



NEWSLETTER

WEEK 1 | TERM 1 | Wednesday 1/2/17

Welcome Back everyone

We would like to introduce our 2017 Staff and their locations

Teaching Staff

Room 1	Dave Hern	SCIENCE
Room 2	Bec Vallelonga	6/7
Room 3	Sally Weavers	6/7
Room 4	Nat Cunningham (Mon- Wed) / Sally Hoskin (Thurs/Fri)	6/7
Room 5	Brenton Budarick	4/5
Room 6	Olivia Villani	1
Room 7	Kim Dickmann/Harry Wang (Wed)	1
Room 8	Sophie Marshall	1/2
Room 9	Shelley Smylie	1/2
Room 10	Sarah Hnarakis	2/3
Room 11	Kylie Whelan	2/3
Room 12	Lauren Otto	2/3
Room 13	Samantha Illingworth	3/4
Room 14	Kelly Rivett	4/5
Room 15	Anthony Nasone	4/5
Room 16	Ali Nicholas	JAPANESE
	Erin Brundell (Mon-Wed)	MUSIC
Room 17	Skevi Datsopoulos / Harry Wang (Thurs)	REC
Room 18	Steph Perham	REC
Room 19	Natalie Crooks / Ali Nicholas (wed)	REC
Room 20	Rachael Lambetis	REC/1
GYM	Nic Goldney	R-7
KITCHEN	Lisa Hedges	4-7
GARDEN	Kristian Atkinson-Allen	R-7
LIBRARY	Glenys French	R-7
DRAMA	Sally Hoskin	Mon & Wed

DIARY DATES

8/2 8.45am RAN Training
13/2-17/2 R-5 Swimming
21/2 Acquaintance Night
 7pm Gov. Council
22/2 9am Principal Tour
28/2 7pm AGM
2/3 SAPSASA Swimming
6/3-10/3 R-5 Swimming
13/3 Adelaide Cup public holi
14/3 *Pupil Free Day
21/3 Harmony Day
 7pm Gov Council
23/3 Photo Day
3/4 yrs. 6/7Growth &
 Development
10/4 yrs. 6/7Growth &
 Development
13/4 Sports Day
 Last day Term

Term Dates 2017

Term 1 30 Jan – 13 Apr
Term 2 1 May – 7 Jul
Term 3 24 Jul – 29 Sept
Term 4 16 Oct – 15 Dec

Pupil Free Days

Tuesday *14/3/17
 Friday *9/6/17
 Monday *14/8/17
 Monday *20/11/17

School Closure

Friday *17/11/17

*Please note above dates are to be confirmed

Recent Notes

Rec- 5 Swimming

growing for the future...



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Raising issues with staff and leadership in 2017

We hope that 2017 is rewarding and positive for all our students and their families. We have grown to be about 480 students this year. We are very excited as the year promises to be very action packed and hopefully very stable for people.

Each year it is our responsibility to remind parents and carers that good communication between home and school leads to positive outcomes for students. It is our hope that our teachers will have already made contact with you and will contact to maintain regularly contact. Teachers are only too happy to talk to parents, all that we ask is that you do this at time that is convenient and does not interfere with the children's learning time.

If you have a concern, then in the first instance please speak to your class teacher or the teacher with whom you have the concern. This is the local resolution.

If your concern remains unresolved then you may call the school to make an appointment with the Deputy Principal. If required the Principal may also attend this meeting. Hopefully your issue can be resolved at this time.

If your concern is still unresolved then you have the option of asking for a central resolution by going to Education Complaint Unit (Tel: 1800 677 435).

In the extreme situation that the matter remains unresolved then there is an external resolution by going to the SA Ombudsman. (Tel: 1800 182 150)

At all times we ask that parents remain calm when raising issues as we are here to work together in the best interests of your child.

External Review Process

On Monday and Tuesday February 13 and 14 February we will have two visitors to our school, one a School Review Officer, Ms Kathryn Entwistle and a Principal from another school Ms Cindy McGarry. During the two days, Kathryn and Cindy will talk to parents, students and teachers about Vale Park. The purpose of the external review is to support schools to raise student achievement and sustain high performance. Kathryn and Cindy will evaluate the school performance and effectiveness and then provide a report to the Principal and Education Director. The final report will be shared with the school community. The findings or recommendations made in this report will become a strong focus for the school to work on in the next few years.

Parents of student who are selected for the review will be notified and a consent form will be provided to ensure you are happy for your child to talk about their school as part of this review.

Principal

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Vale Park Primary School Events Planner 2017

	TERM 1					last updated 24/1/17
Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
1	30/1	31/1 6/7 Aquatics 	1/2 <i>Growing for the future... 2 week program</i>	2/2	3/2	
2	6/2 <i>Growing for the future... 2 week program</i>	7/2	8/2 8.45-10.45 RAN Training	9/2	10/2	
3	13/2  R-5 Swimming Week →	14/2	15/2	16/2	17/2	
4	20/2	21/2 Acquaintance Night (6:15-7pm) 7pm Gov. Council	22/2 9am Principal Tour	23/2	24/2	
5	27/2	28/2 7 pm AGM	1/3	2/3 Swimming	3/3	
6	6/3  R-5 Swimming Week →	7/3	8/3	9/3	10/3	
7	13/3 Adelaide Cup	14/3 *Pupil Free Day <i>To Be Confirmed</i>	15/3	16/3	17/3	
8	20/3	21/3 Harmony Day 7pm Gov Council	22/3	23/3  Photo Day	24/3	
9	27/3	28/3	29/3	30/3	31/3	
10	3/4 Parent Teacher Interviews Growth & Development 6/7 Interviews	4/4 Interviews (until 8)	5/4 Interviews	6/4	7/4	
11	10/4 Growth & Development 6/7	11/4	12/4	13/4 Sports Day 	14/4 Good Friday	



UNIFORM SHOP NEWS



ORDER ONLINE

We now have a link on our website to be able to order your school uniforms online.

<http://vp.speckleddog.com.au/>

You can also drop off order forms to the Front office, or see us in the Uniform Shop on Tuesday Morning
8.45- 9.15am

SWIMMING BAGS AVAILABLE WITH PERSONALISED NAME

Available in time for swimming Lessons is a Swimming Bag with Logo and option to add personalized name.

Order either online or come to Uniform Shop.

Must receive orders before 8th February (if swimming in week 3) or 1st March (if swimming in week 6).

2017 VPPS RAN Training Dates

Term 1	Wednesday	08/02/17	8.45am-10.45am
Term 2	Tuesday	16/05/17	6.30pm-8.30pm
Term 3	Tuesday	12/09/17	6.30pm-8.30pm
Term 4	Wednesday	08/11/17	8.45am-10.45am

Please call or Email to book your place 8261 3733 or dl.0967.info@schools.sa.edu.au

Contact Phone Numbers

OSHC: (after 3pm) 8266 0439

Mobile: 0422 274649

Pre School: 8261 0228

Uniform Shop

Open Tuesday Morning 8.45am

Kristina 0434 354 144

Mon- Fri 8am - 4.30pm