

HORIZON NEWS Term 2 Week 2

Wednesday 8th May 2024

Mother's Day Message:

It goes without saying that mothers will always have a big place in our hearts. The sacrifices and unconditional love our mothers have given us are a great gift from God. **Proverbs 1:8-9:** "Pay close attention, my child, to your father's wise words and never forget your mother's instructions. For their insight will bring you success, adorning you with grace-filled thoughts and giving you reins to guide your decisions." I pray that all our mothers will have a blessed day on Sunday.

Congratulations Kelechi – Australian Athletics Championships:

An amendment to last week. We need to congratulate Kelechi on also winning a Silver medal in the Men's U17 100m. An amazing effort! Well done.

Congratulations to Kelechi on winning a Bronze medal in the Men's U17 200m on Tuesday 16th April at the Australian Athletics Championships. What an outstanding result!



Wakefield Regional Christian School Annual General Meeting:

The Wakefield Regional Christian School Annual General Meeting will be held tonight (Wednesday 8th May) at 7:30pm in the Horizon Centre. We would like to take this time to say a special thank you to our retiring Board Chair Mr Nick Ottens, who completes his 9 years of service on the Board of Directors. Nick has been Board Chair for the past 6 years and has seen many changes to Horizon, including the River Block Farm and Horizon's Clare Campus. Nick has been a real blessing to the school, and we thank him for his service.

Casual Clothes Day – Thursday 16th May:

Our next casual clothes day will be held on Thursday 16th May. Students are asked to bring in a gold coin donation on this day. Money raised will be going towards "Bush Church Aid". Bush Church Aid is all about providing aid to the churches in regional bush settings; providing biblically faithful ministry and bringing the life-changing gospel message of Jesus to rural, regional, and remote Australia. Should you wish to donate online, you can visit: <https://www.bushchurcaid.com.au/content/donate-general/gk0gvc>

Scholastic Book Fair – Tuesday 21st to Friday 24th May:

Our annual Scholastic Book Fair will be held in week 4. Please find attached with this newsletter an information brochure about the book fair. The Library will be open for students to purchase books at lunch times and during their regular Library lesson time. The Library will also be open until 3:30pm after school.

Mike Clisby - Principal



Diary Dates:

Year 4/5H Botanic Gardens
Wednesday 8th May

WRCSA AGM
Wednesday 8th May

Year 9 Drama Excursion
Thursday 9th May

Year 4/5M Botanic Gardens
Thursday 9th May

Year 10 Careers Expo
Friday 10th April

Year 10 Author Visit
Monday 13th May

Kindy Transition
Tuesday 14th May

Year 9 TRJ Mentor Evening
Tuesday 14th May

Casual Clothes Day
Thursday 16th May

Year 4/5T Botanic Gardens
Thursday 16th May

RAP Road Awareness
Friday 17th May

Pedal Prix – Tailem Bend
Saturday 18th May

Year 12 English Excursion
Monday 20th May

Scholastic Book Fair – Library
Tuesday 21st to Friday 24th May

Encounter Youth Presentations
Tuesday 21st and
Wednesday 22nd May

Vetamorphus Retreat
Friday 24th to Sunday 26th May

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@ Emmaus Campsite, Halbury Speaker: Leon Nicotra
Yr 8 - 23yrs Any Questions Contact Katrina
\$140 per Child (0473225127)

REGISTRATIONS OPEN: 19TH MAY @ 2PM

FIND MORE INFO &
REGISTER HERE ---->



ATTENTION YEAR 11 and 12 STUDENTS

Enjoy working with animals?

The cattle and sheep convenors of the Balaklava Show are looking for interested students to be stewards at this years Balaklava Show in September.


You would be helping pen up the animals in their respective categories in the morning and loading up the animals at the collection time at the end of the day.

There is also an opportunity to learn more about the conformation of the animals and trade requirements at judging times, and what the judge is looking for in each section.

For more information please contact the convenors

Cattle Mel Haynes 0408 086 021
Sheep Naomi Mudge 0419 717 039






Let's talk about...
Feeding kids!

Practical ideas to support;

- Family Mealttime participation
- Fussy eaters
- Building a positive relationship with food

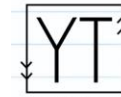
When: Monday 13th May
Time: 7:30- 8:30 pm
Where: Balaklava Community Library
Free Creche
Supper supplied

Session run by the amazing occupational therapist
Erin Warnes!



Assembly:

This Friday there will be a Whole School Assembly celebrating our Term 1 achievements and students sharing from the Mission Trip. The assembly commences at 2:15pm in the Horizon Centre. All are welcome to attend.



CRAZY GAMES NIGHT!

When: Friday 10th May

Time: 7.00pm - 9.30pm

Where: Balaklava Uniting Church

Bring \$2 for supper

For more info, contact Micah - 0412 722 037

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An Evening with
Will Godward

Friday 17th May, 7pm
Balaklava Town Hall

Join Will Godward, a dual Moonta Olympian turned renowned Landscape Astrophotographer, for an inspiring evening. Will's captivating photography, recognized by NASA and Australian Geographic, reveals the wonder of the stars and their divine creator. Through his work, he showcases the Heavens declaration of God's glory.

Free event

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