



## CROSSWAYS CALENDAR

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|------------------|----------------------------|
| (Wk 7) Mon 14/3  | Adelaide Cup Day - Holiday |
| (Wk 10) Tue 5/4  | Year 6/7 Camp (Tue to Fri) |
| (Wk 11) Tue 12/4 | WCIAC Streaky Bay          |
| (Wk 11) Wed 13/4 | Last Day of Term 1         |
| (Wk 11) Wed 13/4 | STUDENT LED CONFERENCES    |

## 2022 TERM DATES

|        |                                    |
|--------|------------------------------------|
| TERM 1 | 1 February 2022 - 13 April 2022    |
| TERM 2 | 2 May 2022 - 7 July 2022           |
| TERM 3 | 25 July 2022 - 29 September 2022   |
| TERM 4 | 17 October 2022 - 15 December 2022 |

## 2022 STUDENT FREE DAYS

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| TERM 2 | 6th June - Staff Professional Development<br>27th June - Staff Professional Development |
| TERM 3 | 5th Sept - Staff Professional Development   |
| TERM 4 | 8th Nov - Staff Professional Development  |

## Principal's Word - Tony Peters



### Patience

Working at school, one needs a great amount of patience. Schools are very busy, hectic and complex organisations which require staff to exhibit high levels of positive and effective communication with the key stakeholders in students, colleagues and families. One of the Capabilities – the 'HOW' leaders do what they do in the Growing Deep document is 'growing oneself' by 'building self awareness'. This involves building an understanding of oneself being 'in tune' with one's own biases, assumptions,

thoughts and feelings.

Doing what I do, I see at first hand the way in which staff members practice 'being in tune with oneself' so that patience is clearly demonstrated and relationships are, on the whole, positive and respectful.

Having Christ as our focal point at our school, provides us with clear direction when it comes to our relationships with one another. Through what Christ did for us, we are encouraged to have the same sort of attitude towards others.

Our Bible reading for this week comes from Psalm 27:14-

*Wait for the Lord;  
Be strong and take heart  
And wait for the Lord.*

So, here God asks us to patient for him. There are times when we want or expect God's intervention and it may seem that he isn't responding to our needs. God tells us to be strong and be patient because he will answer in due course- he promises this. While we wait, we have the opportunity to read His word, to pray and to practice being patient to those around us.

### Sports Day

Held last Friday 4 March, the weather was just about perfect throughout the day; mild, overcast and light winds ensured that students could participate without the challenges of facing extreme weather!

Congratulations to the Kingfishers House Team who won the day. This was made even more special with this being their first win ever!

Students were commended on their efforts during the day, giving their best, encouraging one another and for displaying good sportsmanship.

A big thank you to Mr Woody and Mr Vincent for organising a very smooth event.

### Student-Led Conferences

With the continued easing of certain restrictions in schools, it is planned that we will have Student-Led Conferences at the end of this term. We have set this for the final day of Term 1, which is Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April. Please note that on this day, normal school isn't on for the purpose of the Student-Led Conferences. You will be receiving a letter about the Conferences soon, including booking a time so please look out for this.

God's blessings, **Tony Peters**



*The Victorious 'Kingfisher' team !*



## Week 5 Award Winners



Above left : Week 5 Hope Award winner (Gabriella Masierowski). Above right : Week 5 Grace Award winner (Anastasia Muir)



Excellence in P.E.  
Madison Reed



Excellence in P.E.  
Jordan Coleman



Year 2 Award Winner  
Shawanah Coleman-Wilson



Year 5 Award Winner  
Aalirah Sansbury



Mr Donald Year 3/4 Winner  
Ciarah Colbung



Year 8/9/10 Award Winner  
Charlotte Harre-Temby



Year 6/7 Award Winner  
Shia Taylor-Champion



Foundation Award Winner  
Korbin Keanelly



Year 1 Award Winner  
Isobel Wright

Mr Champion's Year 3/4  
Class award winner was  
Noah Coleman  
(Noah was absent on award  
day)

*Growing our Relationships*





Shia Taylor-Champion & Dontate Graham



Noah Veerhuis, Charlotte Harre-Temby, Ciarah Colbung & Anastasia Muir



Millie Mullen  
Isobel Wright  
Brooke McKay



Dre-Shaun Graham



Ollie Evans



Indi Champion



Toby Jericho & Raymond Paparao



Gareth Bilney & Dontate Graham



Tizziana Peel & Aroha Paparao



Kenniesha Ware & Shia Taylor-Champion

## Sports Day 2022



Sport's Day once again lived up to high expectations with our students showcasing their athletic abilities and expertise in front of peers, parents, family members and visitors. Luckily the rain held off and we were blessed with near perfect conditions to support our students as they moved from event to event earning

individual points and more importantly valued team points. The final House points score this year proved to be closer than ever, so every effort was extremely vital. House points were kept hidden after lunch so there was great anticipation when it came time to unveil our final scores at the end of the day and it was definitely a surprise. It was Kingfishers who eventually came out on top with the honour of being able to engrave their name on the House Shield for the first time in a very long time. Sea-Eagles came in a very close second place with Ospreys a gallant third overall.

### Individual Awards:

**Junior Runner Ups:** Callum Radloff / Ollie Evans (tied) Millie Mullen / Brooke McKay / Isobel Wright (tied)

**Junior Champions:** Dre-Shaun Graham / Indi Champion

**Intermediate Runner Ups:** Toby Jericho / Kenniesha Ware

**Intermediate Champions:** Raymond Paparao / Shia Taylor – Champion

**Senior Runner Ups:** Gareth Bilney / Tizziana Peel

**Senior Champions:** Dontate Graham / Aroha Paparao

**Over-all points award male and female:** Dontate Graham / Shia Taylor – Champion

I extend an enormous thank you to everyone who helped out on the day, and well done to all parents and visitors who attended to cheers on our athletes.

The Crossways WCIAC team will be announced in the coming weeks and notifications will be sent out to those who rightfully earned a place.

Kind regards,  
Mr. Carl Woodward  
Sports Coordinator @ Crossways.



## Autism SA Training Day

On Monday the 21<sup>st</sup> of February all Crossways staff participated in training provided by Autism SA. Topics included:

- Understanding the autism spectrum
- Developing a student profile
- Strategies
- Supporting social skill development
- Towards self regulation
- Breaks and rewards
- Double empathy

This was a very timely and comprehensive learning opportunity for our staff to increase their knowledge and understanding of Autism and how to best support our students who are on the spectrum. Many of the strategies discussed on the day can also be used with other students with different needs, and generally within the classroom. It was heartening to see that many of the suggested strategies are already being used across the school.

As a thank you to Crossways, Autism SA have provided a discount code for parents of 15% off their face to face or online workshops, that is available to all families. The code is **TSPF15**.

Regards,  
Tracey Hoffrichter  
Learning Support Coordinator

## Mr Champion Year 3/4 Class

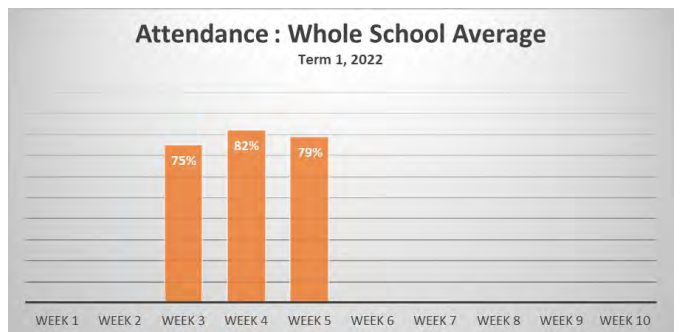
It has been great all being back together these last 3 weeks, and it has been great getting to know the students and forming relationships with them. The Year 3/4C class has had numerous engaging and fun lessons, these include exploring Gumtrees around the school and learning about the life-cycles of the Gum trees by classifying the various stages into groups. Engaging in various Odd and Even and Place Value Maths games and activities, and in HASS learning about the Environment and how we are connected to it through exploring our local areas.

The most favourite and engaging activity that the students participated in was our STEM lesson. In this lesson students used the skills they have learnt through this terms topic of design to build either a raft of straws, a house of sticks or a bridge of straws, their creations looked awesome.

It has been pleasing to see them engage in all lessons, and in particular the STEM activity where we all had a blast constructing our bridges, rafts and houses.

I am proud of how well the students have settled into the Year 3/4C class the last couple of weeks and am looking forward to a great year.

**Mr Champion**



**SCHOOL AIM**

**Equal to or Greater Than 90%**

# SPORTS DAY

## Award Winners

|                   |                             |                               |           |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Up to Under 8     | Junior Boy Champion         | Dre-Shaun Graham              | 20        |
|                   | Junior Boy Runner-Up        | Callum Radloff & Ollie Evans  | 16        |
|                   | Junior Girl Champion        | Indi Champion                 | 20        |
|                   | Junior Girl Runner-Up       | M Mullen / B McKay / I Wright | 18        |
| Under 9—Under 13  | Intermediate Boy Champion   | Raymond Paparoa               | 71        |
|                   | Intermediate Boy Runner-Up  | Toby Jericho                  | 66        |
|                   | Intermediate Girl Champion  | Shia Taylor-Champion          | 76        |
|                   | Intermediate Girl Runner-Up | Kenniesha Ware                | 70        |
| Under 14—Under 16 | Senior Boy Champion         | Dontate Graham                | 76        |
|                   | Senior Boy Runner-Up        | Gareth Bilney                 | 62        |
|                   | Senior Girl Champion        | Aroha Paparoa                 | 73        |
|                   | Senior Girl Runner-Up       | Tizziana Peel                 | 71        |
|                   | <b>OVERALL BOYS POINTS</b>  | <b>Dontate Graham</b>         | <b>76</b> |
|                   | <b>OVERALL GIRLS POINTS</b> | <b>Shia Taylor-Champion</b>   | <b>76</b> |

|           |                    |                    |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1st Place | <b>KINGFISHERS</b> | <b>1178 Points</b> |
| 2nd Place | <b>SEA EAGLES</b>  | <b>1151 Points</b> |
| 3rd Place | <b>OSPREYS</b>     | <b>835 Points</b>  |



## Chapel Schedule - Term 1, 2022

| Wk | Theme               | Class/SRC         | Guest presenter |
|----|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 6  | Patience            | Year 2            | Stuart          |
| 7  | Thirsty             | Year 5            | Tony            |
| 8  | Newness             | Adam / SRC        | Susan           |
| 9  | The Harvest         | Year 3/4 Donald   | Pastor Andrew   |
| 10 | Palm Sunday         | Foundation        | Andrew          |
| 11 | Good News of Easter | Year 3/4 Champion | Aiden           |

## Church Services

CEDUNA - SUNDAY - LUTHERAN CHURCH - 10.30am

## Community Notices

### COVID-19 VACCINATION



Eyre and Far North Local Health Network

#### COVID-19 Pfizer Vaccination Clinics

**Streaky Bay Institute:**

Tuesday 22 March, 10am – 6pm

**Ceduna Hall:**

Wednesday 23 March, 10am – 6pm

**Wudinna Hall:**

Thursday 24 March, 11am – 6pm

**Lock Bowling Club:**

Friday 25 March, 10am – 2pm

For bookings: [www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/covidvaccine](http://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/covidvaccine)  
or scan the QR code below



For assistance with bookings call the SA COVID-19 Information Line on 1800 253 787.

COVIDVACCINE.SA.GOV.AU

# Student-led CONFERENCES

On the last day of this term

## Wednesday 13th April

Please call the office to book your time with your child and class teacher at your earliest convenience to secure the best time of your choice. Thankyou

## Koonibba Netball Club

Training Times

**JUNIORS 4.30pm**

Tuesdays & Thursdays

**SENIORS 5.30pm**

Tuesdays & Thursdays



Dear Parents / Caregivers,

Please be reminded that our school has a 'no hat no play' policy.

Please ensure your child has a labelled hat at school at all times to avoid having to sit in the shade at Recess and Lunch time.

Hats can be purchased from the front office for

- \$10 (wide brim)
- \$12 (cap).

Thankyou