

TERM 1 WEEK 11

NEWSLETTER

All Saints Catholic Primary School



FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL

MEGAN LOVERING

Dear Parents, Families and Friends of All Saints,

I hope you all had a Happy Easter and spent quality time with family and friends.

Last week we acknowledged the most important week in our Catholic Calendar - Holy Week. Each day we held a 're-enactment' of the week's events leading up to the death of Jesus on Good Friday. Children participated in each event with respect and reverence.

Yesterday, we held our Whole School Easter Mass in the Hall. It was a lovely celebration and re-enactment of the Easter story and Jesus' resurrection.

Staffing

We have some staffing changes for Term 2. Karissa Parker is relocating to Melbourne and Sarah Baker and Kristy Fode will be teaching Year 1 for the rest of the year. Naomi Budgen is travelling overseas, and Lucy Pinkerton will be returning to teach 2 Pinkerton. We wish both Karissa and Naomi every success with their future endeavours.

Learning Conversations

Thank you to the families who attended Learning Conversations last week. This is a time when the teachers enjoy sharing the children's success and experiences. There were some teachers who were unable to hold Learning Conversations due to illness. Those teachers will be in touch to reschedule their Learning Conversations early next term.

Sports Day

All around the school the excitement is building for Sports Day. A big thank you to Tom Knauer for his organisation and all the staff for assisting and supporting him. We are hopeful of a great day to finish off our first term for 2023. Children will be provided with a free sausage sizzle and food trucks will be available for parents and carers. Just a reminder to parents to please ensure you sign your child out with your child's class teacher if you leave with your child before 3:05pm.

Thank you

I would finally like to 'Thank you' all for your support this term in my role as Acting Principal.

We wish all our families a relaxing and fun holiday period and look forward to welcoming all the children back on Tuesday, 2 May.

With every best wish,

Megan Lovering





FROM THE APRIM

STEPHANIE CROWE

ALLELUIA! He has risen!

Easter means different things to people – for some people, it’s an opportunity to spend time with loved ones but for others, Easter means much more. Easter is the essence of the Christian faith, representing rebirth and renewal as we remember the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, our saviour. Easter Sunday is the day hope comes alive again. When we love others generously and sacrificially like Jesus, people will discover the hope and joy of Easter Sunday.

The Year 3 children led the school and SEM community gathering with joy to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus. Thank you to Father Josy for being with us in prayer to begin the Season of Easter.

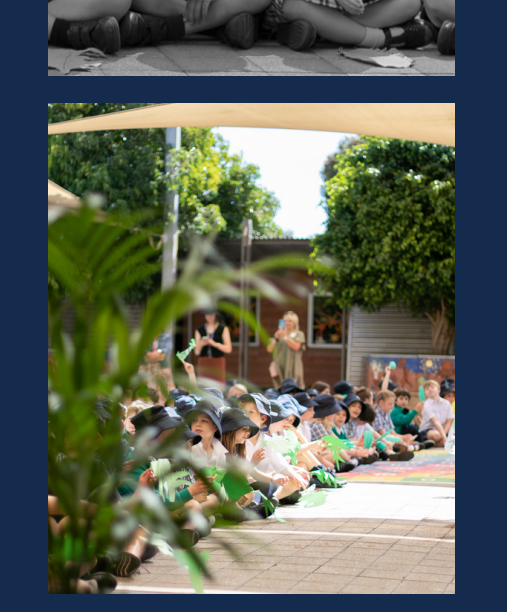
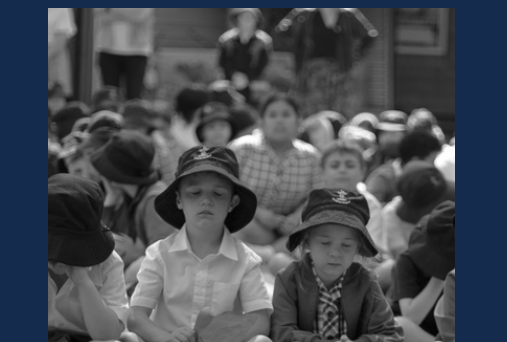
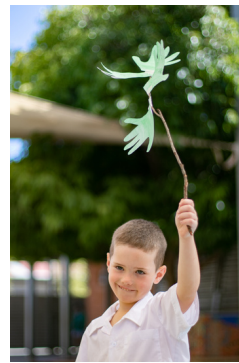


*We thank our loving God for the gift of Jesus, through His death and resurrection we have received new life. May our Risen Christ inspire us to be truly Gospel people bringing the love of Jesus to all.
Amen*



HOLY WEEK

On Monday the Reception to Year 2 children led us in our first Holy Week celebration, and reenacted the events of Palm Sunday. We shared a reflection of the triumphant entry of Jesus into Jerusalem.



HOLY WEEK

The Year 5 children reenacted the story of Jesus sharing his final meal. The Last Supper is an important event in the history of Christianity as it is the time when Jesus shared his bread and wine and turned it into his body and blood. Jesus also washed his disciples' feet showing one example of the love and service given by others.



HOLY WEEK

The Year 4 children led our next liturgy during Holy Week. They shared the story of Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane. The Garden of Gethsemane was a special place to Jesus as it was the place where he sought comfort in a time of pain and sadness. It was here that Jesus was betrayed by one of his closest friends and arrested.

The Year 6 children led us in a moving reflection of the Stations of the Cross.

The Stations of the Cross, also known as the Way of the Cross, commemorate Jesus' passion and death on the cross. There are 14 stations each depicting a moment on his journey to Calvary. The children reflected on how we can use the teachings of Jesus each day in our everyday life.



HOLY WEEK

Parents and Friends

Thank you to the P&F for providing the children with hot cross buns for Holy Thursday. The children (and staff) loved the special treat. Mother's Day is early Term 2 and we are looking forward to planning a celebration for our Mums, Grandmothers and special women in our lives.



*Thank
You*

SPORTS DAY

This Friday 14 April

SPORTS DAY

What to Wear



Children are to wear their Sport Shorts and have the option to wear their team colour shirt. They are welcome to add accessories, but any hairspray and/or zinc needs to be applied at home and not brought to school. See you on the oval!

SPORTS DAY

Sausage Sizzle



The children will enjoy a FREE sausage sizzle for lunch on Sports Day, provided by the school. Please make sure your child has enough food & drink packed for an energetic day on the oval!

SPORTS DAY

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Friday 14 April

For all your food and beverage needs on Sports Day, we are pleased to welcome:



Please note that the food trucks are available for parents and carers. The children will enjoy a sausage sizzle provided by the school.

SPORTS DAY

Timetable

SPORTS DAY 2023

WELCOME, PRAYER, HEALTH HUSTLE										
YEAR 3- YEAR 6										
	LONG JUMP 1	LONG JUMP 2	LONG JUMP 3	SHOT PUT 1	SHOT PUT 2	SHOT PUT 3	HIGH JUMP 1	HIGH JUMP 2	HIGH JUMP 3	SPRINTS + RECESS
9:30-10:15	6G	6M	6S	5H	5F	5S	4O	4HR	4M	Year 3
10:15- 11:00	3B/3K	3J	3M	6G	6M	6S	5H	5F	5S	Year 4
11:00- 11:45	4O	4HR	4M	3B/3K	3J	3M	6G	6M	6S	Year 5
11:45-12:30	5H	5F	5S	4O	4HR	4M	3B/3K	3J	3M	Year 6
RECEPTION - YEAR 2										
	ROB THE NEST	SPRINT	LONG JUMP 4	THROW	OBSTACLE COURSE					
9:30-10:00	RS/RCG	RL/RH	1Y/1P	2T/1D	2P/2R					
10:00- 10:30	2P/2R	RS/RCG	RL/RH	1Y/1P	2T/1D					
10:30- 11:00	2T/1D	2P/2R	RS/RCG	RL/RH	1Y/1P					
11:00-11:30	RECESS BREAK									
11:30-12:00	1Y/1P	2T/1D	2P/2R	RS/RCG	RL/RH					
12:00-12:30	RL/RH	1Y/1P	2T/1D	2P/2R	RS/RCG					
WHOLE SCHOOL EARTHBALL RELAY										
LUNCH										
Year 3-6 (Elective events)				Reception			R-2 Novelty Events		Year 2	
1:30-1:55	200M RACES			Water Relay			Tug of War		Egg & Spoon	
1:55- 2:20	400M RACES			Tug of War			Egg & Spoon		Water Relay	
2:20-2:45	800M RACES			Egg & Spoon			Water Relay		Tug of War	
2:45-3:05	PACK UP/ PRESENTATIONS									



FROM THE COUNSELLOR

CYNTHIA GELDENHUYS

ANGLICARE SA

Mindful Awareness Parenting Group program

In this eight week program we will explore mindful awareness, which is about paying attention to what is going on in the present moment. Learning and using mindful awareness helps us to focus on ourselves and others with kindness and acceptance.

University research has also shown that mindfulness practice helps with chronic pain, stress, depression, anxiety, and improves immune system function and increases general well-being.

In the MAP™ workshops you will learn:

- notice what your child needs
- repair your relationships when things don't go as smoothly as you would like
- stay calm with your kids
- enjoy being a "good enough" parent
- to look after yourself even when you are busy looking after your family
- have fun and enjoy being a parent
- build lifelong relationship skills

The workshops are specifically designed to be nurturing, respectful, fun and supportive.



When:
Wednesdays from 10 May to 28 June 2023

Time:
12:30pm to 2:30pm

Where:
Talkurrendi Children and Family Centre
8 Price Street
Christies Beach

Free for those care-giving to a child aged under 18 years. Some **crèche** available on request. Places are limited so bookings are essential.

To register your interest:
Call AnglicareSA on 1800 569 094, or Darjana at Talkurrendi Children and Family Centre on 8186 1102, or email familyservices@anglicaresa.com.au



03/2023

HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

For more information on holiday activities providing by the Onkaparinga Council, please check out the link to their page [here](#).

Together we change lives.



YEAR 2 TAYLOR

BUILDING BRIGHT FUTURES

In HASS we have been learning about the 7 continents of the world and the landmarks associated with each continent. In Science we have been focusing on different material and their properties. To combine and demonstrate our knowledge and learning from these topics, we have utilised skills and knowledge through our Design and Technology unit and designed, planned and constructed a famous landmark.



This week in 2T



SPORT

TOM KNAUER

On Tuesday 28th March All Saints competed in the Division 2 SACPSSA Swimming Carnival. A successful day was had by all, with many children bringing home ribbons in their event. Special mention to the following people: the brave Year 4 swimmers, who competed in the Year 5 division to fill the spaces left by the children on camp, the Year 3 Boys Team who took home the team pennant, Delilah James who won the individual Year 3 Girls Age Champion medal, the Year 3 Boys 4 x 50m freestyle relay team who set a new record for the event, the swimming captains Mackenzie and Jett who helped each swimmer prepare for their race and all the parents that helped make the day a success.

Last Friday, 31st March, the All Saints Girls and Boys cricket teams took on McLaren Vale in the opening round of the statewide cricket competition. The boys set the standard early with a convincing win chasing down the total with 5 overs to spare. The Girls followed suit, posting a total that was too much for McLaren Vale to chase down. Well done to all the children involved. Special mention to the captains, Jaxon and Amelia, who showed great leadership, and the scorers Zayl and Carter, who showed fantastic community spirit across the day.

Congratulations to Sophie and Adelle, who spent the past week representing All Saints as part of the Onkaparinga South District Softball Team. The girls had a great week winning 6 of their 7 games, finishing silver medalists. Well done girls and thank you for representing the school with such good sporting values.

Sports Day is just around the corner, hope to see you all out, for what will be a fantastic community day.





MUSIC

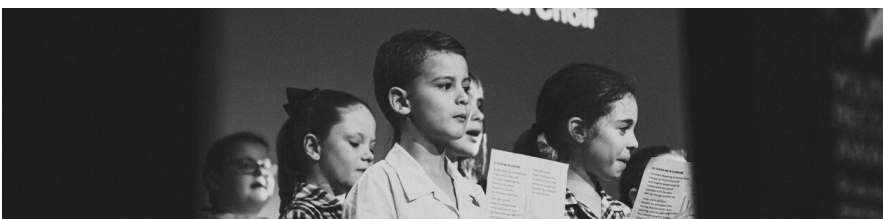
DANIEL ROBERTS

Our talented Junior Choir members had the honour of performing at the recent Onkaparinga Council's Youth Awards Ceremony, held on the 27th of March at the Arts Centre, Port Noarlunga. The students represented our school with exemplary professionalism, showcasing their musical talents and leaving a lasting impression on the audience.

With Mr. Roberts as their conductor and the invaluable support of Mrs. Taylor, the Junior Choir showed immense courage on stage as they delivered a captivating performance. They sang two popular songs, "Cover Me in Sunshine" by Pink and "A Million Dreams" from The Greatest Showman. The audience of award recipients and their delegates responded enthusiastically to the performance, and the staff from the Onkaparinga Council were very impressed by the children's professionalism and behaviour.

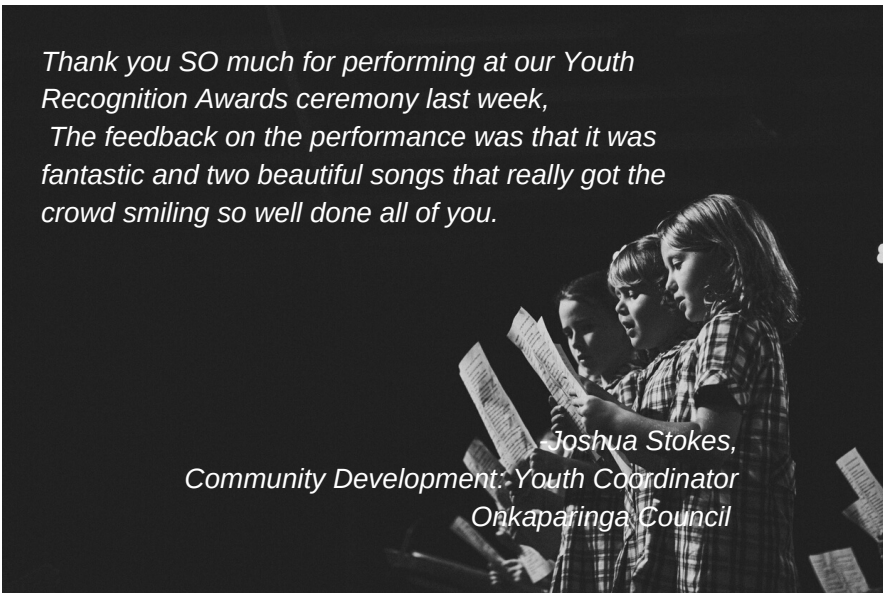
We express our thanks to Josh Stokes and the Onkaparinga Council for opportunity, to all the children who participated, and to their parents for their support and encouragement. We also want to extend our appreciation to Mrs. Taylor for her invaluable support in assisting the choir. Last but not least, thanks to the fabulous office team for helping Mr Roberts and Mrs Taylor to get the paperwork sorted at such short notice.

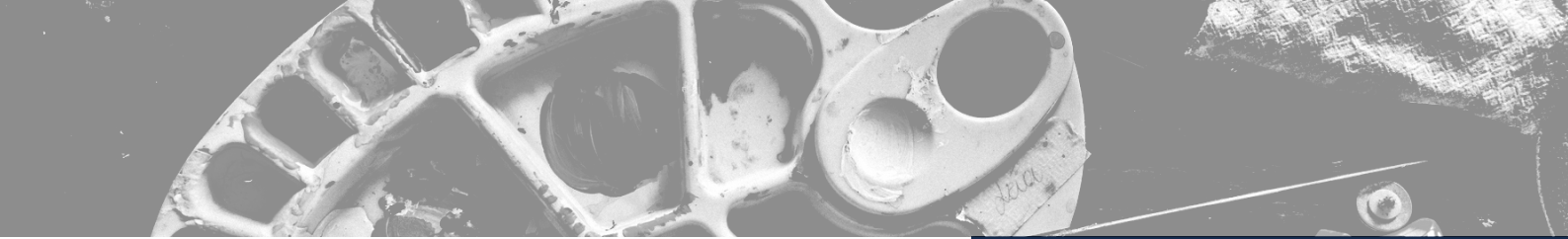
The Junior Choir's exceptional performance was a true reflection of their hard work and commitment. We are immensely proud of their achievements and look forward to more exciting opportunities for our Junior Choir in the future as they continue to spread the joy of music and make us proud!



Thank you SO much for performing at our Youth Recognition Awards ceremony last week, The feedback on the performance was that it was fantastic and two beautiful songs that really got the crowd smiling so well done all of you.

*Joshua Stokes,
Community Development Youth Coordinator
Onkaparinga Council*





ART

TIFFANY OKAZAKI

This term Year 5 and 6 students have been creating a surreal landscape with fanciful creatures and flora.

Students investigated the art style 'Pop Surrealism' through the work of Spanish artist Okuda San Miguel. They learned how to create a sense of depth in a picture composition using colour value and space, focusing on foreground, middle ground and background.



Okuda San Miguel



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ALL SAINTS BULLETIN



WEEK 11

WEEK 1

MON	Easter Monday	MON	School Closure Day
TUE		TUE	
WED	SAPSASA Cricket Boys Rd 2 v Tatachilla 9:15 EASTER Whole School Mass	WED	
THU	Year 2/3 girls Cricket Clinic	THU	
FRI	SPORTS DAY	FRI	SAPSASA Cross Country Noarlunga Downs Primary School

STAY CONNECTED!

SCHOOL STAR

Our text messaging service for all information regarding school news, events and updates.

SEESAW

For all your child's classroom updates and adventures.

EMAIL

Communication updates and a great way to contact your child's teacher. For general enquiries please use info@allsaints.catholic.edu.au

FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM

Highlights from the week and upcoming celebrations.

FRONT OFFICE

For all urgent calls, please contact the Front Office on 8327 0020

**ENROL
NOW**
for Term 1

2024



Contact us on: 8327 0020

Enrol for Year 7 2025 before

APRIL 14 2023

Enrolment applications for Year 7 2025 will close on 14 April 2023. Enrolments for other year levels will be subject to vacancies.



8392 9449 | info@cardijn.catholic.edu.au

Enrol Online | enrol.cardijn.catholic.edu.au/enrolment-form



ABSENTEES



0418 117 541

Please remember to send an SMS every day that your child is absent from school.

The SMS should include the child's name, class and reason for absence. Please also state if your child will be absent for more than one day.

Any absence of 5 or more consecutive days requires a medical certificate or *Exemption from School Form* (available from the Front Office).

Thank You!



IF YOU HAVE ANY SYMPTOMS, PLEASE STAY HOME

Runny noses, coughs, and sneezes are common this time of year. By sending your child to school they are passing these on to others in their class and our teachers.

Please keep our community safe and keep your child/ren home when they are unwell.



COVID-19

If your child tests positive to COVID-19, please inform the school so that we may report our current cases and keep our records up to date.

You can do this via email: info@allsaints.catholic.edu.au or directly to your class teacher on their email

OR

SMS: 0418 117 541

OR

Calling the Front Office on 8327 0020

LOST PROPERTY!

Please make sure all your child's uniform is labelled clearly. Any lost items can be found in the Front Office.

