

HORIZON NEWS

Term 2 Week 5 Wednesday 28th May 2025

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Casual 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 2nd to 18th August. Last year's visit was such a wonderful success that we are delighted to offer this enriching opportunity to our school community again.

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.



(2024 Japanese students and Horizon billets)

Student Free Day and Public Holiday:

A reminder that there will be a Student Free Day on Friday 6th June as staff undertake training on site with the Association of Independent Schools. There will then be a Public Holiday on **Monday 9th June.** We look forward to seeing students back at school on Tuesday 10th June.

Parent Satisfaction Survey:

Please find below the link for our Parent Satisfaction Survey for all our Horizon families. This important survey aims to 'Nurture Partnerships In Community', by giving families the opportunity to answer questions about the school to provide important and valuable feedback. The survey link will close tomorrow, Thursday 29th May. We encourage you to complete the survey as soon as you are able.

Please find the link here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JH9NC27

Wakefield Regional Christian School Association:

The Wakefield Regional Christian School Association (WRCSA) is a group of committed Christians who are passionate about education that is biblically grounded and transformational. The Christian School, as it pursues Christian education, seeks to teach all aspects of the curriculum from a Christian worldview. Horizon Christian School is governed by the Board of Directors, which is elected at the Annual General Meeting of the Association. A school such as ours can only maintain the integrity of its foundations through the commitment of Christians who will stay true to this vision. Membership to the WRCSA is open to any person over the age of 18, who declares agreement with the objects of the Association, who accepts the Association Code of Conduct, and who regularly attends a Christian church. If you would like more information about joining the Association, please contact the school office for an information pack. **Dominic Hopps - Principal**

Diary Dates:

Year 10 Work Experience Monday 26th to Friday 30th

RIJKEN Cup - Netball & **Table Tennis**

Thursday 29th May

RIJKEN Cup - Soccer Friday 30th May

RIJKEN Cup - Touch Football

Monday 2nd June

Year 1 & 2's Gorge Wildlife Park Excursion

Monday 2nd June

RIJKEN Cup - Basketball Tuesday 3rd June

RIJKEN Cup - Volleyball Wednesday 4th June

Foundation Transition Thursday 5th June

STUDENT FREE DAY Friday 6th June

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Monday 9th June

Year 4/5 Maritime Museum **Excursion**

Tuesday 10th June

Year 10 Drama Excursion Wednesday 11th June

Casual Clothes Day

Thursday 12th June

Pedal Prix - Victoria Park Friday 13th June

Year 11 Exam Week

Monday 16th to Friday 20th June

Foundation Art Show

Monday 16th June



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Congratulations Kiralee:

Congratulations to Kiralee who competed in the Metro Zone Pony Clubs Dressage Day at Greenwith on the 18th May. She came First in 5C, First in Prelim 1.2 and Third in Prelim 1.3.



Chapel/Assembly:

Primary Chapel will be held on Friday at 2:15pm in the Horizon Centre. Parents and friends are welcome to attend.

<u>Uniform Shop – Opening hours:</u>

Our Uniform shop hours are:

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.

<u>Food Bank Non-Perishable Items – Can you</u> Help?

Horizon Christian School is excited to support Foodbank SA through our Term 2 Can Drive, running from Week 5 to Week 9! We're encouraging all students and families to bring in non-perishable food items to help those in need within our community. Collection boxes will be located in classrooms and the front office.

Art Supplies Wanted - Can you Help?

Please save the following items for us to use: Lids from plastic containers eg ice cream, yoghurt, margarine.

Containers from ice cream and butter as well as empty tissue boxes are also useful. These can be left for me at the front office, or taken to the art studio.

Thank you, Amanda Lockwood, Primary art teacher.



