# Crossways Newsletter

Term 1, Week 7, 2022



### CROSSWAYS CALENDAR

(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

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

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



### THIRSTY!

highlights that we, as humans, are weak and miserly and we search for worldly things that may quench our thirst for a short period of time but in the long run we thirst for more and more without any true satisfaction. It all dries up in the end. When we look at what makes us thirsty, in the real sense, it is a lack of water and when we become thirsty, our body is telling us we need more water which we need to be hydrated. After a short period of time, in only 3 days, our body will shut down and die.

I do love this devotional theme. It really

In a similar way, without being in God's presence, without reading His Word, without praying, without worship, without being in a true relationship with God we can end up travelling across this earth, lost and weary.

Life throws all sorts of rubbish, disasters and challenges at us – it could be a death of a loved one; a natural disaster has struck; it might be a sickness we're dealing with; it could be someone who hasn't been able to forgive you; it could be someone who has hurt you.

God says in all this, 'come to me, I'll help you out, I'll fix things up. I'll give you what you need to keep going. I'll give you courage to restore a relationship. I'll give you rest. I'll give you water – real water that gives you real life.'

The Word of God which we've been reviewing and reflecting this week is found in the Book of Psalm, chapter 63 verses 1 and 2:

You are God!

I can't get enough of you!

I've worked up such hunger and thirst for God, travelling across dry and weary deserts.

So here I am in the place of worship, eyes open, drinking in your strength and glory.

In your generous love I am really living at last.

#### STUDENT-LED CONFERENCES

Communication has gone out to families about this so please make sure you contact the office to secure a time for this. It is a really good opportunity for your child to walk you through their learning with you. More information will follow.

During this conference, your child is taking the lead, discussing insights in to their learning. As the parent or carer, you have the opportunity to listen and to ask questions to your child about their learning.

It is important that communication remains open, positive,

continuous and effective between the school and home. If you would like to discuss your child's progress during the course of the year, please take the opportunity to contact your child's teacher to organise a time to meet.

Student-Led Conferences will take place during the last week of this term and on Wednesday 13 April. Please note that you will be required to wear a mask during the conference.

### **SCHOOL BUS**

Our white School bus offers a wonderful and free service to school families, transporting children to and from school in the Ceduna and Thevenard townships. Due to local Council restrictions, the school bus is only allowed a limited number of stops during the course of its route. While the school attempts to cater for all school families and reviews the bus route regularly, we are unable to include

further stops. This may mean that some children need to walk to an allocated bus stop to catch the school bus. If you have any queries about the School's bus service, please contact me, the bus driver, Jenny Guidera, or the office at your earliest convenience.

God's blessings,

TONY PETERS



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 most suitable time. Thankyou



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### **Week 6 Award Winners**





Above left: Hope Award Winner (Madison Reed) Above right: Grace Award Winner (Halle Miller)





Above left : Foundation Class award winner (Zaria Dupree)
Above right : Year 1 award winner ( Skyler Leask)



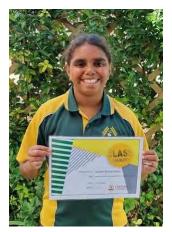


Above left: Year 2 award winner (Bella Anderson-Graham)
Above right: Year 3/4 Donald award winner (Savannah Guidera)





Above left: Year 3/4 Champion award winner (Acacia Bilney)
Above right: Year 5 award winner (Jai Freeman)





Above left: Year 6/7 award winner (Iyraeah Bilney-Miller)
Above right: Year 8/9/10 award winner (Nathaniel Coleman)





Left : Excellence in P.E. Junior School (Robert Taylor)

Right: Excellence in P.E. Middle School (Lekiesha Ware)

Growing our Relationships

## **Terena Evans—Deputy Principal**



I hope you all had a lovely long weekend with the wonderful weather we were gifted! Unfortunately my family did not get to do much due to a sick child, however I still managed a short fishing trip on the water where we caught 3 squid.

In the middle school we are starting to plan for next term's electives. Soon there will be a sign up sheet for students to

select another 2 options. It has been fantastic to see most students engaged and committed to their choices along with staff providing outdoor learning options where possible.

In visual arts this term we are focusing on improving drawing skills. It has been great to see most student engaged and willing to have a go to improve their abilities. The senior class have been focusing on 'Surrealism' and I've enjoyed seeing their ideas grow as they create their own work. To begin the unit we looked at what 'surrealism' is and why the movement began. Students followed tutorials to try and recreate another artist's work. (Artists would like to remain anonymous.)

All classes have just started a unit on portraits and I look forward to sharing some of their work later in the term.

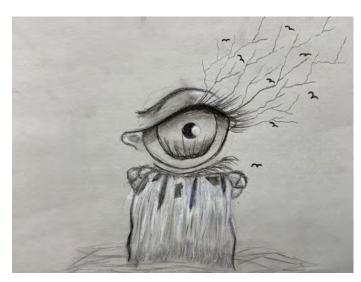
God bless

Terena









# Attendance: Whole School Average Term 1, 2022 75% 79% 76% WEEK 1 WEEK 2 WEEK 3 WEEK 4 WEEK 5 WEEK 6 WEEK 7 WEEK 8 WEEK 9 WEEK 10

# SCHOOL AIM Equal to or Greater Than 90%



Dear Parents / Caregivers,

## **HOUSE T'SHIRTS**

School HOUSE T'shirts can be worn at school on student's P.E. days.

Pictured above : Jordan Coleman, Sammy Johnson & Noah Veerhuis

## Rebekah Ridley - J/S Coordinator



We are quickly moving through our first term of 2022 and it is great to see the engagement in each class.

In Junior School this term, most classes are learning about living things in Science. This has prompted some wonderful conversations and sparked enthusiasm and wonder.

In Foundation, we had two Chrysalis arrive which quickly hatched into 2

beautiful butterflies. We loved sharing this experience with the other classes through conversations. We have also had a friendly lizard visit our outdoor area which students are enjoying observing during break times.

Students are all working hard in their classes and will soon begin preparing for and collating learning to present at the Student Led Conference (SLC). The SLC will be held in Week 11 and they are a wonderful opportunity for your child to walk you through their learning over the term.

SLC empowers students and helps them take responsibility and develop a sense of pride in their learning. We look forward to you joining and we thank you for the vital role you play in your child's education.











# Chapel Schedule - Term 1, 2022

Wk	Theme	Class/SRC	Guest presenter
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



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

### **Church Services**

CEDUNA - SUNDAY - LUTHERAN CHURCH - 9.00am

Parish AGM to follow the service

# **Happy Birthday**

17th March	Brianna Harre-Temby
17th March	Henry Miller-Lampard
21st March	Claraleigh Johnson
22nd March	Robert Taylor

# **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

or scan the QR code below



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

COVIDVACCINE.SA.GOV.AU



# Koonibba Netball Club

**Training Times** 

**JUNIORS** 

4.30pm

Tuesdays & Thursdays

SENIORS

5.30pm

**Tuesdays & Thursdays** 

