

# HORIZON NEWS

Term 2 Week 2  
Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2025

## Mother's Day Message:

While we often think of biological mothers when it comes to celebrating Mothering Sunday, motherhood takes many forms. There are adoptive mothers, foster mothers, spiritual mentors, and those in our churches and communities who nurture and support others with a mother's love. We pray that this Sunday our mothers will feel blessed and loved.



## Casual Clothes Day – Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May:

Our first Casual Clothes day for Term 2 will be held on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May. Students are asked to bring a gold coin donation on this day. Money raised will be going towards UN Women Australia - *UN Women focuses on priority areas that are fundamental to women's rights and gender equality, and that can unlock progress across the board. In everything we do, and all we aim to achieve, we are committed to advancing gender equality and the empowerment of women.*

Students are reminded to wear appropriate clothing on this day that supports the school's ethos.

## Wakefield Regional Christian School Association Annual General Meeting – Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May:

The WRCSA AGM will be held tonight at 7:30pm in the Horizon Centre foyer. We look forward to hearing from the new Christian Education National State Executive Officer Mrs Coby Beams who will be sharing a devotion and message.

## Scholastic Book Fair – Monday 19<sup>th</sup> to Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May:

Our annual Scholastic Book Fair will be held in Week 4. Please find attached with this newsletter an information brochure about the book fair. The Library will be open for students to purchase books at lunch times and during their regular Library lesson time. The Library will also be open until 3:30pm after school.

## SAPSASA Winter Sports Hub:

On Thursday some of our students competed in the SAPSASA Winter Hub Sports. Harry and Brock played Football for the Balaklava team remaining undefeated for the day. The two Footballers made it onto the district team to play in the next round. Sienna played in the Balaklava Netball team enjoying a day out with a few wins and playing a variety of positions. Well done!

## SACSA Athletics:

On Friday a small but mighty team of 22 students from Balaklava and Clare campuses made their way to Santos Stadium to represent the school for the Primary SACSA Athletics Carnival. The team displayed great sportsmanship and commitment to their events with the team finishing up 2<sup>nd</sup> overall for their division. Well done to all who participated on the day.

**Dominic Hopps - Principal**

## Diary Dates:

### **WRCSA AGM**

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May

### **Year 11 Outdoor Ed**

### **Bushwalking Camp**

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> to Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May

### **Year 10 Careers Expo**

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May

### **Year 9 TRJ Mentor Night**

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May

### **SACSA Cross Country**

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May

### **Casual Clothes Day**

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May

### **Scholastic Book Fair**

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> to Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

### **Encounter Youth**

### **Presentations (Year 7-12)**

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May

### **Year 12 Food & Hospitality**

### **Biggest Morning Tea**

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May

### **National Stimulus**

### **Storytime**

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May

### **Year 6 Migration Museum**

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May

### **Year 12 English Excursion**

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

### **WRCSA Board Meeting**

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

### **Year 10 Work Experience**

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> to Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May

### **RIJKEN CUP – Netball & Table Tennis**

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> May

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## Balaklava Scout Group Community Meeting

On  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2025

From 7pm - 8pm  
At the Scotland Yard Scout Hall  
23 Scotland Street, Balaklava

All members of the Community are invited and  
Encouraged to come along to discuss the future of the  
Balaklava Scout Group.

If there is **NO INTEREST** in keeping  
Scouting going in Balaklava  
**THEN THE GROUP WILL BE CLOSED  
AND THE PROPERTY SOLD!**

To register your interest please contact the Group Leader,  
Barb Gray at [10614@sa.scouts.com.au](mailto:10614@sa.scouts.com.au) or phone 0409 460 329  
OR  
The District Commissioner, Wendy Lane at [dc.karkana@sa.scouts.com.au](mailto:dc.karkana@sa.scouts.com.au)

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WEEK 2 HIKE & BONNY FRI 9<sup>TH</sup> MAY

WEEK 3 IMPACT BIBLE STUDY SUN 18<sup>TH</sup> MAY

WEEK 4 GAMES NIGHT FRI 23<sup>RD</sup> MAY

WEEK 5 IMPACT BIBLE STUDY SUN 1<sup>ST</sup> JUN

WEEK 6 BIRTHDAY PARTY FRI 6<sup>TH</sup> JUN

WEEK 7 IMPACT BIBLE STUDY SUN 15<sup>TH</sup> JUN

WEEK 8 CRWN (TBC) FRI 20<sup>TH</sup> JUN

WEEK 9 IMPACT BIBLE STUDY SUN 29<sup>TH</sup> JUN

CONTACT BEN (0428 801 931) OR KATRINA (0473 225 127)  
FOR ANY QUESTIONS OR MESSAGE @BALAKYOUTH

WEEK 2

FRIDAY, 9<sup>TH</sup> MAY  
7-9:30PM

MEET AT CHURCH OF CHRIST  
\$2 FOR SUPPER

WEAR WARM CLOTHES, WALKING  
SHOES AND BRING A TORCH!

PERMISSION  
SLIPS MUST BE  
FILLED OUT!

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### Chapel/Assembly:

Primary Chapel will be held this Friday at 2:15pm  
in the Horizon Centre. Families are welcome to  
attend.

### Uniform Shop – New Opening hours:

We welcomed Mrs Laura Barrie to the Uniform  
shop at the end of last term.

Our new Uniform shop hours will be:

Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:30am to  
9:30am and 1:30pm to 3:30pm. Please note that  
QKR Uniform orders will only be filled on these  
days. We look forward to supporting you with  
your uniform needs.

ARISE A FARMER'S HOPE

Wilcannia Cattle and Grain Farmer coming to release Hope to men

14-17 May 2025  
Tea 5:30 pm  
Meeting 6:30pm

Whole family invited Saturday Night

Directions  
Follow signs on Kadlunga Rd, Mintaro.  
No RSVP needed

Romans 8:25 : "But if we hope for what we do not see,  
we eagerly wait for it with perseverance."

Contact  
Adrian Cook  
0402295148

Camping Available

Balaklava Courthouse Gallery

MOVIE  
NIGHT

STEVE COOGAN JONATHAN PRYCE

"YOU WILL SMILE, AND YOU WILL LAUGH —  
SOMETIMES UNCONTROLLABLY."  
The movie has drawn in "The Bachelor", "Shed from Society", and  
"The Middleman". "Spirited, full of life and humor, and  
masterful, thoroughly engaging and satisfying."  
—爛番茄 (Rotten Tomatoes)

"HYPER-FUNNY, SENSITIVE,  
AND NUANCED,  
and all these elements put together make  
it a winning, delightful and memorable."  
—爛番茄 (Rotten Tomatoes)

In 1976 Argentina, on the eve of a  
political revolution, a teacher and his students  
at an exclusive boys school are enlightened  
by an unusual guest.

From the Director of  
'THE FULL MONTY'

The Penguin  
Lessons

FRIDAY 23RD MAY, 6PM

For \$30, enjoy nibbles first (Blyth Hall) and  
then movie (7:30pm Blyth Cinemas)

Drinks are available for purchase separately.

Bookings to Cherie at 0429 969 295.