

# WANGANGOODOO\*

Port Lincoln High School's Aboriginal Education Newsletter // Term 3, 2020 Edition 1

## AP & AET Statement

Dear parents/caregivers,

The Aboriginal Education team would like to introduce you to the first of many Wangangoodoo Aboriginal Education newsletters. We aim to showcase the achievements of our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and share upcoming events and information with families. Our aim is to strengthen the communication between the school and our families.

Firstly we would like to introduce our extensive and passionate Aboriginal Education team, Kate Higgins (Aboriginal Education Assistant Principal), Kesby Turner-Wiebreck (Aboriginal Education Teacher), Boyd West (SAASTA Coordinator), Shannon Nagel (SAASTA Teacher), Carly Thompson (APAS tutor), Wanda Jarvis and Jenny Silver (Aboriginal Art Program) Shantelle Miller-Pickett, Nicole Carter and Malcolm Miller (ASETO's), Derick Wanganeen and Matthew Stokes (Clontarf Academy) and Jolene Miller (Workabout Centre Coordinator).

At the end of semester 1 we began sharing positive postcards which are special mentions from staff to our families for positive student attitudes, efforts, improvements and role modelling. We have shared over 30 of these already. This is another way we have

chosen to strengthen our positive communication with our families.

Staff at Port Lincoln High School have spent the best part of their professional development engaging in building their cultural competency. With the support from Aboriginal Education staff, teachers have been developing their understanding of Aboriginal Culture and learning through Aboriginal perspectives, particularly as they apply in our local community. This has been received well and will be ongoing.

In recent weeks we have also been celebrating successes in students gaining employment and University scholarships. Elijah Males has successfully gained scholarship support from the University of Adelaide's Wirritu Yarlur Aboriginal Education Program and Kiana Stafford also received the Dame Roma Mitchell Scholarship to assist with her attaining SACE and preparing her to pursue her educational and professional goals. Congratulations to both students.

Semester two is well underway with our year 12s having only a few months before they complete their schooling and embark on their post school adventure. They just need to hang in there! The year 11s have just begun their compulsory Research Project with some exciting topics being explored. The Respect Sista Girls 2 for the year 9s will also kick off with Nicole Carter this week every Wednesday

first lesson, followed by attending the second Weena Yarns with West Coast Youth Services, Mentally Fit EP, Family Violence Legal Services; Aboriginal Cooperation (SA) and Workabout.



*Year 8-10 girls participating in the term 2 Weena Yarns*  
Additionally, as the term progresses, a couple of our young artists will be supporting Susie Betts with the hospital painting.

Kate Higgins Integrated Learning Program (ILP), with the support from Shantelle Miller-Pickett, have begun preparation for the NAIDOC Week Youth Ball to be held in November and camp scheduled for week 9.

Please take note of the upcoming events outlined in the newsletter and pencil in your calendar the Family Wangangooridi (to converse; talk together) in week 6. It will be a SAASTA celebration and opportunity to gain subject counselling information for 2021. We look forward to a rewarding and successful term 3.

Kesby Turner-Wiebreck and Kate Higgins



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## Clontarf

To say Term 1 was strange then Term 2 can only be described as crazy!!

Unable to enjoy camps and excursions this term, our Academy members has been a hive of activity before school, recess, lunch and afterschool with our general weekly activities. Some key highlights were:

- An afternoon with the Governor General and selected student, Craig Miller.
- Adventure Bay Charters visited our early morning training.
- Healthy Lifestyle and NBA 2K20 Tournament created by year 12 student Kobe Vlassco.

However, term 3, looks to be back busier than ever and we can't wait to bring back some exciting and entertaining activities for our students to enjoy in the final half of the year.

We will again be hosting our annual Port Lincoln Carnival. This carnival is always a highlight on the Clontarf Calendar and this year looks to be no different. With students from across the state conveying into Port Lincoln we will again be looking to displaying the wonderful sites and community Port Lincoln has to offer. For a full update contact Matthew or Derick for their latest "Shark Scoop".

Clontarf Academy,  
Matthew Stokes & Derick Wanganeen

## Workabout

Our term 3 Training Calendar is out now with lots of exciting courses. I have been adding information to the 2020 ATSI Students Teams for students and sending a lot of information in the mail.

Students are engaging well and learning interview skills, writing resumes, cover letters and applying for local jobs in various industries, including tuna processing, administration and retail.

Year 10 students attended the Come and Try VET day at TAFE in week 3 which gave students the opportunity to learn more about childcare, education support, engineering and automotive and the VET courses available to senior students in 2021.



*Lara, Jakoda and Sabrina in the hospitality session.*

Year 12 students Craig Miller and Tristen Elvey have been exploring options for their future and visited the local UniSA hub on Tasman Tce to learn more about

the Uni Pathway programs, ready for when they complete SACE later this year.



*Craig and Tristen attending the UniSA hub*

A series of online webinars will occur in weeks 6, 8 and 10 for senior students, covering SATAC applications, traineeships, apprenticeships and how to apply for work in schools, providing valuable information for post-school opportunities.

If you are interested in any programs, services or just have a question about how The Workabout Centre can support you, do not hesitate to contact me.

Workabout Coordinator  
Jolene Miller



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## SAASTA

Hi all,

This has been a difficult year for everyone and I hope you all are managing to the best of your ability. The Port Lincoln South Australian Aboriginal Secondary Training Academy have been significantly impacted by Covid-19. A number of our major events have been postponed or cancelled. This has been difficult for all our students who have been working tremendously hard to maintain their key performance indicators. However, there are some positive events in the near future. *The Power Cup will be held on the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> of November.* This event is always exciting and this year will have more significance as students look for some reward for their effort.

Applications for SAASTA 2021 will be received prior to subject selection in week 6. If your student/s are interested in applying, please arrange a time with Boyd West the SAASTA coordinator.

Furthermore, SAASTA 2021 Certificate III applications will also be open. SAASTA Certificate III options include:

- CHC32015 / Certificate III in Community Services (TAFE SA) - 50 Stage 2 Credits

- SIS30315 / Certificate III in Fitness (AIPT/Pushing Performance) – 100 Stage 2 Credits
- SIT30616 / Certificate III in Hospitality (Complete Hospitality Training Skills) – 5 Stage 1 & 45 Stage 2 Credits
- CPC20112 / Certificate II in Construction (Carey Training) – 55 Stage 1 Credits
- CHC30213 / Certificate III in Education Support (Madec) – 60 Stage 2 Credits

Boyd West  
SAASTA Coordinator Port Lincoln High School

## Aboriginal Art Program

The 2020 Aboriginal Art Program runs this year in two double lesson blocks on Tuesday and Wednesday. Plans for a local exhibition of artworks as well as a mural and a camp are well underway.

Students in years 8,9 and 10 have produced several large paintings working collaboratively in small groups, as well as some smaller paintings, drawings and screen prints. Themes have included the bushfires and recovery from earlier in the year, ocean care and animal conservation.

As always, we invite any interested family or local artists to our sessions. Please contact Wanda Jarvis.



left: Mia S, Leightahnee H, Nadine R, Amali H, Macinta F, Sabrina B, Katie W & Karmaley N



above: Nathaniel H-B, Kynan H, Cooper M, Deklan M, Wesley B, Peter G, Orlando S, Borrice B & Rushaun H.



Sabrina B

Wanda Jarvis  
Aboriginal Art Program Teacher.



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## Events Calendar

### Term 3 upcoming events:

#### Week 4:

- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August: Clontarf Senior AA Fisheries Vessel Tour.
- Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> August: Weena Yarns.

#### Week 5:

- Monday 17<sup>th</sup> August; Clontarf AA Maintenance Rocket Repairs.
- Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> August: Clontarf Port Lincon Cup.

#### Week 6:

- *Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> August Wangangooridi (to converse; talk together).*
- Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August; Senior AA UniSA visit.
- Subject Selection week; more information to come.

#### Week 7:

- Subject Selection week; more information to come.
- Monday 31<sup>st</sup> August: Clontarf AA Adventure Bay Charters Worksite visit.
- Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> September: Clontarf Yr 11/12 Employment Focus Camp

#### Week 9:

- Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September; Weena Yarns.

| Academy Name Port Lincoln                                                                                                                          |                                                                                    |                                                               |                                                                   |                                                                                                     | Term 3                                                                                                                  |                                                                                    |                                                    |                                                                   |                                                                                | Year 2020                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                   |                                                                   |                                                                                |
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| MONDAY                                                                                                                                             | TUESDAY                                                                            | WEDNESDAY                                                     | THURSDAY                                                          | FRIDAY                                                                                              | MONDAY                                                                                                                  | TUESDAY                                                                            | WEDNESDAY                                          | THURSDAY                                                          | FRIDAY                                                                         | MONDAY                                                                                                                                             | TUESDAY                                                                                                                  | WEDNESDAY                                                                                                         | THURSDAY                                                          | FRIDAY                                                                         |
| 10<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>Afternoon Activity – WCYS<br>Health Session                                | 11<br>Early Morning Training<br>Health Checks                                      | 12<br>Senior Afternoon Activity –<br>McDonald Store Visit     | 13<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS | 14<br>Good Bunch Lunch<br>Yr. 8 Contact Time 1.30 –<br>3.10pm<br>(Goal Setting and<br>Expectations) | 17<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Pupl Free Day                                                                                       | 18<br>Early Morning Training<br>Port Lincoln Cup                                   | 19<br>Port Lincoln Cup                             | 20<br>Port Lincoln Cup                                            | 21<br>Good Bunch Lunch<br>Yr. 8 Contact Time 1.30 –<br>3.10pm (Health Session) | 24<br>Academy Reviews<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>KMAAT Employment Visit                                  | 25<br>Early Morning Training<br>Guest Speaker Graeme<br>Johncock<br>Health Checks<br>Family Wangangooridi<br>Morning Tea | 26<br>School Staff Soup Morning Tea<br>Senior Afternoon Activity – UniSA<br>Visit Employment Forum<br>Preparation | 27<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS | 28<br>Good Bunch Lunch<br>Yr. 8 Contact Time 1.30 –<br>3.10pm (Worksite Visit) |
| 31<br>Academy Reviews<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>Afternoon Activity<br>Milkshake Monday and Uno<br>Smash | 8<br>Early Morning Training<br>Health Checks                                       | 9<br>Senior Afternoon Activity –<br>Adelaide Employment Forum | 10<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS | 11<br>Good Bunch Lunch<br>Yr. 8 Contact Time 1.30 –<br>3.10pm (Ocean Warrior<br>Clean Up)           | 7<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>Afternoon Activity Healthy<br>Lifestyle Cooking  | 15<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>LGPS<br>Health Checks | 16<br>Yr. 9-10 Camp Smoky Bay<br>(Ceduna)          | 17<br>Yr. 9-10 Camp Smoky Bay<br>(Ceduna)                         | 18<br>Yr. 9-10 Camp Smoky Bay<br>(Ceduna)                                      | 31<br>Academy Reviews<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>Afternoon Activity<br>Milkshake Monday and Uno<br>Smash | 1<br>September<br>Adelaide Employment Forum                                                                              | 2<br>Adelaide Employment Forum                                                                                    | 3<br>Adelaide Employment Forum                                    | 4<br>Adelaide Employment<br>Forum                                              |
| 21<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>Afternoon Activity Soccer<br>in Gym                                        | 22<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>LGPS<br>Health Checks | 23<br>BDO Top Attendees – Lincoln<br>National Park            | 24<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS | 25<br>Good Bunch Lunch<br>Yr. 8 Contact Time 1.30 –<br>3.10pm (Leisure Centre)                      | 14<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>Afternoon Activity Healthy<br>Lifestyle Cooking | 22<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>LGPS<br>Health Checks | 23<br>BDO Top Attendees – Lincoln<br>National Park | 24<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS | 25<br>Good Bunch Lunch<br>Yr. 8 Contact Time 1.30 –<br>3.10pm (Leisure Centre) | 21<br>Academy Reviews<br>MMM 9.00AM<br>Aboriginal Assistant<br>Principal Meeting 9.30am<br>Afternoon Activity<br>Milkshake Monday and Uno<br>Smash | 28<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS                                                        | 29<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS                                                 | 30<br>Early Morning Training<br>Primary School Transition<br>PLPS | 1<br>October<br>Adelaide Employment Forum                                      |

| LEGEND                           |             |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Education                        | Camps       |
| Employment                       | Life Skills |
| Football                         | Leadership  |
| Healthy Lifestyles               | Other       |
| Partner Events                   |             |
| Community Involvement Activities |             |
| Health Sessions                  |             |
| Health Checks                    |             |

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Generic Comments

\*\* PLEASE NOTE - ALL ARE WELCOME  
TO ATTEND TRAINING