Crossways Newsletter

Term 3, Week 1, 2021



Term 2 Awards



Week 9 Hope Award winner 'Madison Reed' and Grace Award winner ' 'Shia Taylor-Champion'



Foundation Class award winner 'Millie Mullen' (on right) and Year 1 Class award winner 'Lola Hissey'



Year 2 Class award winner 'Savannah Guidera'



Year 3 Class award winner 'Ciarah Gunter'



Year 4 Class award winner 'Anne-Marie Richards'



Year 5 Class award winner 'Halle Miller'





Year 6/7 Class award winner 'Neeka Prideaux'



Year 8/9/10 Class award winner 'Larquitta Graham'



Junior School German



unior School Art



Sara Veerhuis Music



Food Tech





SRC



Middle School Art



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Crossways Calendar

Monday 19th July 2021	First day of Term 3	
Week 2 (Fri 30/7)	National Tree Planting Day	
Week 5 (Fri 20/8)	Student Free Day (Staff Training)	
Week 6	Bookweek & Bookfair	
Sunday 29th August	Church Service at School	
Week 8	Year 4 Camp	
Week 10 (Thu 23/9)	Last Day of Term 3	

2021 TERM DATES

TERM 3	19th July - 23rd September	
TERM 4	11th October - 8th December	

Principal's Word - Tony Peters



A very warm welcome to the Crossways community for the beginning of Term 3! I trust that you had some valuable family time during the holidays and your child is ready for another action packed term of learning and fun.

We welcomed 8 new Foundation students on Monday morning who began their very first day of school. These students received a Schultute which is coned shape gift filled with lots of goodies. This is a tradition still

practiced today in Germany which assists children settling in during their first days at school. I believe the new students really appreciated receiving this from a Year 5 buddy.

We also welcome other new students in Derek Gray (Year 1) and Nikayla Gray (Year 3)

During the first week of holidays, all of Crossways Staff participated in professional development. As a school we are implementing the Berry Street Education Model (BSEM). This involves 4 days of training which we completed 2 days this time round. In summary, BSEM is a whole school approach to incorporating universal student-centred strategies to support healing, connection, safety, belonging and success with our students. We, as a school, are investing time and resources in implementing the approach at Crossways. BSEM provides strategies for teaching and learning that enables teachers to increase engagement of students with complex, unmet learning needs and to successfully improve all students' self-regulation, relationships, wellbeing, growth and academic achievement.

Our pedagogical strategies incorporate trauma-informed teaching, positive education, and wellbeing practices.

Please note that our 3rd day of training of BSEM will take place on Friday 20th August and this will be a student-free day as all staff are required to do the training.

Our professional development also incorporated a Cultural Awareness workshop facilitated by Basil and Ros Coleman. This was a very beneficial experience as we were informed about Indigenous perspectives, history and current issues including discussions on- Colonisation; Past government policies and their impact; Massacres; the 1967 Referendum; SA Missions;

Traditions, languages, cultural beliefs and practices and the History of Far West Coast Aboriginal people.

Basil and Ros are fantastic story tellers and through their stories we were able to gain a better understanding and appreciation of Aboriginal people and their culture.

Mrs Terena Evans has also shared her thoughts on our professional development in her section of the Newsletter.

I pray that God keeps you safe during this current lockdown and please know that we, as a school are here for you and want to stay connected with you. Your child's teacher will stay connected with you and if you need to call the school we will have some staff on deck to assist.

God's blessings,

Tony Peters, Principal

Congratulations to Term 2 Award Winners

FOUNDATION	Millie Mullen	
YEAR 1	Lola Hissey	
YEAR 2	Savannah Guidera	
YEAR 3	Ciarah Gunter	
YEAR 4	Anne-Marie Richards	
YEAR 5	Halle Miller	
YEAR 6/7	Neeka Prideaux	
YEAR 8/9/10	Larquitta Graham	
Junior School German Awards	Ariana Wilson, Wahsanni Miller, Edwin Carbine, Teelah Gray, Peyton Peel	
Junior School Art Awards	Madison Reed, Amira Wilson, Savannah Guidera, Gabriella Masierowski, Shazniquah Chester.	
Middle School Art Awards	Raymond Paparoa, Lekiesha Ware, Ishnoor	
Sara Veerhuis Music Award	Lillian Miller-Lampard, Shia Taylor-Champion, Shontayah McIlwraith	
Choir Awards	Maddison Miller, Brianna Harre-Temby, Mia Roberts	

Terena Evans—Deputy Principal



Welcome back to our Crossways family for the second semester of the year!

I had a lovely break getting to spend quality time with family and friends. I took my daughter Sienna, to Peddler cup at Cleve for the first weekend and we spent time together over the weekend in Port Lincoln. Unfortunately, she tore her calf muscle in the last game, which left her on crutches for the majority of the

holidays. We popped in to see the monument at Elliston designed by the late Penong Miller, which has been created in recognition of Aboriginal People on the West Coast. My sister and family also visited from Adelaide and we did a lot of touring visiting Googs Lake, Davernport Creek and spent a couple nights at the beautiful Streaky Bay. I hope you all had some enjoyable moments and were able to create memories with your loved ones.

There is so much happening this term in the middle school starting with electives, which will run Fridays! At the end of last term, students were able to elect two activities that they would like to be part of on Fridays. Students will be working with mixed age groups, which we hope will help to create a supportive and caring culture in our middle school. The electives we will be offering this term are Textiles, Band, Cooking, Woodwork, Murals, Silk paining and Tie Dye, Outdoor Ed and Drama so there is a good mix of activities to suit all styles of learning and interests.

Our sports captains will also start running competitive activities during extended play so houses can earn points in a fun way. For the first round, Basketball comps will be the focus. Professional Development week was very busy and full of learning for all staff at Crossways. Monday we upskilled and refreshed our First Aid knowledge at the Ceduna TAFE.

Tuesday and Wednesday staff attended the first two out of a four day training presented by Cherie on the Berry Street model, which provides strategies for teaching and learning that enables teachers to increase engagement of students with complex, unmet learning needs and to successfully improve all students' self-regulation, relationships, wellbeing, growth and academic achievement. Cherie did a fantastic job at presenting the content and kept us all engaged and enthusiastic over the two days.

There are many ways to implement this program into our day-to-day teaching and students will start to see 'brain breaks' being used to help re-focus learning along with other strategies including daily morning circles and how we greet each other to name a few.

Our final day was a cultural day presented by Basil & Ros Coleman. The couple have ties with Ceduna and prepared a presentation using Ceduna and the history of the area from an Indigenous perspective to help staff understand why there is still hurt, lack of trust and hardships within the area. They also told stories of success with certain individuals they had worked with whom, at one point, didn't seem to have hope. I was particularly interested in the resource 'The line of choice' which both Basil and Ros have used to help get individuals to recognise where they are at and start to set achievable goals to take charge of their future.

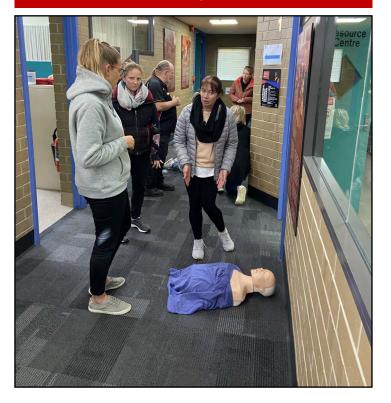








Staff Training in Term 2









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What's On in Term 3, 2021



Ph: 08-8625 2294 • Fax: 08-8625 2295 • ** Monday Friday Tuesday Thursday 9am-3pm 9am-12noon MINYA GIDYA-MUGA **LEARNING TOGETHER** OCCASIONAL CARE **BABY MASSAGE** OCCASIONAL CARE 8.45am - 11.45am PLAYGROUP 8.45am - 11.45am PLAYGROUP 9.30am - 10.30am 6mths - 4 years 9.30am - 11am 6mths - 4 years 9.30am - 11.30am Booking is ess Transport available Booking is essential CREEPERS 'N' CRAWLERS **YARN TIME** We need you: **NUNGA NANNA's** a Septem **PLAYGROUP** 12.30pm - 2.30pm If you would like to 10am - 12noon 10.30am - 11.30am Creche available spend some time in the Transport available JUMP 'N' JIVE Transport available PLAYGROUP centre at any time 2pm - 3pm OCCASIONAL CARE **CUPPA & CHAT** please see Claire or any FOR NEW MUMS 12.15pm - 3.00pm staff member to chat. CHILD AND FAMILY HEALTH SERVICE (CAFHS) 6mths - 4 years 1pm - 2.30pm Everyone has shills they Booking is ea CIRCLE OF SECURITY & can share. **BRINGING UP GREAT** 20 MUMS WITH YOUNG BUBS KIDS To make an appointment, 1pm - 2.30pm Please ring the Centre on Did you know Aboriginal please ring Creche available 8625 2294 children can attend 1300 733 606 for more Information. Preschool from 3 years? New website for parents and Like us on caregivers. Please call Claire for more or the ter ASK is a single source of Facebook trusted information where information. families can find out what services are available to them

Director of Education & Care: Claire Higgs ♦ Occupational Therapist: Alysha Parsons ♦ Co mity Development Coordinator: Vicki Coleman 💠 Connected Beginnings: Lahn Mickan & Netalie Ross

Children and Family Centres have a strong focus on supporting Aboriginal families with young children to provide the best possible start in life. Please turn over for more details. UPDATED 14/07/2021.















New Foundation students being presented with their Schultüte at assembly on Monday.

We wish them all the best as they begin their school journey at Crossways.



Below left to right: Aaliyah Christmann, Brooke McKay, Kobi Davies, Kirra Gurney, Nate Gascoyne, Ava McIlwraith & Korbin Keanelly. Absent: Amiea Brown-Ackland



Chapel Schedule - Term 3

Wk	Theme	Class/SRC	Guest presenter
2	The bread of life	Yr1 & Emily	Pastor Andrew
3	Imitators of God	Yr3 & Amy	Pastor Andrew
4	Making music	Yr1 & Donna	Stuart
5	The armor of God	Yr5 & Georgia	Susan
6	God's goodness	SRC	Stuart
7	Generous hands	Yr4 & Aiden	Aiden
8	The power of the tongue	Yr 6/7 & Haesil	Susan
9	Servant hearts	Foundation & Bek with ELC	Andrew M
10	Being salty	Yr 8-10 & Anthony	Tony

Happy Birthday

21st July Caitlin Queama

22nd July Tallan Colbung-Bilney

23rd July Leith Austin
25th July Zaria Dupree

26th July Anne-Marie Richards

27th July Nate Gascoyne



Church Services

CEDUNA - SUNDAY - LUTHERAN CHURCH - 10.30am

Community Notices

PLAYGROUP

CROSSWAYS LUTHERAN SCHOOL

EARLY LEARNING CENTRE
EVERY FRIDAY

0-5 YEAR OLDS

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