Crossways Newsletter

Term 2, Week 1, 2023



CROSSWAYS CALENDAR

Monday 1st May	First Day of Term 2
Week 1 (1/5-5/5)	Footsteps Dance
Week 3 (16/5)	Yadu Health Screenings (Years 5 & 6)
Week 3 (17/5-19/5)	Year 5 & 6 Camp to Wudinna
Week 5 (Tues 30/5)	Port Lincoln Netball Camp
Week 7 (Monday 12/6)	Queen's Birthday Holiday
Week 10 (Thurs 6/7)	Last Day of Term 3

2023 TERM DATES

TERM 2	1st May 2023 - 6th July 2023
TERM 3	24th July 2023 - 28th September 2023
TERM 4	16th Oct 2023 - 14th December 2023

Principal's Word - Greg Miller



Investing in Your Future

Jerimiah 29:11

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future". It is comforting to know that God has plans for everyone's future, plans that are good and to give us a hope and future.

The value of a good education in preparing our young people for a successful future has been recognised for a long time.

Martin Luther wrote in letter dated in 1524 that, "By helping the youth we shall be helping ourselves and all men." In other words, a well-ordered and stable society must have men and women who are professionally trained in their particular fields. A couple of hundred years later Benjamin Franklin stated "An investment in education gives the best returns"

Benjamin Franklin (1706 – 1790) was one of the leading figures in early American history, he worked on the "Declaration of Independence", the "United States of America Constitution", was an inventor and is featured on the American \$100 bill.

In today's society the value of a good education is generally recognised and at Crossways Lutheran School our purpose is to "Guide and empower our learning community towards excellence".

Excellence can be shown in varying ways and can look different for each of our students. During the school holidays I had the pleasure of witnessing "excellence in service" by two of our students. I joined with Riley Shepherd and Mia Roberts at the Anzac Day dawn service, where on behalf of our school they laid a wreath on the memorial at Cenotaph RSL Park. One of our school values is "Service", and these two students certainly showed this – well done!

Greg Miller, Principal





PLEASE NOTE:

This Friday's Chapel will be at 10.30am instead of 9am due to dance workshops being held in lesson 1. Sorry for the Inconvenience.



Congratulations to TERM 1 AWARD WINNERS

Foundation Student of the Term	Fifita Pohahau
Year 1 Student of the Term	Ava McIlwraith
Year 2 Student of the Term	Ariana Wilson
Year 3/4D Student of the Term	Freddie Jericho
Year 3/4C Student of the Term	Deon Austin
Year 5 Student of the Term	Ciara Lennon-Gray
Year 6 Student of the Term	Shazniquah Chester
Year 7/8 Student of the Term	Shia Taylor-Champion
Year 9/10 Student of the Term	Ella Fischer
Library Award	Bella Anderson-Graham

Foundation ART Award	Amora Brandon
Year 1 ART Award	Nate Gascoyne Levondia Edwards
Year 2 ART Award	Litia Pohahau
Year 3/4 Donald ART Award	Savannah Guidera
Year 3/4 Champion ART Award	Harlan Mules-Miller
Year 5 ART Award	Ciarah Colbung
Year 6 ART Award	Anastasia Muir
Year 7/8 ART Award	Soul-Jade Miller
Year 9/10 ART Award	Chase Sleep

P.E. Award (Junior School)	Harlan Mules-Miller
P.E. Award (Middle School)	Toby Jericho

Year 6 Music Award	Anastasia Muir
Year 7/8 Music Award	Soul-Jade Miller
Year 9/10 Music Award	Chase Sleep
Choir Award (F-Year 1)	Callum Radloff
Junior School Choir Award	Acacia Bilney
Middle School Choir Award	Brianna Harre-Temby



To all award winners!

Term 1 (Students of the Term)





















Left: Week 10 Grace Award winner (Emily Muir) and Hope Award winner (Ava McIlwraith)



Shane Halls (Frankie)



Shane Halls (Frankie) has joined the staff at Crossways this term.

Frankie is working full-time as a Groundsperson.

Welcome to the team Frankie!

Term 2 Canteen MENU

Mond	ay	Price	Quantity
	Spaghetti Bolognaise	\$5.00	
	Pizza	\$2.50	
	Ham & Cheese Toasted Sandwich	\$2.50	
Tuesc	lay	Price	Quantity
	Hot Chicken & Gravy Roll	\$3.50	
	Ham & Cheese Toasted Sandwich	\$2.50	
	Pizza Single	\$2.50	
Wednes	sday	Price	Quantit
	Butter Chicken & Rice	\$5.00	
	Ham & Cheese Toasted Sandwich	\$2.50	
	Pizza Single	\$2.50	
Thurs	day	Price	Quantit
	Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo Burger	\$5.00	
	Ham & Cheese Toasted Sandwich	\$2.50	
	Pizza Single	\$2.50	
Frida	ay	Price	Quantity
	Hot Dog Sauce	\$5.00	
	Pie Sauce	\$5.00	
	Sausage Roll Sauce	\$4.00	

Snacks	Price	Qty	Drinks	Price	Qty
Muffin	\$1.00		Water	\$1.00	
Biscuits	.50		Fresh Full Cream Milk	\$1.00	
Peckish / Chips	.50		ABC/Apple/Orange Juice	\$2.50	
Popcorn	.50		Chocolate Milk	\$2.50	
Yoghurt	\$1.50		Strawberry Milk	\$2.50	

Terena Evans Deputy Principal



A warm welcome back for the start of Term

As we start a new term, I'd like to highlight a couple areas and ask for your support with them.

The first area is punctuality. School starts at 8:50am and it is expected that students arrive on-time for their home group session. This term we have changed the

timetable around a bit to allow for longer pastoral care sessions during morning home group from 8:50 - 9:20. Students can expect daily circles following the Berri Street Model process. This allows students to follow a set structure with their home group teacher, daily, setting routines and expectations for the day. Devotions, roll call and school values are also a core part of the morning circle.

The second area is attendance. Attendance is an important contributor to students' academic achievement – all school days matter. Research shows a strong correlation between attendance and achievement. The impact of absence increases with the number of absences (Hancock et al., 2013).

If your child needs to take leave from the school day please let the office know rather than communicate with your child on their own device. We have found, at times, students are calling home to get collected by a parent and the teachers are unaware of why they have left. It is important that we are aware of any issues that arise so we can deal with them at school first.

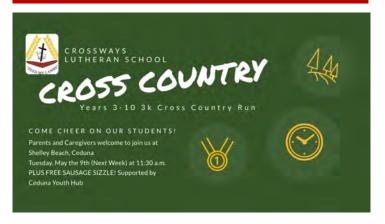
I would also like to take this opportunity to remind all that students are not permitted phones at school. If they need to bring them they are expected to be turned off and either given to their teacher or put away in their bag or locker. Phones are the responsibility of the individual if on school grounds and the school has no liability to a damaged or lost/stolen phone.

We look forward to another action packed Term, with a range of camps coming up including sports and music. More information will be out soon from the relevant staff.

Terena Evans—Deputy Principal



Crossways Cross Country Event



Next Tuesday 9th of May, we will be having a Crossways Cross Country event. This event is to prepare students for the Minnipa Rock run in week 4.

Students will engage in a 3 kilometre run, held down at Shelly Beach. The event is held for students from years 3-10, and will run from 11:15am - 1:15pm. Students will be broken down into three age groups, 3/4, 5/6, and 7-10.

Anthony Caretti

Andrew McIlwraith **School Chaplains Message**



It looks like we are going to have some amazing times this term in our Chapel time. The theme's sound so exciting -

Week 1- Your Future (Year 6)

Week 2- Your Treasure (Year 5)

Week 3- Authority (Year 1)

Week 4- Healing (Year 7/8)

Week 5- Humility (Andrew/Sara)

Week 6- Thankfulness (Foundation)

Week 7- Hospitality (Year ¾ Donald)

Week 8- Ways to Help (Year 3/4 Champion)

Week 9- Compassion (Year 2)

Week 10- Wisdom (Year 9/10)

Come along and hear how each class deliver the message on their topics and support your child/children when they present chapel. Children love to see their parents in the audience when they're on stage. We're looking forward to seeing you every Friday at 8:50am in the Chapel room.

Andrew McIlwraith - School Chaplain



Chapel Schedule - Term 2, 2023

Term Week	Date	Text	Theme	Class/SRC	Guest pre- senter	Devotion
WEEK 1	Friday, May 5 th	Jerimiah 29:11	Your Future	Year 6	Andrew	Georgia
WEEK 2	Friday, May 12th	Mathew 13:44	Your Treasure	Year 5	Pastor Andrew V	Derani
WEEK 3	Friday, May 19th	Ephesians 6:1-4	Authority	Year 1	Pastor Stuart	Donna
WEEK 4	Friday, May 26th	John 11:43-44	Healing	Year 7/8	Reverand Susan	Hasil
WEEK 5	Friday, June 2nd	Mathew 18:3	Humility	Andrew/Sara	Andrew/Sara	Andrew/Sara
WEEK 6	Thursday, June 9th	Numbers 11:1	Thankfulness	Foundation	Pastor Andrew V	Sherridyn/Kerri
WEEK 7	Friday, June 16th	Hebrews 13:2	Hospitality	Year ¾ Donald	Pastor Stuart	Clint
WEEK 8	Friday, June 23rd	Luke 10:34	Ways to help	Year ¾ champion	Andrew	Aiden
WEEK 9	Friday, June 30th	Ephessians 4:32	Compassion	Year 2	Reverand Susan	Janette
WEEK 10	Thursday July 6 Last day of term	Luke 2:52	Wisdom	Year 9/10	Greg	Anthony

Church Services

CEDUNA - SUNDAY - LUTHERAN CHURCH - 10.30am

Happy Birthday

2nd May Shantari Graham

7th May Evelyn Guidera

9th May Braxton Gray



FETE Postponed



The Crossways FETE that was planned for this term has been postponed until sometime in Term 4.

Community Notices