Crossways Newsletter

Term 4, Week 7, 2021



Week 6 Award Winners





Above left: Week 6 Hope Award winner (Anastasia Muir) Above Right: Week 6 Grace Award winner (Nykita Miller)





Above Left: Miss Bahr's class won the Attendance Cup for Week 6. Above Right: Excellence in P.E. (Edwin Carbine)





Above Left : Excellence in P.E. (Emilea Willis)
Above Right : Year 6/7 class award winner (Toby Jericho)



Foundation Class award winner (Arianna Harrison)



Year 1 Class award winner (Leo Veerhuis)



Year 2 Class award winner (Milana Champion)



Year 3 Class award winner (Kaya Bilney)



Year 4 Class award winner (Antwon Warrior)



Year 5 Class award winner (Kenniesha Ware)

Growing our Relationships



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Crossways Calendar

Wk 8 (Wed 1 Dec)	Celebrating the Arts evening
Wk 8 (Thu 2/12)	Art Exhibition Showcase
Wk 9 (Tue 7/12)	Beach Day
Wk 9 (Wed 8/12)	Last Day of Term 4
Wk 9 (Wed 8/12)	Celebration of Learning (Evening)

2022 TERM DATES

TERM 1	31st January - 14th April 2022	
TERM 2	2nd May - 7th July 2022	
TERM 3	25th July - 29th September 2022	
TERM 4	17th October - 15th December 2022	

Principal's Word - Tony Peters



The Birth of Jesus

This is how the birth of Jesus the
Messiah came about: His mother Mary
was pledged to be married to Joseph,
but before they came together, she was
found to be pregnant through the Holy
Spirit. Because Joseph her husband was
faithful to the law, and yet did not want
to expose her to public disgrace, he had
in mind to divorce her quietly. But after
he had considered this, an angel of the
Lord appeared to him in a dream and

said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."

All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: "The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means "God with us").

When Joseph woke up, he did what the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took Mary home as his wife. But he did not consummate their marriage until she gave birth to a son. And he gave him the name Jesus. (Matthew 1:18-25)

Reading this verse, we know that Christmas is just around the corner! During the week, our devotional time has given us the opportunity to reflect on what Jesus means to us. More specifically, when we hear the name Jesus, what does it mean to us?

Well for me, I ponder on 2 things:

Jesus is perfect in every way and,
I want to be like him!

Though Jesus' life on earth was short, he achieved much and gave humankind the opportunity to witness God's promise of a Saviour. Through his life on earth Jesus was able to teach people how they ought to live, how they ought to love one another and this includes how they ought to forgive one another.

I do want to be like Jesus! But each day I fail dismally!! And I am disappointed that I can't be like him!!! I am saved though, and that is the whole point of Jesus...of who he is. Jesus was sent into the world to live amongst us, showing the true meaning of love through his interactions with people. Through his death and resurrection we are set free from the guilt of not being perfect like Him.

Carnival of the Arts

This will be happening in a week's time! Please come along and celebrate and enjoy the talents and gifts of our students through artwork and music. Tell others about it and invite them to come along and join in with our community!

Attendance

Attending school every day is important and it is just as important now that we are coming to an end to the school year as it is at other times during the year. Please get your children to school so they can enjoy the last couple of weeks with their teachers and friends, learning more and more about the world they live in.

God's blessings, Tony Peters

Time is running out to apply



Up to 10 *Scholarships*available. Application forms available at the front office.

Applications close Friday 3 December 2021
Includes one year's school fees and a set of
winter and summer uniforms.



Year 6/7 Camp

What great time Whyalla! The Year 6/7 class had a wonderful time in Whyalla for their class camp in Week 5 Tuesday - Friday. It was lovely to have parents attend camp and we greatly appreciate their valuable time that they volunteered. Mr.Vincent and Hannah did an amazing job driving the bus even though the road works and the weather wasn't favourable. Whilst in Whyalla, we loved getting involved in many different activities such as swimming, bowling, library time, guided ship tour, museum and art gallery visit and shopping. We enjoyed delicious meals including pizza, chicken wrap, Mcdonalds and KFC. Spending many days together away from school definitely brought us closer and it will be a memorable event to remember as we look at back at this year. A big thank you to Mr. Vincent, Cirena, Hannah and Sarah for attending camp and providing huge support.





























Terena Evans—Deputy Principal

6/7 Photography excursion

On Wednesday the 17th of November a very small group of students, Keri Syrianos and myself went on a beach excursion to the beautiful town of Smoky Bay to take photographs of the coastline. Unfortunately the whole class was not able to attend due to health issues or the yellow buses not running, as the Area

school had a student free day. However we all had a great time exploring the beach, caves, jetty and outer coastline using Ipads to take pictures. The students will be given the opportunity to choose 1 of their photos to edit and exhibit in the end of year 'Carnival of the Arts.' The other task will be for the students to use an image and try to re-create is with soft pastel, which will be framed and also exhibited.

We look forward to welcoming our Crossways and local community to our event which will be held on the $\mathbf{1}^{st}$ of December in the Middle School from $5-7 \, \text{pm}$.

Terena EvansVisual Arts teacher Deputy Principal











Chapel Schedule - Term 4

Wk	Theme	Class/SRC	Guest presenter
6	Almighty	YEAR 6/7	Haesil
7	God's call to Joseph	FOUNDATION	Bek
8	The birth of Jesus; and the shepherds hear the good news	YEAR 4 & ELC	Aiden
9	Learning Celebration	End of Year	

Happy Birthday

24th November Ariana Wilson

26th November Ishnoor

30th November Zahanía Taylor

Tuesday 7 December



Sailing Club Beach

12pm—3pm

FREE BBQ SUPPLIED

Families welcome to come along and enjoy the day!

Please ensure all students bring HATS, WATER BOTTLES and PROTECTIVE SWIM WEAR to School in the morning. Beach swimming will require shoes as a safety precaution.

A fun finish to the year!

Mandatory Vaccinations

As you are aware, the Commissioner of Police, acting in his role as the State Coordinator responding to the COVID-19 pandemic, has announced the Emergency Management (Education and Early Childhood Settings Vaccination) (COVID-19) Direction 2021.

This Direction requires all individuals to receive at least 1 dose of a Therapeutic Goods Association approved COVID-19 vaccination and a booking to receive a second dose by 10 December 2021, except those who have a medical exemption endorsed by the Chief Public Health Officer.

The Direction applies to all employees, OSHC providers, volunteers, parent helpers, contractors and service providers either engaged by the school or contracted to provided services to the school.

We would like our staff, students and parent community to rest assured that we have implemented measures to ensure compliance with the Direction by 10 December 2021.

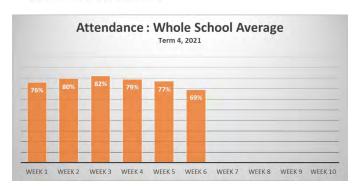
I appreciate that this will be difficult news for some but the school has no option but to comply with the Direction which has been established as a result of SA Health advice.

I trust that we can all work together respectfully to ensure the safety of our school community.

Kind regards,

Tony Peters - Principal

SCHOOL Attendance



SCHOOL AIM
Equal to or Greater Than 90%



ELEBRATION OF LEA

Wednesday 8th December 2021

the talents of students' artistic and musical skills

Wednesday 1st December, 5 - 7pm

Held at the Middle School

Lucky Door Prize

the local community to experience

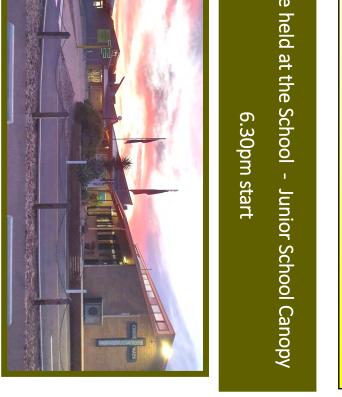
To be held at the School - Junior School Canopy 6.30pm start



Complimentary finger food available during the evening

CROSSWAYS

* Student Art Judging and Awards *







COMING THIS DECEMBER & JANUARY!

BRING YOUR LOGBOOKS AND GET READY FOR A WEEK OF FUN!



Church Services

CEDUNA - SUNDAY - LUTHERAN CHURCH - 10.30am

Notices

PLAYGROUP

CROSSWAYS LUTHERAN SCHOOL

EARLY LEARNING CENTRE

EVERY FRIDAY

O-5 YEAR OLDS

For further information contact Save the Children:
Michelle Duregon: 0429041823 / 043611673

JOB VACANCY Apply Now!

- Cleaner required 10-12 hours/week.
 Please contact the school on 86 252 873 for details.
- Grounds Maintenance Officer (Full time position)
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