Greetings from the Principal

Thank you to all of our SSO’s for all the work they do to support our school community and make a difference for all students. This year’s theme for SSO Week is SSO’s are the heart of our schools.

This week is National Science Week and we are looking forward to seeing student’s Science entries. Next week is Children’s Book Week and we look forward to students dressing up on the Wednesday and celebrating at the school assembly.

Please remember that the driveway of the Disability Unit is not for walking through. For everyone’s safety please use the footpath or school oval.

It will soon be Father’s Day and we are having a Father’s Day stall as one of our annual fundraising events. Details at the end of our newsletter.

Remember that Friday 26th August is our student free day. We need to have 18 students booked into OSHC for them to run the service on that day.

Yannoula Michael

HAPPY SSO WEEK
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Incursion: Hahndorf Mobile Farm

In keeping with our IB Unit 4 topic: Farms provide us with resources, we had the Hahndorf Mobile Farm visit us for an incursion. The Early years’ learners had an enjoyable experience interacting with the animals. The Power Point presentation and talk also revised our learning in class and increased the learners’ knowledge about the resources we get from the different types of farms.

Zak, “It feels so soft.”
Mark, “Look, it has horns.”

Felix liked all the animals.
Shayla liked the Little Guinea Pigs.

Tyler liked the Turkey best

Thank you Mrs. Opie this feels cozy!

Aden, “Ahh, rabbits are so huggable.”

Hey, its’ me they came to see not you
Mackenzie Liked the rabbits and the guinea pigs
The Governing Council are pleased to announce that we will be having a Father’s Day gift stall this year. Please let your kids know that they have a fantastic opportunity to buy their dads or grandpa’s a wonderful gift.

Great gift ideas ranging from $2.00 to $10.00
Wed 31st August 2016
Thurs 1st September 2016

So give your kids an advance on their allowance or let them mow the lawn for a bit of extra pocket money so they can bring some money along to spoil their dads

“A Father is someone you look up to no matter how tall you grow”

About Camp Australia
For more than 28 years Camp Australia has delivered high quality and affordable After School Care that nurtures and supports children’s development. Providing time for homework, time to relax, educational activities and a healthy snack.

After school care promotes a healthy and active lifestyle, encourages friendships and supports children to develop new skills—all while having fun.

Seaford Rise Primary School has partnered with Camp Australia, the leading provider of Before and School Care in Australia.

A high quality program embraces the schools values and builds on you child’s educational experiences and individual interest.

The program combines active games with planned and unplanned play, quiet time, homework time and a healthy snack. Every day is an adventure led by enthusiastic Camp Australia Educators who are on a mission to bring smiles to kids faces. As trained educators, we know lots of different ways to help you child get the most out of their day and feel good about themselves.

Visit www.campaustralia.com.au and enter your school name in the school finder.

Please note: OSHC need a minimum of 18 children to open on school closure days. Please register your interest as soon as possible for any of these days.

Motivate a Mate to get Active!
Join the conversation #activecommunitycup
Enquiries - ‘Life. Be in it’ 8362 2150
What is it?
A 2km, 4km, 6km or 8km run/walk along the foreshore – starting at the Christies Beach Surf Life Saving Club.
When?
Every Wednesday starting 12 October 2016 and runs for 7 weeks.
Who can enter?
The whole Community, everyone is welcome!