



Important Dates

Year 6 Camp

Monday 8 April 2024

Year 6 Camp

Tuesday 9 April 2024

Year 6 Camp

Wednesday 10 April 2024

**Last Day of Term -
3pm Finish**

Friday 12 April 2024

Anzac Day

Thursday 25 April 2024

First Day of Term 2

Monday 29 April 2024

**Little JB's starts -
Monday Cohort**

Monday 29 April 2024

**Little JB's starts -
Friday Cohort**

Friday 3 May 2024

**Playgroup Resumes
(moved to Fridays)**

Friday 3 May 2024

The Ascension

Thursday 9 May 2024

Mother's Day Stall

Friday 10 May 2024

Mother's Day

Sunday 12 May 2024

**Catholic Education
Week**

Monday 13 May 2024

**School Advisory
Board Meeting
6.30pm**

Wednesday 15 May 2024

**Principal's Tour
9.30am**

Thursday 16 May 2024

Pentecost

Sunday 19 May 2024

From the Leadership Team

Dear Families

He is risen! Hoping this Easter season is filled with blessings to all within our wonderful community.

Easter Raffle

Last Thursday afternoon we drew the raffle for the annual Easter prizes. This is always an exciting time for the children! Thank you to all families who donated prizes for the raffle and to the wonderful Parents and Friends for their work in wrapping and organising the gifts.

Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the School Board was held on Wednesday 20th March. I thank the parents and staff who attended for their presence and contribution to the meeting. The reports presented at the meeting are now available online via our school website.

We congratulate the following parent members who were nominated on to the School Advisory Board.

Sally Leonard

Mark Davies

They join existing members - Adam Keegan, Chris Flatman, Ace Lewis and Megan Kloeden as elected School Advisory Board members for the 2024 school year.

Staffing News

Adriana Timpano will return from her leave at the beginning of Term 2. Adriana will work alongside Sharee Grimshaw in the Year 2 classroom. Adriana will work each Monday - Thursday and Sharee will continue in the class each Friday. We warmly welcome Adriana back to the school and thank Sharee for her full-time work in the Year 2 class during Term 1.

We will also welcome back Gary Pascoe in 6P. We thank Curtis Ding for his contribution to the 6P class during Gary's absence. Curtis will still be seen around the school during Term 2 as he teaches in the 6RC classroom for Michael Cimarosti whilst he undertakes the Deputy Principal position for the first 5 weeks of next term.

Francis Schulz will be taking long service leave for the duration of Term 2 and into Term 3. We wish her all the best for her time away. Julia Roy is joining the administration team and will undertake many of the duties which Francis currently oversees.

Land Development

Work is continuing on the development of the land on Anzac Highway. Over the next fortnight we will see the resurfacing of the car park and the laying of the lawn in preparation for use next term. Very exciting!

Winter Uniform

A reminder that the Winter Uniform is to be worn from the beginning of Term 2.

Children in Years R-2 continue to wear the Sports Uniform. However, as the weather cools the children can wear the school sports jacket and tracksuit pants.

Students in Years 3-6 are to wear the winter formal uniform when they are not involved in activities that require the sports uniform.

Please find the formal uniform requirements outlined below.

Girls

- Tartan Skirt
- Navy Trousers or shorts
- Long Sleeved Blue Shirt
- School Navy Blue Jumper or Sports Jacket
- White crew socks or navy tights
- Black Leather School Shoes (Not Sports Sneakers)

Boys

- Navy Shorts
- Grey Trousers
- Long Sleeved Blue Shirt
- School Navy Blue Jumper or Sport Jacket
- Grey Socks / White Socks
- Black Leather School Shoes (Not Sports Sneakers)

As always, our uniform is available from our uniform shop, Brandmode, located at 83 Glen Osmond Road, Eastwood.

As this is the final newsletter for this term, we would like to thank everyone for their support during the term and wish everyone a safe term break.

Best Wishes

The Leadership Team

Catholic Identity

Happy Easter, we celebrate the new life that Christ brings through his resurrection! May this season of life and joy bring you and your family many blessings.

Project Compassion

We have had a meaningful year of Project Compassion, where our focus has been to stand in solidarity with vulnerable communities. Recently we held a special assembly led by Fr Denis, which was followed by our Walk for Water that took place on Friday, 22nd March.

Thank you to everyone who supported Project Compassion this year. As always, your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Holy Week

Our Year 6 Justice & Mission Leaders, Max and Rayna, and Arts Leaders, Scarlett and Maddi have worked to produce silhouette scenes from Holy Week to prayerfully engage our school community. Classes have had a series of short prayer videos allowing them to contemplate Jesus' last moments before his death.

A big thank you to our leaders who so wonderfully took part in creating these videos for the school.

Baptism

Congratulations to Harper Beerworth who celebrated her Baptism on Sunday, 24th March at the 10am Mass in the St John the Baptist Church.

In the light of Easter, we will also be celebrating another momentous occasion within our community. Matilda and Penelope Dennis will be baptised tomorrow morning, 5th April at the 9:30am parish Mass. We will be sharing Easter joy for the family and our school/parish community.

Amanda Razon

APRIM

In Sympathy



Our prayers are with those who have recently lost loved ones.

May God keep them close.

To the families of:

Maddie P in 3J for her Stepfather,

Xavier F in 4W for his maternal grandfather

and

TJ & Lucas Brzezinski (past students) for their father, Peter

*"Eternal Rest grant unto them O'Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

May they rest in peace."

Finance News

Statement of Accounts – Instalments due now

This is just a friendly reminder that Term 1 instalments should now have been paid so please do so this week if you have not yet made a payment. If you are having trouble making a payment or need help working out how much to pay, please phone or email me this week so we can work out a solution. As I am new to the school, I may not know your situation or payment plan so please reach out to me as

soon as possible.

Direct Debits

There is a change happening to our direct debit provider which will occur on the 15th April. This will mean direct debits will not be processed between 15th – 17th April but instead these will be processed on the 18th April. Please be mindful of this if your direct debit falls on the 15th, 16th or 17th April to ensure the funds are available on the 18th.

School Card

This is for families, single parents, or businesses on a low income of around \$70,994 last financial year. Please follow the links below to apply for the 2024 School Card Scheme. These must be completed each school year:

Form A (Income Assessment)

<https://online.forms.sa.edu.au/content/forms/af/public/application-for-school-card.html>

Form B (hardship, change of circumstances or self-employed)

<https://online.forms.sa.edu.au/content/forms/af/public/form-b-hardship-or-circumstance-or-self-employed.html>

If accepted, this will allow us to reduce your tuition fees to the lower-income fee, so please apply as soon as possible as it can take 4-6 weeks for approval. If you need help applying please bring your CRN details into the office and I can lodge it with as it only takes a few minutes online.

Qkr!

The Qkr! Team has advised us that they have now resolved the issues they were having with Android Phones and users can now download the App from the Google Play Store.



They apologise for the inconvenience and thank you for your patience.

If you have any queries or if you are having trouble making payments please email me on accounts@stjohnpl.catholic.edu.au , phone me on 8218 3304 or come in and see me Monday to Friday 8.00am to 4.00pm.

Jodie Veldhoen

Finance Officer



St John the Baptist
Catholic School

2026
ENROLMENTS
ENROLLING
NOW

For more Information:

www.stjohnpl.catholic.edu.au

PH: 8218 3300



Do you have a child who is due to start school in 2026 and have not yet submitted an enrolment form?

Enrolment Forms can be collected from our school office or downloaded via our website www.stjohnpl.catholic.edu.au

If you have any queries, please contact our office on 8218 3300.

From the Sport Coordinator



Dear St John's Community,

We are closing in on the end of Term 1 very quickly, I have been very impressed with the levels of engagement for all things Sport. I see so many positive attitudes and high levels of enthusiasm from the students on a regular basis.

It is very pleasing to report that we had 71 students represent the school for After-School Sport. These teams don't function without supportive parents and the Mentors and Team Managers that guide the teams each week. Thank you to all of you who have played a part in this, whether it is getting your child to the games or volunteering your time to be a Mentor or Team Manager.

In Term 2 we will offer Netball, Volleyball, Basketball and Soccer. If your child is interested in playing one of these great sports, please look to book them in through the QKR! App. We are currently just working through the Soccer information, so that will go live on QKR! very soon.

This week, 22 students from Years 3-6 competed at the SACPSSA Swimming Carnival. At the completion of the event, St John the Baptist School were crowned 'Overall Champions' for the day. This is an outstanding achievement and something that everyone should be extremely proud of. Every person in the team swam like superstars and it was so pleasing to see everyone encouraging and supporting one another. On top of this we were also awarded Year Level Champions for both Year 3 and Year 6. A special mention to our relay teams also, as we won the 3/4 Freestyle Relays. Next year we will be promoted to Section 2 and will compete at Burnside. Thank you to our volunteers who assisted on the day, it was great to see so many parents too supporting their children.



We had our Year 4's, Year 5's and Year 6's compete in the Glenelg Lacrosse Carnival. It was great to see all students putting the skills that they have been learning in their PE lessons into practice. We nominated 17 teams for this carnival and were very impressed with

each and every student. Thank you again to all the teachers and parents who mentored a team and made the day possible for all of the students.

I look forward to a busy, productive and engaging term of Sport again in Term 2.

Yours in Sport,

Sam Putland
SPORT COORDINATOR

Staff Profiles



Name	Lauren Farinola
Role at St Johns & Years of Service	ESO, first year at St John's

Favourite Colour	Aqua
Favourite Food	Pork Belly or Beef/Lamb Roast with lots of Veggies
Sporting Team you support	Matildas and Adelaide Crows
Hobbies & Interests	Spending time with family and friends Going for walks and hikes
Primary School you attended	Mid North Christian College
High School you attended	Mid North Christian College
Pets	I don't have any pets.
3 Words to describe yourself	Quiet, Caring, Patient
Best advice you have been given	Always remember to put yourself in their shoes.
Favourite holiday spot	Port Hughes
Favourite Season	Summer

Parent & Friends News



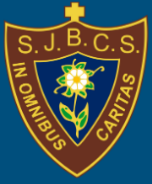
Congratulations to our Easter Raffle winners, there were many very happy students!

Thank you to everyone who donated prizes for the event and a big thank you to the P&F volunteers for their organisation and coordination! We raised approximately \$1800!

Raffle winners for the bigger prizes were:

- 1st Prize - Evie A (REC BR)
- 2nd Prize - Violet E (1SM)
- 3rd Prize - Zach N (1M)
- 4th Prize - Ella W (6P)
- 5th Prize - Archie S's Dad (1SM)
- 6th Prize - Harry S (5G)

SJBCS P&F Team



St John the Baptist
Catholic School

**Playgroup is
moving to**

Friday's

From Term 2

First Session - 3rd May

9am - 10.30am



Playgroup will be changing days as of next term. We will be running playgroup on Friday mornings from 9am – 10.30am each week of the school term. We look forward to reading, playing, singing, and seeing you there.

Karina Overall

Playgroup Coordinator

From the Library



Premier's Reading Challenge

Please continue to support your child's reading for the Premier's Reading Challenge this year, especially those in Year 2 - Year 6. The children are also reminded to only enter two books by the same author on the PRC Record Sheet.

Lost Books

If your child has overdue books please help them to look for them at home. They usually turn up and come back into the library system for others to enjoy.

Autumn holidays are the perfect time to snuggle up and read a book or two. Enjoy.

Thank you

Maria French

Library Coordinator

From the Counsellor



From the School Counsellor

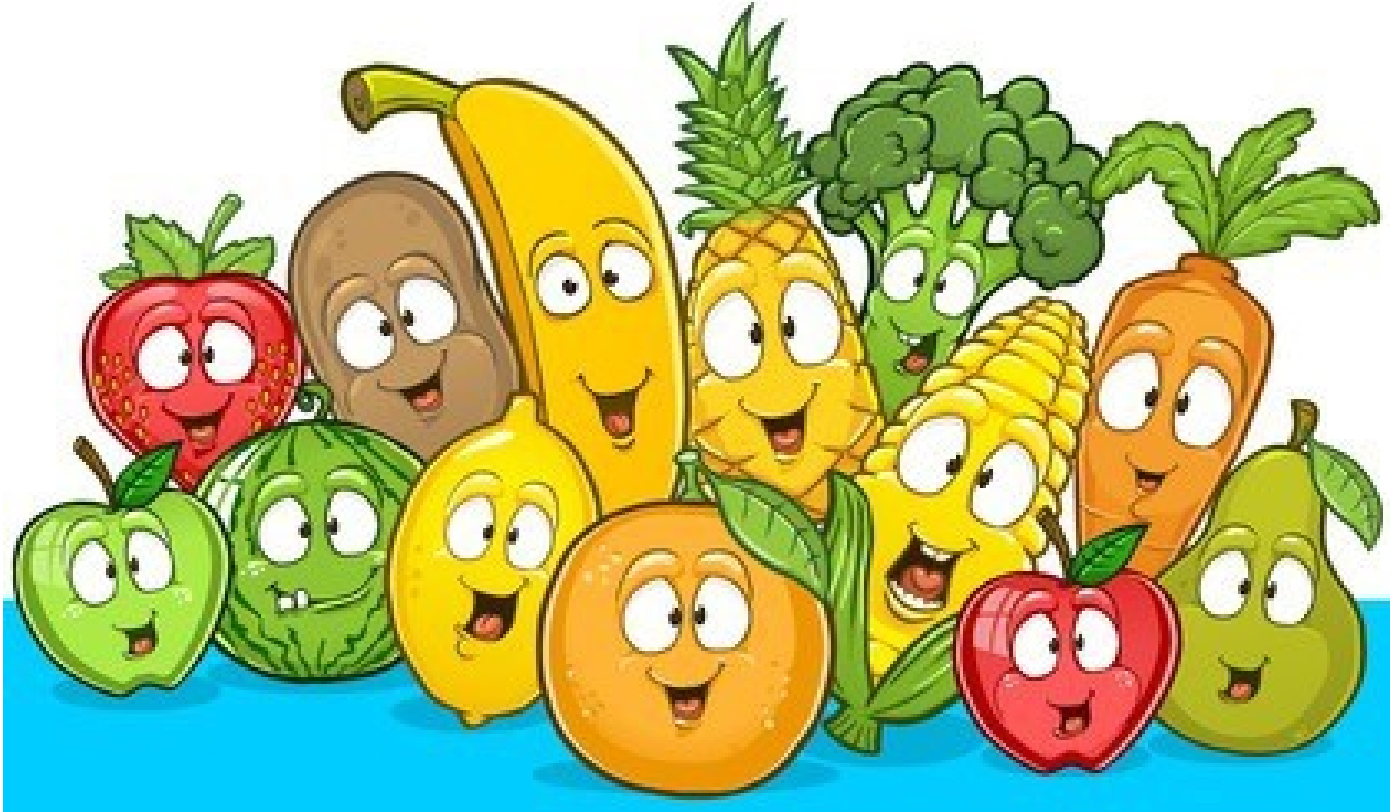
If you ask parents what they most want for their child, many will say something like this: "I just want my child to be happy". Whilst most of us know, at a logical level, that we can't make this happen, seeing our children frequently or deeply sad, is very confronting. (Developing Minds)

The following link has some helpful tips on how to support your child when they are experiencing regular sadness.

Sarah

Centacare School Counsellor

Canteen News



All orders for both recess and lunch are to be ordered via our Qkr! app.

Canteen orders close each canteen day (Monday, Wednesday & Friday) at 9.00am.

Healthy Canteen (Tuesday & Thursday) orders close on Mondays at 12pm.

Canteen Roster

Term 1

Friday 5th Apr - Jo & Cara Finneran

Monday 8th Apr - Julie

Tuesday 9th Apr - Jo

Wednesday 10th Apr - Julie

Thursday 11th Apr - Jo

Friday 12th Apr - Jo & Stacey Arnold

Thank you to everyone who volunteered this term - your help is much appreciated!

Julie Henschke & Jo Fitzgerald

Thrive on Thursday

Come and Play at

'Thrive'

All children and families are welcome to Join our wellbeing program

Playful Games Zone

Connect with other families

Chat with our School Chaplain

Every Thursday

IN THE HALL BEFORE THE SCHOOL BELL



'Thrive' on Thursday

"Thrive" offers a safe and welcoming space for families. It is a space for children to enjoy some activities such as tic tac toe where

children can play and parents are free to chat with our School Chaplain and connect with each other.



ROCKETEERS PROGRAM



Service Name	Date
Camp Australia – SA St John the Baptist Catholic Primary School OSHC	Monday 15 th April – 19 th April

Intentional Experiences

	Monday 15 th April	Tuesday 16 th April	Wednesday 17 th April	Thursday 18 th April	Friday 19 th April
Theme	Mission Takeoff XIII: Camp Explorers	Operation: Spookactular Spectacles	Project: Shadow Puppets & Dice Tales	Excursion: Basketball Frenzy	Operation: Pyjama Party
Showcase Experience	Let's get BUSH COOKING! We're making a traditional Australian camping food, Damper Bread!	Spoooky slime is divine. Let's have some fun making some ooey-gooley spooky slime!	Did you know you can make shadow puppets anywhere with only three things? Let's start off creating hand shadow puppets before we create pre-cut puppets!	Are you a basketball fan? Well this ones for you! Join us for a 2 hour clinic with the Adelaide 36ers	No pyjama party is complete without a midnight feast. Let's come together and make our favourite midnight snacks.
AM Featured Experience	We can't go camping without a tent! So let's band together and decorate our OSHC tent as a team! <input type="checkbox"/>	Have you ever loved your pictures so much you wanted to create stickers out of them? Now's your chance! Let's get busy and create some very cool, very spooky stickers! <input type="checkbox"/>	Put your imagination to the test by creating your own dice that tell a story when you roll them! <input type="checkbox"/>	Let's utilise those basketball skills and play an interactive basketball game called Fox in a Henhouse. <input type="checkbox"/>	The best part about pyjama partys has to be creating your very own sleep masks! Let's create some together for you to take home! <input type="checkbox"/>
PM Featured Experience	How do you tell the time when you go camping? Let's create our own sundials to use a natural resource to show the time! I'll give you a hint, it's bright, it's hot annnddd it's the SUN! <input type="checkbox"/>	What's spookier than ghosts? Nothing that's what! Become a ghost hunter and let's see how many ghosts you can find on our DIY ghost hunter activity! <input type="checkbox"/>	Create your very own characters to star in an epic comic story! A little hint.... We can use our story telling dice! <input type="checkbox"/>	Everybody knows how to play Musical Chairs so let's use those skills to play a new game called Musical Baskets! <input type="checkbox"/>	What's a pyjama party without spending it with your friends? Let's make friendship bracelets together to give to all our friends! <input type="checkbox"/>
Mission Chat	Welcome to Rocketeers! Lets go through some expectations and our daily routine. What are you looking forward to these holidays?				

BOOK NOW

www.campaustralia.com.au/rocketeers

by Camp Australia

Service Name	Date
Camp Australia – SA St John the Baptist Catholic Primary School OSHC	Monday 22 nd April – Friday 26 th April

Intentional Experiences

	Monday 22 nd April	Tuesday 23 rd April	Wednesday 24 th April	Thursday 25 th April	Friday 26 th April
Theme	Big Art Day: Umbrella Art Showcase	Experience Takeover: Forensic Investigations	Excursion: Ninja Warriors		Operation: Messy Makers
Showcase Experience	Brighten up your rainy days and create your very own one of a kind umbrella with our DIY Umbrella painting.	Bursting at your fingertips to get an inside scoop on how fingerprints are collected? Join us to dust and collect finger prints around the OSHC room!	Come on an adventure with us and navigate the SA Base Camp Course.	Public Holiday ANZAC Day	Join us to create this FIZZ-TASTC rainbow experiement and have heaps of fizzy fun.
AM Featured Experience	Let us inspire your creative thinking by reading The Circles all Around Us. <input type="checkbox"/>	Become a forensic investigator and solve the riddles to find out who keeps stealing all the watermelon at snack time! <input type="checkbox"/>	Get warmed up ready to become a true Ninja Warrior with a fantastic obstacle course on the brand new Nature Play area! <input type="checkbox"/>		Let's get messy and create a painting! The only catch is we're using our fingers instead of paintbrushes! <input type="checkbox"/>
PM Featured Experience	Get ready to showcase your art work at this exclusive Rocketeers Art Gallery. <input type="checkbox"/>	Grab your detective hat and become an investigator during some cool group games (Wink Murderer, Murder in the Dark, Night in the Museum) <input type="checkbox"/>	Now you've got the hang of being a true Ninja Warrior put your skills to use in this epic game of the Floor is Lava! <input type="checkbox"/>		Have you got a love for bubbles? Let's use that love to create some fantastic bubble paintings in this messy makers afternoon. <input type="checkbox"/>
Mission Chat	What have you enjoyed most about your holidays? Is there anything you would like to do before we finish? <input type="checkbox"/>				



BOOK NOW

www.campastralia.com.au/rocketeers

by Camp Australia

Volunteering at St Johns



St John the Baptist School provides a safe environment for all while valuing the partnership between school and home.

As a Catholic community, we welcome and value volunteers. To be able to volunteer, and/or attend at other times throughout the school year, we ask that you hold a current Catholic Police Check (parents/caregivers attending excursions, reading in class, helping in class, attending community events), a current Responding to Risks of Harm, Abuse and Neglect in Education and Care for Volunteers certificate and have completed the volunteers application package.

A Catholic Police Check for volunteers is free for our current parents and caregivers. Application Forms are available in our school office.

This process ensures we maintain a child safe environment. To avoid disappointment, we encourage you to apply for a Catholic Police Check through the school office as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at the school office on 8218 3300 or email Francis Schulz on fschulz@stjohnpl.catholic.edu.au.

Bright Ideas



We value your insights and involvement in enhancing our school community. Please share any suggestions or ideas you have regarding school improvement. Your input is crucial in creating a positive and effective learning environment for our students.

Insights may be discussed at future School Advisory Board meetings or you may be contacted personally for further follow up!

Please find link [here](#) for your suggestions.

Plympton Parish Region 3 Assembly



REGION 3 ASSEMBLY

Come to your **Region 3 Assembly**. Have your voice heard.
Celebrate the giftedness of your parishes and schools.

Saturday,
4th May 2024

11am – 3pm
Registration at **10.30am**

Sacred Heart College
Champagnat Campus

28 Percy Avenue,
Mitchell Park, SA 5043



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CABRA
Dominican College

Year 7 2026 Enrolment Applications
close Friday 12 April 2024



Year 7, 2026 Intake

For any families that may be considering enrolment at Cabra Dominican College in Year 7, 2026, a reminder that enrolment applications will close on **Friday 12 April 2024 (end of Term 1)**. Please note that siblings of current students are required to complete an application form.



2024 College Tours

Champagnat Campus

Located in Mitchell Park, Champagnat Campus is the learning environment for students in Years 7 – 9.

Please visit the College website to book into a tour.

Tuesday 5 March	4.15pm
Tuesday 9 April	9.15am
Tuesday 21 May	9.15am
Tuesday 20 August	9.15am
Tuesday 22 October	9.15am



**SACRED HEART
COLLEGE**

Champagnat Campus 28 Percy Avenue, Mitchell Park SA 5043
(08) 8350 2500 | enquiries@shc.sa.edu.au

shc.sa.edu.au

Plympton Catholic Parish Mass Times



DAILY MASSES - MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY AT 9.30AM

VIGIL MASS - SATURDAYS AT 6PM

MASS - SUNDAY'S AT 8.30AM & 10AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - FRIDAY'S 10AM - 12PM

ROSARY - MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY AT 9.10AM

RECONCILIATION - SATURDAY'S FROM 11.30AM

Parents Babies and Childrens Expo



Visit us at the
Pregnancy, Babies & Children's Expo

Use code **637 J88** for
50% off adult ticket price.
Children free.

Saturday April 13
Sunday April 14

**Adelaide Showground,
Wayville**

 **Catholic
School
Parents**
SOUTH AUSTRALIA

 **catholic
education**
south australia

Australia's **LARGEST** and the **WORLD'S** longest running early parenting event! The Pregnancy Babies & Children's Expo (PBC Baby Expo) showcases **BIG brands, BEST prices, EXPERT talks and classes** from our resident midwife and parenting professionals, and all the **LATEST innovations** under one roof.

Plus, you'll get to push, park and compare a large range of pram brands exclusively on our **Pram Test Track!**

See, touch and try before you buy with exclusive **EXPO DEALS** on all your baby and nursery essentials including:

- Prams + strollers
- Cots + bassinets
- Capsules + car seats
- Feeding + sleep products
- Play mats + toys
- Clothing + accessories
- And so much more!

Discover all you need to know from **bump**, to **birth** and **beyond**. You won't want to miss this!

When

Saturday, 13 April 2024 10am - 4pm

Sunday, 14 April 2024 10am - 4pm

Where

Jubilee Pavillion

Adelaide Showground, Wayville, South Australia, 5035

Adelaide Botanic Gardens - Teddy Bears Picnic



Teddy Bears' Picnic with the SA Police Band

Date: Sunday 14 April 2024

Times: 10:00am -12:00pm

Location: Conifer Lawn, [Adelaide Botanic Garden](#) (G9 on the [map](#))

Cost: Free, no booking or registration required.

What do I bring: A blanket or low chair to sit on. Bring a picnic or make use of our café and kiosk. Don't forget to pack your favourite teddy bear to join in on the fun!

For further info please go to the website - [Teddy Bears' Picnic with the SA Police Band](#) (botanicgardens.sa.gov.au)

Adelaide Museum - School Holiday Program



Head to the Museum these school holidays for hands-on workshops, programs, and family friendly fun.

Beehive Hangs at the Museum (Ages 4-7) | 22 April 2024, 11:00am - 12:00pm

Beehive Hangs at the Museum (Ages 8-12) | 23 April 2024, 11:00am - 12:00pm

Make a bee-line to the South Australian Museum these school holidays for a hands-on workshop all about North Terrace's buzziest residents.

Learn all about one of nature's hard-working pollinators: the humble bee! Join Xandra from Xannie's Bees in the Discovery Centre where you'll create your own bee-themed plant pot to take home and encourage pollination in your own backyard.

Have a sticky-beak at the Museum's 90-year-old bee colony living in our observation beehive, try on some beekeeping gear, and grab a taste of honey straight from the hive!

Fun with Fossils (Ages 5-11) | 15 April 2024, 11:00am - 12:00pm

Fun with Fossils (Ages 12 -17) | 16 April 2024, 11:00am - 12:00pm

Dig into the fossilised past these school holidays with a hands-on workshop exploring the ancient oceans that once covered our own backyard.

Join palaeontologist and artist Riley in the Learning Space, level 2, and explore fascinating fossil specimens that lived, died, and sunk to the ocean floor at different stages of the distant past, from ammonites and crinoids to corals.

You will assemble your own unique aquatic fossil creature which will then be cast in plaster for you to take home!

Brainy Games | 18 - 20 April 2024, 10.00am – 5.00pm

Where: South Australian Museum, Learning Space, Level 2

Ever wondered about your amazing brain and how it helps you to understand the world? Ever wanted to see what a research scientist does? Adelaide University School of Psychology is at the South Australian Museum these school holidays with fun, interactive games that are part of their scientific research. Children and adults are invited to play games which cover a wide range of topics including understanding how we use logic to think, how we show our emotions, how we recognise other people (even when they look different), and how we use someone's appearance to make decisions about them.

This is a free activity, no bookings required.

SA Maritime Museum - School Holiday Program

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MARITIME MUSEUM

1. Creature Quest Lego Trail: 7 - 30 April 2023 from 10am to 5pm
2. Gooroo Animation Workshop - LEGO® Animation: 27 - 29 April 2023 at 11am, 12pm, 1pm & 2pm
3. Sea Creature Origami: 17 - 26 April 2023 from 10:30am - 2pm

Where: South Australian Maritime Museum, 126 Lipson Street, Port Adelaide, SA 5015

Cost: Free with museum entry

Visit: <https://maritime.history.sa.gov.au/whats-on/events/>

School Holidays Events

The South Australian Maritime Museum welcomes all children to their April school holidays events! Check out the list of all the fun upcoming events in April as well as a description of each one below.

School Holidays: Creature Quest LEGO® Trail

Would you like to learn fun facts about scales, tails and sails? Check out the LEGO® minifigures in the Creature Quest LEGO® Trail to solve their secret word and enter one of two draws for the chance to win a spectacular prize!

Draw 1:

First prize (valued at \$159.99): LEGO® Avatar Payakan the Tulkun & Crabsuit (75579) (10+)

Second prize (valued at \$54.99): LEGO® Creator Sunken Treasure Mission (31130) (8+)

Draw 2:

First prize (valued at \$159.99): LEGO® Duplo Wild Animals of Asia (10974) (2+)

Second prize (valued at \$79.99): LEGO® Duplo Wild animals of South America (10973) (2+)

Glenelg Lacrosse Club - Come and Try Day



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COME AND TRY
THE NEWEST OLYMPIC SPORT
LACROSSE

5:30 - 6:30PM

7th, 14th, 21st March & 4th April

 **Barratt Reserve, West Beach**

AGES 6-13 WELCOME

ALL EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED

JUST BRING A HAT, A DRINK & A FRIEND

Any inquiries please contact our junior development team :

juniors@glenelglacrosse.com.au



School Holiday GYMNASTICS

Western Youth Centre
79 Marion Road
Cowandilla

LEARN TO ROLL
FLIP AND FLY

ENROL NOW!



Session Times:

- | | | |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| MON 22ND | 9:00 am | GYMNASTICS FOR ALL (ages 4+) |
| | 10:30 am | TRAMP AND TUMBLING (ages 6+) |
| | 10:30 am | ACRO DANCE SKILLS (ages 7+) |
| TUES 23RD | 9:00 am | GYMNASTICS FOR ALL (ages 4+) |
| | 10:30 am | TRAMP AND TUMBLING (ages 6+) |
| | 10:30 am | BASICS OF BARS (ages 6+) |

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HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

Fulham

Monday 15th & Tuesday 16th

April 2024

9:30am - 12:00pm

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PLYMPTON FC

4 Park Terrace, Plympton Park SA 5038

10th Of May Starting At 4:45pm

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Academy Registrations are now OPEN!

This year Little Athletics SA will again have the
Emerging & Elite Squads

It doesn't matter whether you're new to athletics or you've been competing for a long time, the Little Athletics SA Academy is perfect for you! The Academy caters for everyone and aims to assist athletes to further their skills in all track and field events. The academy sessions are delivered by highly skilled and experienced accredited coaches.

In addition to the practical sessions, the Elite and Emerging Squads will both have theory presentations throughout the Academy program. These presentations are aimed at providing athletes with further knowledge and understanding to ensure they continue to follow the athletics pathway to success.

Please read the booklet prior to registering for all information. This includes costs, times and plenty more important information, as well as eligibility and selection criteria for each Academy squad.

2024 Academy Booklet

Register Below

REGISTER FOR THE EMERGING SQUAD HERE

REGISTER FOR THE ELITE SQUAD HERE

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS HERE

If you have any questions that are not answered in the FAQ, [click here to enquire](#) or contact the office on 08 8352 8133.

Tennis



**Holiday
Clinic**

**APRIL
15-18**



**9:30am-
12:00pm**



Register now!

(For ages 4 - 13 years old)

North Adelaide

33 Kingston Terrace East, North Adelaide SA

www.morethansport.com.au

Soccer



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More Than Sport - Tennis and Soccer Holiday Clinics

More Than Sport's most awaited events are coming up this school break! **Tennis and Soccer holiday clinics** registrations are open and it's the best way to keep your child active, learning and having a blast during the holidays!

Spots are limited and sell out fast, so don't miss out! Find more information and register through their website.

Register Here : <https://morethansport.com.au/holiday-clinic/>

*Please note both clinics are held in the same location but are **separe events**. Choose the sport that best suits your child.

Holiday clinic info:

Days & Dates: 15th to 18th April (Monday to Thursday)

Time: 9:30am - 12:00pm

Location: 33 Kingston Terrace E, North Adelaide

Kick Start Soccer



KICK Start
SOCCER

WHO: Boys and Girls
aged 5 to 11 years

WHERE: **Karkungka**
(formerly Kesmond Reserve)
Keswick

WHEN: Sundays
10:00am to 11:00am
starting May 19th

CONTACT:

Ph: Adrian 0402 418 580

Email: info@simplysports.com.au

Web: simplysports.com.au/football



Further details and registrations can be found here on our website: <https://simplysports.com.au/football/keswick/>

Guided Parent Delivered Cognitive Behaviour Therapy for Perfectionism



PERFECTIONISM

Is the enemy of

progress

Winston Churchill

This research has been reviewed by:

- * The Human Research Ethics Committee Flinders University (HREC 5816)
- * Curtin University Human Research Ethics Committee (HRE2023-0652)
- * South Australian Department for Education
- * Association of Independent Schools of South Australia
- * Catholic Education South Australia

Funded by the Channel 7 Children's Research Foundation



Are you the parent/carer of a child aged 7 to 12 who:

- Feels bad about themselves if they do not do very well at things (e.g., school, hobbies).
- Continually sets goals for themselves that seem difficult to reach.
- Tends to procrastinate, or put things off, even though they feel bad about it later.
- Spends a lot of time thinking about their mistakes or any errors in what they do.



What is the approach of the Guided Parent-Delivered Cognitive Behaviour Therapy for Perfectionism research study?

The program includes six modules, designed to be used by the caregiver with the child, in interactive learning activities, supported by an online guidance session once a week. Each of which contains:

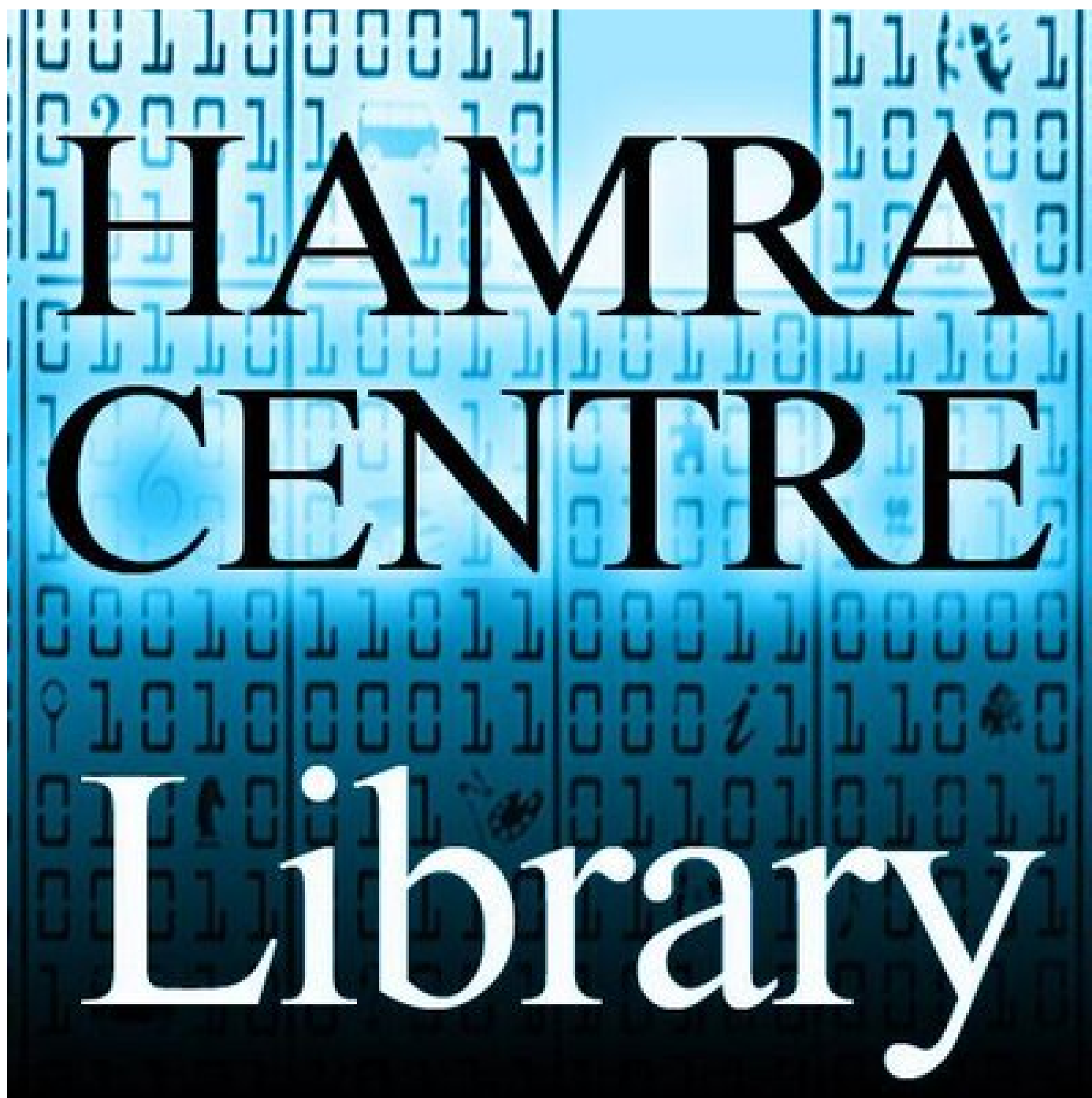
- Information about perfectionism.
- Activities for the caregiver to complete independently.
- Handouts for the caregiver to give to the child and discuss with them and exercises that the caregiver and child can complete together.
- Questionnaires for you and your child to complete online over the course of the evaluation and 12-weeks after the intervention is completed.



The program aims to help: (1) children pursue meaningful goals whilst reducing distress – not lowering their standards; (2) children explore new thoughts, behaviors, and less harmful avenues to achievement; (3) caregivers identify perfectionism in themselves, promoting joint learning.

To participate or see additional study details follow the QR code or email maya.jabs@flinders.edu.au





Hamra Library currently offer the following drop-in activities:

- A monthly writers' group (4:30-5:30pm every second Wednesday of the month)
- A monthly book club with no set text, just a place to come and talk about books! (4:30-5:30pm last Wednesday of every month)
- Homework club for all-ages study assistance every Monday during term, 4pm-6pm.
- 24/7 access to Studiosity for additional support if they have a West Torrens library card!
- The Australian Refugee Association offers homework support to students from refugee backgrounds who have been in Australia for 5 years or less every Thursday of term - 4pm-6pm
- Lego Club (every 2nd Monday during term time, 3:30-5pm)
- "Sign Squad" for 12-25 year olds to learn Auslan from a Deaf tutor (Friday 5-6pm in weeks 1, 4, and 8 of each term)

None of these activities require bookings but further information is available via the Hamra Library website on the Activities and Events webpage:

<https://www.westtorrens.sa.gov.au/Hamra-Centre-Library/Activities-and-event>

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Absences



If a student is absent from school due to illness, parents / caregivers are asked to contact the school office by 9.00am via:

- Absentee Line 8218 3300 – available 24 hours a day to leave a message
- SMS Messaging 0409 793 402

Birthdays



Congratulations to those who celebrate their birthday in the next few weeks and over the holidays.

April Birthdays

4th Apr - Alexia F (2T) & Alen K (4W)

6th Apr - Navika P (REC K) & Reiva S (REC K)

7th Apr - Ruby K (5F) & Riley T (5G)

8th Apr - Charlie T (4A)

9th Apr - Harry H (5F)

10th Apr - Nahla D (5F) & Zach N (1M)

11th Apr - Melanie K (REC BR)

13th Apr - Ayaan M (2S)

14th Apr - Angela J (4W) & Asher S (REC B)

15th Apr - Raya S (REC BR)

19th Apr - Prajeedh B (5G) & Max T (REC B)

20th Apr - Sienna H (2T)

21st Apr - Will K (4P)

23rd Apr - Angus P (1M) & Marley S (REC K)

25th Apr - Celeste F (2S)

26th Apr - Archer H (6P) & Amalie W (6P)

27th Apr - Violet E (1SM), Addison S (5F) & Felix T (4W)

28th Apr - Alfie H (5G), Logan N (2S) & Abigail W (4P)

29th Apr - Indi S (5G)

30th Apr - Reid H (6RC) & Alfie H (1M)

May Birthdays

2nd May - Lope F (1M)

3rd May - Ethan B (5G)

7th May - Ilyana N (1SM) & Billie O (1M)

School Uniform



QUALITY UNIFORMS

Our uniform is available for purchase from Brandmode, 83 Glen Osmond Road, Eastwood. Ph - (08) 8357 0022

To purchase uniform online please click [here](#).

To book an appointment please click [here](#).

For further information on our Uniform Guidelines, please click [here](#).

Instrumental Tutors

We currently offer the following instrumental tutoring:

Piano

(currently a waitlist)

Tutor - Christine Davies

Ph: 0403 546 091

Email - christineonpiano@gmail.com

Guitar & Ukelele

Tutor - Dido Durmanovic

Ph: 0407 719 836

Email: didodurmanovic@hotmail.com

Acknowledgement



We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the lands on which we live, learn and work.

We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual connection and relationship of Aboriginal peoples to this country and commit to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.

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Camp Australia

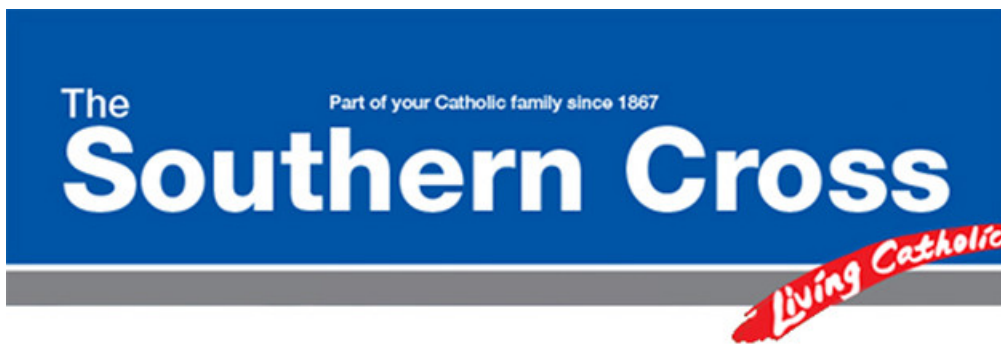


To make a Your OSHC booking, you need to register with Camp Australia first.

Registration is free and can be done online, or with our smartphone app.

www.campaustralia.com.au

Southern Cross Newsletter



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