



Some photos from our Easter service

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to Term 2. I trust that you enjoyed some time with your children and were able to share some experiences that built memories together. We have another term ahead which will be full of learning experiences. Our Year 6 students head off to their camp at Wirraway in Week 3. This camp offers a large range of activities including horse riding, archery and many outdoor challenges. It is always enjoyed by our students and staff and remembered as a highlight of their final year with us. Our Year 3 students will have a sleep over in week 4 as a way to prepare them for future school camps. This will be a fun way to spend time together and learn in additional ways to the usual day at school. I look forward to hearing reflections from students and sharing them with you in future newsletters.

Week 3 is also NAPLAN week. These will be held in an online format this year and we have already participated in a trial last term. If you have any questions or concerns about this national testing, please get in touch with your child's teacher.

Our school Photo Day will be Thursday 27th May. All children will need to wear their winter uniform on this day (no PE uniform). You will be sent home more information about how to purchase these photographs closer to the day.

Mother's Day is Sunday 9th May and so we will have our annual Mother's Day stall on Thursday 6th and Friday 7th May. Please refer to the specific information on the flier you will have received or in this newsletter.

Our Reception, Year 3 and Year 4 students will attend swimming lessons this term. These include a session each day over 5 days. You will receive the notice for permission to attend via the Bethany app. If you have not yet downloaded the app, this will be the ideal time. If you need support to set this up, please call the office and ask for Karen. Further medical information from the swimming centre will also be required to ensure the wellbeing of each child. Your class teachers will communicate with you regarding the timing of this process.

Our uniform shop has continued to receive customers via appointments but next week, we are able to open the shop for drop in purchases. Please see the notice in this newsletter to check the opening times and head to the front office to check in prior to entering the shop.

I would also like to thank you for your ongoing diligence in using the QR code to check in as you enter the school grounds. We are very grateful for the health we have enjoyed in SA and hope that this will continue as the year progresses. Thank you for supporting us in keeping home your children when they are unwell, washing hands thoroughly and also maintaining a sensible distance with others.

I pray that you will enjoy a safe and healthy term.

God bless,

Wendy Matear
Principal

Memory Verse

Then the Lord told me: "I will give you my message in the form of a vision. Write it clearly enough to be read at a glance."

Habakkuk 2:2

DEPUTY'S CORNER

Welcome back for Term 2! I trust that you all had a wonderful school break with your family. It is going to be a busy but amazing term. Just some of the wonderful activities that are planned are the Year 6 Camp, Year 3 Sleep-over, Mother's Day Stall, SACSA Athletics, SACSA Cross Country Carnival, SAPSASA Cross Country, School Photos, Reception and Year 3 & 4 Swimming lessons and a Pupil Free day on Friday 11th June for the Queen's Birthday public holiday weekend. All of the dates will be published in the Bethany Christian School Timetable of Events and will be regularly updated and added to this newsletter. It is wonderful to see such a full timetable considering that only this time last year we were beginning to return back to school after our first COVID19 lockdown.

This week our Year 6's all received their new Year 6 jumpers, and they all look fantastic. It is also a timely reminder that the uniform requirements for Terms 2 & 3 are **winter** uniform. If you are unsure about what the uniform requirements are, please refer to the student diary on pages 13-15. Please also remind your child to leave their jewellery at home. If your child receives a uniform slip this week, please do not be alarmed as they are a reminder to correct a uniform infringement. If we notice that a student continues to wear the incorrect uniform, your child's teacher will contact you directly to discuss how the problem can be resolved.

At the beginning of the term it is also a good opportunity to ensure that all your child's uniform is clearly named. We are finding many unnamed items around the school and it makes it tremendously difficult to return a garment if it is unnamed.

A Mother's Day Stall will be held on Thursday 6th May and Friday 7th May (week 2). Your child's class will be allocated two time slots during school time to visit and purchase a Mother's Day gift. The items range in price from 50c to \$15. It is really important that when you send money to school with your child that you place the money into a **clearly named and labelled ziplock bag** (actually write the exact amount of money that is enclosed). This money will be collected by your child's teacher and handed back to your child when they get to the stall.

I wish you a wonderful week and a successful start to the new term!

God bless you,

Deb Clifford

HIGHLIGHTS

HEALTH CARE

Welcome to Week One of Term Two.

The students are so excited to be back at school and very happy to share all the things they have done during the school holidays.

I would like to remind you of the following:

Year 6 Camp - medication requirements

The Year Six's will be camping in Week 3 from 10/05/2021 to 12/05/2021. The school will pack the medications that have already been provided to the school for the Year 6 Camp.

However, if your child is on any regular medication that needs to be administered at any time over the camp, please provide the new medication along with a Doctor's note **prior to the event**. The last day for bringing in medication will be **Friday 7th May 2021**.

*All medications needing to be administered during this time, including over the counter and herbal medication, must have a Doctor's note.

Health Topic of the Week - Too Sick for School

As the winter months are approaching, there are some illnesses that will begin with mild symptoms, however, if appropriate care is not given the illness can become severe and there is a chance of spreading the illness or infections to others in the school community. As a parent, if you are struggling to decide whether to send your child to school or not, please ask yourself the following questions:

- Is my child well enough to comfortably take part in the day's activities?
- Will my child pass on their illness to other children or staff?
- Will my child's teacher be able to care for my child without it impacting on their ability to care for other children?
- If I felt like this, would I go to work?

'Find a pharmacy' have put together a poster which will act as a guide for parents and carers to help to make the decision based on the symptoms the child is experiencing. This is a guide only. This shouldn't stop you from visiting the Doctor if you are in need. You can find this poster on Bethany Christian School website by following the link below. https://www.bethany.sa.edu.au/newsletter/files/Too_sick_for_school_02.pdf

God bless you,

Priya Wilson
School Nurse

CAMP AUSTRALIA

Newsletter



A message from your Coordinator

Hey! Welcome back to term 2! We can not wait to see you all and see what you have been up to.

We have been busy discovering new things at a national wildlife park and bouncing our way through our first Rocketeers holiday club in our new shirts at Inflatable World! We also have a new friend called Botley 2.0. Make sure you check him out with his cool robot moves.

We can't wait to see what happens in term 2 and what exciting things this new term brings us!

Activities coming up

- Handball
- Cooking
- Arts and craft activities

What's on the menu

- Banana bread
- Pancakes
- Chocolate cake

It's free to register

To attend our program, you must register your child. You can register an account with us at pp.campaustalia.com.au or by downloading our Camp Australia smartphone app from the Apple App Store or on Google Play. Once registered, it's easy to make bookings and manage your account.



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MOTHER'S DAY STALL



UNIFORM SHOP

Thank you to everyone who has supported our Uniform Shop and all the changes that have been made. We would like to announce that from now onwards appointments will not be needed to shop at the Uniform Shop. Parents can walk in anytime the Uniform Shop is open.

Purchases can still be made online and pick up from the front office is still available.

The opening times for the Uniform Shop are Wednesday and Friday from 8.30 am to 10.30 am.

If you have any questions about the uniform shop please contact the front office.

YEAR 4 SLEEPOVER

As part of their Aboriginal studies that they undertook last term, our Year 4 students went on an excursion to the Botanic Gardens in the city to learn more about Aboriginal culture. Afterwards they had fun at the Aquatic Centre in North Adelaide. On their return they spent the night at school in tents and had lots of fun.

The following day they decorated boomerangs and had the opportunity to test them on the oval. They were also

involved in building shelters that had to last the water hose test.

Please enjoy the photos below from the day.



NAPLAN

This term, NAPLAN is being held in Week 3 on **Tuesday 11th May to Thursday 13th May**.

If your child is in Year 3 or 5, we would appreciate it if you could ensure that they arrive on time and are not collected before lunch.

If an appointment is unavoidable, please let their class teacher know before the day and we will organise for them to attend one of the make up sessions.

COMMUNITY NEWS

TEMPLE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE MUSICAL

TEMPLE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE - PARALOWIE CAMPUS
PRESENTS

Annie

Book by
THOMAS
MEEHAN

Music by
CHARLES
STROUSE

Lyrics by
MARTIN
CHARNIN

Original Broadway Production Directed by
MARTIN CHARNIN

Based on "Little Orphan Annie"®

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Location:
Bethany Performing Arts Centre
37 Countess St Paralowie

Show Dates:
Friday 4th June 7pm
Saturday 5th June 12:30pm



Ticket Prices:
Child (2-14) \$8.00
Concession / Student \$10.00
Adults 18+ \$12.00
Family (2A 2C or 1A 3C) \$32.00

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SPORTS NEWS

NETBALL CLINIC



NEWTON JAGUARS CLINIC

7 WEEK PROGRAM

SATURDAYS | 9-10AM

RECEPTION - YEAR 1 | \$60

Newton Jaguars Netball Club are offering a 7 week Netball Clinic that is similar to NetSetGo, on Saturday mornings at Bethany Christian School. This clinic is run to give students the opportunity to see if they enjoy playing netball and would like to move into joining a Weekly Netball team. There is a maximum of 16 places, to be filled on a first come, first served basis.

- Sessions will be for 1 hour on Saturday mornings at Bethany Christian School Courts and are run by coaches from Newton Jaguars Netball Club.
- The sessions have been scheduled for: 08|05, 15|05, 22|05, 29|05, 06|05, 19|06, 26|06
- Students are to wear appropriate sports clothing, with sneakers
- The total cost for the 7 week program is \$60
- Once enrolled, sessions are compulsory & no credit will be given for any missed.
- All communication to parents regarding the Netball Clinic will be via the BCS App or email.



SCAN ME

If you would like to enrol your child into the Netball Clinic program, please scan the QR Code and then complete the online form.

For more information:

Website | bethany.sa.edu.au/sport

Sports Department | Ph 8283 0000

Email | sport@bethany.sa.edu.au



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WEEKLY BASKETBALL

Calling all students interested in playing Weekly Basketball for Bethany, we are looking for a few extra U8 & U10 Basketball players to fill a team for our upcoming winter basketball season starting in term 2.

If your child is interested in playing please nominate them on the following link: [Basketball nomination link](#)



2021 BETHANY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL JUNIOR ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

On Friday March 5, 2021 we held our second carnival for the week which was the Junior Athletics Carnival. Congratulations to the following medal winners:

INDIVIDUAL AGE GROUP WINNERS

7 Year Old Female	Tinotenda S	7 Year Old Male	Noah W
8 Year Old Female	Isla F	8 Year Old Male	Ethan L
9 Year Old Female	Sophie S	9 Year Old Male	Nhial M-Y

SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

7 Year Old Female	Christina J	7 Year Old Male	Adam J
8 Year Old Female	Elise K	8 Year Old Male	Antonio C
9 Year Old Female	Myka H	9 Year Old Male	Alfie P

SCHOOL RECORDS

Two 4x100 metre relay records were broken at this carnival. Congratulations to the following teams:

8 Year Old Male	Abednego	1 minute 16.27 seconds
9 Year Old Male	Meshach	1 minute 14.19 seconds

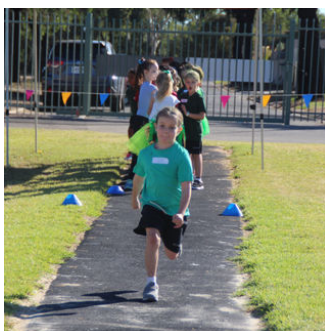
We have also added a new record to the books from 2021 - Mixed 7 Year Old 4x100 metre relay:

7 Year Old Mixed	Abednego	1 minute 29.11 seconds
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Final House Results were as follows:

MESHACH	949
SHADRACH	937
ABEDNEGO	924

Thank you so much to everyone who came out to support our students. It was fantastic to see you out there. There were quite a few people involved on the day helping to make things run smoothly including the BCS Staff, Year 10 PE classes at Temple Christian College – Paralowie Campus and their teachers. We would also like to thank Mr Josh Curtis who helped out in the timing tent as part of the team.



2021 BETHANY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL SENIOR ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

On Thursday March 4, 2021 we held our annual Senior Athletics Carnival on the school grounds and the Fairbanks Reserve. It was a fantastic day for our students and all involved.

Congratulations to the following medal winners:

INDIVIDUAL AGE GROUP WINNERS

10 Year Old Female	Jessica S	10 Year Old Male	Piol D
11 Year Old Female	Amelia L	11 Year Old Male	Mitchell M
12+ Year Old Female	Sarah L	12+ Year Old Male	Cohen M

SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

10 Year Old Female	Olivia E	10 Year Old Male	Jaxon S-C
11 Year Old Female	Chloe F	11 Year Old Male	Judah M
12+ Year Old Female	Tam D	12+ Year Old Male	Mackenzie C-H

SCHOOL RECORD

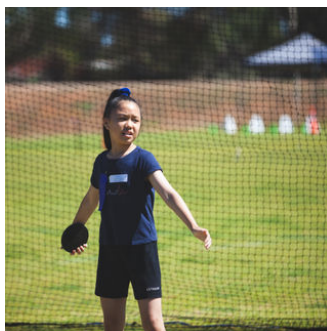
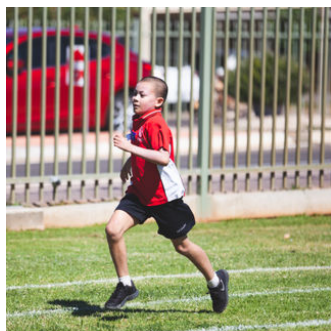
One 4x100 metre relay record was broken at this carnival. Congratulations to the following team:

12 Year Old Female	Abednego	1 minute 07.19 seconds
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Final House Results were as follows:

ABEDNEGO	1087
SHADRACH	1037
MESHACH	953

We would like to thank all the spectators for coming out and supporting our students as they competed. Also, a big thank you to the Year 10 PE classes at Temple Christian College - Paralowie Campus students and their teachers along with our volunteers and staff for making this day possible.



WEEKLY INFORMATION

IMPORTANT DATES

Date	Event
Friday 30th April	SACSA Athletics
Thursday 6th May	Mother's Day Stall
Friday 7th May	Mother's Day Stall
Friday 7th May	SAPSASA Cross Country
Monday 10th to Wednesday 12th May	Year 6 Camp
Tuesday 11th to Thursday 13th May	NAPLAN
Thursday 20th May	Year 3 Excursion and Sleepover
Monday 24th May	School Tour
Monday 24th May	SACSA Yr 3/4 Soccer carnival
Tuesday 25th May	SACSA Yr 5/6 Soccer carnival
Thursday 27th May	School Photos

2021 Term Dates	
Term 2	Wednesday 28th April to Friday 2nd July
Term 3	Tuesday 20th July to Friday 24th September
Term 4	Monday 11th October to Wednesday 8th December

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TIMETABLE OF EVENTS TERM 2

Bethany Christian School Timetable of Events - Term 2, 2021



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	26 th April Anzac Day Public Holiday	27 th April Pupil Free Day	28 th April	29 th April	30 th April SACSA Athletics
Week 2	3 rd May	4 th May	5 th May	6 th May Mother's Day Stall	7 th May Mother's Day Stall SAPSASA Cross Country Carnival
Week 3	10 th May Year 6 Camp	11 th May NAPLAN Year 6 Camp Jump Rope for Heart presentation 2.30pm	12 th May NAPLAN Year 6 Camp	13 th May NAPLAN	14 th May
Week 4	17 th May	18 th May	19 th May	20 th May Year 3 Excursion/Sleepover	21 st May Year 3 Excursion
Week 5	24 th May School Tour 9.30am ELC Tour 2022/2023 11am SACSA Yr 3/4 Soccer Carnival	25 th May SACSA Yr 5/6 Soccer Carnival	26 th May	27 th May School Photo Day	28 th May
Week 6	31 st May Reception Swimming Lessons	1 st June Reception Swimming Lessons SACSA Cross Country	2 nd June Reception Swimming Lessons	3 rd June Reception Swimming Lessons	4 th June Reception Swimming Lessons
Week 7	7 th June	8 th June	9 th June	10 th June	11 th June Pupil Free Day Camp Australia Open ELC OPEN
Week 8	14 th June Queen's Birthday Public Holiday	15 th June	16 th June	17 th June	18 th June Jump Rope for Heart
Week 9	21 st June	22 nd June	23 rd June	24 th June	25 th June Jump Rope for Heart Back Up Day
Week 10	28 th June Yr 3 & 4 Swimming Lessons	29 th June Yr 3 & 4 Swimming Lessons	30 th June Yr 3 & 4 Swimming Lessons	1 st July Yr 3 & 4 Swimming Lessons	2 nd July Yr 3 & 4 Swimming Lessons

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