# Crossways Newsletter

Term 4, Week 5, 11 November 2020



Crossways	Calendar	
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Wk 5, T4 (11/12 Nov)	YEAR 3/4 STREAKY BAY CAMP
Wk 5, T4	9/10 ADELAIDE / KI TRIP
Wk 6, T4	7/8 PORT LINCOLN TRIP
Wk 7, T4 (Sun 29/11)	CHURCH SERVICE AT CROSSWAYS
Wk 8, T4 (Fri 4/12)	CROSSWAYS FETE
Wk 9, T4 (Wed 9/12)	CELEBRATION OF LEARNING
Wk 9, T4 (Wed 9/12)	LAST DAY TERM 4
Wk 9, T4 (Thu 10/12)	STAFF P.D.

## **Principal's Word - Tony Peters**



I have joined a small group of Yr 9/10 students, along with Miss Liti and Kerry Taylor on their 5-day camp and we are currently on Kangaroo Island. Monday we spent a good part of the day traveling to Adelaide. On Tuesday, the action started with a guided tour at Immanuel College by three Indigenous students in Lakita Miller (ex-Crossways student), Darryll Coleman (ex-Crossways student) and

Jyrell Highfold. This was a terrific opportunity to see some of the programs offered at the College. It was also very reassuring to see how the Indigenous students are supported in an environment that is quite foreign when beginning their schooling there. Two of our students Kara Wild and Mia Nicholls who are both currently in Year 9, will be boarding students at Immanuel College beginning next year. The school sincerely thanks the staff at Immanuel College for hosting us during our time there.

The students and staff highlights so far have been visiting Immanuel College (this was the most popular!); the ferry ride from Cape Jervis to Kangaroo Island; sleeping in an Eco tent; swimming at Hog Bay, Penneshaw; and getting safely to Kangaroo Island from Ceduna. Some of the challenges so far have been feeling a little sick while on the ferry; travelling Ceduna to Adelaide; sleeping in other places; keeping things tidy; trying to pack light and worrying about school.

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The Kangaroo Islanders have done it very tough over the last 12 months, beginning with devastating summer bushfires during 2019-20.

As of early February, the Kangaroo Island bushfires had burned about 210,000 hectares or about 48 per cent of the Island. Thousands of hectares of native habitat has been lost and animals have perished. Several endangered species have been severely affected.

This was followed by COVID-19 very soon after and for a place like Kangaroo Island where tourism is a major industry; this also had a massive impact on the residents and businesses. For the students on this camp; they will see to some degree how a community continues to fight for survival by banding together and not giving up even when the odds are against them. They will also see how important it is for others, who are less affected, to step up and lend a hand. God doesn't create these disasters, but he creates human beings who have the capacity to overcome extreme circumstances, some horrific, and he creates people who love and care, serving others in a time of real need. Camps are important for children. Camps develop a whole range of skills that can't possibly be done in either a school environment or a home environment. I believe the most significant growth by participating on a school camp is learning how to live with one another. Because school camps are about being away from home and school about being with each other 24/7, one really needs to focus on working, supporting and helping, while at the same time being independent through being organised and taking initiative.

We have an action packed day on Kangaroo Island tomorrow (Wednesday) and hope to share more with you in our school newsletter next week.

#### **CHANGES TO FRIDAY'S CHAPEL & ASSEMBLY TIMES**

This Friday's **CHAPEL** is at 9.05am followed by **ASSEMBLY** straight afterwards.

Up to 10 *Scholarships* available. Application forms available at the front office. Applications close Friday 27 November.

Includes one year's school fees and a set of winter and summer uniforms.





# **Hope & Grace Award winners**



Week 4 Hope Award winner, Declan Walsh and Grace Award winner, Adriana Coulthard

## **Class Awards**



Reception
Dion Austin



Year 1 Savannah Guidera



Gabriella Masierowski



Year 3/4
Jesse Carbine & Kitahrna Miller

# **Excellence in PE**



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Junior School, Raymond Paparoa & Middle School, Nykita Miller



Year 7/8 Nykita Miller



100% Attendance Award Blake Dunnett



# Year 9/10 Adelaide & K.I. Trip













# WEDNESDAY CANTEEN SPECIALS TERM 4

"Please note"

If students do not order
the special from the cantee
on a Wednesday but still
require a lunch order,
the only other option for
that day is Ham & Cheese
Sandwiches: Thanks

### WEEK 2

Recess	Watermelon & Strawberry packs	\$2.50
Lunch	Curried Sausages & Rice	\$5.00

## WEEK 3

Recess	Hot Buttered Corn on the cob	\$2.50
Lunch	Spaghetti Bolognaise	\$5,00

#### WEEK 4

## NO SPECIAL LUNCH'S AVAILABLE THIS WEEK

## WEEK 5

Recess	Strawberry, Banana, Grape & Yoghurt Parfait	
Lunch	Nachos with tomato salsa, beans & Melted Cheese	\$5.00

#### WEEK 6

#### NO SPECIAL LUNCH'S AVAILABLE THIS WEEK

#### WEEK 7

Lunch	Fresh Fruit Salad Bagettes (Ham, Cheese, Lettuce & Cucumber)	\$2.50 \$5.00
WEEK 8		
Recess	Veggie sticks & Homemade dip	\$2,50
Lunch	Chicken Salad	\$5.00

#### WEEK 9

Recess	To be advised
Lunch	To be advised

## Year 2







Last Friday the Year 2 class and Foundation class went to visit John Veerhuis and his colleagues at Laura Bay. He showed us the header, tractor, field bin and truck and explained the basic

process of harvesting wheat. We learnt how to 'rub' a head of wheat to separate the grain from the husk and asked John some questions. He showed us how the wheat moves from the header to the field bin, then from the field bin to the truck and off to the silos. We all got covered in dust while we had a look around the paddock and the machines being used. We were even lucky enough to come back to school with a sample of wheat from the paddock.

It was a great day and we can't wait to turn our grain into flour this week!



**\$40** (Takeaway food stall)

Please contact Crossways Lutheran School FRONT OFFICE on 86252873 or via email

admin@crossways.sa.edu.au for stall bookings, information & registration forms. Site registration forms must be completed and returned by 16/11.



# **Yarn About Autism**

We welcome all to come along and learn more about

**Autism Spectrum Disorder** 

WHEN: Wednesday11th November 5pm-6.30pm

WHERE: Ngura Yadurirn Children and Family Centre

For more information call our friendly team of

Early Intervention

Indigenous Liaison Officers:

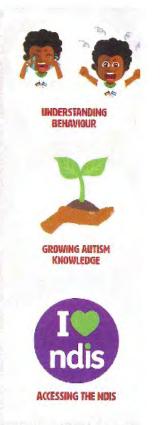
0427 767 430

or Annie Lonergan 86252030

Snacks and refreshments will be provided

No Charge

Phone Annie if you need transport.



## **Notices**



All library books need to be returned to the school before the end of the term

Thankyou....



Bush medicine soothers relieve muscle and joint pain and can also help with cramps, bruises and headaches. Our soothers also have pure lavender essential oil in them and traditional bush medicine powder combined with grapeseed oil. (vegan, gluten and dairy free). CASH ONLY.

50% of the money will be donated to ALWS.

### Jars wanted

The Year 9/10 class are seeking clean jars for their 'MINI BUSINESS'.

If any parents have spare jars, it would be appreciated if you could drop them into the front office.

Thankyou....





### **Church Services**

# Church Service at Crossways

Sunday 29th November, 10.30am

All families and extended families welcome!



CEDUNA - SUNDAY (10.30am) LUTHERAN CHURCH

# **Happy Birthday**

8th November Alexis Kaehne
11th November Riley Shephard
12th November Melissa Wells
18th November Milana Champion

