

Port Adelaide Greek School



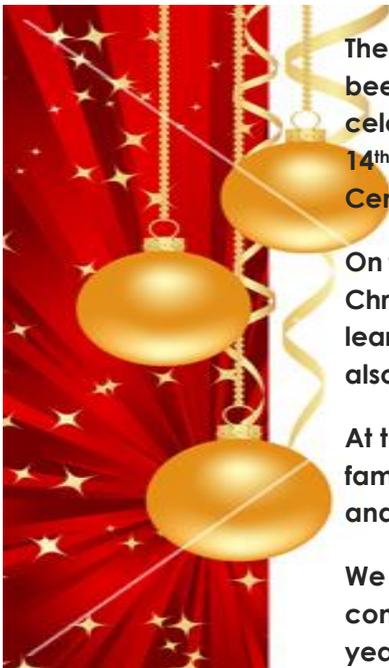
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Dear Parents/Caregivers

It is hard to believe we have come to the end of yet another school year. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your help and support in and out of the classroom. We have had another very busy and successful year at Port Adelaide Greek School and you, as partners in the education of your children, deserve much of the credit in that.

We would also like to give our heartfelt thanks to our school committee who have worked tirelessly to ensure that our school ran smoothly. The executive committee of the Port Adelaide Greek Orthodox Church for their continued support, and Father John Choraitis for his religious instruction and guidance. Last but by no means least I would like to thank our dedicated teachers for working hard to deliver a diverse programme for our students.

End of Year Celebration



The children along with their teachers have been very busy preparing for our end year celebration which will be held on Wednesday 14th December at 7pm at the Krystal Function Centre, Cnr of Dale and Church St.

On the evening the children will be performing Christmas songs and plays they have been learning in class. Certificates and awards will also be given on the evening.

At the conclusion of our concert we invite our families to remain for some light refreshments and an opportunity to socialise.

We look forward to coming together, as a community to celebrate another wonderful year.

Dates to Remember

December 14

End of Year celebration

February 3rd 2017

Enrolment high school students
5pm – 7pm and commencement
of lessons

February 4th 2017

Enrolment primary students
9am-11am and commencement of
lessons

Dance Rehearsal for Semaphore Greek Festival (Primary Students)

High School Students TBA

5th January, 6pm at Seaton High School

10th January, 6pm at Seaton High School

13th January, 6pm at the stage at the Semaphore foreshore

If you require additional information, please get in contact with Maria Zissopoulos (Primary)
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Or Mary-Ann Iliou (High School)
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Reception class preparing for Christmas



The reception students had a Christmas filled day at Greek School last week and got into the festive spirit! They enjoyed decorating their own baubles to hang on their Christmas trees at home. The students also spent time singing and preparing for the end of year concert.

Glendi

Sincere thanks to all the wonderful volunteers who gave up their time to help at the Glendi. It was a very successful fundraiser and all funds raised will go directly to the school to purchase resources for the children. We would also like to congratulate all our amazing students who took part in the Glendi's school display and the dance performances. They made us all very proud.





Hospital Research Foundation Multicultural Christmas Concert



On Sunday December 4, our school and the ladies auxiliary were invited to perform at the Hospital Research Foundation Multicultural Concert.

A group of children performed a nativity narration and the ladies auxiliary performed some traditional Greek Christmas Carols.

We would like to thank and congratulate everyone involved as they made us extremely proud.



In the community

Christmas Services

December 24th

7.00-8.30pm Great Vesper followed by loukoumathes and fruit served free to all in the club of the church.

December 25th

8.00-11.00am Matins and Divine Liturgy

January 8th 2017

Blessing of the waters

8am-11am Church Service followed by the procession to the Port River

Lunch will be held at the Krystal Function Centre

January 14/15 2017

Semaphore Greek Festival

Held at the Semaphore Foreshore

All Volunteers are welcomed

Please come and visit us at our school tent

Just a reminder

Could all blue tops please be returned to school on Saturday as we would like to prepare and organise them for the 2017 school year.

If your child is NOT performing at the Semaphore Greek Festival, please ensure you return costumes you have at home by 10th December at Greek School as Maria will need to redistribute them to others.

We would like to wish all our families many blessings during Christmas and the New Year. We hope you all have a safe, relaxing and enjoyable break and we look forward to welcoming all students back refreshed and ready for a new year of learning, success and progress.

**Καλά Χριστούγεννα και
Ευχισμένος ο Νέος Έτος**

