

Thursday 29th May 2025

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Casual Host Families Needed – Share in a Cultural Experience!

We are excited to announce that we will once again be welcoming a group of Japanese students to our school from 2nd to 18th August. Last year's visit was such a wonderful success that we are delighted to offer this enriching opportunity to our school community again.

We are currently seeking host families to welcome these students into their homes for the duration of their stay. Hosting a student is not only a rewarding cultural experience for your family, but also a chance to build lifelong friendships and make a meaningful impact on a young person's life. There is a generous remuneration provided for host families, and all

necessary support will be given to ensure a smooth and enjoyable experience for everyone involved. If you are interested in opening your home and heart to one of our visiting students, or if you would like more information, please contact the school office as soon as possible.



(2024 Japanese students and Horizon billets)

Student Free Day and Public Holiday:

A reminder that there will be a Student Free Day on **Friday 6th June** as staff undertake training at the Balaklava Campus with the Association of Independent Schools.

There will then be a Public Holiday on **Monday 9**th **June.** We look forward to seeing students back at school on Tuesday 10th June.

Parent Satisfaction Survey:

Please find below the link for our Parent Satisfaction Survey for all our Horizon families. This important survey aims to 'Nurture Partnerships In Community', by giving families the opportunity to answer questions about the school to provide important and valuable feedback. The survey link will close at the end of today, **Thursday 29th May**. We encourage you to complete the survey as soon as you are able.

Please find the link here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JH9NC27
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Wakefield Regional Christian School Association:

The Wakefield Regional Christian School Association (WRCSA) is a group of committed Christians who are passionate about education that is biblically grounded and transformational. The Christian School, as it pursues Christian education, seeks to teach all aspects of the curriculum from a Christian worldview. Horizon Christian School is governed by the Board of Directors, which is elected at the Annual General Meeting of the Association. A school such as ours can only maintain the integrity of its foundations through the commitment of Christians who will stay true to this vision. Membership to the WRCSA is open to any person over the age of 18, who declares agreement with the objects of the Association, who accepts the Association Code of Conduct, and who regularly attends a Christian church. If you would like more information about joining the Association, please contact the school office for an information pack.

Diary Dates:

RIJKIN Cup

Thursday 29th May – Friday 30th May

Brekky Bikes & Being Active

Thursday 29th May

Mid-Year Foundation Visits Friday 30th May

Foundation Self Portrait Exhibition

Tuesday 3rd June

Mid-Year Foundation Visits
Thursday 5th June

Student Free Day Friday 6th June

Public Holiday Monday 9th June

Casual Clothes Day Thursday 12th June

Mid-Year Foundation Visits Friday 13th June

Pedal Prix – Victoria Park Friday 13th June

Year 10 and Year 11 Exam

Monday 16th - Friday 20th June

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Year 10 Work Experience Monday 23rd June to Friday 27^h June please note change of date)





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For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline.

2 Timothy 1:7 (NLT)

Mainly Play:

Mainly Play will be continuing in The Cottage, every Wednesday in Term 2 from 9.30am – 11.00am. If you know of anyone with toddlers who would be interested in attending, please share this so they can join in the fun!

Chapel:

Chapel will be on Friday starting at 2.00pm with a special guest Florin Jinariu to talk about Operation Christmas Child and his experience with this wonderful project and the way it demonstrated God's love to him and children across the world. Parents are welcome to attend.

Breakfast Club:

Breakfast Club will be on <u>Thursday</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

The Subway Lunch orders will continue this term with the order envelopes being sent home with students on Wednesdays. When ordering, both the money and envelopes are to be returned on Thursday morning for lunch orders to be ready for delivery on Fridays. Watch this space for a new winter warm option to provide a hearty lunch for the chilly days ahead!

**Please note,

We ask that families make sure to have the right change and to check that your child/ren have placed their names on the envelopes?

Hot Milos:

Hot Milos with marshmallows will be available every second Monday in Terms 2 and 3, at a cost of \$2.50 per cup or if you bring your own mug a reduced price of \$2.00 will also be offered.

The Year 6 Leaders will be selling them and proceeds from the sale of the milos will go towards a school project. Such a great idea to keep students warm on those chilly days during winter!

Art Supplies Wanted - Can you Help?

Please save the following items for us to use in the art studio:

Lids from plastic containers e.g. ice cream, yoghurt, margarine.

Containers from ice cream and butter as well as empty tissue boxes.

Corks – Any size and amounts are also useful. These can be left for me at the front office or taken to the art studio.

Thank you.

Amanda Lockwood – Primary art teacher

Student Leadership Day:

Last Friday our Prefects and Year 6 Leaders travelled to the Balaklava campus to join in on a wonderful leadership opportunity. Our guest speaker was Craig Bailey, who is a seasoned educator, leadership consultant, and pastor with over 45 years of experience in teaching, ministry, and training leaders. Craig shared with the students about tools for faith, leadership, and service. This was a great day for the student leaders.







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Year 10 Exploring Identities and Futures Camp:

In week 3, the Year 10 students went on a 3-day EIF camp to Adelaide, where they were given the opportunity to visit Tafe, universities and the Career Expo. These visits opened new ideas and career opportunities for students to consider. The class also had fun activities that brought a lot of smiling faces. Well done for representing our school so well.







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You're invited to... 'Wonderfully Made'





the 2025

Foundation Self-Portrait Exhibition

Horízon Clare Office Official Opening 2:45 Tuesday June 3rd





