Led Wether
Congratulations to the year 8/9/10 students, Tim and Heidi who had a very successful Led Wether program at the Adelaide Show last week. The students took two pens of three wethers and one of those won second prize overall for Best Pen of Three Wethers. The students also won an inaugural award of ‘Most Professional School Show Team’ which is very exciting. This was based on the constant care and presentation of the pens, sheep and themselves. The students were also asked questions to gauge their knowledge, interest, and learning about the led wether program. Karcultaby will always be the first school engraved on the shield! Well done!!

Wudinna Show
Thank you Sonia and Wendy for organising our student’s Wudinna Show entries this year. If you’re going to the show, have a look in the pavilion and see your child’s work on display. There has been some very impressive entries.

School photos
Remember school photos are next Wednesday; all students are to be in school uniform and it would be appreciated if absences are kept to a minimum. School photo envelopes need to be returned on the day even if you’re not ordering any photos. We will collect them earlier if you want to send them in. If you would like family photos, envelopes are available from the front office.

R-12 Assembly
The year 4/5/6 class will be hosting the assembly next Wednesday at 1.40pm.

Rowan Ramsey
Community Award nomination forms have been in the last couple of newsletters, so if you have someone in mind, please get them in by this Friday. Previous recipients have been:
2015- Simon Petty
2014- Katrina Brands
2013- Bruce Heddle
2012- Heidi Coleman
2011- Paul Carey

Pedal Prix/ Canberra trip
Good luck to year 8-10 students, Simon, Kathryn, Jenni and parents who are heading to Pedal Prix at Murray Bridge next week. We expect that you put your best efforts in and do the school proud. Secondary students will travel to Adelaide for the Canberra trip on Sunday 25th September. The itinerary looks great and hopefully there will be lots of snow for our day at Perisher.
**Junior Parliament**

YMCA SA is very excited to announce that we are running Junior Parliament for a second year in the October School Holidays. Applications are now open for 12-15 year olds who want to learn about Parliament, meet new friends and develop their leadership skills!

**What is Junior Parliament?**

YMCA SA Junior Parliament is an apolitical program that gives young people an opportunity to learn about democracy, parliament, team building, public speaking and leadership in a fun and supportive environment. Junior Parliament is run by young people for young people. It’s a chance for young people to have their say on issues they care about, meet some new friends and develop their leadership skills. Participants take part in a three day/two night camp which involves skills and leadership training and some fun recreational activities.

**About the Program:**

- **When:** Monday 10th-Wednesday 12th October 2016 (the 2nd week of the holidays)
- **Where:** Rostrevor College and Parliament House, Adelaide
- **Who can apply?** Junior Parliament is open to anyone in South Australia aged 12-15 years.
- **Cost:** There is a participant fee of $200 per person which covers meals, accommodation and transport while on camp

Applications are now open. Apply [https://form.jotform.com/62088672070861](https://form.jotform.com/62088672070861)

Questions: Please email Alana James at alana.james@ymca.org.au or call 82002514.

Melanie Munday Youth & Community Programs Officer

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“Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow. The important thing is not to stop questioning.” Albert Einstein

The Adelaide show last week was certainly a huge learning experience for the whole team that went from Karculty. There is so many people there with years of experience in the sheep industry and to be rubbing shoulders with them all was a great opportunity. Well done Tim and John Daniell for encouraging the kids to excel and be the best team they could be. Congratulations to you all. Each day provides us with opportunities that we can learn from. These experiences are ours to use as steps to get onto the next mountain, not barriers that defeat us and stop us in our tracks.

**Happy Birthday** Chloe Daniell. We trust you had an awesome day and continue to take all the opportunities that come your way to learn and enjoy.

Heidi Coleman
Mike Newbound Tennis Coaching

Monday 3rd October – Friday 14th October (school holidays)
at Wudinna
$35 per half hour.
If interested, contact Skaters Scissors. Spots fill quickly so get in early.

Early Years Learning Committee Toy Catalogue Fundraiser
The Parent Direct/Chalk toy catalogue fundraiser is once again being held to raise funds for our group to gain a commission for resources for our centre. Catalogues accompany this newsletter and you can also keep an eye out for copies at the Minnipa Community Store and Poochera Roadhouse.
To avoid disappointment in stock not being available, you are asked to have EARLY BIRD orders returned to the Karcultaby Kindergarten or Front Office by Monday 17th October 2016 (first day of Term 4).
Orders will be submitted in two batches - final orders to be submitted by Friday 11th November 2016 (Week 4, Term 4). As an alternative, you are able to submit orders online at any time, nominating Karcultaby Preschool as the beneficiary. Your anticipated support in this fundraiser is appreciated – a great way to get those Christmas presents organised for any child!

Jane Forrest on behalf of Karcultaby Early Years Learning Committee

WESTERN DISTRICTS NETBALL CLUB AGM
Tuesday 27th September, 7:00pm
Poochera Complex
Expression of interest for all positions (except Coaches) to
Sharyn Feltus (Secretary-srandstfeltus@bigpond.com) prior to the meeting.
All parents and senior players urged to attend.

MINNIPA DISTRICTS SWIMMING POOL Inc AGM
Thursday 29th September, 2016 8:00pm
Minnipa Sports Club
All Welcome
say cheese

School Photo Day is
21 September 2016

Have your child’s school memories captured forever

Please take time to read the relevant information on the MSP Photography payment envelopes and remember these helpful points:

- Don’t seal envelopes inside each other. You can pay for all children in one envelope however each child needs to have their own envelope on photo day
- Family envelopes are available at the school office upon request
- Please enclose correct money as no change is given. Cash, cheques and money orders only (sorry no credit card accepted)

For any enquiries, please feel free to contact us

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64 Ayr Street, Jamestown SA 5491
The Led Wether competition at this year’s Adelaide Show was hotly contested, and fielded over 50 entries from schools across the state. The huge line up of wethers were judged in pens of three for their economic worth in meat, fleece, and skin value and stretched out for almost 50 metres. Karcultaby fielded two teams of three, two tooth, wethers with White River blood lines and twelve students from years eight to ten. These sheep were generously supplied by Jamie and Kate Baker, Eltoru.

Schools were firstly called out in alphabetical order with their sheep to the line-up, each sheep being led by a student handler before being scrutinised by three separate judges. Once this was complete the student handlers were called to bring the sheep back for shearing. This time students had to present their wether to the shearer then collect and process the shorn wool. Students were asked questions by officials as the judging progressed to go toward points in the School Show Team event. Teams were also awarded points for the way the wethers were presented in the line-up, and how tidy their pens were kept. The students had rostered jobs to complete during the day before going on any show rides.

The show team won first prize for the inaugural “Most Professional School Show Team”. This is a newly formed category, where show team presentation and animal husbandry are on display. Guest presenter Catriona Rowntree, of TV show Getaway fame, presented the Karcultaby Area School Students with their second place in the “Pen of Three Wethers”. We were also placed eighth in “Skins” value category. An outstanding effort and result for a small school in the middle of a paddock.

A special thanks to all the parents who have helped out with the Led Wethers, from the paddock through to the show. A special mention to John and Marg Daniell, from White River for their expertise and for working with the students to give them a better understanding of the Merino industry. Thanks also to Kate and Jamie Baker for donating the wether lambs, Warwick Hutches for transporting the sheep to the show, and Derek Hebberman for transporting students. Thank you, we couldn’t do it without you.
Prizes
First prize for the inaugural “Most Professional School Show Team
Second in the Pen of 3 Wethers,
(2\textsuperscript{nd} and 5\textsuperscript{th} 2015) , (1\textsuperscript{st} 2014)
Eighth in “Skins”
Nomination form

Rowan Ramsey MP School Service Award 2016
The Rowan Ramsey MP School Service Award is presented to a staff member, parent or community member who has gone *that extra mile* dedicating their time and skills for their school.

Name of person nominated ____________________________.

Reason for nomination.
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Name of person making nomination ________________________.

Signature ___________________ Date ________________

Nominations due no later than Friday 16th September marked Attention: The Principal, Karcultaby Area School.