

HORIZON NEWS Term 1 Week 7

Wednesday 13th March 2024

Swimming Carnival:

What a wonderful day we had Thursday last week as we held our Swimming Carnival. Special thanks to the families who were able to attend at such short notice, and especially to Mr Tom Chapman and Mrs Hayley McPharlin and staff for pulling it all together a day earlier than originally planned.

Congratulations Yellow Curlews for winning the Junior Primary Swimming Carnival. The final results were:



Yellow	Red
186	181
Green	Blue
178	155

Congratulations Red Robins for taking out the Senior Swimming Carnival. The final results were:

Red	Yellow
496	352
Green	Blue
291	152



Congratulations to our Age group winners on the day:

U10 Boys: Henley	U10 Girls: Anita
U11 Boys: Brock	U10 Girls: Maddison
U12 Boys: Noah	U12 Girls: Anika
U13 Boys: Jack	U13 Girls: Isla
U14 Boys: Theryn	U14 Girls: Eden
U15 Boys: Tommy	U15 Girls: Samantha
U16 Boys: Joshua	U16 Girls: Teleah
Open Boys: Connor	Open Girls: Sophie

Also congratulations to our 25M Freestyle Handicap race winners: Open Boys Connor and U12 Girls Anika.

We also had numerous records (21) broken on the day!

Preparing our hearts for Easter:

As we count down to the Easter long weekend, I continue to share with you some thoughts as we prepare our hearts and minds for this important calendar date.

Practice compassion. In His time on earth, Jesus was compassionate. Matthew 9:36 tells us that as Jesus moved through the towns and taught of the kingdom, "he felt compassion for them, because they were distressed and dejected, like sheep without a shepherd." Easter is a perfect time for us to revisit our priorities of helping people, caring for others, and being compassionate. Christ was compassionate in giving His life for us, but He was compassionate in the way He lived His entire life, too.

Stay tuned for the next instalment in week 8.



Diary Dates:

Year 4 Monarto Camp

Wednesday 13th to Friday 15th March

NAPLAN Year 3, 5, 7, 9

Wednesday 13th to Monday 25th March

Casual Clothes Day

Thursday 14th March

Year 11 P.A.R.T.Y Program

Friday 15th March

Year 12 Outdoor Education Camp – Yorke Peninsula

Tuesday 19th to Friday 22nd March

Junior Primary Football Clinic

Thursday 21st March

Year 6 Illawonga Camp

Wednesday 20th to Friday 22nd March

Alpaca Camp

Monday 25th to Tuesday 26th March

Year 5 Woodhouse Camp

Monday 25th to Wednesday 27th March

Middle School Leaders Training

Wednesday 27th March

Whole School Photos

Thursday 28th March

Good Friday

Friday 29th March

Easter Monday

Monday 1st April

Year 6 Excursion – Parliament House

Wednesday 3rd April

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Casual Clothes Day – Thursday 14th March:

Our next Casual Clothes Day will be held tomorrow, Thursday 14th March. Students are asked to bring a gold coin donation on this day, and are encouraged to wear yellow or floral clothing. Money raised will be going to the Cancer Council – Relay for Life team, which Miss Fazzari and Miss Tiller are a part of. Students are reminded that they need to wear appropriate clothing on this day.



NAPLAN Testing – Year 3, 5, 7, 9:

NAPLAN for 2024 has commenced for students in Year's 3, 5, 7 and 9, and will continue through to Monday 25th March.

Whole School Photos – Thursday 28th March:

Whole School Photos will take place on Thursday 28th March. Photo envelopes were sent home last week. You can book on-line, using the code on the envelope, or by returning the envelope to the school with the correct money.

order your school photos now

to order visit: www.advancedlife.com.au
enter code: **VLB RQW ARL**



scan to order

or collect a cash order envelope
from your school office

advancedlife
school photography & print specialists

Children's University – Final days to register:

Children's University Adelaide offers educational experiences for children aged 5-14 and volunteering opportunities for 15-18 year olds. To join Children's University for 2024, we ask that you scan the QR Code below, and complete your child's details.

Please make sure you sign up before the 15th March. Please join us on Remind using code hcscu24 to keep up to date with all the Children's University news. See Ms Fitzgerald or Mr McQueen for more information.



Navigating Inescapable Moments for Teenagers – Nathan 'Dubsy' Want:

All Parents and Caregivers are invited to hear guest speaker - Nathan "Dubsy" Want, present on the topic of 'Navigating inescapable moments for teenagers'. This very worthwhile event will be held on Thursday 21st March from 6:30pm – 7:30pm at Horizon Christian School Clare. Light supper provided afterwards. All families with teenagers are encouraged to attend.

Mike Clisby – Principal

Register your
entry by scanning
the code below



NATHAN "DUBSY" WANT
Youth Speaker & Author

A dynamic speaker and author who helps lead and navigate teens & parents through the inescapable moments life throws at them.

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FREE EVENT
March 22, 3.00pm-6.00pm



Wakefield Regional Council
2024 Youth Week
Ralli Park - Balaklava Oval

Join us for a great free Youth Week event featuring a 32m inflatable obstacle course, henna artist, lawn games and refreshments.

Stock For Sale:

- White merino ewes
- Alpaca, wethers

Please contact Mrs Jessica Farmer for more information: 0407 574 703

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The Parenting Children Course

Hosts:
Rob & Julie Lawson with Lighthouse Church

Rob & Julie have 2 adult children, and 5 wonderful grandchildren. Julie has her Masters in Education with 30 years experience in education and 10 years in Special Education

Who is this for?
For parents and caregivers of children 0-10 years old looking for practical support to strengthen their family relationships

LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH | 3-5PM

COURSE DATES:
SUN 17TH MARCH
SUN 7TH APRIL
SUN 14TH APRIL
SUN 5TH MAY

COST: FREE

SIGN UP AT TRYBOOKING.COM.AU

Basic childcare provided on site for those who cannot find a sitter.

SCAN FOR MORE INFO



Easter - on - The Rock

IMPACT YOUTH

7 to 9:30 PM
The Lighthouse Church
Sat 16th of Mar \$2




MELROSE EASTER CAMP

THE LIGHT

About Us

Melrose Easter Camp is run by a body of believers from the Mid North Region under the guidance of Scripture Union Australia. Our vision is to bring the Truth of the Gospel to the next generation and encourage them in relationship with Jesus.

Willochra Campsite
Diocean Road
Melrose, SA

March 29th - April 1st 2024

Early Bird \$140
Ends February 9th

Standard \$150
Ends March 8th

Late fee \$170
Ends March 22nd

Grades 7 - 12

Register at:
<https://brushfire.com/sua/camp/566771>

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