

# NAVIGATOR COLLEGE

## IMPORTANT DATES

### Sports Day

Whole School  
10th March

### Yr. 8 ERRAPPA CAMP

14th – 17th March

### Yr. 5 Camp

16th – 17th March

### TWILIGHT FESTIVAL

31st March

A 'Friend-raising' event for everyone!

5.00 – 9.00PM

### UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

TUE/WED 8.30 - 10.30am

THU 2.30pm – 4.30pm

### PLAYGROUP

Wednesday Mornings

9.15am – 10.15am

ELC (Early Learning Centre).

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Dear friends of Navigator,

In the midst of the exciting times with the Health and Well-being Centre construction underway, we acknowledge that there have been some frustrations. Thank you for being patient during this early period of establishing the construction site.

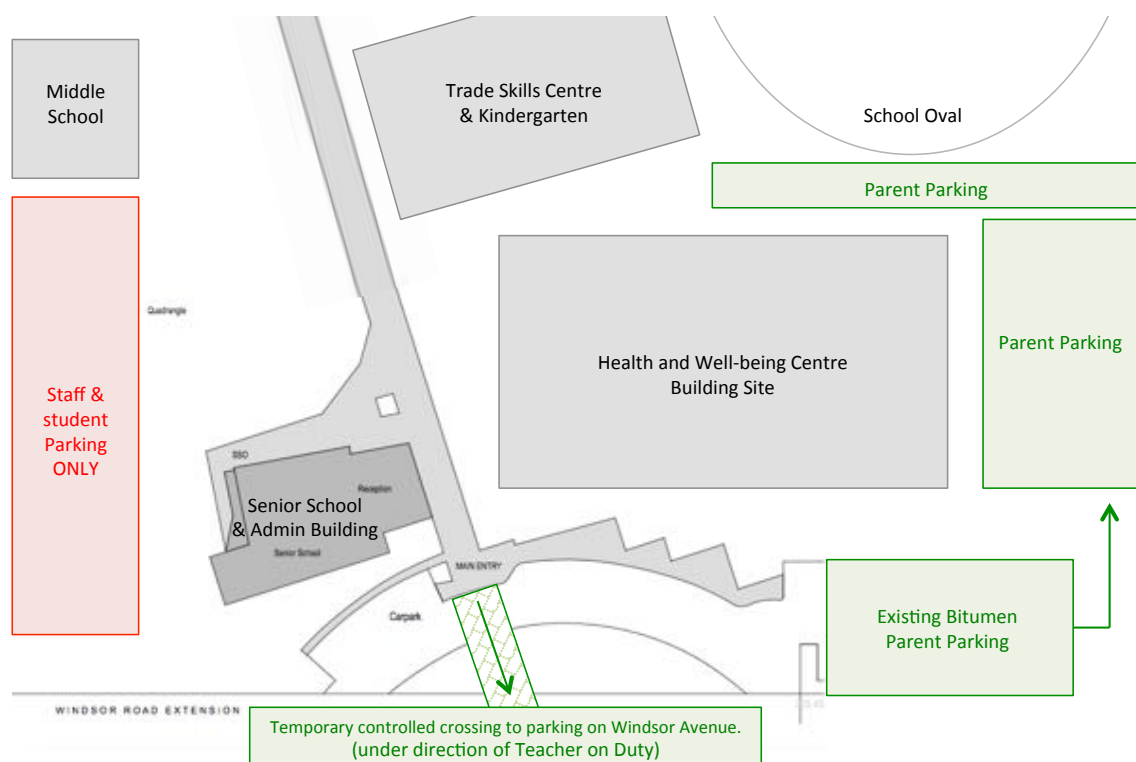
We are pleased to report that as from today, there will again be some parking available in the over-flow car park at the Windsor Avenue entrance, outside of the builder's compound. Access to this area will be via the roadway at the end of the bitumen car park as was previously the case. While there is ample space on the southern (Marina) side of the construction site, this area is quite a long walk for students and parents. The more convenient spaces will be further around in the area adjacent to the oval. There is enough space between the fence and the oval for cars to pull-in and park perpendicular to the direction of traffic. There is reasonable, safe, foot-traffic access to this parking area between the builder's fence and the ELC, or around past the canteen. We particularly encourage parents who have been in the habit of picking up their Junior or Middle School students from the Windsor Avenue entrance, to use this parking area.

We do ask that everyone exercises extreme caution in the actual drop-off zone. In recent days, the traffic has been flowing reasonably well, with a lot of common-sense, patience and consideration for others being shown by drivers. We sincerely thank you for that.

There has also been some confusion about students crossing over the drop-off zone to be picked up by waiting cars on the little section of Windsor Avenue in the vicinity of the College sign. We have decided as of today, to allow a controlled crossing of students across this area under the direction of the teacher on duty. This will initially be on a trial basis, potentially extending as an interim arrangement for the duration of the building project. In the bigger picture of things, this was never designed to be a pedestrian crossing. We will take this matter into consideration as we fine-tune the College grounds Master Plan during the course of the year.

Kind regards, Neville Grieger (Principal)

## PARKING MAP FOR WINDSOR AVENUE PICK UP AND DROP OFF



## MORE NEWS FROM THE PRINCIPAL

### MENINGOCOCCAL IMMUNIZATION STUDY

The University of Adelaide and SA Health, are conducting a Meningococcal B Vaccine Herd Immunity Study across the state during 2017 and 2018. This voluntary study is open to all South Australian students in Years 10, 11, 12 in 2017. Navigator College is one of 228 participating schools state wide, representing approximately 60,000 senior school students.

This study will potentially have a global impact and will inform policy makers around the Meningococcal B Vaccine herd immunity benefits and how this can reduce the spread of the bacteria from person to person. All students in Years 10 to 12 have be offered the trial. Students will be eligible to participate once both parental and student consent has been gained. Consent forms have been sent home and should have been returned by now. Questions about this program, may be addressed to the City of Port Lincoln 8621 2300 or the Immunisation Section, SA Health on 1300 232 272.

### WELCOME KYLIE

We are very pleased to be able to welcome Kylie Malota to our staff. Kylie has been appointed to deliver the Allied Health course to VET students through our Trade Skills Centre. Kylie replaces Kirstyn Whait who pioneered the establishment of the course at Navigator. We sincerely thank Kirstyn for her contribution to the College during her time with us.

### SURVEY RESPONSE

We had an overwhelming response to our recent survey to gather feedback in relation to College communications and uniform matters. We sincerely thank the 171 families who took the time to respond to the survey. As a result of the responses, we will be making some small adjustments to our communication mechanisms, while a small group is being gathered together to consider some possible fine-tuning of the uniform requirements. The survey data trends and responses were particularly insightful and very helpful in enabling us to continue to shape the future directions of the College as a 'school for the people'. Thanks for your input!

### RECONCILIATION ACTION PLAN

Navigator College has resolved as part of its Future Directions Action Plan to implement an indigenous Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP). Three threads of thinking have already been identified as possible considerations for inclusion in the plan:

1. choosing an indigenous name for our Health and Well-Being Centre
2. commissioning a piece of indigenous artwork
3. finalizing and displaying a reconciliation statement incorporating an apology

We are seeking expressions of interest from Navigator College community members who have a passion for indigenous affairs and would like to be a part of shaping our reconciliation plan.

### STUDENT'S WORK SELECTED FOR SACE ART SHOW

Congratulations to Jasmine Slater for having her art piece "Knowing Pamela" selected to appear in the SACE Art Show for 2017.

### NAVIGATOR COLLEGE PARENT BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Thank you to those parents/caregivers who have sent back or filled in the on-line form to be included in the Parent Business Directory. We are currently in the process of collating and then type-setting a printable version that will be sent home to all Navigator families. An on-line version will also be available via the following link

<http://www.navigator.sa.edu.au/navigator-college-parent-business-directory/>

## SHROVE TUESDAY PHOTO GALLERY



# SPORTS DAY – FRIDAY 10TH

## DON'T FORGET:

Plenty of water.

Sunscreen.

Lunch or money for the canteen.

**Year 4 – Year 12** Meet at Ravendale oval at 8.40am.

**ELC, REC – Year 3** meet at classroom as per normal procedure at 8.40am.

## WHAT TO WEAR:

T-shirt that covers shoulders (PE t-shirt or a t-shirt in house colour).

Wide brimmed hat or school hat.

Sports shoes.

Wear your house colours but please don't bring hair spray etc. on the day.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2017 HOUSE CAPTAINS AND VICE CAPTAINS

House Captains (2 Middle/Senior School students) and Vice House Captains (2 Junior School students) for each house are voted in at the beginning of the year by the staff and students from each house. These Captains are chosen as a result of their input to sports lessons, their ability to work as members of a team and their ability to be a positive role model to others. We congratulate the following students and look forward to their official installation at a chapel service. (Date to be advised).

**HIPPARCHUS: House Captains:** Jarrad Seaman and Abbey Helliar.

**Vice House Captains:** Hunter Smith and Mia Jackson.

**MAGELLAN: House Captains:** Matilda Bartlett and Rebekah Fatchen.

**Vice House Captains:** Reagan Bruer and Clara Neate.

**HADLEY (White): House Captains:** Carmel Santostefano and Shanley O'Brien.

**Vice House Captains:** Levi Hawke and Hannah Moseby.

**GALILEO: House Captains:** Bryce Sellen and Stacey Hier.

**Vice House Captains:** Archie Coote and Ava Payze.

## SAPSASA BASKETBALL CARNIVAL AT TUMBY BAY

Well done to all those students who participated in the Carnival last Friday and thank you to Mr. Grieger, Mr. Wilson and Miss Fiegert who supported them on the day.



## JAPANESE TEACHER NEEDS HOST FAMILIES

We are pleased to announce that our new Japanese Language Assistant – Chika is settling in well and is excited about her year ahead with us. We are very privileged to be able to participate in the Language Assistant Scheme. However, we do need to be able to provide Homestay accommodation for our assistants throughout their time of stay. At the moment we do not have the full year of accommodation mapped out for Chika. Would you please let us know if you can assist us by being able to host Chika for a period of time. It probably works best if we can work in half-term blocks of around 5-6 weeks. We urgently require someone to be able to host Chika for the second half of this term. Please consider this opportunity, particularly if you have a son or daughter who may be considering the learning of Japanese through the Senior School years. If you would like further information or register your interest in hosting Chika, we invite you to be in touch with us via email at [principal@navigator.sa.edu.au](mailto:principal@navigator.sa.edu.au)

## STUDENT INVITED TO SIT A FLIGHT APTITUDE TEST

The sky's the limit for Danah Slade who has been invited to attend the flight aptitude testing day to be held in early March after submitting an application to win a \$15,000 scholarship offered by the LEP Council, to pursue a pilot license. Danah put together an excellent single page essay as part of her application. This is great encouragement for other students to apply for programs and opportunities that they may be interested in. We wish her all the best for the upcoming aptitude test.

This Scholarship has been made available through the support of a private benefactor and additional support through Adelaide based flying school Aerostar Aviation.

## MAGELLAN

Magellan was the first person to circumnavigate the earth and one of the first individuals to cross all the meridians of the Globe.

## GALILEO

Galileo was an Italian Physicist, Mathematician, Astronomer and Philosopher who played a major role in the Scientific Revolution and invented the telescope.

## HIPPARCHUS

Hipparchus Invented latitudes and longitudes and was the first person to measure distance in terms of angles.

## HADLEY

Hadley was a British Inventor and Mathematician who developed the Octant around 1730.

## SAPSASA REPRESENTATIVE:

Jakoda Skinn, will be participating in the Lower Eyre Peninsula Softball team to play at the State Carnival in Adelaide later this term.

Congratulations  
Jakoda!



*Free Activities* INCLUDING CRECHE FOR PRESCHOOLERS /  
DISCO FOR JUNIOR SCHOOL / AMAZING RACE FOR  
MIDDLE & SENIOR SCHOOL / **LIVE MUSIC FOR ADULTS**



# twilight festival

**FRIDAY  
31 MARCH  
5-9 PM**



Inviting current and potential families and friends to

*A relaxed family evening of  
music, food and activities!*

Enjoy bar facilities, amazing coffee and local food  
and celebrate our Navigator College community.

### *Amazing Local Food and Coffee!*

**PEDAL PRIX  
FUND RAISING**  
Hot Chips

**YR 11 SERVICE  
LEARNING GROUP**  
Ice Cream  
Cones

**YR12 FORMAL  
COMMITTEE**  
Hot Digs

**BOSTON BAY SMALLGOODS**  
Pulled Pork Rolls,  
Chorizo Rice & Salad, Pork  
Ribs & Salad

**NORTH SHORE CATERING**  
Gourmet Pizza  
Hawaiian, BBQ Chicken &  
Thai Curry Prawn

**COCO LOCO**  
Cold Rolls, Sliders, Waffles,  
Gelati, Sundaes  
& Chocolates

**ROYAL FLYING  
DOCTOR SERVICE**  
Hot Cinnamon  
Donuts

**BISCOTTI**  
Middle Eastern and  
Mediterranean Biscuits,  
Sweets and Pastries

**ROGUE & RASCAL**  
Coffee Stand

### *Timetable for Evening*

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|----------------|---|
| 5.00 pm        | Music commences   |
| 5.00 - 6.00 pm | Meals for kids  |
| 6.00 - 7.30 pm | Creche for pre-schoolers (aged 2-4 years)<br>Disco for Junior School students (aged 5-12 years) |
| 6.00 - 8.30 pm | Meals & bar facilities for all  |
| 6.30 pm        | Amazing Race for Middle and<br>Senior School students (aged 12-18 years)                        |
| 7.30 - 9.00 pm | Drinks and music for all who would like to<br>stay on to enjoy good music and great company     |

*Please bring a picnic blanket!*

# Grandparents & Special Friends Morning

## JUNIOR SCHOOL

Tuesday the 21st of March from 8.45am

We look forward to welcoming Grandparents and Special Friends of our students to join us for Assembly at 8.45am. Guests are then invited to visit the classrooms, followed by a morning tea.

The College will also be pleased to offer Grandparents and Special Friends the opportunity to purchase a book, to be donated to the Resource Centre. An appreciation label will be placed into the book with the donor's name.

**More information  
will be coming  
home with your  
child soon.**

