



# NEWSLETTER



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Department for Education

POORAKA PRIMARY SCHOOL R - 6  
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Term 2, Week 7

Cooperation

Respect

Caring

Trust

Responsibility

## Dates to remember:

### School Photos

Wednesday 22nd June

### Pooraka Primary Immunisation Hub

Friday 24th and Saturday 25th June  
then again Fri 26 and Sat 27 August.

### Week 10 (3-10th July)

NAIDOC Week

### Friday 8 July

Last Day of Term - early dismissal (2pm)  
Casual Day

### Student Free Days - Term 3

Friday 12/8/22 (week 3)

Monday 15/8/22 (week 4)

## Kindness at Pooraka

This week I purchased some second hand furniture online for our staff room and wellbeing space. I had planned on picking it up with a staff member on Tuesday - however COVID struck them and I was left without a pick up option.

I searched online and got a quote for a removalist company to help me pick up and deliver the items. I gave him the addresses to pick up and told him to drop at Pooraka Primary.

When he found out we were a Primary School seeking the work, he offered to do the entire job for free! What an amazing Random Act of Kindness from a stranger to our school.

So I do want to say a huge THANKYOU to Kyle from Ayres and Sons Transport. Kyle and Katlyn were amazing to work with, and were so happy to help our local community.

You can find Ayres and Sons Transport on Facebook.

Thank you to Mrs. Deborah Barry and the other Faculty of Pooraka Primary School - Official for the Privilege to Help out! 🙏😊



## Congratulations Ebony! SAPSASA Swimming Champion!

Last term, I competed in the state SAPSASA swimming.

I won 4 GOLD out of 4 races. I won a gold for 50 metre freestyle, 50 metre breast stroke, 50 metre butterfly and 50 metre freestyle relay.

I am now going to compete in the SA state team, and we go to Brisbane in August. I will be competing in the 50 metre free and 100 meter breast stroke. I am also going for the 50-metre free relay.

I am very lucky and grateful to represent our school for the state / national SAPSASA swimming.

By Ebony  
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## Room 10 - Technologies ; Design and Tech. Creations

In Room 10 we were set a homework task to create something out of recycled materials, such as cardboard, newspaper, sticks, plastic containers and paper. Some of our projects had moving parts and lights. A few were wearable and we also had some landscapes of the world around us. Students worked in pairs, groups and individually. We shared our creations with Room 4 in the library and now some are being displayed in the front office. It's all about us being aware of the 5 R's :

- Recycle
- Refuse
- Reuse
- Repurpose
- Reduce

