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**REMINDERS**

Lunch orders and consents for the West Adelaide visit were due back today. **If you intend on ordering lunch and haven’t already done so please return asap so food orders can be finalised.**

Pie fundraiser order forms are due back by next **Thursday 9th June**. Please note that **no late orders can be taken.**

**Sensational Students:**

Moneika, Summer, Corey, Olivia, Adele, Matilda, Madison, Lexi, Cooper, Kiara, Georgia, Lauren, Jack, Ange, Nevaeh, Summer, Brody, Noah, Izzy, Riley, Zoe, Tayla, Molly, Sean, Rhys, Theo, Erik, Lucy, Emily T, Emily C, Tyron, Connor, Katie.
Hi everyone,

Continuing on the subject of Assets that we can build in our children to help them become successful adults, today we are talking about the External Assets of Boundaries and Expectations.

Asset no.11: Family Boundaries
Each family should have clear rules and defined consequences of the breaking of the rules. Parents and Caregivers should monitor the young persons whereabouts.

Asset no.12: School Boundaries
The young persons school should provide clear rules and consequences.

Asset no.13: Neighbourhood Boundaries
Neighbours should also take responsibility for monitoring the young persons behaviour.

Asset no.14: Adult Role Models
Parents/Caregivers and other adults should model positive, responsible behaviour.

Asset no.15: There should be Positive Peer Influence
The young persons best friends should model responsible behaviour.

Asset no.16: High Expectations
Both Parent(s) and teachers encourage the young person to do well.

I hope these suggestions for building assets in your children are helpful. Next time we will examine the last of the External Assets of Constructive use of Time.

Brenton
Pastoral Care Worker
Choir News
Solo Auditions have been announced. Three students were successful and have won solos for the Riverland Music Festival after auditioning at Waikerie Lutheran Primary School. These students’ are Emily C, Emily T and Moneika. Moneika won a speaking solo in a song called “E Mission Control”, Emily T a singing solo in a song called “The Well” and Emily C a solo in a song called “Jungle Rhythm”. Well done girls and we look forward to hearing you sing in the concert later in the year.

SAPSASA Table Tennis
On Friday Aiden, Connor, Adoni, Hayden, Lucy, Emily T, Holly and Megan went to SAPSASA Table Tennis in Woodville. There were over 20 teams involved. We had a an enjoyable day. A big thank you to Mr Hanna for taking us.

2016 Book Fair
Last week we held the Scholastic Book Fair. The book fair was open for the whole week, before school each morning, from 8:30am to 9:00am and afterschool from 3:15pm to 3:45pm. Thank you to everyone that supported the book fair by buying books and stationary. A big thank you to the SRC for working and setting up the book fair. Altogether the school received $782 to spend on books for our library. Congratulations to Jack for winning the book fair raffle. It was a great week and ran smoothly.

Double Quiz ???
Q. What country won the Olympics in 2012.
Q. What country won the table tennis in the 2012 Olympic Games
Parents of students attending the Berri School Dental Clinic

The State and Federal Governments are in the process of upgrading and consolidating South Australia’s public dental infrastructure to ensure it complies with contemporary models of care and relevant standards and provides a suitable environment for patients and staff. Part of this consolidation and upgrading process is the building of a new Riverland Oral Health Centre, due to be opened at the end of 2016. The clinic will be located at 10 Madden St Berri, which is the corner of Madden and Hopkins Streets, on the grounds of the Riverland Regional Health Service.

Funding for the Riverland Oral Health Centre has been secured by The University of Adelaide via the Dental Faculty. The facility will be owned by the University of Adelaide but operated by SA Dental Service. The facility will include 4 surgeries for undergraduate students.

Part of the process of upgrading and consolidating these services involves the closure of a number of outdated clinics including Berri clinic. School dental services for children who attend Cudpla Primary School will be transferred to the new Riverland Oral Health Centre.

It is expected that the relocation will result in minimal disruption to our services as patient records will be transferred to the Riverland Oral Health Centre at the time of the closure.

It is recognised that this may result in a degree of inconvenience for some patients and their families but assure you that our staff will work closely with parents in facilitating this transition process.

If you have any concerns or comments please contact Shane Gandercock, Local Operations Manager, Riverland on 04121 020 159.