



Government
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Department for Education

Dates to Remember

Monday 8/11 to 19/11

Swimming R to Yr 5 -

Mountain Pool

Monday 8/11– Wednesday

10/11 Yr 6/7 Camp—Aldinga

**Year 6/7 transition to Mount
Barker High**

Mon 29/11 & Tues 30/11

8.45am – 3.10pm

All 2022 yr 7 students

Thurs 2/12 & Fri 3/12

8.45am – 3.10pm

All 2022 MtBHS yr 8 students

**Monday 6/12—MBPSchool
Pageant Day**

**Tuesday 7/12—Graduation
Year 6**

**Wednesday 8/12—
Graduation Year 7**

**Thursday 9/12—Rec to Yr 5
Cinema Day**

**Friday 10/12—End of term—
EARLY DISMISSAL 2.10pm**

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Newsletter

Term 4 Update

If you have done the school drop off recently you would have seen the progress of the building works. It has been confirmed that we will have access to the building to start the 2022 school year.

From a logistics points of view it will be a very busy school holidays as contractors finish off and our classroom furniture company set up our innovative new spaces.

In the upcoming Christmas holidays the admin building will be demolished. This will include asbestos removal. Information will be shared with the local community and no one will be allowed on site during that time. The development of the new play area in that space will take place in term 1 and will include new built in play equipment and landscaping of the area at the front of the school. During this time the old disability unit space will be re-designed and will become the a performing arts studio and a permanent space for OSHC.

Towards the latter part of 2022 we will start looking at how we can improve our early years facilities, including updating the audio visual technology, classroom acoustics and providing break out spaces for students needing support with regulation.

Keep an eye out on SeeSaw/emails over the holidays as we will be sharing information regarding how to access the school on our return from holidays!



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Awards

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Celebrating our resilient learners!



Bushfire Season

Bushfires can occur at any time during summer. It's important that our families understand our Site Emergency Plan are prepared and have a plan in place for their family when these situations arise.

If there is a bushfire emergency while children are onsite we will keep them safe until the danger has cleared even if this is outside of normal school hours.

Visit www.decd.sa.gov.au and search 'bushfire brochure' for more information on keeping safe.

Our site Bushfire Plan is available on our website mtbarkerps.sa.edu.au under Parent Information, Policies.



**DECD
Emergency
Information
Hotline**

1800 000 279

Library News

The Premiers Reading Challenge Medals and certificates will be given to the students next week. Congratulations to all the students who took the time to fill in their forms and complete the challenge. Over 200 students participated. Well done!

There will be one last Scholastic Book Club Issue 8 for the year and this will arrive back at school in time for Christmas. The catalogues will be out soon. If you wish to purchase books as a gift I will ring you when they arrive ready for you to pick up at the front office.

Hope you all enjoy the rest of the term and happy reading everyone.

Suzanne

Library Manager

Road Safety Visit

In week three, Rooms 19 and 20 visited the Road safety Centre in Adelaide for a bike safety education session. It was a fantastic day of fun, excitement and skill building. We learned how to be safe on the roads while riding, stop at traffic lights, cross the road safely and how to identify road signs. We have been working with TADSA (Technology for Ageing and Disability) who are a brilliant company supporting students with disabilities; they brought customised bikes three-wheeler bikes for our students so that we could all participate. We were treated to gifts, snacks and other refreshments. We hope this will be an annual event and look forward to our next visit. Take a look at the students riding around on the mock roadway!

Rhianna Peate
Disability Unit Coordinator



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COMING THIS DECEMBER & JANUARY!

**BRING YOUR LOGBOOKS AND GET READY
FOR A WEEK OF FUN!**

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