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Riverland Special School

Celebrating Ability

RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY SUCCESS SERVICE



Term 4 Week 9 Newsletter 2022 Issue 11

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

As the 2022 school year comes to a close, it is a good time to reflect on the growth and achievements of our students. Last week we acknowledged them at our Presentation Day and it was wonderful to see so many families attend. Congratulations to our winners of the Woodberry, Lambert and Tim Whetstone awards. Please see page 5 of this newsletter for more information.

Please note, we are holding some 'Back to School' days in the week before school starts. This is a great opportunity to come into school and get forms, applications and uniforms sorted before the school year begins. Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas with your family and we will see you in 2023!

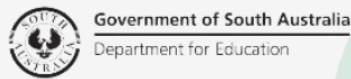
Kindest Regards,
Natalie Coote



WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Warmest thoughts and best wishes for a wonderful Christmas.

From the Riverland Special School



RIVERLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL DATES TO REMEMBER

- Last Day of School Year** - Friday 16th December, 2:15pm Dismissal
- "Back to School" Days (See advert on page 3)** - Monday 23rd & Tuesday 24th January 2023
- 1st Day of School Year** - Monday 30th January 2023

Riverland Special School

Term 1 2023 Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
WEEK 1	30/1 1st Day of School	31/1	1/2	2/2	3/2
WEEK 2	6/2	7/2	8/2	9/2	10/2
WEEK 3	13/2 Prefect Election	14/2	15/2 <u>SCHOOL PHOTOS</u> Mission Aust. Visit	16/2	17/2
WEEK 4	20/2	21/2	22/2	23/2	24/2 Proposed Pupil Free Day
WEEK 5	27/2 Student Leader Induction	28/2	1/3	2/3	3/3
WEEK 6	6/3	7/3	8/3	9/3	10/3
WEEK 7	13/3 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	14/3	15/3 Mission Aust. Visit	16/3	17/3
WEEK 8	20/3	21/3	22/3	23/3	24/3
WEEK 9	27/3	28/3	29/3	30/3 Open Day 2:30-6:30pm	31/3
WEEK 10	3/4	4/4	5/4	6/4	7/4 GOOD FRIDAY
WEEK 11	10/4 EASTER MONDAY	11/4	12/4	13/4	14/4 Last Day of Term 2:15pm Dismissal

PLEASE NOTE: There may be changes during the Term but you will be kept up to date through newsletters, Facebook and Class Dojo. Thank you.

Premiers Reading Challenge

Earlier this Term, our Student Leaders travelled to Adelaide with staff to receive an Outstanding Achievement Award for our school in this year's Premier's Reading Challenge. They attended the Reception at the Adelaide Zoo Function Centre.



Congratulations!

Well done to Tahlia who was recently presented with a set of art pencils from Tony Pasin for her winning Christmas Card design.



Senior School Prom

Our Senior Students recently attended our bi-annual Prom at the Berri Hotel. It was a beautiful night and everyone looked fabulous! Thank you to Ms Burlik for all her organisation for this event. A special thank you to Alex Gallard from the Gallard Group for covering the cost of Prom for our students. Grant Schwartzkopff and his son Kieran took some amazing photos of our student arrivals and we also appreciated the car drivers volunteering their time and cars to transport our students.

A BIG thank you to everyone else who supported our students for this event.

RIVERLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL

BACK TO SCHOOL 2023

12-3PM MONDAY 23RD JANUARY
9-3PM TUESDAY 24TH JANUARY

Administration staff will be available to assist with the following:

- School Card Applications
- Consents Forms
- Transport Applications
- Uniform collection / orders
- Medication Management

SCHOOL STARTS ON MONDAY 30TH JANUARY 2023



PROM 2022



2022 Presentation Day

Last Thursday we held our End of Year Presentation Day. Thank you to our special guests: Tim Whetstone, Mayor Norton, Mayor Hunter and Councillor Scott for helping to present the awards. The major award winners were:

Tim Whetstone Award

Ethan Raggett

Woodberry Award

Noah Haldenby

Lambert Award

Seth Rosenberg



*WELL
Done!*



Ethan

2022 Graduating Student

Community Notices



Barmera Central
Linking the community

**LAKE BONNEY
BARMERA**

SUMMER AQUATIC LESSONS

With **QUALIFIED INSTRUCTORS**

LEARN TO:

- Kneboard
- Water Ski
- Wind Surf
- Sail

2nd January—19th January
Monday to Thursday only
9.30am-11.00am or
11.30am-1.00pm

\$30.00 a session

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Contact us on:
Ph: (08) 8588 2289
E: vic@barmeratourism.com.au



FREE **BERRI BARMERA LIBRARY**

Christmas Craft

Tuesday, December 20
Pine Cone Christmas Trees
Barmera Library | 2pm
Bookings required

Wednesday, December 21
Colour your own Christmas Stocking
Berri Library | 10:30am
Bookings required

December 19-23
Make a reindeer lolly pop
During business hours at Barmera Library
No bookings required

Activities are suited for children 5-12 years of age but families are welcome. Children must be accompanied by a parent or carer.

For more information and to book please call
Barmera Library: 08 8588 2872
Berri Library: 08 8595 2666

Berri Barmera COUNCIL **BERRI BARMERA LIBRARY SERVICE**



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SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN!

GET CRAFTY THESE SUMMER HOLIDAYS AT THE BERRI AND BARMERA LIBRARY

BARMERA LIBRARY

JAN 3 2:00PM Lego- Marble Maze Challenge & Build a Puzzle	JAN 10 2:00PM Blowing bubble and waving wands	JAN 16 10:30AM Pinch pot creations with Erin \$5.00 to be paid on booking
JAN 17 2:00PM Popsicle Flowerpots	JAN 20 2:00PM Build a Battle Bot with Lego	JAN 24 2:00PM Paint and decorate your own plaster shapes

BERRI LIBRARY

JAN 12 2:30PM Foam Fish Decorating	JAN 19 2:30PM Key Chains	JAN 26 2:30PM Kaleidoscopes
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Bookings are essential for all activities.

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Berri Barmera COUNCIL



Loveday 4x4 Adventure Park

Christmas Vouchers

- Kids Rally Driving
- 4x4 Tracks
- Gel Blasting
- Can-Am Hot Laps
- Lunch
- Drinks

KIDS RALLY CAR EXPERIENCE

Can-Am Hot Lap
#canamlovedaypark

3k long track 9 jumps \$50 pp

Loveday Gel Gun Field

40 acres of fields
The trench maze field
The water field
All Aussie Games

Full Automatic Guns
Unlimited Free Ammo
Ages 10 and up
Where else can you legally shoot your mates
Min 8 players
Max 50 players

#rally4kids
www.rallydrivesa.com

www.loveday4x4adventures.com

Christmas in Renmark

RIVERLAND YOUTH THEATRE

MON DEC 19
DANCE DAY
 at the Renmark Institute
 Pre-School Music & Movement
 With Fleur
 9am-10am, Free (no bookings)

TUES DEC 20
CHRISTMAS CRAFT DAY
 at the Renmark Institute
 Wrapping Paper & Card Making
 With Jess
 6pm-8pm, Free (no bookings)

FRI DEC 23
SILENT CHRISTMAS DISCO
 meet at Renmark Institute
 Dance in Christmas
 with Joey
 11am Kids Disco, Free
 8pm Grown Ups Disco, Free

FOR BOOKINGS AND INFO
[HTTP://RYT.ORG.AU](http://RYT.ORG.AU)
 8586 3437

Renmark Paringa COUNCIL **GARCLEW**

AT RIVERLAND YOUTH THEATRE

BOARD GAMES DAYS

DEC 21 LOXTON
 Loxton Business Hub
 2pm-6pm

DEC 22 WAIKERIE
 Waikerie Library & Visitor Centre
 2pm-5:30pm

We have something for everyone! There's fun for all ages, for board game beginners and the gamer pros. From board games to card games and everything in between. Swing by for a fun-filled afternoon

100	99	98	97	96	95	94	93	92	91
81	82	83	84	85	86	67	88	89	90
80	79	78	77	76	75	74	73	72	71
60	59	58	57	56	55	54	53	52	51
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
40	39	38	37	36	35	34	33	32	31
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

BOOKINGS: [HTTP://RYT.ORG.AU](http://RYT.ORG.AU)

LOXTON
 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

IN WAIKERIE

Paint and Play for 8's and under
 Wednesday 18th 10am & 12pm **\$ 5**

Stage Fighting 13 & up
 Monday 23rd 2pm - 5pm **\$ 15**

Home Turf
 Wednesday 18th

IN LOXTON

Paint and Play for 8's and under
 Wednesday 25th 10am & 12pm **\$ 5**

IN BERRI

Stage Fighting 13 & up
 Tuesday 24th 2pm - 5pm **\$ 15**

Take it Apart club for 8 & up **\$ 10**
 Thursday 12th & 19th 2pm - 4pm

Paint and Play for 8's and under
 Wednesday 11th 10am & 12pm **\$ 5**

GARCLEW **Berri Barmera COUNCIL** **variety**
 District Council of Loxton Waikerie **the children's charity**

RIVERLAND YOUTH THEATRE

JANUARY SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

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IN RENMARK

Music and Movement for 0-4s
 Mon 16th, 23rd - 9am **FREE**

Pondi for First Nations Young People, 8 - 16s
 Sunday 8, 15th, 22nd 4pm - 6pm **FREE**

Lord of the Rings Watch Parties
 Vol 1, 10th, 5pm
 Vol 2, 17th, 5pm
 Vol 3, 24th, 5pm **\$ 5**

Stage fighting 13 & Up
 Wednesday 25th, 10am-1pm **\$ 15**

3 Day Play - 'We Have Questions'
 Rehearsals: 20th, 21st, 22nd - 10am - 4pm at The Renmark Institute
 Dress Run: Monday 23rd from 2pm at The Chaffey Theatre **\$ 50**

'We Have Questions' and RYT 2023 Program Launch
 Monday 23rd - 7pm at the Chaffey Theatre **\$ 10**

Renmark Paringa COUNCIL **headspace** **Berri** **STATE THEATRE** **CHAFFEY THEATRE** **Riverland Water**