



# NEWSLETTER

## MAGILL SCHOOL



Term 1, Week 2

Friday 5th February 2021

### WELCOME BACK



I hope that everyone has had a great start to the year. We have another busy year ahead!

It's my pleasure to welcome all the new students and parents to our wonderful school. There are too many to name with 105 new Receptions and 27 new students in other year levels. I am sure that everyone has made you feel welcome and part of our great school community.

As with most years, we have some new staff to welcome. Maria Colarusso – M3, Faith McKnight – F9, Kate Stepcich – M7 & F15 and Clayre Gibson M2. I'm sure that everyone has given them a warm Magill welcome and that they'll have a great time teaching our delightful Magill School students.

We also welcome back several staff from extended leave. Welcome back to Emma Marks, Victoria Belton, Emily Nordestgaard and Mel Workman.

Congratulations to two teachers who were married over the holidays; Clare Willsmore and Bella Ritani.

A big congratulations to Jess Kalleske and Amelia Talbot and their partners who welcomed beautiful baby girls; Maisy May and Margot Edith just before Christmas.

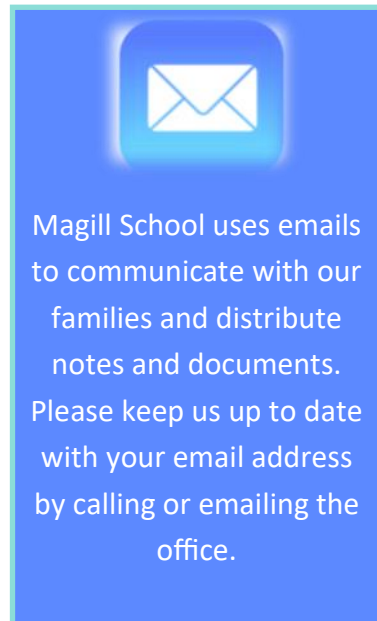
Please note that our Acquaintance Night and AGM are coming up this Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February. Information has been distributed via email. Due to COVID restrictions, parents and caregivers will need to book into teacher sessions and the AGM.

Planning for our new Junior Primary building has begun and the timeline for completion is mid to late 2022. I look forward to sharing information and updates with you along the way. The architects will be at our AGM to present some preliminary information so if you are interested in attending, please make sure you book in, as places are limited to 100.

QR codes will be mandatory at Magill School from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February for all staff and parents who enter the school grounds. QR codes will be scattered around the school to avoid congestion at entrances so please look for and use them every time you enter the grounds.

I look forward to working with the Magill staff, students and parents to make 2021 another fabulous year of fun and learning at Magill School.

John Iannunzio  
Principal



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ABSENT SMS: 0427 016 460 SCHOOL DAY: 8.45AM - 3.05PM

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## STUDENT MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

Students who require medication at school please ensure:

- Health care plans/medication agreements have been reviewed within the last 12 months, or sooner if there have been any changes to your child's condition.
- All medication is in date, is in its original packaging and has a pharmacy label to match the action plan/medication agreement exactly (this applies to prescription and over the counter medication).
- Asthma Spacers are washed or replaced ready for the new school year.



Medication which does not comply will not be administered.



## MAGILL SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

Personalised labels for all your school essentials.

<https://www.stuckonyou.com.au/affiliate/fundraiser/MAGILLSCHOOL>



## CARPARK SAFETY

A reminder to parents .....Staff car parks are not to be used by parents. This includes Admin carpark (Adelaide Street), OSHC car park (Magill Road), Penfold carpark (Penfold Street) and Dental carpark (Park street). Parents are not to park in these carparks when picking up students from after school activities eg dance classes, sports practice and OSHC. For the safety of our students do not park in any staff car parks, they are for staff only.



Students are not permitted to walk through these car parks.

## CONGRATULATIONS

### GOLD MEDAL WINNER WILLIAM

Congratulations William B. At just 11 years old, William prevailed in all five of the 2020 state titles on the velodrome in the under-13 age group – Including in the individual pursuit, scratch race, time trial and sprint. He also won the 2020 Criterium State Championships and the 2020 Road State Titles. Well done William!



## RORY'S

### SCHOOL LUNCHES

All orders to placed online

Don't forget to update your child's class details on QKR app

<https://qkr.mastercard.com/store/#/home>

Rory's School Lunches at [www.rorys.com.au](http://www.rorys.com.au)

Online orders need to be submitted by 8:30am.

Canteen is open from 9:30am.

For all lunch enquiries please call **0413575800**



## BRINGING ITEMS TO SCHOOL

Please remember all items your child brings to school including clothing, should have their name on it. Lost property is located in the foyer of the Resource Centre.

## STUDENT ENROLMENTS

For enrolment queries please email:

[enrolment.officer588@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:enrolment.officer588@schools.sa.edu.au)

## STUDENT ABSENCE

If your child will be absent due to illness please telephone the front office by 9:00am or SMS **0427 016 460** and give reason.

Any absence over three days

must have a medical certificate. If your student is to be absent for more than three days due to holiday or family reasons an exemption form must be completed and returned to the front office.



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If you use the Qkr! App for school payments including canteen remember to update your child's class for 2020. This will ensure lunches and any other school payments / receipts are delivered to the correct class.

<https://qkr.mastercard.com/store/#/home>

## MAGILL SCHOOL UNIFORM

It is great to see so many of our students wearing the correct Magill School uniform. Thank you to those parents who took advantage of the uniform sale at the end of 2020. We encourage students to wear the correct Magill School uniform.

The correct school uniform is on display in the front office reception.



## UNIFORM MANAGEMENT SERVICES



Magill School site - During school term  
Tuesday 2.30pm - 4.00pm  
Wednesday 8.00am - 9.30am

UMS Firle store  
Shop 1B, 161-167 Glynburn Road, Firle  
Monday to Friday 9:00am to 5:00pm  
Telephone 0431 771 260

## STUDENT SAFETY ON ADELAIDE STREET

SPEED  
LIMIT



We want all of our students to be safe during the very busy periods and encourage all parents and caregivers to follow and abide by all road and parking regulations. Some simple guidelines for keeping everyone safe are:

- Observe the 25KM/H speed limit for the entire length of Adelaide Street
- Do not park and leave your vehicle whilst the drop off / pick up zone is in operation. Burnside Council parking officers regularly patrol and issue fines.
- Do not let children get out of or in the car whilst stopped in the middle of the street. Exiting from the left hand side of the vehicle is the safest side.
- Do not stop at the crossing to drop off or pick up students.
- Move as far forward as possible when pulling into the drop off / pick up zone. This will stop cars zig-zagging in and out.
- Exercise extreme caution when reversing. Better still, don't do it!
- Do not hold up traffic whilst waiting for a spot. This causes major issues on Penfold Road. Go around the block instead.

A teacher is on duty until 3:25pm and will escort any remaining children to the office. We all need to do our bit to keep our kids safe.

Regards

**John Iannunzio**

Principal

For more information [www.burnside.sa.gov.au/About-Council/Policies-Laws/Policies](http://www.burnside.sa.gov.au/About-Council/Policies-Laws/Policies)



# Magill School Values Award

Congratulations to the following students who have  
been awarded a certificate in week 2  
Well done for demonstrating the Magill School Values.



## Respect

- P1 Alex C
- P2 Fadhel Z
- P4 Claire V
- P6 Solomon V
- P8 Benjamin W
- P9 Chanudi S
- P11 Abdulla P
- P12 Isabella W
- P13 Ainsley C
- P14 Jentezen J
- P15 Feya F
- P16 Jarrah O
- P17 Medhansh N

## Honesty

- P1 Madelyn s
- P2 Jillian C
- P4 Isaac P
- P6 Charlotte L
- P8 Eve S
- P9 Alistair E
- P11 Julian X
- P12 Mae M
- P13 Eric s
- P14 Bella Y
- P15 Mia W
- P16 Ella M
- P17 Monica D

## Specialist Subjects

**Physical Education - Florin**  
**Respect - P16 - Sallina H**

**Performing Arts - Georgea**  
**Respect - P14 Ewin R**

**Chinese - Min**  
**Respect - P15 Mia C**

RESPECT  
HONESTY  
EXCELLENCE  
RESPONSIBILITY

## The Premier's Reading Challenge 2021

The challenge has started already for 2021. Class teachers have already been given a form for students' reading to be recorded for this year. Students read 8 books from the PRC booklist, and 4 of their own choosing. Books on our shelves are marked with an orange, green or yellow PRC sticker. These are listed in the top section of the form. Any other books go in the bottom section. Students can also read from Public Libraries, and they have the same stickers on their books. There is a website where you can check any books from home that might also be listed on the PRC challenge.

[\(https://premiersreadingchallenge.sa.edu.au/\)](https://premiersreadingchallenge.sa.edu.au/)

The closing date for the PRC is Friday 3 September. (Week 7 in Term 3) The awards arrive at school in mid Term 4. Please encourage your children to start reading and recording their books early to avoid the last minute panic as this due date comes closer.

### 2020 Premier's Reading Challenge Statistics

- Reception -2 97.98% (340 out of 347) students completed challenge
- Year 3-5 84.18% (266 out of 316) students completed challenge
- Year 6-7 74.68% (177 out of 237) students completed challenge



NETTA 7						
29th January	Magill	vs	Nailsworth	3		7
NETTA 6						
29th January	Magill	vs	Marryatville	0		4
NETTA 5						
29th January	Magill	vs	East Adelaide	1		1
NETTA 2						
29th January	Magill	vs	Linden Park	1		11
PRIMARY 10						
29th January	Magill	vs	Dernancourt Gems	6		6
PRIMARY 9						
29th January	Magill	vs	Marryatville	5		9
SUB JUNIOR 7						
29th January	bye					
SUB JUNIOR 6						
29th January	Magill Green	vs	Marryatville	11		19

**BOOK NOW**

**Annual General Meeting  
Wednesday 10th February  
in the Gym at 7:00pm**

All parents and caregivers are invited to the Magill School AGM. Due to COVID restrictions the AGM will be a ticketed event limit 100 people. Please book using the following link:

[www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) Event code: **x25wm**

**Chess is back  
in 2021!**

**Want to learn chess or improve  
your current skills?  
Open to all students!**

**Monday lunch time 12:40pm - 1:20pm**

**We hope to see many of you there!**

Contact us if you have questions

Stephanie: 0490 474 316 or on [admin@chesslife.com](mailto:admin@chesslife.com)

Register online at <https://www.chesslife.com.au/>

**BOOK NOW**

**Acquaintance Night**

**Wednesday 10th February**

Bookings are open from Tuesday 2nd February at 8am and close on Monday 8th February at 3pm.

[www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au)

Event code: **ez9d5**

Class and specialist teachers are offering two sessions in their classrooms:

Session 1 5:15pm – 6:00pm

Session 2 6:10pm – 6:55pm (repeat of session 1)

**For information on becoming  
involved or playing school sport for your  
school go to the Magill School  
website: [www.magillschool.sa.edu.au](http://www.magillschool.sa.edu.au)**

# APPLYING FOR A SCHOOL CARD



## 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](https://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](https://sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard)



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# Did you know...

**Only 46% of Australian parents feel confident about dealing with the online risks their children face and 95% want more information about online safety.**



Find out how at [esafety.gov.au/sid](https://esafety.gov.au/sid)



Tuesday February 9 is the e-safety Commissioner's **Safer Internet Day**. At school students from Reception to Year 7 will be discussing how to be responsible digital citizens, how to keep themselves safe online and what to do should they encounter any problems when researching information or communicating online with friends.

What can you do to **Start the Chat** at home? Talk openly to your children, know the apps, games and programs your children use and the potential risks involved and head to the e-safety commissioner's webpage for countless free resources for parents.

Together we can support our children to experience the internet in a safe and positive way.

## Top 5 online safety tips for kids

- 1** Set up your device to protect your information.
- 2** Explore safely & tell an adult if you see anything online that makes you feel yuck.
- 3** Limit who can contact you when you're playing games.
- 4** Stop all contact with anyone online who asks you to do anything you don't want to do. Report and block them.
- 5** Ask for help if anything online is bothering you.



## Top tips for online safety

- 1** **Be an upstander** If you see abuse online, report and delete it
- 2** **Protect your personal information online** by using a different password for each account and turning on privacy settings on devices, apps, and social accounts
- 3** **Tame the tech** Explore how to set access and parental controls on home wifi networks, gaming consoles, mobile devices and smart TVs
- 4** **Be conscious of your online profile** Don't post anything that may put you in danger, affect your reputation or be used against you
- 5** **Stay on the lookout for scams and phishing contacts** – don't click links, give out personal information or send money in response to an unexpected request
- 6** **Help others** to be safe online – especially family and friends who aren't tech-savvy

