

Crossways Newsletter

Term 1, Week 4, 2024



CROSSWAYS CALENDAR

Wk4 Thurs 22/2	Family Night
Wk6 Thurs 7/3	WCIAC Streaky Bay
Wk7 Mon 11/3	Adelaide Cup Day
Wk7 Tue 12/3	WASSAC
Wk7 (13/3—15/3)	Year 5/6 Camp
Wk8	Harmony Week
Wk8 Fri 22/3	Crossways FETE
Wk9 Fri 29/3	Easter Friday
Wk10 Mon 1/4	Easter Monday
Wk11 Thurs 11/4	Last Day Term 1

*Lord, you have examined me.
You know me.
You know when I sit down and when I stand up.
Even from far away, you comprehend my plans.
You study my travelling and resting.
You are thoroughly familiar with all my ways.
There isn't a word on my tongue, Lord,
that you don't already know completely.
You surround me—front and back.
You put your hand on me.
That kind of knowledge is too much for me;
it's so high above me that I can't fathom it.*

Have a wonderful weekend

Principal's Word - Greg Miller



For part of this week, I have had the privilege of attending Concordia College in Adelaide and meeting with Principals from Lutheran Schools across South Australia, Western Australia and the Northern Territory.

I was encouraged as I viewed the facilities of the college and discussed options for our students attending Concordia with their Principal, Paul Weinert.

In years gone by when Concordia College had a boarding facility, students from Crossways attended the school. We spoke of our students again seeing Concordia as an option for their senior years, with the possibility of scholarships and home-stay accommodation. Concordia has a particular focus on music, sport & STEM, and is currently staging the musical, Chicago.

The devotion that was held in their old Chapel that was established in 1905, focused on Psalm 139. As I meditated on the words of this Psalm, I was struck with a sense of calm and awe. How great is our God!

Greg Miller - Principal

THIS THURSDAY

CROSSWAYS FAMILY ARVO

THURSDAY, 22 FEB 2024

4PM - 6PM

Meet the teachers and tour the school

3.30pm there will be a session for Foundation - Year 2 families & students about our "Literacy Program"

DON'T MISS OUT!

FOODBANK & YADU HEALTH WILL BE ON SITE WITH FREE GROCERIES FOR LUNCH BOXES, TOILETRIES & LUNCH BOXES!
FREE HAIRCUTS FOR STUDENTS

Free Nibbles & Snacks



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Week 2 Award Winners



Above left : Grace Award winner (Amalie Champion)

Above right : Hope Award winner (Litia Pohahau)



left : Clay Gascoyne was awarded the Foundation award for Ms Ware's class. Clay was absent on presentation day.

Miss Reid's ENTIRE Foundation Class received the award this week for their awesome effort at Swimming.



Above left : Miss Mila's Year 1/2 class award winner (Ariana Sansbury-Burgoyne). Above right : Mrs Cook's Year 1/2 class award winner (David Mimouni)



Above left : Mr Champion's Year 3/4 Class award winner (Deon Austin). Above right : Miss Bahr's Year 3/4 Class award winner (Melissa Wells)



Above left : Miss Spann's Year 5/6 Class award winner (Teelah Gray). Above right : Miss H's Year 5/6 Class award winner (Dabina Norris).



Above left : Miss Kim's Year 7/8 Class award winner (Ashania Dixon-Young). Above right : Miss Uzzell's Year 7/8 Class award winner (Tylah Allers)



Left : Mr Kuzi's Year 9/10 Class award winner (Dody Mpangula)



2024

Sports Day is always a favourite event for many students on the Crossway's calendar and this year was no exception. We were blessed with near perfect weather conditions to support our students as they moved from event to event earning individual points and more importantly valuable team points. The House scores were

tight all day with the lead changing several times, so maximum effort was required until the final relay races were completed. House points were kept under wraps until presentations at the end of the day. It was Sea-Eagles (1524) who eventually came out on top with the honour of engraving their name on the House Shield for 2024. Kingfishers (1393) finished a close second with Ospreys (1182) in third overall.

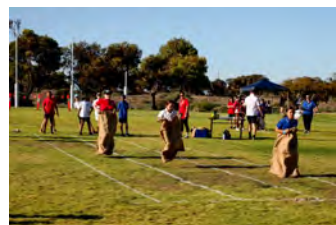
I would personally like to thank everyone who helped out on the day, and well done to all parents, families and visitors who attended to cheer on our athletes. The Crossway's WCIAC team will be announced in the coming weeks and notifications will be sent out to those who rightfully earned a place.

Mr. Carl Woodward

Sports Day Coordinator @ Crossways

Group		Name	Points
Up to Under 8	Junior Boy Champion	Korbin Keanelly	45
	Junior Boy Runner-Up	Jonathan Wells	36
	Junior Girl Champion	Katy Yookhong	45
	Junior Girl Runner-up	Isobel Wright	36
Under 9 - Under 13	Intermediate Boy Champion	Jai Freeman	64
	Intermediate Boy Runner-up	Braxton Gray	58
	Intermediate Girl Champion	Ciarah Colbung	66
	Intermediate Girl Runner-up	Gabriella Masierowski	65
Under 14 - Under 16	Senior Boy Champion	Jaheim Coleman-Scott	78
	Senior Boy Runner-up	Chase Sleep	74
	Senior Girl Champion	Belle Bowden	68
	Senior Girl Runner-up	Charlotte Harre-Temby	60
	OVERALL BOYS POINTS	Jaheim Coleman-Scott	78
	OVERALL GIRLS POINTS	Belle Bowden	68

SPORTS DAY 2024



SPORTS
DAY

Working Together Towards a Brighter Future



Year 1/2 Classes



The Year 1/2 classes have had a busy start to the year. We are straight into our learning, had an incredible Sports Day and started our swimming lessons already!

In our Maths lessons, we have been learning all about numbers up to 1000 and have had fun singing songs about these numbers and building these numbers using blocks. We have made a class

calendar and we use it every day to record important events.

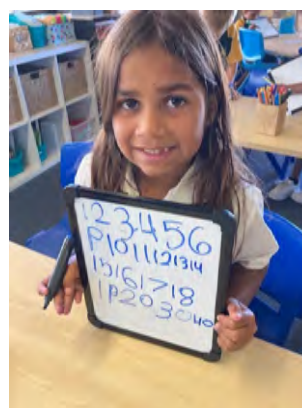
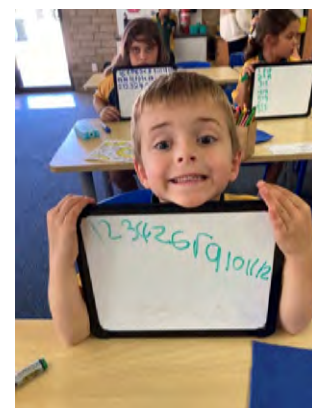
In Literacy, we are building on what we have learned in Foundation and Year 1 to write recounts about books we have read and things we have done. We are practicing getting events in order so that our recounts are easier to read. We have also started to use the Initial Lit program to review all our sounds and blend them to read words more efficiently.


In Science, we are learning about living things and we will be planting some seeds to watch them grow over the coming weeks.

In History, we are looking at things that are old and new and describing how materials and technology have changed from when our parents and grandparents were young.

As well as all this learning, we have also been making new friendships, decorating our classroom and having lots of fun. What a great start to the year!

Mrs Cook



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Junior Sports Day

Last Friday Crossways held their annual Sports Day, this is always an enjoyable day for students and staff. We were blessed with a beautiful day and had a great turn out. It was great to see everyone dressed in their team colours ready to go!

We had a variety of events organized for students, 11 events in total. The focus for the day was having a go, doing your best and most importantly having fun!

It was great to see all students join in and participate in all of the events and having fun. Popular events of the day included sack races, tug of war, bean bag throw and parachute games.

It was great to see a lot of parents and families in attendance and supporting the students throughout the morning.

The Junior School students had the opportunity to participate in relay events and short distance races in their relevant age groups in the afternoon, which they all thoroughly enjoyed and gave 100% effort.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped on the day. To all the parents, families and visitors it was great to see you all attend the Junior Sports Day, supporting our emerging athletes at Crossways.

Hayley Jeffs

Junior Sports Day Coordinator @ crossways.



Welcome Melinda Vaughan



Hi all, my name is Melinda Vaughan and I am the new **Business Manager** here at Crossways.


Ceduna is my forever home and I am happy to say that I am almost a local now, after living in Ceduna for around 23 years. Our beaches and inland wonders are my happy place on the weekends and I couldn't imagine living anywhere else.

My husband and I enjoy the outdoors, live for our children and grand-children, love travelling and enjoy good food and good friends.!

My role at Crossways is exciting and will no doubt pose some unique challenges for me but I am keen to become a part of the Crossways team and am looking forward to not only my own personal growth but also helping to elevate the school whilst making new friends and acquaintances along the way.

Melinda



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Happy Birthday

23rd February Hugh Trewartha
25th February Ciarah Colbung
25th February Kitahrna Miller
27th February Prince Kole



Church Services

Worship Calendar for February	
4 th – St Pauls, Ceduna HC	6pm
Evening worship with Pastor RobBorgas Supper to follow— please bring something to share	
11 th – St Pauls, Ceduna HC	10am
Crossways Lutheran School staff Installation/ReDedication Pastor Phil Joppich	
18 th – Anglican church	9.30am
25 th – St Pauls, Ceduna	10am

Chapel Schedule - Term 1, 2024

Term Week	Date	Class/SRC	presenter	Devo-tion
WEEK 4	Feb 23rd	Donna 3/4	Andrew	Donna
WEEK 5	March 1st	Kerri Found	Andrew	Kerri
WEEK 6	March 8th	Andrew	Andrew	Andrew
WEEK 7	March 15th	Andrew	Andrew	Andrew
WEEK 8	March 22 nd	Champion 3/4	Stuart	Champion
WEEK 9	March 28th	Andrew	Andrew	Andrew
Week 10	April 5th	Andrew	Andrew	Andrew
WEEK 11	April 11th	Janette 1/2	Greg	Janette

Community Notices

PLAYGROUP
Weekly Schedule

Koonibba Stop and Play
Monday 2:30pm-4:30pm
Koonibba Community Hall

Quality Time with Family
Tuesday 10:00am-12:00pm
Learning Hub 45 McKenzie Street

Minya Gidya-Muga
Thursday 10:00am-12:00pm
Ngura Yandurim Children & Family Centre

For Aboriginal families with children aged 0-5, Koonibba playgroup ages 0-9

For more information
86253210
042883179

Transport available
Tea, coffee and snacks provided

CHAPEL @ CROSSWAYS

FRIDAYS 9AM

ALL WELCOME

LET ALL THAT YOU
DO BE DONE IN *Christ*

CROSSWAYS LUTHERAN SCHOOL

BADMINTON

CEDUNA COMMUNITY BADMINTON

6 COURTS AVAILABLE AT ONE TIME

Play and connection is so important to building good relationships with each other:
Fun activities can also ground families in shared values, help parents and children get to know one another better, and strengthen the sense of safety and stability at home.

ALL AGES WELCOME
UNDER 18 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT

WEEKLY FROM 3 JAN

CEDUNA AREA SCHOOL GYM 4:30pm TO 6:30pm

PLEASE CONTACT TIANA MULLAN ON 0401012949 FOR MORE INFORMATION

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YOUTH SOCCER

CEDUNA COMMUNITY YOUTH SOCCER

AS TIME AND LOCATION CHANGES DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER, PLEASE FOLLOW THE CEDUNA YOUTH SOCCER FACEBOOK PAGE WHICH PROVIDES WEEKLY UPDATES

WEEKLY FROM 17 DEC

AGES 7-12
ALL YOUTH MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT

UNIMPED SPORT & PICK UP SOON

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