



on the horizon

Term 3 | Week 5

20th August 2026

Important News

Horizon Christian School Strategic Planning for the Future

Horizon is currently working with Christian Education National to develop a Strategic Plan for the future develop of our schools.

Next week, families will receive a link from Christian Education National to complete a survey to provide a picture of what families know about, and would like to see at Horizon Christian School. We encourage you to take the time to complete this important feedback to help us shape our Christian school for the future.

We look forward to sharing further information as the Strategic Plan process continues.

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Chapel

There will be no Chapel this week. Students will participate in House Team Games.

Memory Verse

Over Weeks 5 and 6, our students will continue exploring the Fruits of the Spirit, with a focus on faithfulness.

Faithfulness is about being trustworthy, dependable and committed, even in the small things. Luke 16:10 reminds us that "Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much."

As students learn about faithfulness, we encourage them to consider how they can demonstrate this in their everyday lives through their words, choices, responsibilities and relationships. It is a reminder that the little things we do each day can reflect our character and our commitment to following God.

40 Hr Famine

Our students are currently taking part in the 40 Hour Famine, with 35 students registered at Clare. Students are challenging themselves by going without a range of things, including food, social media, music, furniture and even talking.

We wish all our students the best as they take on this challenge and look forward to celebrating their efforts and fundraising achievements when they finish.



Inspire a Love of Learning

5/6 boys SAPSASA Soccer

Last week, three of our Year 5/6 boys from across both Horizon campuses represented the Mid North District at the State SAPSASA Soccer Championships in Adelaide. Will from Balaklava, and Charlie and Jimmy from Clare, were selected in the 14-member Mid North team from across 22 schools.

After committing to six weeks of training, the boys played nine games across three days, demonstrating great skill, teamwork and determination against strong opposition. They also enjoyed making new friends and taking part in team activities throughout the carnival.

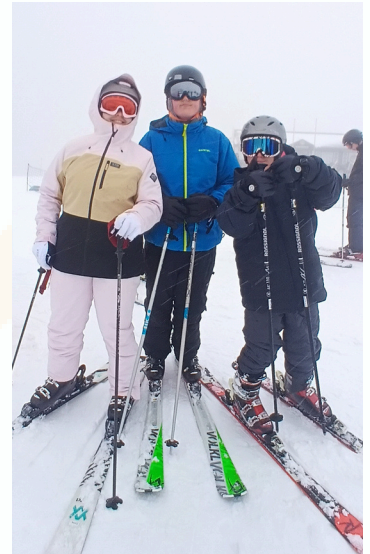
We congratulate Will, Charlie and Jimmy on this fantastic achievement and for proudly representing Horizon and the Mid North.



Year 11 Snow Trip

Last week, our Year 11 students from both Horizon campuses travelled to Mount Hotham for their annual snow trip. These opportunities to come together as one school are something we greatly value, giving students the chance to experience new things, challenge themselves and try new skills.

Trips like this are also a wonderful opportunity for students to branch out, build confidence and form new friendships across our campuses. A huge thank you to the staff who worked hard to care for and support our students throughout the trip. From the photos, it certainly looks like there was plenty of snow, fun and laughter along the way.



Book Week 2026

There's so much happening around Horizon this term, and Book Week in Week 6 is set to be another highlight. From creative activities and dress-ups to opportunities for parents, caregivers and special guests to join in the fun, it's a wonderful week that celebrates the joy of reading and learning together. Be sure to check out what's coming up and mark your calendars. We can't wait to share another week of community, creativity and connection with our Horizon families.

Fireworks Night – Stallholders Applications

Mark your calendars for our Community Fireworks Night on Thursday 3 September 2026. This community event will feature student-led activities, local business and community stalls, family entertainment and a spectacular fireworks display to conclude the evening.

We are currently welcoming applications from local businesses and community groups interested in partnering with us by hosting a stall. It is a wonderful opportunity to connect with our school community and be part of this special event. Tickets will be available online soon, with further details to come.

For a stall holder application or more information, please contact Caitlin at cmenelaou@horizon.sa.edu.au. We look forward to celebrating with our school and wider community.

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Horizon Christian School
Clare

SYMPHONY OF STORIES

Book Week Calendar

Monday 24th Aug
Storytime
6:30pm – 7:30pm | In the cottage

Monday 24th – Friday 28th Aug
Book Fair
Before and After School | In the Senior Hub

Friday 28th Aug
Grandparents & Special Friends Day
and Book Week Parade
Classroom Activities | School Tour | Morning Tea

You are invited

Parade

28th 9am
August 2026



Horizon
Christian School

Please enter
& sign in via
the **Admin Office**

Stay up to date – Ticket information to come (08) 8862 2100

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Horizon Christian School Balaklava
Presents

Fireworks

Community Stalls Theme Aussie Icons

NIGHT

Thursday 3RD September Live Music

5:00pm – 8:00pm
Fireworks Show beginning at 7:15pm



Upcoming Dates:

40 Hour Challenge

Wednesday 19th August –
Friday 21st August

SAPSASA Athletics

Monday 24th August

Book Week

Monday 24th August – Friday
28th August

Storytime in the Cottage

Monday 24th August

Book Week Parade and Grandparents & Special Friends Day

Friday 28th August

Fathers Day Stall

Wednesday 2nd September

Year 5/6 SACSА Football

Thursday 3rd September

Year 7/8 & 9/10 SACSА Football

Monday 7th September

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

Uniform at Horizon

With the arrival of chilly mornings, we remind students that they must still wear correct school uniform. The school Rugby jumper, jacket, school beanies and scarves keep students warm and looking smart. Non-uniform items are not to be worn with the uniform including on the way to or from school. The uniform shop is fully stocked and ready to help. Thank you for your cooperation in supporting our school.

Gift for Dad

Dads are brave, kind and loving – choose a gift or card for Father's Day from the CVCO Bookshop that honours your dad.



WEEK 6

MONDAY

Order cut-off

Orders close Mondays
at 8:30am

Chicken Risotto
+ Apple sticks

Prices

\$6.00

Small Meal + Treat

\$7.50

Large Meal + Treat

\$3.00

Muffin

Banoffee Muffin

\$2.50

Strawberry Milk

Orders

Can be made via the
Qkr! App



HORIZON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

HOME ON A FORK





Dreamers Youth



Children's Book Week Boogie!

Let's finish Book Week in style!

Friday 28th August
4:00 PM - 5 PM
Barbara J Long Room, Clare Town Hall

Dance the afternoon away in your Book Week costume!
*** Prizes for best dressed. **
Ages preschool- primary school

LIBRARY SERVICE
CLARE & GILBERT VALLEYS COUNCIL



FRIDAY YOUTH

21ST AUG

WORD OF GOD

\$5 DINNER

6:30PM

STRADBROOKE RD, STANLEY FLAT

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BURRA BURRA YACHT CLUB 2026

START BUILDING YOUR YACHT NOW!

OVER \$5,000 IN CASH & PRIZES TO BE WON!

RACE YOUR HOMEMADE YACHT **DRESS UP YOUR CREW** **GREAT PRIZES** **ICE CREAM EATING COMPETITION** **LIVE ENTERTAINMENT ALL DAY** **FOOD STALLS** **FULLY LICENSED BAR NO BYO ALCOHOL**

FAMILY FUN FOR ALL AGES!

SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2026
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BUILD IT. RACE IT. CELEBRATE IT.

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VET Student of the year awards

Applications are now open for 2026

- Are you currently undertaking Vocational Education Training (VET)?
- Do you live or study in Wakefield Regional Council Area?
- Do you want to win a Cash Prize?

Congratulations, you are eligible for Council's Vocational Education and Training awards.

Visit wrc.sa.gov.au for more information

