



Newsletter

Term 2 Week 10, 4 July 2017

Crossways Calendar

4th July (TUES Wk 10)	LAST DAY TERM 2 FOR STUDENTS
5th July (WED Wk 10)	STAFF P.D.
6th July (THU Wk 10)	STAFF P.D.
7th July (FRI Wk 10)	TRAVEL DAY
Monday 24 July	TERM 3 BEGINS

Principal's Word



I want to commend Crossways Staff for their hard work and commitment this Term. It was a very busy term however quality teaching and learning still prevailed and that was evident in the results achieved by our students.

Congratulations to all the students who received awards at the celebration of learning. This is the product of hard work and regular attendance - well done!

The Middle School refurbishments are almost done and we are in the process of getting organised to move into the newly upgraded facility. School parents and **potential parents** will be given the opportunity to book school tours next Term to showcase the new facility. This will be advertised after the "big move" early next term. We are very excited about this innovative learning space which includes a modern lab facility where our students can do practical experiments.

We have also created an outdoor learning space where students can do practical work in science as well.

Our **Transition program for Reception starting January 2018** will commence in Term 3 and 4. The local Early Learning Centre will be sending their students to visit Crossways during week 5 next term. We are looking forward to meeting them all and have a special program organised for them on the day.

I would like to encourage all parents who haven't nominated a school for their Reception children yet, to consider Crossways Lutheran School or to make an appointment with me to discuss the advantages of enrolling at our school. I am also in the process of negotiating the possibility of scholarships to Navigator College in Port Lincoln and Concordia College in Adelaide. We want the best for our students!

It is with great sadness I announce that Megan Gillespie's (Finance Officer) father passed away on Friday 30th June and Ps. Allan's wife Dawn's sister passed away last week as well. We will keep them in our prayers as they grieve their loss with their families.

Crossways staff will be involved in Professional Learning this week (week 10) while a few Leadership members will accompany me to the ACLE Conference (Australian Conference on Lutheran Education) in Adelaide. The theme of the conference is: **"People Planet Purpose"**. Keynote speakers at the conference are renowned globally and we are looking forward to hear their presentations.

I want to wish all staff and students a well – deserved break.

Enjoy the holidays and travel safe.

Blessings

Francois Pienaar
Principal

YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR BOOK FAIR
FAMILY EVENT!

Wednesday 30th August 2017
6.00pm
at Crossway's Lutheran School Library Competitions, games,
book sales & Variety Sales...lots of fun.
Fancy Dress Theme: Pirate's
Come along and see the wonderful theme props made
by the student's.

SCHOLASTIC

SCHOOL CO-ORDINATOR

Well, here we are in Week 10 meaning school will almost be over for Term 2, 2017. It has been a very busy term and I commend the children and staff for their diligent work throughout its entirety. In many ways these last few weeks have been no different to any other. Over the last couple of weeks the school has hosted the Jon Madin Music Workshop, Middle School Students were given a CyberSafety Workshop by the Policeforce and a large proportion of our students attended the Tcharkuldu Rock Run at Minnipa. This week, beginning Monday 3rd July sees the start of NAIDOC Week and students will be engaged in the NAIDOC March.



Aimee Colbung-Ware De Angelo Miller Saylor Darryll Coleman



Ashlyn Wanganeen, Norman Boland, Ishnoor, Eric Richards



Haesil Kim Lachlan McIlwraith Anesu Jeche



Tcharkuldu Rock Run Team



Anthony Cook



Alieria Sansbury Smith



Jairone Roderick

However, students have managed to stay focussed on their schooling throughout these events and I congratulate them for some fine results.

We also welcomed back numerous ex students who are now attending colleges in Adelaide Chante Bilney- Coleman, Isaiah Coleman and Kaya Scott. Kaya gave children at Crossways a speech at assembly about what Crossways meant for him and his experience a Rostrevor College.



Kaya Scott

Next term, we aim to be back in the Middle School which has been rennovated over Term 2.

Hope you all enjoy a well deserved holiday and come back refreshed for an exciting Term 3.

Whole School Coordinator

Romolo Puccio

MIDDLE SCHOOL WOODWORK

This semester the Middle School students had the opportunity to create something out of timber under the expertise of Patrick Cotton.

The students learnt a variety of skills including the initial stage of drawing their task onto grid paper with accurate measurements.

The Year 7/8 class made chopping or cheese boards followed by bird feeders. The Year 9 class created a box with a lid which could be used for a range of items of their choice. The Year 10 class built a shelving unit to the size appropriate for a space in their home.

All the tasks required the students to follow instructions and learn some basic carpentry skills.

We would like to say a big thank you to Patrick for taking the time to travel from Streaky on Fridays and spend the day skilling up our students.

Terena Evans
Middle school curriculum coordinator



Jayziya Weetra and Anthony Cook

Below : Shelving Units made by Year 10 Students



Zaheer Miller, Jaquan Scott and Jayziya Weetra



Shakira Were and Abigail Graham



Community Notices

PLAYGROUP



Playgroup is held every Friday morning

at Crossways Lutheran School

From 10am - 12noon



Save the Children
Australia

CEDUNA SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC

NEXT OPEN

MONDAY 31st JULY 2017

TO

FRIDAY 4th AUGUST 2017



PLEASE CALL MOBILE: 0434 601 394

**Centacare Catholic Family Services Country SA
are hosting the 2017**

NAIDOC

Kids Fancy Dress Disco



**6 July 2017
Memorial Hall
6pm - 8pm**

**0 - 11 years - all children must be accompanied by an adult
light tea provided for children**

Spare second hand School Uniforms wanted

Attn: Parents / Caregivers

We are currently very low on our second hand / spare uniform stocks. If any families have uniforms that are no longer being worn, the front office would appreciate them.

We are also short on junior school spare underwear (jocks and Undies) if an families have some spares.

Thanks

AT CROSSWAYS

TUESDAY 25th JULY

10am—2pm

YEARS R—6

1.30PM PERFORMANCE (OPEN TO THE



Breakfast Club

A reminder that we run our Breakfast Club every morning where students can have toast, cereal and hot milo's free of charge. Breakfast Club operates from the Breakfast Room from 8.15 to 8.45am.

Winter Uniform

Winter Uniform is required to be worn for Terms 2 and 3. Please contact the front office staff if you require any winter uniform items. All students are expected to be in full uniform.