

Thursday 27th March 2025

Parent /Teacher Interviews:

As we aim to 'Nurture Partnerships in Community' we would like to encourage our families to make a booking for our upcoming Parent/Teacher Interviews, which will be held in week 11 on **Tuesday 8th April** from 3.30pm - 5.00pm, and **Wednesday 9th April** from 3.30pm - 7.00pm. Primary interviews & Secondary interviews will be held in all Homegroup and Elective Subject classrooms. Interviews go for 15 minutes each session. Interview bookings have opened today (Thursday) via an emailed link. **Phone interviews:** While we are strongly encouraging families to come to the school for face-to-face interviews, we understand this is not possible for

some. Should you wish to have a <u>phone interview</u>, <u>can you please contact</u> <u>the office to book your appointment time</u> (this ensures teachers then know interviews are by phone).

If you need assistance, please contact the office who will be happy to assist you.

Preparing for Easter:



Scripture tells us that we have value because God has made us His children, not because of anything we offer or accomplish. "God... has blessed us with every spiritual blessing" without any thought to what we might extend in return (EPHESIANS 1:3). God set His eyes on us simply because it "gave him great pleasure" to make us His own.

Donations towards Bali Women's Shelter:

From the 7th to the 16th of April, 12 students from Years 10 - 12 and 4 staff members will be travelling to Bali for our school's annual Mission Trip. Hannah King and Mrs Sonya Ottens make up the Clare campus contingent.

During our time away, the team will be visiting a women's shelter where we will be handing out care packages. We would greatly appreciate your support to help provide the following items to bless the women we will be meeting. These items are things we take for granted but will make a huge difference to these women. It is a small but practical way that we can share the love of Jesus with these precious women.



"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." John 8:12 HORIZON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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Diary Dates:

Not Ashamed of the Gospel – Prefects Thursday 27th March

Secondary SACSA Athletics Friday 4th April

Bali Mission Trip Monday 7th April – Wednesday 16th April

Parent Teacher Interviews Tuesday 8th and Wednesday 9th April

Cross Country Friday 11th April

Last Day of Term 1 Friday 11th April (Early Dismissal)

Maundy Thursday Thursday 17th April

Good Friday Friday 18th April

Easter Sunday Sunday 20th April



Anzac Day Friday 25th April

Student Free Day Monday 28th April

Term 2 Commences Tuesday 29th April

Year 3 – 6 Class Illawonga Camp Tuesday 29th April – Thursday 1st May

Primary SACSA Athletics Friday 2nd May

Mother's Day Stall Wednesday 7th May



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Donations towards Bali Women's Shelter cont...

Donations can be brought into the front office, placed in your child's class box or given directly to Mrs Ottens. Thank you so much for your support.

Care packs include:

Bars of soap Mini-shampoo Toothbrush Toothpaste Shavers Sanitary Pads Hair ties Lip gloss Plastic comb Washing sheets (not powder) Please uphold the Mission Trip team in prayer as we prepare for this important trip



Mainly Play:

Mainly Play will be continuing every Wednesday, in Term 1 from 9.30am – 11.00am in The Cottage. If you know of anyone with toddlers, that would be interested in attending please share this so they can join in the fun!

Ice blocks available for Students:

Ice blocks will be available to purchase at lunch time every Tuesday.

The ice blocks available will be, "Quelch" fruit sticks for .50cents and lemonade "Icy Poles" for \$1.00. The proceeds from the sale of the ice blocks will go towards a school project to be coordinated by the Year 5/6 class.

Chapel:

There will be no Chapel this week due to House Team Games.

Breakfast Club:

Breakfast Club will be on **<u>Thursdav</u>** mornings from 8:30am.

Students can take this opportunity to enjoy a delicious readymade breakfast before they begin their day at school.

Subway Lunch Orders - Term 1:_

Subway lunch orders have commences this term with the order envelopes being sent home with students yesterday. When ordering, both the money and envelopes are to be returned on Thursday for lunch orders to be ready for delivery on Fridays. We ask that the lunch orders be sent in during morning Home Group on Thursday as we will not accept any orders after this time. Parents dropping in their child/ren's orders into Subway after this time, please indicate the school the order is for.

**Please note, we ask for the envelopes to be returned to the school if a Subway order is not required.

Cross Country Carnival – Friday 11th April:

On **Friday 11th April**, we will be holding our annual cross-country carnival. As this is a house event, students are encouraged to wear house colours to promote house spirit. The races will be run from after recess, through to 12.50pm.

More details will be provided next week.



Children's University:_

Children's University is back for 2025! Information was sent home to all Year 3 to Year 9 families a few weeks ago. Registrations for Children's University will close tomorrow, <u>28th March.</u> Please register via the QR code and please note payment is not required due to being covered by families CLEAR Levy.

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Easter Fundraiser:

There was an Easter Fundraiser Order Form sent home last week to all families, with Waters Burra Bakery being the supplier of the very tasty bakery goodies. The proceeds to this fundraiser will be going towards books for our library. Share the news

to your families and friend with the orders arriving fresh on <u>Friday 11th April</u> ready in time for Easter! Your order forms will need to be returned by next <u>Thursday 3rd April</u>, so don't miss out as you will not be disappointed!

Roll Call – Important message for families using Horizon buses:

This important form of communication for Horizon bus users provides families peace of mind when their children are travelling to and from school via Horizon buses. **However**, it is important to note that it is imperative that families **remove their child from the bus should they be absent for the day** or are picked up early. This ensures our bus drivers are able to best care for your children. If you need any assistance with the Roll Call App, please contact the office staff who will be happy to assist you.

Gather Round Cup Visit:

On Tuesday this week, we had the exciting visit of the AFL, WAFL and SANFL premiership cups. It was great to see a number of our students wear their favourite football guernseys and come out to the oval for a kick of footy to join in the fun.







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Foundation Visit to the Clare Valley Children's Centre:















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SAPSASA SPORTS TRIALS CENTRAL COUNTRY ZONE

Boys Netball Girls Cricket Hockey - Boys, Girls & Mixed

For students at affiliated schools in the Barossa & Light, Gawler or Mid North Districts.

Register your interest NOW via the QR code above.



Auskick Registrations are open & local centres are starting soon!

Perfect for 5-8 year olds looking to start their footy journey, or just wanting to have fun with friends.

Every primary school aged child in SA can access a \$100 government discount off organised sport fees. That makes Auskick **FREE**! Simply follow the prompts to enter your Medicare card number on the payment screen, when registering online.

Includes a unique pack of footy goodies, a Junior AFL Club membership & your chance to play at Half Time on the biggest stage!

Scan here to find your nearest program, or head to www.play.afl/auskick for more info.







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