

HORIZON NEWS

Term 3 Week 1

Wednesday 24th July 2024

Welcome to Term 3:

"Be strong and courageous! Do not be afraid or discouraged. For the Lord your God is with you wherever you go." Joshua 1:9

Isn't it great to know, that whether we are on holidays, or returning back to school or work, the Lord is with us wherever we are. My prayer for all our staff and students this term is that they will know that the Lord truly is with them. What a great start to Term 3 we have had. I trust you had a restful and enjoyable 3 week break from the busy routine of term time school.

It was wonderful to welcome 17 new students – including 8 mid-year intake Foundation students. We pray all our new students will settle in well as the term progresses.

Term 3 Calendar:

We are looking forward to a fruitful Term 3. Please find here some diary dates to take note of:

- Friday 2nd August: Balaklava Eisteddfod
- Friday 2nd August: Japanese students arrive
- Saturday 3rd August: Pedal Prix – Taillem Bend
- Thursday 8th August: Casual Clothes Day
- Friday 23rd August: Book Week Parade and Grandparents and Special Friends Day
- Wednesday 4th September: Mini Morning
- Thursday 5th September: Casual Clothes Day
- 21st to 22nd September: Pedal Prix – 24 hour race Murray Bridge
- 24th to 26th September: Primary Musical "God Squad"

Staffing update:

It has been a blessing to be able to welcome the following staff to Horizon:

- Miss Michelle Ogilvie – Primary PE and Year 6LO
- Mrs Emily Shepherd – Kindergym Administration

We pray they will settle in well, and enjoy their roles within the Horizon community.

Journey Magazine – Term 2:

The Term 2 Journey Magazine was sent home yesterday (Tuesday) with the eldest in the family. We trust you will enjoy looking back at the wonderful memories made during term 2. Special thanks to Mrs Kelly Taylor for her work on this publication.

Principal Replacement Process – update:

The Board of Directors have been busy during the holiday period meeting with prospective Principal candidates. We look forward to being able to announce the 2025 Principal very soon. Please continue to uphold the Board as they finalise this process.

School Report Folders:

A reminder to families to please sign and return your child's school report. The folders are re-used for the second report at the end of the year.

Junior Primary Toilet Upgrade:

We are pleased to report that the upgrade to the junior primary toilets is well underway. We are hoping the works will be complete by the end of Week 2, Term 3. **Mike Clisby - Principal**

Diary Dates:

Year 7/8 SACSA Basketball
Tuesday 30th July

Year 10-12 2025 Subject Selections
Tuesday 30th July

Year 9/10 SACSA Basketball
Wednesday 31st July

Year 10-12 Careers Expo
Wednesday 31st July

Japanese Student Visit
Friday 2nd August to Monday 12th August

Balaklava Eisteddfod
Friday 2nd August

Pedal Prix – Taillem Bend
Saturday 3rd August

Casual Clothes Day
Thursday 8th August

Vetamorphus Retreat #3
Friday 9th to Saturday 10th August

Year 11 Camp
Sunday 11th to Friday 16th August

Year 10 Driver Awareness
Wednesday 14th August

Bush Dance (Clare Campus)
Wednesday 14th August

Book Week Parade
Friday 23rd August

Year 12 SATAC Information session
Thursday 29th August

Mini Morning
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Balaklava Scout Group Re-Opening

On Monday 29th July 2024
From 4.30pm - 6pm
At the Scout Hall
23 Scotland Street, Balaklava

The Scout Group will be starting again in Term 3 and we would like parents, youth members and any community members interested in helping the group to please come along

For More Information Please Contact the Group Leader Barb at barbgrayis@bigpond.com or phone 0409 460 329

Let's support our local youth!!!

Be Prepared to Join Scouts!
Come and try 3 visits for free.
1800 SCOUTS sa.scouts.com.au

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BALAKLAVA COMMUNITY LIBRARY PRESENTS

Love, Crime & Wine

AUTHOR PANEL

Wednesday 21st August, 2024
6.30pm



Rachael Johns



Tim Ayliffe



Victoria Purman



Rhys Gard

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Assembly:

There will not be an Assembly this week.

Updated Uniform Shop Hours:

Please be advised that our Uniform shop hours are as follows:

Monday, Thursday, and Friday: 8:30 - 9:30 and 2:00 - 3:30

Tuesday and Wednesday: 8:30 - 10:00 and 2:00 - 3:30

For Sale: Sheep and Alpaca Manure:

The Year 11 Agriculture students are selling Sheep and Alpaca Manure:

\$2 per bag (combined mixture of sheep and alpaca manure)

Please contact the office, or call into the school if you would like to purchase some.

MEG

Mothers Encouragement Group

For Mum's with children aged 0-5
10am Tuesdays fortnightly
during the school term

Balaklava Uniting Church Hall

Join in with your children for group time, followed by some inspirational input.

MEG is presented from a Christian perspective, providing a friendly and welcoming support network to all Mums.

Contact Kristy for more details 0430 821 517

 megbalaklava@gmail.com

 Balaklava Mothers Encouragement Group - MEG

2024 Dates

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
6th Feb	7th May	30th July	22nd Oct
20th Feb	21st May	13th Aug	5th Nov
5th Mar	4th June	27th Aug	19th Nov
19th Mar	18th June	10th Sept	3rd Dec
2nd Apr		24th Sept	