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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Dear families,

At the end of a long semester, I wish our families and staff all the best for the school break. I encourage you to stick with regular sleep routines for children as it is difficult to get back into routine when school recommences. I also encourage students to read over the

break to keep up their skills and to be involved in learning activities with families.

On Thursday 20th July preschool staff will be involved in professional learning and there will be no preschool on this day.

Primary school staff will have a professional learning day on Friday 21st July. Please note on your calendars as **students will not attend on this day.**

Best wishes to all and see you back for another great semester at Larapinta after the break.

Kind regards,
Brenda

SCHOOL SNAPSHOT

STAFF PROFESSIONAL LEARNING DAY

School resumes after the break on Monday 17th July.

IMPORTANT DATES

DATE	
Term 2	

Friday 23 rd June	Last day of term
Term 3	
Monday 17 th July	Students return
Thursday 20 th July	Preschool staff professional learning day – student free day
Friday 21 st July	Primary staff professional learning day - student free day
Tues 25 th July – Thurs 27 th July	School Photos – Primary and Preschool



ROOM 9 – BIKE TRIP



[Click here to download Room 9's Bike Trip article](#)

[Click here to download part 2 of Room 9's Bike Trip](#)

HEADLICE

Head lice are tiny insects that vary in colour from cream to brown/black. 'Nits' is the common name for the small eggs that are laid by the head lice. They are the size of a grain of salt, yellow-white in colour, and are found glued to the hair near the scalp. They are usually found behind the ears, the back of the neck and fringe.

Head lice do not jump, hop, or swim. They transfer from one person to another in situations where people are in close contact or from direct hair to hair contact with an infected person. Very occasionally they can be passed on by sharing hats and brushes but not through using furniture or contact with carpets.

To assist us in the prevention of head lice spreading, please ensure you check your child/ren's hair if they have itchy scalps or you see signs of head lice. If head lice or nits are found, please treat immediately. Treatment options can be found in the Department of Health's *The Northern Territory Head Lice Action Pack!!* Copies of this pack can be requested through the front office or can be downloaded from the following website -

[Click here to view more information](#)


http://www.health.nt.gov.au/Centre_for_Disease_Control/Publications/CDC_Protocols/index.aspx

Your local pharmacy will also have some treatment options. Nits (live eggs) hatch in 7-10 days. The key to success in getting rid of them is to repeat whatever treatment you use again after 1 week.

In the case that head lice or nits are detected on inspection please begin treatment prior to your child returning to school.

If you have any concerns or require further information, please contact the front office.

NUTRITION NEWS



IDEAS IN NUTRITION


Taste and Try

We know that the more chances children have to see and experience vegetables the more comfortable they will feel eating them.

Did you know it can take more than 10 times for a child to experience a new food before they are likely to eat it? The first steps might not even be eating the food. They may want to just watch a parent eat it first, or just touch the food.

We want to encourage parents to keep on offering fruits and vegetables. You might feel like you need to waste the vegetables if your child doesn't eat it. We suggest you pack it away in the fridge for later, or eat it yourself!

Maybe there are other ways your child could experience a vegetable, other than eating them? Like gardening, shopping, cooking or presenting.



PRESCHOOL NEWS

Werte from preschool

We are racing into our last week engaging in some wonderful learning across the classrooms – Unit 1 is delving into the world of insects - learning about different types of insects and engaging in play provocations where they can interact with insects in different habitats both inside and outside, create insect craft and are learning about the different features. In Unit 2, it's all about the ocean – with the children role playing being mermaids which inspired an ocean set up. They have been fishing, role playing mermaids and pirates, made maps, and have even gone on a treasure hunt in the playground.



SCHOOLZINE APP – NEW IMPROVED VERSION

Do you use the Schoolzine Newsletter app? It's free and a great way to keep up to date with important information about upcoming events and exciting things that have been happening at school. It also enables you to view previous newsletters. The newsletter can be read in a range of languages; just select at the top of the page.

Please see below for instructions on how to install/update the SZapp:

SZapp Version 4.0.0



There is a new version of SZapp available for Android and iOS Devices. Please ensure that you have updated to this version to assure you receive communications from the school.

If you are using an Android Device, you will need to uninstall the old app and install the new version.

iOS Devices (iPhones) will be able to update without requiring a re-install.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause, but we are confident that the improvements in the new version will make it worth it.

The preschool team have continued to support the children's literacy and numeracy development through learning games that are part of the University of Melbourne project. The children have been also taken part in a counting assessment conducted by the teacher's which has given us great insight into planning for supporting children's counting skills and development across the next term.



[Click here to download the SZapp Installation Guide](#)

Notes: The last day of preschool is on the 22nd of June 2023 and we resume on 17th July 2023. Thursday the 20th of

July is a TEACHER ONLY DAY at preschool.

Parent Contribution: Contributions of \$50 per term are payable up at the primary school.

The Alice Springs Show is held on the 7-8th July 2023 at Blatherskite Park. We have entered some group art pieces so look out for them if you are attending!

We would like to wish you all a safe and happy holiday period and we will see you next term.



CHILD AND FAMILY CENTRE (CFC)

Our vision is that every child has the best possible start to life.

Children and families are at the centre of all we do.

We live and work on Arrernte Country.

Werte!

Families as First Teachers!

Come and be a part of FaFT! Give young children the best start to life by attending Families as First Teachers 3 or more days a week. It's fun!



**the best when
they come to
FaFT 3 or more
times a week.**



Strong Young Parents – Young Father!

A young father has recently passed his learning driver's theory test! This young father is an aspiring mechanic and is wanting to start a mechanics apprenticeship - obtaining his license was his first step to making this a reality!

Bikes Mwerre!

The Bikes Mwerre after school program has been a great success this term, with the numbers attending increasing each week! So far this year, Bikes Mwerre have 'gifted' 86 bikes to the community (ranging from tiny bikes for tiny kids to adult bikes). All recipients and their families have participated in Bikes Mwerre programs and activities, with many learning to build, restore and repair the bike they then get to keep.



During the school holidays, Bikes Mwerre will be hosting a variety of activities and programs. See the attached posters for info about the first week of school holidays.



School Holiday Program

Albrecht Oval
26th June-30th June
10am-3pm

- Bike games
- Bike riding
- Fun activities
- Bike workshops

No Bike, No worries.
You can use one of our bikes!



COMMUNITY NEWS




SCHOOL HOLIDAY FOOTBALL PROGRAM
ROSS PARK

OPEN FOR BOYS AND GIRLS
5 to 11
REGISTRATION FEE
\$175/WEEK

HAVE FUN
MAKE FRIENDS
LEARN NEW SKILLS
IN A SAFE AND
INCLUSIVE
ENVIRONMENT

10.00am to 1.00pm
Week 1 - June 26 - 30
Week 2 - July 3 - 7
Week 3 - July 10 - 14

FOR MORE INFORMATION
pepa.darcas@footballnt.com.au




June Holiday Program 26th-30th June 10am-3pm Albrecht Oval

TIME	MONDAY 26TH JUNE	TUESDAY 27TH JUNE	WEDNESDAY 28TH JUNE	THURSDAY 29TH JUNE	FRIDAY 30TH JUNE
10:00AM-11:00AM	SIGN IN Smoothies & Fruit BIKE CLINIC	SIGN IN Smoothies & Fruit BIKE CLINIC	SIGN IN Smoothies & Fruit BIKE CLINIC	SIGN IN Smoothies & Fruit BIKE CLINIC	SIGN IN Smoothies & Fruit BIKE CLINIC
11:00AM-12:30PM	Bike Skills	Bike Games	Bike Fixing Basics	Bike Games	Bike Ride to Desert Springs
12:30PM-1:00PM	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1:00PM-3:00PM	Bike Workshop MTB Skills	Bike Workshop MTB Riding	Bike Workshop MTB Skills	Bike Workshop MTB Riding	Bike Workshop MTB Riding

***Consent Forms required for all participants




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Please contact our Alice Springs Team on
8914 9378

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'linking people, places and communities'




[Click here to download the Wellness On Wheels flyer](#)

Kele Mwerre!

Winter ACTION BREAK



BOOK NOW!

Action pack your school holidays at The Y!
Take advantage of this all day fully supervised program
and let us entertain the kids!

- ▶ Ages 5-12 years
- ▶ 8:30am-4:30pm
*Half days available on non excursion/incursion days
- ▶ \$62 per day
*\$7 on incursion and excursion days to cover costs



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Flip for
schedule

GET OUT GET ACTIVE!



ROCK CLIMBING
Open at every session



MAZE INFLATABLE
Tue 4 & Sat 8 July



BUBBLE SOCCER
Tue 27 June & Sat 1 July



GIANT GAMES
Tue 11 & Sat 15 July

- ▶ All Ages
*Kids under 12 MUST be supervised by an adult
- ▶ \$7 per person
*Kids under 5 and supervising adults free. Participating adults pay.
- ▶ Tuesday's 4:30-6:30pm
- ▶ Saturday's 9:30-1:30pm



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Winter PROGRAM

28 JUNE - 17 JULY



MON 26 JUNE	TUE 27 JUNE	WED 28 JUNE	THU 29 JUNE	FRI 30 JUNE
STADIUM GAMES YO ALICE NINJA WARRIOR TABLE GAMES	MINUTE TO WIN IT BIG AT TELEGRAPH BASKETBALL	BUBBLE SOCCER YO ALICE TENNIS GOAL GAMES	YO ALICE ROCKWALL LASER TAG	DODGEBALL DANCE WORKSHOP CARNIVAL GAMES MOVIE
MON 3 JUL	TUE 4 JUL	WED 5 JUL	THU 6 JUL	FRI 7 JUL
ATHLETICS CARNIVAL YOGA ROCKWALL WHEELS UP	PE GAMES YO ALICE CINEMA VISIT	TARGET GAMES E-SPORTS POOL VISIT	SURVIVOR YO ALICE ESCAPE ROOM MAZE	NO PROGRAM
MON 10 JUL	TUE 11 JUL	WED 12 JUL	THU 13 JUL	FRI 14 JUL
MAZE SPORTS DAY DISCO DOME	BUBBLE SOCCER COLOUR SMASH DRAMA GAMES SOCCER WORKSHOP	NET SPORTS YO ALICE CARDBOARD CITY ROCKWALL	NINTENDO COMPETITION YO ALICE DUSTBOWL VISIT	NINJA WARRIOR LEGO MASTERS DJ DANCE PARTY
MON 17 JUL	INCURSION EXCURSION <small>*Activities subject to change</small>			

DOWNLOAD THE PARENT
"NEED TO KNOWS":



FREE EVENTS



YOUTH SPORT SERIES

**SKILL BUILDING - COME AND TRY - SOCIAL
PLAY - FOOD - PRIZES - AGES 12-18**

Wednesdays & Fridays 2:30-6:30pm



TENNIS
28 Jun - At the Tennis Courts



FUTSAL
12 Jul - At The Y



ROCK CLIMBING
30 Jun - At The Y



SOCCER
14 Jul - At Ross Park Oval



VOLLEYBALL
5 Jul - At The Y



**REGISTER
NOW!**



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NAIDOC SPLASH PARTY

AT: ASALC
04 JULY
1-4 PM

WELCOME TO COUNTRY

FREE ENTRY

FREE BBQ + INFLATABLES + KIDS ACTIVITIES + MUSIC BY LOCAL DJS

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FOR OUR ELDER
2-9 JULY 2023

Alice Springs TOWN COUNCIL

ALICE SPRINGS AQUATIC & LEISURE CENTRE

HOOPS 4 HEALTH IN CONJUNCTION WITH ALICE SPRINGS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION PRESENTS

IAN STACKER ALL-STAR Coaching

Ian Stacker is a Master Level Basketball Australia Coach. He is a former AIS men's Head Coach and the current Head of Elite Sport at Templestowe College in Melbourne.

DATE	LOCATION	TIME
THURSDAY 22 ND JUNE	TRAEGAR PARK BASKETBALL STADIUM	5 PM - 6:30 PM

This is a FREE session for Alice Springs Juniors, coaches are also invited to attend.

HOOPS 4 HEALTH

IAN STACKER ALL STAR COACHING

ASBA
ALICE SPRINGS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

AUSCYCLING | **Aus Bike** | **RED CENTRE BMX CYCLING CLUB**

LEARN TO RIDE PROGRAM

AGES 5 - 12



A new national program, designed by Australia's peak cycling body, AusCycling, is launching at Red Centre BMX Cycling Club soon.

AusBike gives kids the essential skills to experience the freedom, fun and adventure of life on a bike.

AusBikers are safe & active kids!
Our accredited coaches will help build your child's competence and confidence on two wheels.... and who knows where their love of riding will take them?!



REGISTER NOW

The AusBike program has been developed with the support of the Australian Government through the Australian Sports Commission.

Australian Government

[Click here to download the Foundations Program flyer](#)

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GOVIES' MUSTER | **2023 Govies' Muster** | **ALICE SPRINGS SCHOOL OF THE AIR**

"Going the distance for outback kids"

Friday July 7th at the Gillen Club

Contact us on (08) 8951 6800 and follow us on Facebook



Tickets available at the door \$60 Family - \$20 Adult - \$10 Child or get them on presale from the Alice Springs School of the Air or the Cattleman's Bar for \$50 Family - \$15 Adult - \$10 Child

Entertainment - BBQ Dinner - Bar Facilities - Auction - Kid's Activities

Thank you to all these great sponsors:

7 CENTRAL | **BHA** | **Bumby** | **Gillen Club** | **ALICE SPRINGS SCHOOL OF THE AIR** | **tivan** | **bluedust** | **CROWN POINT** | **PRATORIAL** | **DATAMARS** | **Livestock** | **THE JAMES FAMILY** | **TRISTAR** | **Ward Keller** | **REGENCO** | **REGENCY** | **THE CENTRE AG SERVICES** | **ELDER** | **OUTBUSH** | **G&A** | **THE GARDINER ASSOCIATES** | **ELKEORA** | **Exotiq** | **Whittles** | **INTERSPORT** | **ALICE SPRINGS**

Nationwide search for 10-13yo Indigenous boy for Stan Original Film *Wind Catcher*

A major Stan Original feature film is casting for a young Indigenous young male, age 10-13 years old, from anywhere in Australia. No acting experience required but you need to be available through September and October 2023.

The first round of auditions is being held now, and to be considered, you just need to film your audition on a phone. Deadline is Friday 23 June. This is a paid role in a feature film for STAN.

The heartwarming story of a young Aboriginal boy growing up in regional Australia, *Wind Catcher*, was written by Boyd Quakawoot (known for Stan Original Series *Black Snow* and *Black Comedy*) and directed by Taniith Glynn-Maloney (winner of the AACTA award for *Finding Jedda*, producer of *Robbie Hood* and *She Who Must Be Loved*).

The film explores the unexpected friendship between Percy Boy, a quick-witted and cunning character, and an unlikely trio consisting of Daisy and Keithy. Against all odds, they decide to participate in an upcoming sports carnival, determined to become the heroes of their own narrative. However, when a natural disaster threatens their remote township, endangering their loved ones, Percy Boy finds himself facing unforeseen challenges.

The successful candidate (and 1 x parent/guardian) will also be provided with: flights, accommodation, per diems and all ground transport in connection with the Production. On-set schooling will be provided in accordance with child welfare guidelines.

Parent/guardian: please send us an email with all the information in the flyer to: office@nathanlloyd.com.au

We need to know the child's

- Name
- Age
- Locations
- Parent/guardian phone number
- Acting Experience (if any)

- 2 recent photos

You will then receive audition details, short scene script and tips for making an audition recording! Darwin contact: Cathy Gallaher Cathy@abcgfilm.com / 0416 227 282

Dolly's Dream Support Line

[Dolly's Dream Support Line](#) is now available to families and students 24/7, providing them with access to qualified counsellors for free and without a referral. To access this service, call or text 0488 881 033 or use this [webchat](#).

Resources are available to support families concerned about bullying and cyberbullying.

[Click here to download the Minecraft Camps flyer](#)

EXCITING SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN! 🎉🎊

These school holidays we have you covered for finding something FUN and ACTIVE to do! 🎉

#3x3basketball is gaining huge momentum in Alice and we have just the activation these school holidays to give you the platform to learn, train, meet new friends and play ball!

What's ON:

TUESDAY 27 to FRIDAY 29th 9.30am to 11.30am - 6yrs to 10yrs @3x3ready clinics & games 🏀🏈

3 point shoot out comp & free shoot around - 11.30-12.30pm

1pm - 3pm - 11yrs to 15yrs @3x3ready clinics and games 🏀🏈

3 point shoot outs & free shoot around 3pm to 4pm

4.30pm to 5.30pm - @3x3ready clinics and games 16yrs & older

FRIDAY NIGHT June 30th - SOCIAL CUP

Local businesses, 000 services get involved in your own fun social comp and play for your chance to win \$500 CASH 🏆

SATURDAY July 1st - Juniors & Opens Comp

Under 13's - 12pm to 1.30pm
Under 15's - 1.45pm to 3pm
Opens - 3pm to 4.30pm

💎 Prizes for the Juniors thanks to @intersportalicesprings and cash up for grabs for our Opens

🔴 To participate in the FRI NIGHT or SAT COMP you MUST register your team by heading to the link in our bio 📲

💎 ALL other sessions are rock up on the day based on your AGE GROUP, all skill levels welcome 🙌

📍 Anzac Oval Car Park

Have questions 📧 CLB at info@clb.com.au

Event proudly supported by the @alicespringstowncouncil, @clb3x3 and the @yipirinya @alicespringscentrals3x3

Link to post 📄
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