Come and Try in the October Holidays!

Want to try something fun in the school holidays? Over 16 South Australian sports associations are providing Come ‘n Try sessions for ages 5 to 16 as part of a week of Come ‘n Try sports that will be taking place in and around central Adelaide from Monday 28th September to Friday 2nd October.

It’s going to be big! Come ‘n Try sessions will start at either 9.30am, 12.00pm or 2.30pm at locations in the CBD and Park Lands, and most sessions cost only $10!

For further information and bookings please visit www.comentry.com.au.

Participating sports: Australian Football, BMX, Bowls, Cricket, Croquet, Cycling, Gymnastics, Judo, Korfball, Life Games, Netball, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Touch Football, Triathlon, Water polo.

Do you require care for your child/children on the up coming pupil free day?

Friday 4th of September is a pupil free day.

To book your child into OSHC contact Georgie on 8354 0837. Book early to avoid disappointment.
**News from Silvia ...**

**Book Week**
This year the book week theme was “Books Light Up Our World”. As you can see by the photos in this edition of the newsletter, we had a fantastic Book Week celebration. A highlight of the week was our Assembly and Book Week Parade on Wednesday. Classes also displayed creative art work to do with a shortlisted book. Congratulations to all the students and Staff who added to the colour and excitement. We had Wizards, Mad Hatters, Cat In The Hat, Where is Wally, Butterflies and many more characters. A special thanks, to Room 9 staff and students for hosting the Assembly and for their outstanding performance of the book “Scary Night”. You were truly wonderful! Also a very big thankyou to Sue Keane and all the Book Week Committee members who organised such a fun event. We hope you all keep enjoying reading, no matter what your age.

**School Closure**
Friday September 4th the school is closed for a pupil free day. The focus of this day is Professional Development concerning the Australian Curriculum. If you require OSHC for your child, please contact Alice 8354 0837, as places can fill quickly.

**Enrolments 2016**
Early next term we will be starting the process of organising classes for 2016. Please inform the school if you child/ren will not be attending next year. If your child is starting school please ensure enrolment forms have been completed and handed to the front office.

**NAPLAN years 3/5/7**
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**LOST PROPERTY**
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**Mr Applebee’s great news!**
Congratulations to Jason, Megan and Thomas who have a gourgeous new addition to their family, Jude, born August 15th at 1:02 pm, 7 lbs, 3 oz.

**Fathers Day Stall Thursday 3rd September**
Gifts will range in price from $1.00 to $7.00. Terrific gift ideas will be available!

**Colds and Flu**
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Friday, 9:30 am. Bank books will be returned to students by Friday morning.

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**Sports Day**
Wednesday 16th September is our annual Sports Day. We welcome parents, carers and families to join us for this fun day of activity. In the morning students will be involved in tabloid events and in the afternoon in running events. Students and staff are placed in either Hayward, Ashley, Stephens and North houses for the day and are encouraged to wear their team colours. Students are required to wear a T-shirt, sun screen, hat and running shoes as well as bring adequate water for the day’s activities.

Team voting was done on Tuesday to elect co-captains. Year 7 children had the opportunity to be part of this process and students delivered speeches about why they would make a good captain. Their teams then voted.

**Congratulations to the elected captains:**
**North:** James, Luka, Jack, Sophie Stephens: Peter, Maggie, Joel, Theo Hayward: Eliza, Zach, Jee Ashley: Charlotte, Josh, Kalya, Patrick Silvia McCullen, Acting Principal

**TPS students making a difference!**
We participated in a charity event on the 7th of August called Walk a Mile in My Boots. This event raises money for the homeless people in the City of Adelaide. Over 6,000 South Australians are homeless and have been given showers and meals from the money raised in Hutt St Centre’s Walk a Mile in my Boots. Participants have raised over $110,000 from this event. We started at 7:30am on Wakefield Rd and ended on Hutt St at 8:45am opposite the St Andrews Hospital. We have participated in this event every year since 2012. I hope we continue participating in this event every year for the homeless peoples.

- Eliza and Amber W

**Important Dates**

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**Quiz Night**

Parents & Friends are hosting a Quiz Night!

**Saturday 17th October, from 7pm**

- Tables of 10 - $10 per person
- BYO food and drinks
- Auction items on the night

Return the slip with payment to the finance office to secure your seats or table.

**Quiz Night ticket order form**

Name ______________________________
Contact phone ______________________
Child’s name and room __________________ /

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