



Highlight: Year 9 TRJ Mentor Evening

# on the horizon

Term 2 | Week 2

7th May 2026

## Important News

### 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 Kogakuin Highschool, Tokyo from Friday the 31<sup>st</sup> July – Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August. Last year's visit was such a wonderful success that we are delighted to offer this enriching opportunity to our school community again. This year there will be a mix of male and female students visiting. 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.

## Recent Updates:

### Chapel

Next Chapel will be week 3. See details **Page 2**

### Pop-Up Tuck Shop

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### Host Families Needed

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## Chapel

This week, Friday 8th May we will be having House Team Games. We warmly invite all Horizon families to join us for Chapel next week, Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May during lesson 5 at 12:10pm, for a special Bali Mission Trip Celebration.

## Year 9 Rite Journey Mentor Evening

Our Year 9 Rite Journey Mentor Evening was held on Monday, it was a fantastic night of games and connecting with one another. A big thank you to our Year 9 students and mentors for making it such an enjoyable and fun night. The mentor program is something we place a lot of value on as it helps provide students with guidance, support, and strong relationships as they navigate this important stage of their journey. We look forward to seeing these connections grow throughout the year



## Memory Verse

In assembly this week, we introduced our term theme, Fruits of the Spirit.

“But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.” Galatians 5:22–23

Our focus for the first two weeks is on love, highlighted in our memory verse for Weeks 2 and 3 “Be devoted to one another in love. Honour one another above yourselves.” Romans 12:10

We also explored how Jesus both taught and demonstrated love through His actions, showing care, inclusion, and service to others. We were encouraged that building a culture of love in our school comes through everyday choices including small acts of kindness, respect, and compassion that help others feel safe, valued, and supported. The challenge was left for our students that genuine love would mean that we don't just hear about it and talk about it but we actually see it and do it.



## Beyond the classroom

Over the past week, our students have proudly represented Horizon at the SACSA Athletics Carnivals with outstanding spirit, effort, and sportsmanship.

### Secondary SACSA Athletics

On Thursday 30th April, our Secondary Athletics team competed at the SA Athletics Stadium in the annual Inter School Athletics Carnival. It was a fantastic day of competition, and our Balaklava and Clare students should be commended for their competitive spirit, tenacity, and willingness to contribute to the team's overall success. Horizon finished 2nd in the Challenge Shield (based on numbers) and 3rd overall in Division 2—an excellent result.

### Primary SACSA Athletics

Last Friday, our Primary students also represented Horizon at the SACSA Athletics Carnival at the SA Athletics Stadium. It was a wonderful day of competition, and we are incredibly proud of every student who participated. Horizon achieved 3rd place overall in Division 3—an outstanding accomplishment!

Well done to all students involved for the way you represented Horizon with pride and determination.



## School Notices

### Pop-Up Tuck Shop

Horizon Christian School's Year 11 Food and Hospitality students are set to bring their skills to life with a Pop-Up Tuck Shop on Monday 11th May.

As part of their course, students will prepare and serve a range of food options, gaining hands-on experience in planning, cooking, and customer service. The event also supports their learning around Healthy Eating and Hydration. This is a great opportunity for students to showcase their creativity, teamwork, and hospitality skills while serving the school community.

For more information, please contact the front office.



### Walk Safely to School Day

Walking every day builds confidence, improves concentration, and establishes healthy habits for life, while also making our roads safer and our air cleaner for everyone. Research shows that children who are active before school are more focused, more productive, and perform better in the classroom.

We encourage all students and families to take part in Walk Safely to School Day on May 22nd and enjoy the benefits of starting the day on foot.





## Upcoming Dates:

**Year 10 Careers Camp**  
Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> to Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May

**Aviation Students MNCC**  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May

**Pop-Up Tuck Shop**  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May

**Mid North Districts  
SAPSASA Cross Country**  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May

**SACSA Cross Country**  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May

**Flinders Uni Visit**  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May

**Walk Safely to School  
Day**  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

**RIJKEN Cup Adelaide**  
Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May to  
Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May

## Breakfast Club

We offer our students an easy way to start the day well by providing accessible breakfast options.

Thursday - Full Breakfast

Mon, Tues, Wed and Fri - Quick Brekky

Brekky Club is made possible through the generous donations of our community and the help of volunteers.

If you have a Working With Children's

Check (WWCC) and 15-20 mins to

spare on a Thursday morning we are

looking for some more hands to assist.

Please contact Christina at

[cunderdown@horizon.sa.edu.au](mailto:cunderdown@horizon.sa.edu.au) to

register or for more information.



## 2025 School Magazines Have Arrived

We are pleased to let families know that the 2025 School Magazines have arrived and copies were sent home to each family that ordered last week.

We hope you enjoy looking back on the many highlights and memories from the year. For those that have missed placing an order, and would like a copy, please contact the Front Office. The cost is \$25 ea.





# SEE JESUS, stand firm



**Saturday 20  
30 MAY 26**

graceconference.org.au




## CLARE VALLEY YOUTH GROUP TERM 2, YEAR 7 -12 **2026**

A combined churches youth group  
18 Victoria Rd, Clare SA 5453

8<sup>TH</sup> MAY

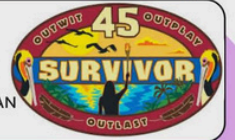
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**TASKMASTER**



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SCHOOL GYM, CLARE



5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

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19<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

**LEGO MASTERS**

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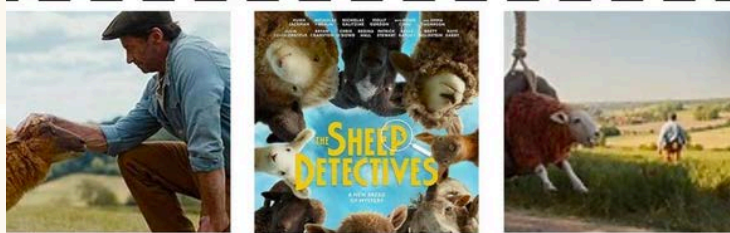
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BALAKLAVA COURTHOUSE GALLERY

# MOVIE NIGHT

BLYTH CINEMA

FRIDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2026



ARRIVE 6PM FOR DRINKS & NIBBLES  
PRIOR TO MOVIE AT BLYTH TOWN HALL

\$30 includes movie and nibbles

Bookings to Cherie on 0429 969 295  
Payment to: BSB 015-525 AC 405279476

Bar available for drinks

Lucky squares for purchase



May 1st	FULL FAITH
May 8th	CONNECTS
May 15th	BU / BROTHERHOOD
May 22nd	CONNECTS
May 29th	FULL FAITH #2
June 5th	CONNECTS
June 12th	FULL FAITH #3
June 20th (SATURDAY)	CRWN
June 26th	CAMP KICK OFF

