# Crossways Newsletter 

Term 2, Week 1, 2023


CROSSWAYS CALENDAR

| Monday 1st May | First Day of Term 2 |
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| 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 |  |
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| 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 |
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| Year 1 Student of the Term | Ava Mcllwraith |
| 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 |
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| Year 1 ART Award | Nate Gascoyne <br> 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 |
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| P.E. Award (Middle School) | Toby Jericho |


| Year 6 Music Award | Anastasia Muir |
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| 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 |

congratulations
To all award winners!

Term 1 (Students of the Term)


## 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

## Monday

| Spaghetti Bolognaise | $\$ 5.00$ |  |
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| Pizza | $\$ 2.50$ |  |
| Ham \& Cheese Toasted Sandwich | $\$ 2.50$ |  |


| Tuesday | Price | Quantity |
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| Hot Chicken \& Gravy Roll | \$3.50 |  |
| Ham \& Cheese Toasted Sandwich | \$2.50 |  |
| Pizza Single | \$2.50 |  |
| Wednesday | Price | Quantity |
| Butter Chicken \& Rice | \$5.00 |  |
| Ham \& Cheese Toasted Sandwich | \$2.50 |  |
| Pizza Single | \$2.50 |  |
| Thursday | Price | Quantity |
| Chicken, Lettuce \& Mayo Burger | \$5.00 |  |
| Ham \& Cheese Toasted Sandwich | \$2.50 |  |
| Pizza Single | \$2.50 |  |
| Friday | Price | Quantity |


| Hot Dog | $\square$ | Sauce | $\$ 5.00$ |  |
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| Pie | $\square$ | Sauce | $\$ 5.00$ |  |
| Sausage Roll | $\square$ | Sauce | $\$ 4.00$ |  |


| Snacks | Price | Qty | Drinks | Price | Qty |
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| 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 2.

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

## Welcome to a New Term!

## Crossways Cross Country Event



Next Tuesday $9^{\text {th }}$ 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 Mcllwraith 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 3/4 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 Mcllwraith - School Chaplain

Chapel Schedule - Term 2, 2023

| Term Week | Date | Text | Theme | Class/SRC | Guest pre- <br> senter | Devotion |
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| WEEK 1 | Friday, May 5 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | 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 3/4 Donald | Pastor Stuart | Clint |
| WEEK 8 | Friday, June 23rd | Luke 10:34 | Ways to help | Year 3/4 champion | Andrew | Aiden |
| WEEK 9 | Friday, June 30th | Ephessians 4:32 | Compassion | Year 2 | Reverand Susan | Janette |
| WEEK 10 | Thursday July 6 | Luke 2:52 | Wisdom | Year 9/10 | Greg | Anthony |

## Church Services

## Community Notices

## CEDUNA - SUNDAY - LUTHERAN CHURCH - 10.30am

## Happy Birthday

| 2nd May | Shantari Graham |
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| 7th May | Evelyn Guidera |
| 9th May | Braxton Gray |

## FETE Postponed



