

### **Stone The Crows**

I grew up on an almond orchard.

Dad had 1000 Californian Paper Shells and I had a passionate dislike for each and every one of them, except for at this time of the year when the blossom is out.

The couple of months before harvest were filled with shooing off the birds. Every day just before the sun came up, the pink and grey galahs would flock in and do a couple of circuits of the big green helipad. Screeching radio calls were made to the control tower and they'd land in the trees with the finesse of a three year old packing away their toys. The big gas scare gun would go off and they'd take to the skies and do it all again.

But not the crows.... they'd sneak in and sit low in the trees and tell you what they thought in a low and controlled voice....and when the gun went off, they'd stay put and carry on the feast.

In the animal kingdom Crows are agile and resourceful, (but in the world of football at the moment, they're at the bottom of the food chain).

As we continue to consider the creatures of the bible this term, this week we are concentrating on the crow. Or in the case of Elijah, the raven.

The Old Testament and almond growers concur that the Raven is an unclean bird. And generally they have been characterised as a personification of sin and evil - Noah put one on job seeker but it quit on the very first day!

But in the story of Elijah God sends a raven to feed the hiding prophet. (It's a bit of an irony that God uses an unclean animal to bring food....) but that's the God we crow about - agile and resourceful. And a God of grace.

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# NEWSLETTER Term 3 Week 3 Friday 7 Aug 2020

### What's on in Term 3

Week 4 Mon 10 Aug - Assembly Yr 3 Week 5 Thurs 20 Aug - Carers Cup Cakes Week 6 Weds 26 Aug - Photo day Friday 28 Aug - Disco Night Week 7 Concert Week (F-3) Fri 4 Sept - Student Free Day Week 8 Mon 7 Sept - Assembly Mon 7 Sept - Burger Lunch Friday 11 Sept - Movie Night Week 9 Scholastic Book Fair Week 10 Year 5 camp and aquatics

### 2020 Term Dates

Fri 25 Sept- end Term 3

Term 3: Monday 20 July to Friday 25 September Term 4: Monday 12 October to Wednesday 9 December

### 2021 Term Dates

Term 1: Weds 27 Jan to Fri 9 April Term 2: Tues 27 April to Fri 25 June Term 3: Mon 19 July to Fri 24 Sept Term 4: Mon 11 Oct to Wed 8 Dec

### COMMUNICATION

We will continue to just email the NEWSLETTER to families every fortnight instead of providing the printed copy.

Please remember to read the School Newsletters, Monday Emails and other correspondence from teachers to keep updated on what is happening at Immanuel.

Other information can be found on the

SCHOOL WEBSITE

http://www.ilsg.sa.edu.au/

FACEBOOK

https://www.facebook.com/ ImmanuelGawler/

### **REMINDERS**

### **CAR PARKS / SPEED LIMTS**

Our school car parks and driveways are busy at peak times - please remember to drive safely and vigilantly at 10km/h.

- Please park in designated spaces. Do not park unsafely on corners or where other cars cannot pass.
- The **Oval** is open for parking in the morning for drop off and afternoon for pick up. Please drive slowly with care.
- When using Daly Street carpark remember to walk your child along the pathways along fence lines into the school gate. Do not walk in the middle of the carpark where cars are travelling.
- When exiting School Lane onto Daly Street please note you cannot turn right during peak times.
- You can use Daly Street carpark as a kiss and drop or pickup zone by keeping in the middle but this process should not hold up traffic, so please do not park and be aware of other vehicles trying to keep moving.
- **East Terrace** parking <u>please do not park at the end</u> of residents driveways restricting their access to their property

### Gates:

- Daly Street car park entrance gate is open all day.
- Lyndoch Road, School Lane and Oval gates are locked at 9.30am and reopened at 3.00pm, then relocked at 3.45pm.

### **UNIFORM**

### Footwear

There are a significant number of students wearing sneakers instead of the correct leather shoes when in formal uniform. If you child needs to wear sneakers for any reason then we would appreciate a note to say why.

 The full uniform policy is on our website at http://www.ilsg.sa.edu.au/students/uniform

### Footwear

Girls Sports: Supportive sports shoes with white socks (anklet or ankle height)
Girls Formal: Black lace up shoes or girl buckle style with white socks

Boys Sports: Supportive Sports shoes with white socks (anklet or ankle height)
Boys Formal: Black lace up shoes or Velcro style with grey socks (ankle height)

### Girls slacks for formal winter uniform

Navy slacks can still be purchased for girls to wear from year 2 to year 6.
 Price is \$20

### Girls Skorts and blouse for formal summer uniform

School council has approved an inclusive and alternative summer uniform item
for girls, this being navy blue skorts and white short sleeve blouse.
 Sizes 6-16 to suit girls from year 2 to year 6. Stock will be ordered soon ready for
term 4. Please express your interest and we will let you know when stock arrives.

### **HAS YOUR CHILD LOST THEIR JUMPER?**

- We have so many in the lost property box in the office with no name. If labelled correctly we could return misplaced items easily.
- Please remember to put names on all jumpers.
- If you purchase a second hand item please ensure you cross out the old name and write your child's name on it.
- Please remind your child the importance of putting their school jumper and hat straight into their school bag when they are taken off so they will not get lost.

### **Keeping Warm**

• It is important for your child to keep warm and wear their jumper (green or rugby) on the cool winter mornings.

### 2020 CENSUS

### Friday 7 August

The Census provides the Australian Government, parents, and the community with information about schools and students in Australia. The annual Census collects information about:

- the numbers of students and staff
- students on a visa
- students with disability
- Indigenous Australian students.

### **Scholastic Book Club**

Issue 5 orders are now closed. Orders should arrive in within the next 2 weeks.

### **Subway Lunches**

Orders in by Wednesday For Lunch on Fridays

### **Worship and Praise**

These will be held on Friday for students to meet altogether, however parents cannot attend (for the moment). We will video and email the link to families each week so you can view from home.

### Junior Youth (for Yr 4,5,6's)

We will let you know when this can resume

### **Gawler Lutheran Church**

will now hold their regular Sunday Family Worship at Immanuel School in Taikondi at 10.30am.

All families are welcome to join in. Please arrive from 10am to sign in and find a seat.

### **OPEN MORNING**

### Tuesday 18 August 9.30am

A tour of our classrooms and facilities with the Principal for any new families looking to enrol at Immanuel from 2021 and beyond.

### WHAT'S COMING UP

### **Cup Cakes**

- In term 1 the carers group were preparing a cup cake day to celebrate Harmony Day, however this was put on hold.
- Carers group will now fulfil the orders in week 5 on Thursday 20 August.
   Cupcakes previously ordered will be baked and sent home at the end of the day.



### Student Photo Day Wednesday 26 August

- Ordering envelopes will go home today.
   Please return by Friday 21 August.
- These must be returned even if you are not placing an order.
- Payment via cash, money order or online credit card via the photographer follow the instructions on the envelope.
- Family envelopes for sibling group photos available from the office
- Extra student envelopes are also available in the office for separated families
- What to wear:

Year 2-6 students will need to wear their **full formal winter uniform** including the green jumper.

Found & year 1 students will wear their sports uniform including the rugby jumper.

### School Disco Friday 28 August

- 6pm to 7.15pm for F, 1, 2 & 3's
- 7.30pm to 8.45pm for Yr 4, 5 & 6's \$3 / student at Immanuel in Taikondi.
- Arranged by the P&F Group Extra information and tickets on sale soon



### School Concert for F-3's

- This is scheduled for Term 3 Week 7.
- We hope to stagger the concert night into grade levels:

Foundation's Tuesday night 1st Sept, Yr 1's Wednesday night 2nd Sept, Yr 2/3's Thursday night 3rd September.

 However this format is still under review and may change should there be further covid restrictions. We will keep you up to date with details as they come.

### **Student Free Day**

- Scheduled on **Friday 4 September** as a staff professional development day.
- iGOSH will be open for those children who need care and bookings can be made now.

### <u>Premier's Reading Challenge</u>

- Reading concludes for the Premier's Reading Challenge on 4th September 2020.
- As in previous years, students will need to read 12 books to complete the challenge.
- Unlike previous years, there is no requirement that students read a certain number of books from the Premier's Reading Challenge list – they have free choice to read any twelve books, although those on the Premier's Reading Challenge list are recommended



Lauren in Year 3 has done a great job organising posters and a donation tin in the office to help fundraise to save the worlds orangutans.

Donations welcome!





### **Uniform Shop**

 Open Monday morning 8.30 - 9.15am and Friday afternoon 3.00 – 3.45pm (or by appointment)

### **Second hand Uniform Stall**

 Open Tuesday morning at 8.45 to 9.15am;
 Wednesday afternoon 3pm to 3.45pm and Thursday afternoon by request

### **2019 Year Book Aspire**

We have some extra copies of this book for sale from the office for \$10 / copy.



# THE OPEN DOOR CHRISTIAN BOOKSHOP GAWLER

Father's Day 6 September

Come and select from a range of Christian Cards, Gifts, Bibles, DVDs & Books.

# Aug-Sept \*Super-Special Clearance sale\*

Large fold-up pamphlets reduced to \$2 each - for information /study. Many interesting topics including Noah's Ark, What's so great about Heaven, Spirituality & Truth.

### **Trading hours:**

Monday <u>closed</u>, Tuesday-Friday 10am - 4pm Saturday 10am - 1pm

Shop 5, Gawler Arcade, 126 Murray St, Gawler. Enquiries welcome. Ph 85221677 Email:

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FB: www.facebook.com/
opendoorcommunity
bookshop

### **BAKED POTATO LUNCH**

Thanks P&F mums for the Baked Spud Lunch last Friday.
Thanks to the Trimboli family for donating the spuds. Thanks to the year 6's who helped. It was absolutely the best!









### **CANNED FOOD COLLECTION DRIVE**

For the last 3 weeks students have been bringing in their cans of food to donate to the Lutheran Community Care Winter Appeal. The race has been on to see what School House Team Group could donate the most!

Today House team captains presented their cans in a creative display and will proudly hand them over to LCC at Assembly on Monday 10 August.

A total of 1105 cans were donated. Trevu (Yellow) = 313, Martindale (Green) = 303, Para Para (Blue) = 267, Clonlea (Red) = 222

Great work everyone!















### **iGOSH REMINDERS**

Online bookings for each week close at 2pm on the Friday prior. Any changes or new bookings following this then need to be made direct with Katrina via phone or email. These late bookings are charged at the casual rate.

All children who attend iGOSH, must provide a copy of their **immunisation record**. This can be accessed through your mygov and emailed to katrinap@ilsg.sa.edu.au. If you haven't yet done this for your child, please do so ASAP.

Please have a look at our vac care photo wall when you are next in. It shows all the fun we had over the holidays. If you would like copies of any of the photos please email me and I am more than happy to forward you a copy.

# Friday 4 September is a Student Free Day.

iGOSH will be open for those families who need care. Bookings can be made via the online booking system.

### **Term 4 finishes**

on Weds 9 Dec. iGOSH will be available from Thurs 10 Dec through to Fri 18 Dec 2020. Then closed for Christmas and New Year, reopening on Monday 4 January 2021.

To book go to www.carebookings.com.au – enter the code **KTQQ3**.

Other information on iGOSH can be found on the schools website at <a href="http://www.ilsg.sa.edu.au/students/igosh-out-of-school-hours-care-">http://www.ilsg.sa.edu.au/students/igosh-out-of-school-hours-care-</a>

Contact Katrina Ponte (Director) 0447 661 555 katrinap@ilsg.sa.edu.au

### **Curriculum Term 3**



### LOTE

Last semester students across the school enjoyed having the chance to learn German with Mrs Siviour.

This term Mrs Strickland has returned and will be taking students in Years 1 to 5 for Indonesian (Our Foundations will continue with German until the end of the year).

Students have done a wonderful job of getting started with this new learning. Students across the school will learn German and Indonesian until they reach Year 6.

Year 6 students have an opportunity to choose a language to work with for the year. Our goal for LOTE is that students will be engaged and enjoy learning languages, and may take up opportunities to delve deeper into language learning in high school and beyond.

### Year 5 ICT

Our Year 5 students had an opportunity this week to work with some very clever machines. The Edison robots are programable robots which students can use to carry out a range of functions. Students worked with Mr Cochrane to learn some of the coding required to program the robots, then to get them to move around a course and follow directions. The Year 5s had to be good planners, thinkers and problem solvers to code the robots effectively.

### Year 3 Language

Our Year 3 classes have been working with procedural writing over the past few weeks. They have been learning about the importance of making instructions clear and using orderly sequences to get information across.

This week they practised their procedure writing with making jelly.



### **Circle Time**

This term has started with classes taking part in regular circle time sessions every Monday. Circle time is an opportunity for classes to meet regularly and work on building a positive class environment. They discuss particular focus areas and strategies which help them to understand themselves and get along with others. Circle time is also an opportunity to address issues which may arise in class or in the yard. Thanks to Mr Cochrane, who has provided classes with lots of circle time ideas and resources for Term 3.







### **Primary Years Program Term 3**



### Year 5 UOI

Our Year 5 classes have been working on a unit about what we do and buy, the connections we have with people in other parts of the world and how our choices can affect them

### Central Idea:

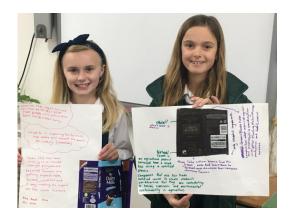
Our choices as consumers impact other people

### Lines of Inquiry:

- The choices consumers have
- The impact of choices consumers make
- The responsibilities consumers have when making choices

As a tuning in activity, students went on a shopping trip in Gawler. They bought chocolate and discussed some of the important factors when making their decisions. Then they began looking at the ingredients in their chocolate and where those ingredients come from. They will be doing some inquiring to find out about these places, the people who live here and how we are connected.





### Year 4 Music

Our Year 4 students were busy working on some musical pieces over the last couple of weeks in their lessons with Mr Hueppauff. They used the Garage Band app and a range of instruments to create pieces of music to share.







Look at all the things the students can be a part of during their recess and lunch time this term!

## Immanuel recess/lunch activities

### Term 3 2020

Activity	Year level	Day	Recess, lunch or afterschool	Leader
Digital tech	F-6	Monday	Recess	Mr Cochrane
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Netball	5/6	Tuesday	Recess	Miss Lange
Choir	1-6	Tuesday	Recess	Mr Hueppauff
Gardening	4-6	Tuesday	Recess	Mr Wundersitz
Skipping	5/6	Tuesday	Lunch	Miss Lange
Skipping	1-3	Wednesday	Recess	Mrs Loch
Worship Band	6	Thursday	Recess	Mr Hueppauff
Yr 5 Band	5	Friday	Recess	Mr Hueppauff
Heroclix	4-6	Friday	Recess	Mr Jones
Dodgeball	2-6	Friday	Recess	Mr Cochrane
Skipping	5/6	Friday	Recess	Miss Lange
Knots and ties	2/3	Friday	Recess	Mrs Loch
Dodgeball	2-6	Friday	Lunch	Mr Cochrane
Quiet Zone	F-6	Mon - Fri	Recess	Mrs Darby





WORSHIP AND
PRAISE WITH MR
MCLOUGHLIN'S
YEAR 1'S LAST FRIDAY SHARED THE
STORY OF NOAHS
DOVE