroom teacher where I also coordinated literacy and years 3-6. I have also spent some time teaching in England and Tanzania. Outside of school I love to spend time with my family, and enjoy being outdoors camping and gardening. I look forward to working with the students, staff and wider community here at McLaren Vale and getting to know everyone.

NAT GIFFNEY

I am super excited to be the new garden specialist, working with Tamara on the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden program. I have a background in public health and am deeply passionate about everyone having access to healthy, fresh organic produce. I know this is important for both healthy humans and a healthy environment. I study soil, compost and microbiology and how this relates to our own microbiome. I look forward to meeting and working with all the parent volunteers who come help out in the Kitchen Garden program!

KALINDA GLATTER

A lot of you will recognise me from Madge Sexton Kindergarten, where I am based on Wednesdays & Thursdays. I joined the MVPS team last year to do the school newsletter which I will continue in 2020. This year my role has broadened to supporting staff in creating harmonious and beautiful learning environments for the children to thrive in. Although my role will be largely office based in the creation of school resources, you will also find me in the junior primary middle space on a Tuesday morning, exploring literacy through art.

2020 Materials and Services Charge

AMANDA MARCEL

Below is some information on the 2020 Materials and Services Charge (M&S) as set by Governing Council. These fees are a very important component of our school funding and are used to help cover the cost of providing a quality education program. Contribution from all families is extremely important to ensure we can purchase equipment and materials to support student learning such as:-

- All stationery and photocopied material.
- Sports equipment
- Access to ICT

• Upgrading of library resources M&S fees are due to be paid by Friday April 9 (end of term 1). This is also the due date for the lodgement of school card and applications to pay by instalments. Please do not hesitate to contact Amanda Marcel, Finance Manager if you need any further information. Invoices have been sent to the person who was nominated as parent/caregiver 1 on the student's enrolment form. If you require a copy of the invoice to be sent to another parent/caregiver please email this request to dl.0251.finance@schools.sa.edu.au by Friday 14 February 2020.

HOW TO PAY:

Cash/EFTPOS: at Student Services in the admin building between 8:30am & 4:00pm, Monday to Friday or placed in the express payment box (outside Student Services).

Phone payment: by credit card by calling Student Services

Online Payments: Pay directly into the school's bank account. Bank SA BSB 105-071 Account Number 280118540. Please use your family code & invoice number as your reference

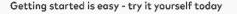
QKR: see enclosed flyer on how to pay using the new QKR app.

Centrepay: Families who receive regular Centrelink payments may use this system which allows payments to be sent automatically to the school on a fortnightly basis. This service is provided at no cost to you. Further information is available from the Finance Office

School Card: The School Card scheme offers financial assistance with school fees (materials and services charges) for students attending government schools. Applications need to be submitted each year with forms available online or in hard copy at Student Services. For more information about applying or eligibility visit www.sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard

Payment by Instalments: please contact Amanda Marcel, Finance Manager, to arrange an instalment plan.





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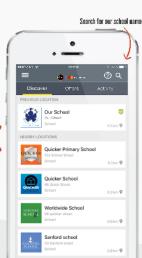
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Step 4 Register your children

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NEW QKR APP—AMANDA MARCEL

McLaren Vale Primary School is now using the QKR app for payments of school fees, uniform orders, camp & excursion payments and fundraising.

Please see information on previous page about how to set it up and make payments.

To place a uniform order, click the uniform shop option in the menu, select the delivery date and then make your selections.

Note: hats and tights are listed under accessories, everything else is listed under the uniform tab.

An order will be submitted to us via email, which we will fill and send home with the student the next business day (unless notified otherwise).

If you would rather collect the items from student services, please ring the school and we will hold the filled order .

REVERSIBLE ADJUSTABLE BUCKET HATS — AMANDA MARCEL

New hats are now available from the office.

These hats are navy on the outside for everyday wear and the reverse side are available in 4 colours for students to wear on sports day. These hats do not have strings around the necks, instead an adjustable toggle, so that they are accessible and are safe for all children.

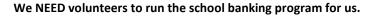
They are priced at \$15.

Stock is available in the uniform shop and student services or you can order via the new QKR app.



SCHOOL BANKING-AMANDA MARCEL

UNFORTUNATELY IF WE DO NOT QUICKLY FILL THIS POSITION, SCHOOL BANKING WILL NOT CONTINUE.



This only takes a small amount of your time one day each week and the Commonwealth Bank will provide support in how to run the program. Please register your interest at the front office if you can help us – without your help we cannot offer this program!

School card

AMANDA MARCEL



All types of School Card applications **are now online.**

You can access the online forms from any device that gets internet, including mobile devices, such as tablets and smart phones, as well as laptops and computers.

Applying online is easy! Simply follow the steps below.

STEP 1	Visit sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard
STEP 2	Select the type of School Card you would like to apply for (for example 'Type A') and follow the prompts.
STEP 3	Complete all mandatory fields. Please note: you cannot submit your application unless all mandatory fields are complete.
STEP 4	Once you have completed a page click on the 'NEXT' button.
STEP 5	Once you have filled out all pages click the 'SUBMIT' button. Please note: if you exit the form without clicking 'SUBMIT' your details will be lost.

You can save the form, and return to complete it at another time, by clicking on the 'SAVE' button.





sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard

Play is the Way

MATT MILLAR

Last year our staff were trained in Play Is The Way, a practical method for teaching social and emotional skills using guided play, classroom activities and self-reflective language. Staff participated in a variety of cooperative games that challenged their communication, cooperation and resilience, skills that we are aiming to strengthen in kids. Throughout the day the presenter, Wilson McAskill drew upon the basic principles of the program and how to embed these across the school. This year we are focussing deeper on the program, the games, language and principles of the program. They include:

TREAT OTHERS AS YOU WOULD LIKE THEM TO TREAT YOU - If someone is unlike you seek to understand them

- **HAVE REASONS FOR THE THINGS YOU SAY AND DO** If you don't know why you're doing something then don't do it because it's most likely wrong
- **BE BRAVE, PARTICIPATE TO PROGRESS** School is about stepping bravely into the unknown. The unknown is often uncomfortable. The braver you are, the more you learn.
- IT TAKES GREAT STRENGTH TO BE SENSIBLE We do the right thing because it's the best thing to do.
- PURSUE YOUR PERSONAL BEST NO MATTER WIO YOU WORK WITH We don't come to school to be better than others. We come to school to better ourselves by being able to work with others

Students will also learn self-mastery skills, crucial for developing resilience, problem solving skills and skills that will follow them into adulthood.

THE SELF-MASTERY CHECKLIST:

- Am I doing the right thing or the wrong thing?
- Am I making a strong choice or weak choice?
- Are my feelings in charge of my actions or is my thinking in charge?
- Am I running away from the problem or am I dealing with it?
- Am I being my own boss or am I inviting my teacher to be my boss?
- Is my teacher trying to help me or hurt me?

This language along with the games and principles will be embedded gradually across the school. We believe once it is implemented our students will be happier, more resilient and masters of their thinking and feelings.

For more information go to www.playistheway.com.au

Reminders

LEANNE LOVETT

LOST PROPERY

Please remember to name all items clearly. Please check that your child brings home their own items, and return promptly if they accidentally take someone else's items home. Please remind your child to put their jumpers and hats in their bags, and zip up while not using them.

UNIFORMS

If you have uniforms you have borrowed from the school, please wash and return them ASAP so that others can make use of them. Remember to bring your hats. Hats need to

be worn <u>at all times except for during June,</u> July and August.

All students without hats will need to sit under the OSHC verandah during break times. New bucket hats with sports house colours are available via the uniform shop or student services.

PERMISSIONS/FORMS: A general consent form was sent home last week. Please ensure you return this promptly so that classroom teachers can get their Seesaw applications up and running. Please also remember to update any health care plans/medication authority information

Joining Governing Council

KENT BROWN-GOVERNING COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON 2020

MAKE A POSITVE IMPACT ON YOUR CHILDS SCHOOL AND YOUR COMMUNITY

Joining Governing Council or on a sub-committee is a very rewarding experience. You get to work with a fantastic team of parents, staff and community members. Your voice is very important to the decisions that we make in determining how our school does things. If you have a passion to be involved then come along to the AGM and nominate yourself for a position.

There are two Governing Council meetings each term and the same for sub-committees. Sub-committees include finance, education, OSHC, grounds and fundraising. Those on the committees are the 'doers', steering projects and paving the way for new ideas that add value to the school's programs. Committees report to the Governing Council for ratification of decisions. More parent involvement is always welcome and you don't have to be on Governing Council to join a committee.

Nomination forms and information on the various committees is attached.

If you require further information, catch up with any of the leadership team.

Hope to see you at the AGM on Tuesday, 18th February.

Kent Brown Governing Council Chair 2020

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Tues 18th Feb 2020

All families are invited to attend the McLaren Vale Primary School AGM.

An opportunity to meet our Leadership team, Lyn, Leanne and Matt and our Wellbeing Team Nicky Clark, Tyson Maddern and Simon Lovett.

We will share our achievements from 2019 and our vision for wellbeing of our students and staff.

New Governing Council members will also be elected.

TIME:	6:30pm – 8:30pm
VENUE:	MVPS Library
CATERING:	Drinks and nibbles provided
CRECHE:	A crèche will be available (<i>if needed</i>)

RSVP: by **Wed 12th Feb** to <u>dl.0251.admin@schools.sa.edu.au</u> or 8323 8741 with number of children if crèche booking is required.

NEWSLETTER LYN LANGELUDDECKE

ISSUE OF THE FIRST NEWSLETTER

For our first newsletter we have distributed hard copies to the eldest student in each family. Subsequent newsletters will be issued via the preference indicated on the student consent forms sent home last week. If you haven't already returned the consent form please do so ASAP so we can record the information.

Year 7 Graduation 2019

MATT MILLAR

Our Year 7 Graduation in 2019 was a perfect send off to a great group of students at Serafino Winery. They were a fun and talented group in many different ways and we were treated to this through their speeches and year 7 dance.

Their speeches were humorous, heart-felt and reflective of their time at McLaren Vale Primary School. We heard about camps, excursions, sports days, school events and funny moments from the years gone by. Many of our fantastic teachers were mentioned about how they will leave a lasting impression on their schooling life.

Student strengths were acknowledged through our Graduation Awards. The following students were recipients of the awards.

Sports Award: Holly T, Matilda G and Aisha M Academic Award: Amber M and Freya L Arts Award: Emma C and Isabel H Chaplain's Award: Hamish W and Amber M

Congratulations to all our award winners!

A big thank you goes out to Lauren, Sean and Kristy-Anne for all their hard work, care and patience throughout the year in providing their students with the best possible year and setting them up for the next phase of their schooling.

We wish the 'Class of 2019' all the best for the years ahead!



Instrumental Music

Due to unforeseen circumstances Instrumental Music will now start in Week 5 and continue into term 2.

Any children/parents who expressed interest in lessons and received a letter home but do not wish to start please contact Karen Plisko on 0416 393 147.

Family Movie Night

FUNDRAISING



Kitchen Garden Program

TAMARA PIEC & NAT GIFFNEY





TAMARA PIEC



NAT GIFFNEY

The Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden team welcomes parents and grandparents to a Meet and Greet morning.

WEDNESDAY 12TH FEB AT 8.45AM TIL 9.30AM IN THE KITCHEN.

The Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden program is a great way to get involved and give back to the school community.

NO SKILLS REQUIRED, JUST A PASSION FOR THE GARDEN, A LOVE OF THE KITCHEN OR A WILLINGNESS TO LEARN.

Drop in and meet Tamara and Nat, join them for a cuppa and a bikkie and find out more about what you can do to help in our kitchen garden program.

OSHC News

NATALIE WELLS-OSHC DIRECTOR

Welcome back for another school year. We are excited to be back to see all of our OSHC children and families again and also welcome our new families.

We had a fantastic time with our OSHC children over the holidays. We went roller skating, to the movies, and spent a day at Old Noarlunga where we did some fishing. This was a real highlight with most of the children so we will definitely be planning some more fishing trips! Our double water slide for water day was a big success with lots of children (and staff) enjoying keeping cool. There were so many more exciting activities but I think another highlight would be our beach day. We teamed up with the Aldinga Bay Surf Life Saving Club, who set up their tent and activities and had lifeguards at the beach specifically to watch our children. The weather was perfect too!

Our year is looking to be very busy again. Our Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons are extremely busy with Wednesday being at capacity for most of the year.

We are looking forward to a great year!





You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes.

You can steer yourself any direction you choose. Dr. Souss



Community Notices





We have a limited number of vacancies remaining for the upcoming 2020 Season which launches on the 16th February!

> Players u8's through to u12's (born 2013-2008) Goalkeeper u15's (born 2006 or 2005) Coach u9's

Please contact Debs asap to enquire further on 0414224930 or email seafordrangersjuniors@hotmail.com



GIRLS & WOMEN

ARE YOU LOOKING TO PLAY CLUB SOCCER IN 2020?

Cove Marion Women's Football Club (CMWFC) is part of The Cove FC and the 2020 season is our fourth year competing in the Women's league.

We are coming off another highly successful 2019 season, with our Under 17's winning their league, Under 15's finishing second and Under 13's in fourth. We pride ourselves on being an inclusive, encouraging and supportive football club. Our main focus is to offer a safe and family friendly environment, where players can learn and develop under suitably qualified coaches including specialised Goal Keeper training.

CMWFC are seeking players born between 2003 to 2012 to join our Under 11's, Under 13's, Under 15's and Under 17's girl's squads. We are now recruiting all junior players and encourage those who are interested

to register at: <u>www.thecovefc.com/cove-marion-girls/</u> For questions please contact losh Myers at girls.coordinator@thecovefc.com

THE COVE	Mini Roos	(Born 2009 to 2012)
	Under 13 Girls	(Born 2007 and 2008)
5	Under 15 Girls	(Born 2005 and 2006)
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The 2020 Season will commence in Mid-March with pre-season training from 5:45pm to 7:30PM on Wednesday Night at Brighton High School and Friday Nights at our home ground at Club Marion, 262 Sturt Rd Marion.

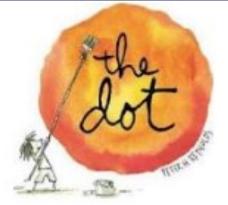


CHILDREN'S ART CLASSES \$15 per lesson, 10 lessons (term time)

ages 4-14/ 15-20 Monday 10am - 11am (home school/ preschool) Monday 4pm-5pm (4-14 years) Monday 5:30pm - 6:30pm (4-14 years) Wednesday 4pm-5pm (4-14 years) Wednesday 5:30pm - 6:30pm (15-17 years)

Qualified teacher and artist, small groups Classes held at the **Fleurieu Arthouse, Main Road McLaren Vale**

Bookings essential ARTISTICCLAIRE ARTISTICCLAIRE29@GMAIL.COM 0428252475 The dot



In Room 12, students have been learning about growth mindset.

We created our own dots to remind ourselves to always be willing to try something new.

Make your mark...... and see where it takes you!

Come by the office to see our beautiful dots displayed.

