

# ALDGATE PRIMARY - WEEK 2 TERM 3 SPORTS REPORT

## PREMIER'S BE ACTIVE CHALLENGE 2023

All classes are busily recording their Premier's Be Active Challenge hours in their individual journals. By the end of the term we should be able to achieve 100% completion across the school. Hopefully our children can again receive the \$1000 grant for our sports programs.



Congratulations to **Orla Chhabra** for being the first student to complete the challenge in 2023 and a special mention to **Mr Wyatt's class** for being the first class to completed.

Well done also to the following students for completing the challenge over the past fortnight: **Evie Water, Maddie Brown, Riley Jarrett, Alia Manansala, Arlo Della-Torre, Charlie Teteris, Isabelle Wilson, Jack Dolan, Lucie Adams-Parsons, Mabel Hersey, Scarlett Stevenson, Uma Monlam, Cooper Stevenson, Grace Huff, Kayla Smith, Margot Bruer, Molly Gertig, Saoirse Laheen, Taite Dawes, Amelia Lemm, Austin Roberts, Bonnie Madsen, Edi Pollard, Evelyn Williams, Jaidyn Peet, Lara Brooks, Mabel Pollard, Owen Hoyle, Sidney Richards, Riley Fatchen, Amelia Wells, Bella Read, Emma de Haas, Jasmin Chapman, Aidan Kirby, Alice Carter, Angus Orchard, Chloe Horrocks, Eddie Sinclair, Ella Bjijsma, Owen Tiessem, Raf Merry, Rowan Williams, Ruby Mallin and Saskia Latreia.**

## SPORTS INCENTIVE POINTS TALLY

Sports Incentive Points (SIPs) earned go towards our 2024 sports day and our annual Aldgate Allrounder award.

| Freeman | Meares | Pearson | Thorpe |
|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| 257     | 263    | 266     | 273    |

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**Cottle** –Kai, Lucas, Paddy, Rory, **Hyatt** – Evie W, Maddie Brown, Riley J, Alia, Arlo D-T, Charlie T, Felix L, Isabelle W, Jack D, Lucie A-P, Mabel H, Oli M, Scarlett Stevenson, Uma, **Dunaiski/Woods** –Cooper, Darcy, Edward R, Grace, Kayla, Margot, Molly G, Rose, Saoirse, Taite, Amelia L, Austin, Bonnie, Edi, Evelyn, Hugo R, Jaidyn, Lara, Mabel P, Oliver K, Owen H, Sidney, Riley F, **Drago** –, George S, Maddie Burns, Nate M, Arlo T, **Wyatt/Cale** – Bella G, Ella Vandenbroek, Eloise D, Hamish, Holly, Nathaniel, Zoe, **Huff/Cale** - Amelia Wells, Bella R, Chase, Emma DH, Asher Lawry, **Richards** –Finn, Isaac, Jasmin, Lily S, Milla H, Aidan K, Alice C, Angus, Chloe, Eddie, Ella B, Elvis, Owen T, Rafael, Rowan, Ruby M, Saskia L, **Marsden/Cale** –Felix B, Lexi, Megan and Olive C.

## ALDGATE ALL ROUNDER 2023 LEADERBOARD - WEEK 2, TERM 3

1. **29 points** Holly Faber & Zoe Hamilton
2. **28 points** Oliver Miller
3. **25 points** Scarlett Stevenson, Grace Huff & Daisy Rolfs

## TRI SKILLS GYMNASTICS 2023

Last week our annual Tri Skills gymnastics got underway. This is a crucial program, allowing our children to explore different movement patterns and sequences safely. The main criterias we are looking for from our children is participation, movement, balance, decision making and strength. Here is a brief outline of what our children will be up to.

### LITTLE STEPS (Rec-Yr2) - 'Developing Foundation Movement Proficiencies'

Develops foundation movement proficiencies to land and travel safely, move smoothly in different ways and directions, jump and turn, and move together in simple sequences.

### BIG STEPS (Yr 3-4) - 'Building Foundation Movement Proficiencies'

Builds further the fundamental movement proficiencies to perform a variety of safe landings, balances, rotations, jumps, swings and creative sequences with other children.

### GIANT STEPS (Yr 5-6) - 'Advancing Foundation Movement Proficiencies'

Advances the movement proficiencies to design and perform more complex sequences with different landings, controlled dynamic and static balances, spins, turns, jumps and flight.



## KNOCKOUT NETBALL ROUND 2 2023

An early start was in order on Wednesday as our girls netball stars team their way to Tailem Bend for the round 2 of knockout netball. With a huge day of back to back matches against Bridgewater, Unity, Bordertown and Mount Barker South Schools.

First up, the girls tackled our close neighbours Bridgewater. It was a fascinating local derby with all of the girls familiar with each other's game. We eventually won the contest 19 -11 but not without implication. We lost one of our mid court specialist Neve, to an arm injury from an on court fall. Neve never returned to the court for the day and we later learned, after x-rays, that she sustained an upper arm fracture. We wish Neve a speedy recovery on the sidelines and hope that she bounces back, sooner than later.

Our second match was against another recent rival, Unity College. We had previously sized up against them in both cricket and football and had the upperhand. It was an arm wrestle all game, with Unity gaining the ascendancy in the first half and with us taking back control in the second. When the final whistle sounded, scores were locked away at 17 a piece. Overtime was required to settle the score and unfortunately, the Unity girls scraped through. They handled the pressure packed contest well, running out winners 24 to 19.

Game three was against the far from home, Bordertown. This again was a toe to toe encounter, with the scores tight all the way. We held a 1 point lead at the half time break and they closed the gap to draw the match in the second match. This sent us into our second overtime for the day. After played extra time at each end, the scores were tied again! The game then was to be completed by whoever clawed their way to a two points advantage, with Bordertown eventually finding their way to the win. 15 to 13.

Our last encounter was against Mount Barker South. The girls were playing their last game and the warmth of the Tailem sun didn't hold our girls back, running out victors 23 to 13.

Unfortunately, our girls could only afford the one loss today to progress through to the grand final series. Their efforts on and off the court were remarkable. We came so close to securing another finals appearance and we can only wonder what could have eventuated had we made it. We just needed that stroke of luck in one of those tight matches. We are so very proud of the girls' performances and achievements on the netball court – you were amazing.

A big thank you to our coaches Jade and Bri for leading the girls at Tailem Town and in round one. Thank you also to Bianca Evans for assisting with scoring and transportation. Finally, we wish all the girls the best for their remaining club seasons and hope that Neve's arm mends rapidly.

*On Wednesday we went down to Tailem Bend and had a great day winning two of our four games. The two losses that we had were in overtime and we just couldn't finish them off. Overall we had an amazing day and we hope Neve gets better soon. **Meisha Summerill (Captain)***



## STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS QUALIFYING CARNIVAL 2023

Next Friday we have our girls and boys basketball teams heading to Mount Barker to play off in the SAPSASA qualifying carnival at St Francis de Sales. Good luck to the following teams:

*GIRLS – Cora, Meisha, Daisy, Olivia, Emma G, Molly B, Mabel F, and Estelle.*

*BOYS – Oscar B, Asher Lawry, Eli, Finn D-T, Henry D, Chase and Zach.*

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Charlie** had a big holiday focusing on his passing and catching skills using a rebound net. A good quality rebound net does wonders for fast tracking our youngster's fundamentals. Thanks for working hard in the holidays champ!

The recent AUSKICK sessions through Breidgewater Football Club have just finished, captured in the photo are a whole host of Aldgate girls and boys – great to see so many dedicated little legends trying their luck at footy, got to love footy! From left to right we have **Luca W, Jack, Koa, Zac** (Aldgater in waiting), **Oli W, Harry B, Casey, Milo** (hidden behind Casey), **Theo, Guinevere** (pink jacket ...hiding) **Alice B and Eddie D** (another young Aldgater in waiting) Far too many Crows outfits for my liking, Casey and Zac have the right idea.

Classmates in the day, foes at night. Great to see our boys representing their various clubs with pride last Friday night at Echunga underlights. I believe the Echunga Demons took the win in a tightly fought game. Great to see those smiles **Matty, Paddy, Jack, Nate** and **Xavier**.

Enjoying a warm break in Bali was Sidney. He found a new passion in life, hitting the waves and getting some gnarly barrels! Keep an eye out for Surfing Sid at a wave near you!



## UPCOMING SCHOOL SPORT EVENTS

| Competition          | Opponents                                  | Venue               | Date                               |
|----------------------|--|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| Statewide Basketball | Girls and Boys                             | St Francis de Sales | Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> August     |
| Knockout Soccer      | Girls Round 2 – , Pt, Noarlunga & Highgate | Tatachilla          | Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> August    |
| Knockout Football    | Girls Finals Day – TBC                     | TBC                 | Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> August   |
| Lightning Carnival   | Hills and Barker Schools                   | St Francis de Sales | Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> September |
| State Athletics      | Districts across the state                 | SANTOS Stadium      | Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> September |