



CROSSWAYS CALENDAR

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| Week 5 (22/8-26/8) | BOOKWEEK |
| Week 5 (25/8) | Marine Parks Workshop (Middle School) |
| Week 8 | Year 3/4 Camp (Scotdesco) |
| Week 9 | Year 5 Camp (Aquatics, Penong) |
| Week 10 (Thu 29/9) | Student LED Conferences |
| Week 10 (Thu 29/9) | Last day Term 3 |

2022 TERM DATES

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| TERM 4 | 17 October 2022 - 15 December 2022 |
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Principal's Word - Tony Peters



Blessed to be a blessing

O my soul, bless God. From head to toe, I'll bless his holy name! O my soul, bless God, don't forget a single blessing! Psalm 103:1-2 (The Message paraphrase)

I am reminded again of my grandmother when reflecting on being blessed. My Nanna was a blessing to everyone she came across, whether a friend, family member or stranger, it didn't matter- she showed a similar loving attitude to everyone.

As soon as meeting someone, her smile would radiate and be infectious. I often wondered where and how she could do this, day in and day out! Nanna's faith in God was obvious because she would speak of and refer to Him and not in a pushy or demanding manner but in a quiet, gentle way. She was blessed by God and showed her gratitude to God by being a blessing to others.

Do you have people in your life which are a blessing to you? I'm sure there is someone who you are truly grateful for and because of this blessing we are compelled to be a blessing to others. That's what God wants us to do! By being a blessing to others, we can even change people's lives around.

The positive effect and influence we can have on someone else cannot be underestimated. So, have a look around, spot

Book Week

Book Week is just around the corner and so keep an eye out for communication on this, particular in the School's newsletter and your child's class newsletter which will come to you next week. The dress-up parade will take place on Wednesday 24 August at 10.30am and the Family Night where you will be able to purchase items from the Book Fair will be held on Monday 29 August, 4 – 6.30pm. A sausage sizzle will be available during the Book fair Family Night, free of charge.

Student-Led Conferences

An opportunity for your child to share their learning with you, will be held on the last day of this term, Thursday 29 September. This is where you and your child will only attend school when they are scheduled for their Student-Led Conference and so it will not be a normal school day. You will need to book a time through the front office and more details for this important school event will be made available soon.

Fete

It's been a while since Crossways has hosted a Fete, due to our attempts in keeping people safe during COVID, but I am very pleased to inform you that on Friday 11 November (5-8pm), Crossways is inviting the school and wider community to attend what should be a fun and relaxing evening. Please keep this date and time free so that you can be a part of this community event. More information will be made available in coming weeks so keep an eye out for this.

Blessings,
Tony Peters



Crossways students were lucky today to have a surprise visit from some members of the SA Variety Bash.





Congratulations to Week 3 Award Winners



Above left : Week 3 Hope Award winner (Abel Sarin)

Above right : Week 3 Grace Award winner (Gareth Bilney)



Above left : Year 2 award winner (Bella Anderson-Graham)



Above right : Year 3/4 (D) award winner (Savannah Guidera)



Above left : Year 3/4 C award winner (Ciara Lennon-Gray)



Above right : Year 5 award winner (Shazniquah Chester)



Above left : Foundation award winner (Nate Gascoyne)



Above right : Year 1 award winner (Isobel Wright)



Above left : Year 6/7 award winner (Halle Miller)



Above right : Year 8/9/10 award winner (Kaliah Lennon-Gray)

Growing our Relationships



GGSA
Maths star team of the
week !



Year 1 News

The Year 1's have had a busy start to Term 3! We welcome Phoenix back to Crossways and welcome Jase into our class as new students for the term.

We are looking at many different topics this term, such as the Weather and Seasons in Science, Food and Fibre Production in Design Technology, caring for the environment during Christian Studies and writing Procedures as our genre for English.

We have explored different types of weather and were fortunate enough to have a lovely afternoon making the most of the light breeze to fly our class kite. Students have also demonstrated excellent knowledge about where food comes from; sharing their knowledge about wheat and how it turns into flour. The class enjoyed making their own bread from scratch during Week 3 and were treated to hot bread rolls as part of their lunch. During Christian Studies students have looked at the 7 days of creation and have been exploring how God wants people to help care for the world. This includes putting rubbish in the bins, saving water and also saving electricity. We have also had lots of fun learning to write procedures, where students have made fairy bread, milo and even explained the procedure of how to use a glue stick! Keep up the great work, Year 1's!


Miss Bahr, Year 1 Teacher.



The Year 1 class welcomed 2 new students this term

Left : Phoenix Miller and right : Jase Austin



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Middle School Health & PE

In Health this term our key focus learning area has been “Staying Safe in Community”. We have so far investigated what “Staying Safe” looks like and feels like within a number of different contexts, and the strategies we can use to keep us safe in our day to days lives.

The focus in Physical Education for this term is Volleyball. The sport of Volleyball is very safe and inclusive for both boys and girls to play together. We have been practicing the fundamentals of the sport by reviewing and improving on our 4 main shots and strokes; serve, dig, set and spike. Scoring, umpiring and correct rotation will be developed over the coming weeks with a view to increase student confidence so that they can take control of games proper.

If you have any queries regarding all things Health and PE please don't hesitate to contact myself via email

cwoodward@crossways.sa.edu.au

Mr. Carl Woodward
PE Coordinator.



Junior School Health & PE

This term in the junior school all students have been working hard as they investigate different areas of health and are introduced to new and challenging games and activities in PE. The foundation class are learning about health and safety with a specific focus on healthy foods, dangerous substances, safety in the home and personal hygiene. In PE we are learning some new dances and continuing to develop our fundamental movement skills in different activities.

The year 1/2's have been learning about ways to include others and feel like they belong. They have also identified various emotions we experience and how they can be identified in others. In PE we have learnt some new dances as well as other team games to develop our skills.

In year 3/4 we have been learning about respect, empathy and valuing diversity. Students are also investigating how emotions vary and how to recognize and respond to them within themselves and others. In PE we have also been learning some new dances. As the term progresses students will be introduced to volleyball, which for many will be a new challenge.

Mr James Vincent
JS PE Coordinator



SRC News - Mrs Lambeff

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| Year 2 Evelyn and Madison | Year 3/4D Milana & Savannah | Year 3/4 C Abel & Gabriella | Year 5 Henry and Tionne |
| Year 6/7 Toby and Amalie | Year 8-10 Hayden | HOUSE CAPTAINS Red –Kenniesha Ware & Sammy Johnson Blue – Teelah Gray & Trey Colbung White – Ciarah Colbung & Noah Veerhuis | |

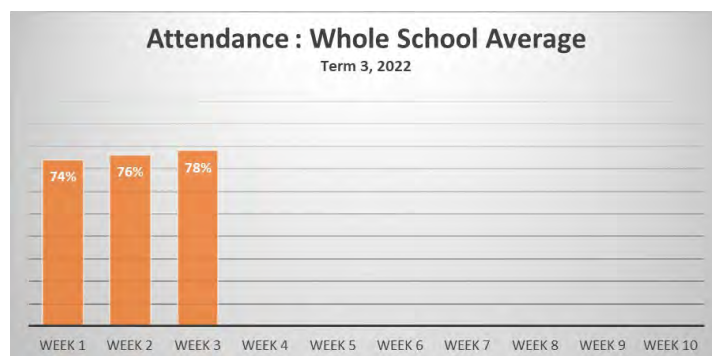
A very warm welcome to the new SRC members and House Captains for Semester 2 – and congratulations on being elected to represent your class or house.

Students were asked to write an application letter, explaining why they would like to be in SRC/House Captain and what strengths they could bring to the team. We received some excellent letters with some fantastic ideas. Classes were able to anonymously vote on the letter they thought would be the more beneficial for their class. Well done to all the students who applied. It takes courage to apply, and if you were unsuccessful or would like to apply, new SRC members are elected each semester.

In our meetings we discuss ideas for fundraising, uniform needs, what's working well in classes and the yard, and ideas for improvements around the school. I look forward to working with them this semester and seeing what each of them can bring to our team.

Georgia Lambeff
Student Voice Coordinator

School Attendance—Term 3



SCHOOL AIM
Equal to or Greater Than 90%

CROSSWAYS LUTHERAN SCHOOL

BOOKWEEK & BOOKFAIR

DRESS UP DAY
WED 24TH AUGUST

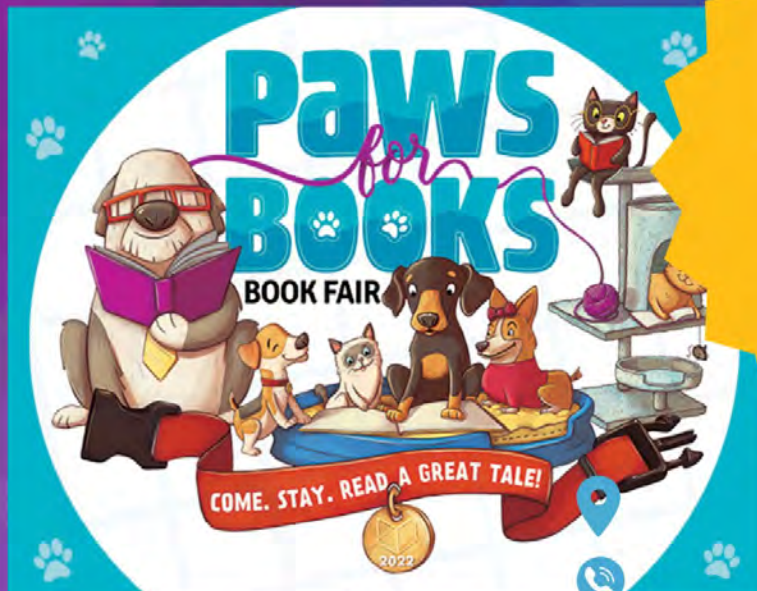
22-26 AUG

PRIZES FOR BEST
DRESSED!

FAMILY NIGHT &
BOOKFAIR NIGHT

PARADE AT
10.30AM
FAMILIES
WELCOME!

MONDAY 29TH
AUGUST 4-6.30PM



**FREE
BBQ**

AT SCHOOL

4 Smith Road, CEDUNA SA 5690

08 86252873

Dress up as your favourite book character!

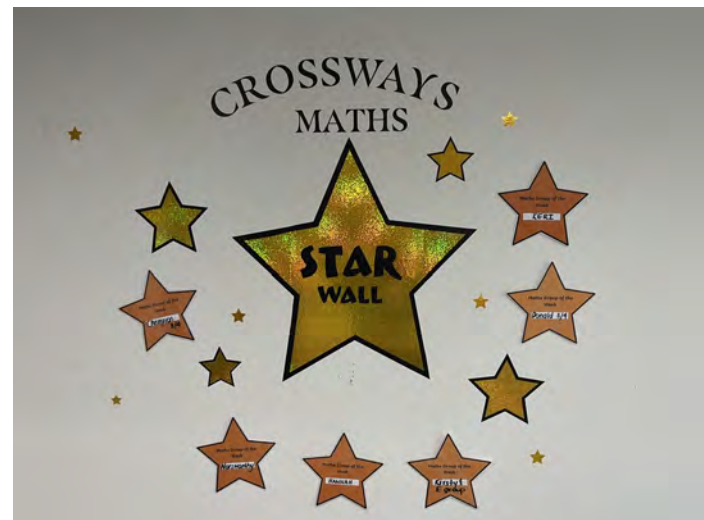
Anthony Caretti - M/S co-ordinator



Term 3 in the Middle School so far has seen the return of students settled, accustomed to classroom routines and structures, and displaying such a positive attitude towards school. This comes off the back of seeing some consistent in attendance across the school, and Crossways getting back to what we do best after a COVID-19 affected start to the

year. Already this term we have seen students participate in SAPSASA trials here at school and at Streaky Bay, which students participated extremely well in. I would like to say a congratulations to Halle Miller, Lillian Miller-Lampard, and Henry Hissey for making the SAPSASA Far West team to take part on the Monday the 19th in Adelaide. Additionally, in the Middle School, the Ceduna Youth Hub has continued its mentoring program across years 5-10 this term, which is seeing students participate and engage in some really exciting opportunities and activities. We would like to also welcome Georgia Lambeff back from her long service leave trip around Europe, we are very glad to have her back. Electives have also had a change up with what is being offered and we have reduced our Elective program to one double lesson session between recess and lunch. Students next week will finish their last week in their first chosen elective and start their second choice elective in week 6. This continues to be an exciting and well received opportunity by the students.

We are into our third term of our new Good to Great Schools Maths program. This term our groupings across the school have changed, due to retesting at the end of last term saw a great improvement in numeracy growth across many year levels. We are starting to see the fruits of the program, through consistent improvement through the Mastery Test data results. Also, it is exciting to see when observing groups, the consistency in classroom expectations, structures and routines being implemented in these maths groups. It is evident that students have really benefited from a consistent approach, resulting in a rise of engagement and effort levels in students. Something that has also assisted in this, was our decision to run maths across the whole school at the same time in lesson 3 every day. By doing this, it has allowed for greater support for students and groups where needed. I meet with the Good to Great Schools team every week to discuss our schools progress, I am very pleased that soon I will be able to show you some very positive whole school data in relation to our school's progress in improving our student's numeracy abilities.



Chapel Schedule - Term 3, 2022

| Week | Theme | Class/ SRC | Guest presenter |
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| WK 4 | Blessed to be a blessing | Yr 3/4C | Stuart |
| WK 5 | Pride comes before a fall | Yr 3/4D | Andrew V |
| WK 6 | Owning nothing | Year 1 | Susan |
| WK 7 | Clean | Found | Andrew M |
| WK 8 | Wise choices | Year 5 | Andrew V |
| WK 9 | Contentment | Year 6/7 | Adam |
| WK 10 | The gift of faith | Yr 8/9/10 | Andrew M |

Happy Birthday

18th September Lekiesha Ware
 18th September Corey Amos
 24th September Steven Harrison

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!**

Crossways FETE



Crossways staff are currently in the process of planning our
COMMUNITY FETE DAY.

The date is Friday, 11th November. (TERM 4)

More information is to come.

Church Services

CEDUNA - SUNDAY - LUTHERAN CHURCH - 10.30am

Community Notices

CAC Playgroups 2022

Monday
2pm - 4pm
Koonibba Stop & Play
at
Koonibba Remote
School
Attendance Building

Tuesday
9.30am - 11.30am
Quality Time With Family
at
The Complex

Thursday
9.30am - 11.30am
Minya Gidya-Muga
at
Ngura Yadorim
Children & Family Centre

Transport available For Aboriginal families with children aged 0-5 (Koonibba playgroup ages 0-9) Tea/coffee & snacks provided

For more information call our Early Childhood Team on 86253210 or 0456728444

Ngura Yadorim Children and Family Centre What's On in Term 3, 2022

2 Kelly Street / PO Box 63, Ceduna SA 5690 * Ph: 08-8625 2294 * Fax: 08-8625 2295 * www.preschools.sa.gov.au/ngura-yadorim-child-family-centre

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Preschool 9am-3pm | Preschool 9am-3pm | Preschool 9am-3pm | Preschool 9am-3pm | Preschool 9am-12noon |
| OCCASIONAL CARE 8.45am-11.45am 6mths-4 years Booking is essential. | LEARNING TOGETHER PLAYGROUP 9.30am-11am | OCCASIONAL CARE 8.45am-11.45am 6mths-4 years Booking is essential. | MINYA GIDYA-MUGA PLAYGROUP 9.30am-11.30am Transport available. | BABY MASSAGE 9.30am-10.30am Booking is essential. |
| NUNGA NANNAS 10am-12pm Transport available. | CIRCLE OF SECURITY Starting Wednesday 3rd August '22 6 week program 5.30pm to 7pm It's important to commit to each week. Bookings is essential, limited spots. Please register with Alysha on 8625 2294 for more information. | JUMP 'N' JIVE PLAYGROUP 10am-11am | Did you know Aboriginal children can attend Preschool from 3 years? Please call Claire for more Information. | CREEPERS 'N' CRAWLERS PLAYGROUP 10.30am-11.30am |
| YARN TIME 12.30pm-2.30pm Creche available, booking is essential. Transport available. | | MUMS WITH YOUNG BUBS 1pm-2.30pm Bubs under 12mths. Creche available, booking is essential. Transport available. | | OCCASIONAL CARE 12.15pm-3.15pm 6mths-4 years Booking is essential. |
| CUPPA 'N' CHAT For mums with new babies. 1pm-2.30pm Facilitated by the Ceduna Midwifery Practice. | | | CHILD & FAMILY HEALTH SERVICE (CaFHS) To make an appointment, please ring 1300 733 606 | |

Director of Education & Care: Claire Higgs • Occupational Therapist: Alysha Pearce • Community Development Coordinator: Vicki Coleman • Connected Beginnings: Lehi Miles

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 26/7/2022.

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