

HORIZON NEWS

Term 3 Week 2
Wednesday 31st July 2024

Principal Replacement Process – update:

On behalf of the Horizon Christian School Board of Directors I am pleased to announce that Mr Dominic Hopps will be the Principal from 2025. A letter was emailed to families last Thursday with the announcement. Mr Hopps is a proven and experienced Principal having worked for 19 years as an executive leader in both country and city Christian schools. Mr Hopps is the current Principal at Hope Christian College in Craigmore. Hope Christian College is affiliated with Christian Schools Australia and is a Reception to Year 12 school with an enrolment of 860 students.



We thank the Board for their dedicated efforts to the school during this process.

More information will be provided in term 4 for opportunities for our school community to farewell our retiring Principal of 25 years – Mr Mike Clisby.

Shane Cunningham – Board Chair

Balaklava Eisteddfod – Junior Choir:

Our Junior Choir will be participating in this year's Balaklava Eisteddfod. They will be singing at the Balaklava Uniting Church at approximately 10:30am (section commences at 10am). We pray this will be a wonderful experience for the students.

Japanese Student Visit:

We are looking forward to welcoming students from Japan who will be enjoying a school visit with us, arriving this Friday 2nd August.

Casual Clothes Day – Thursday 8th August:

Our first casual clothes day for term 3 will be held on Thursday 8th August. Students are asked to bring a gold coin donation which will go towards Operation Christmas Child - a project of Samaritan's Purse. It is a hands-on way for you to bless children in need across the world by filling shoeboxes with toys, hygiene items, school supplies, and fun gifts. We collect the boxes and distribute them in the name of Jesus Christ to children living in vulnerable situations. This money will assist with posting the 'Shoe Boxes' to children all over the world. A reminder that students need to wear appropriate clothing on this day.

Census Collection Notice:

Please find attached with this week's newsletter the Census Collection Notice for families. If you have any further questions about this, please contact: privacy@education.gov.au

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 completed soon.

Mike Clisby
Principal

Diary Dates:

Japanese Student Visit

Friday 2nd August to Monday 12th August

Balaklava Eisteddfod

Friday 2nd August

Pedal Prix – Tailem Bend

Saturday 3rd August

Casual Clothes Day

Thursday 8th August

Year 10/11 Subject

Interviews

Friday 9th 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

Year 7/8 & 9/10 SACSA Netball

Monday 19th August

Year 5/6 SACSA Netball

Tuesday 20th August

Year 3/4 SACSA Netball

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WRCSA Board Meeting

Thursday 22nd August

Book Week Parade

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Year 12 SATAC Information session

Thursday 29th August

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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

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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, due to the Balaklava Eisteddfod.

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.

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.

The Marriage Course

Navigating life together



LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH IS HOSTING
THE ALPHA MARRIAGE COURSE
"ENRICH YOUR MARRIAGE"

Whether you have been married for 40 years or 6 months this course offers practical support to strengthen your relationship.

WHAT DOES IT COVER?

4 Sessions helping couples to:

- Communicate more effectively
- Understand each other's needs
- Resolve conflict
- Recognise how upbringing affects your relationship
- Develop greater sexual intimacy
- Cope with times of separation

WHEN IS IT ON?

11th August	2pm-4pm
18th August	2pm-4pm
25th August	2pm-4pm
8th September	2pm-4pm

DO I HAVE TO SHARE?

No! There are many couples in the room but all the discussion is private between spouses. You will not be asked to share any details about your marriage.

HOW DO I REGISTER?

Head to trybooking.com and search "The Marriage Course - Lighthouse" - Follow the prompts and let us know you are coming!

There is no cost

Basic child minding available on site. Register your kids when you sign up online.



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