

# Solly Serial

## Term 2 ~ Friday 19th May ~ Week 3



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### VISION & VALUES

A Proud Past, A Bright Future

Respect

Responsibility

Confidence

Persistence



Monday 12th June  
Kings Birthday  
public holiday

### Why is a Positive Parent-Child Relationship Important?

The Parent-Child Relationship is one that nurtures the physical, emotional and social development of the child. It is a unique bond that every child and parent will can enjoy and nurture. This relationship lays the **foundation for the child's personality, life choices and overall behaviour**. It can also affect the strength of their social, physical, mental and emotional health. Some of the benefits include:

- Young children who grow with a secure and healthy attachment to their parents stand a better chance of developing happy and content relationships with others in their life.
- A child who has a secure relationship with parent learns to regulate emotions under stress and in difficult situations.
- **Promotes the child's mental, linguistic and emotional development.**
- Helps the child exhibit optimistic and confident social behaviours.
- **Healthy parent involvement and intervention in the child's day -to-day life** lay the foundation for better social and academic skills.
- A secure attachment leads to a healthy social, emotional, cognitive, and motivational development. Children also gain strong problem-solving skills when they have a positive relationship with their parents.

### Strengthening the Parent-Child Relationship

- Forming a connection with your child is important to developing a strong parent-child relationship. Here are some tips to help with strengthening your relationship with your children.
- Tell your child you love them  
Of course you love your children but tell them every day, no matter what age they are. Even on **difficult days let your child know you didn't like the behaviour but you love them unconditionally**. A simple "I love you" can do a lot to strengthen a relationship.
- Play together  
**Play is so important to children's development. Young children can develop many skills through the power of play.** As well as it being fun and helping you develop your relationship with your child, it can help children's language skills, emotions, creativity and social skills.
- Be Available  
Make time to talk to your child without any distractions, even 10 minutes a day can make a big difference in establishing good communication habits. Turn off the TV, put away technology and spend some quality time together.
- Eat meals together  
Eating together as a family sets the stage for conversation. Encourage no technology at the table **and enjoy each other's company**.
- Listen and empathise  
**Connection starts with listening. Try and see things from your child's perspective and foster mutual respect.**

**Mrs Gapp**  
**Wellbeing Leader**

## 2023 Material & Service Charges Outstanding

During Term 1 Week 3, 2023 Material & Service Charges for all students were sent out to families, they were due to be paid at the end of Term 1. A reminder and statements were also posted during the school holidays. We have a lot of families with outstanding invoices. Please contact the school to arrange a payment plan. If you are having financial difficulties, please contact the Principal Rob, or myself.

If you have a CRN you can apply for School Card assistance by going online to [sa.gov.au/education/school-card](http://sa.gov.au/education/school-card), click on 'Application, click on the required form - it is usually Form A. or come into the front to collect a form. You can also pay via direct debit, the school bank details are BankSA BSB 105003 ACC 047216440.

Sue Norton

Finance Officer

Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to bring to your attention the Department for Education's position around Animal Ethics regarding having dogs on site. Please see the Department's policy below:

The Dog and Cat Management Act 1995 states it is an offence for a dog (other than an accredited disability dog, guide dog or hearing dog) to be on site without the Principal's knowledge and permission. As a result of the Dog and Cat Management Act 1995, Solomontown Primary School needs to abide by this policy, therefore we ask our school community to refrain from bringing dogs on site without the Principal's knowledge and permission.



## Term 2 Lunch Specials

### Week 5

**31st May**  
**Chicken strips**  
**in a wrap OR**  
**sub roll with**  
**cheese,**

### Week 7

**14th June**  
**Party pies and**  
**sausage rolls,**

### Week 9

**28th June**  
**Ham & cheese**  
**OR Hawaiian**

## TERM 2

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 4	22nd Governing Council mtg	23rd	24th NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME The SPEEDY SLOTH 24 MAY 2023	25th	26th NATIONAL Sorry Day
Week 5	29th	30th "Wipe Out" performance @ Solly school	31st LUNCH SPECIAL	1st June	2nd
National Reconciliation Week <span style="font-size: 2em;">→</span>					
Week 6	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Week 7	12th King's Birthday PUBLIC HOLIDAY	13th	14th LUNCH SPECIAL	15th	16th Kyttons order due
Week 8	19th Governing Council mtg	20th	21st	22nd	23rd Soccer Carnival
Week 9	26th	27th Kyttons order collection day	28th LUNCH SPECIAL	29th	30th
Week 10	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th Last day 2pm dismissal
NAIDOC week <span style="font-size: 2em;">→</span>					

# Jelly Bean Jar Contest

The Student Action Team are raising money to support the Fred Hollows Foundation by giving sight to people who are blind. Did you know \$25 is all it takes to restore someone's sight and significantly change their future. You can help us raise money by guessing how many jellybeans are in a jar.



Please see the SAT team for more information.

## 50c for 1 guess - \$1 for 3 guesses