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NEWSLETTER Term 4 Week 3 Friday 30 Oct 2020

Got some change?

How many Psychiatrists does it take to change a light bulb? *(Only one, but the bulb has got to really WANT to change.)*

How many board meetings does it take to get a light bulb changed? *(This topic was resumed from last week's discussion, but is incomplete pending resolution of some action items. It will be continued next week.)*

Turns out there are thousands of these 'light bulb' jokes.

Up until I started shedding some light on the subject, I only knew one... How many Lutherans does it take to change a light bulb? *(Why what's wrong with the old one...)*

But really... Lutherans love change... or at least they should!

Just do a little bit of research on Martin Luther and you will see. He was someone who really nailed home the concept of change.

This week our 'Bible Place' is Wittenberg and Martin Luther and as we switch the spotlight onto his life and role in the reformation, there are 5 Pillars that burn brightly for me –

Sola Scriptura – by scripture alone
Sola Fide – by faith alone
Sola Gratia – by grace alone
Sola Christos – through Christ alone
Sola Gloria – glory to God alone

These principles are the same ones illuminating our school some 500 years later (and unlike a lightbulb that will eventually need changing, these wont.)

Daryl



What's on in Term 4

Week 4

Tues 3 Nov - Yr 6 transition at Faith
Tues 3 Nov - Parent info night for 2021 new foundation students
Fri 6 Nov - Bingo Night
Sat 7 & Sun 8 Nov - Family photos
Sun 8 Nov - Open Day @ 2pm

Week 5

Weds 11 Nov - Remembrance Day
Weds 11 Nov - Yr 6 Exhibition
Thurs 12 Nov - Open Morning 9.30am
Thurs 12 Nov - Hot Shots Tennis tournament for Yr 4's
Fri 13 Nov - Foundation Big Day out

Week 6

Weds 18 to Fri 20 Nov - Yr 6 camp
Fri 20 Nov - Year 1's Big Day Out

Week 7

Mon 23 Nov - Faith Challenge
Mon 23 Nov - P&F End of year dinner

Week 8

Mon to Fri - Mini Music Concerts
Mon 30 Nov - BBQ Lunch P&F
Tues 1 Dec - Transition visit #1
Weds 2 Dec - Yr 3 book launch
Thur 3 Dec - Transition visit #2
Weds and Thurs nights - 6pm Zion
Preschool Grad nights at Immanuel
Fri 4 Dec - Christmas is Coming
GLC event 5-8pm .
At school on oval

Week 9

Mon 7 Dec - Move up day
Mon 7 Dec - Yr 6 transition day at Xavier College
Weds 9 Dec - Last day of term - EOY W&P 2pm
Thurs 10 Dec - Yr 6 grad event

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WORLD TEACHERS DAY

Today 30 October is World Teachers Day.
It is a day to celebrate and be proud of **teachers**.
Immanuel is certainly proud of our teachers.
Thank you for the work which you do.



Tony Piccolo acknowledged all our teachers at a special morning tea on Tuesday.



END OF 2020 YEAR ARRANGEMENTS

- **Semester 2** reports will be sent home in week 8, along with class lists for 2021.
- **Move up day** will be held on Monday 7 December. Students will meet their 2021 teacher and spend some time in their new classroom. **Bookpacks** for 2021 will be sent home too.
- Our last school day for 2020 will be on **Wednesday 9 December**.
- As per previous years we will hold an **End of Year and Graduation Service** at 2pm. However due to Covid regulations still in place at this stage we cannot yet advise if parents will be able to attend.
- **Celebration Evening** for Yr 6's will be on the **Thursday evening 10 December**. The evening will be for parents (and caregivers) and students (only) and will involve a celebration dinner. Invitations will be sent home closer to the event and attendees will need to register online (covering our Covid regulations).
- **Thursday 10 and Friday 11 December will be student free days**. iGOSH will be starting the school holiday care program from Thursday 10 December.

DALY STREET CARPARK ACCESS

- Next Wednesday morning (4 November) the Daly St carpark will be closed due to significant traffic (associated with the new building) entering and exiting the school. If possible please use Lyndoch Rd entrance or enter from East Tce. School Lane will be accessible but you can expect some delays.

IMMANUEL GAWLER FEEDBACK / INFORMATION SURVEY TERM 4 2020

- Thank you for your feedback. Your input will greatly help us as we make decisions/plans for 2021 and beyond.

Scholastic Book Club

Issue 7 items will be arriving any day now!

Subway Lunches

We continue to offer the Subway Lunch on Fridays in T4.

Orders in by Wednesday
For Lunch on Fridays.

Worship and Praise

These will be held on Friday for students to meet all together, however parents cannot attend (due to Covid restrictions).

We will video and email the link to families each week so you can view from home.

Friday 30 October

Worship was presented by Senior Unit

Monday 2 November

Assembly will be presented by the Year 1's

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

We will let you know when this can resume.

Gawler Lutheran Church

Sunday Family Worship is held at Immanuel School in Taikondi at 10.30am every Sunday. All families are welcome to join in. Please arrive from 10am to sign in and find a seat. Parking available on the school oval.

OPEN DAYS @ IMMANUEL IN TERM 4

Sunday 8 November
2pm tour with the Principal

Thursday 12 November
9.30am tour with the Principal

This is for new families looking to enrol at Immanuel. We still have positions available for 2021 and taking applications for 2022 and beyond.

P&F EVENTS

DISCO for students Friday 30 October
Tonight—have fun dancing everyone.
Reminder about the times.

F/1's 3.45-4.30pm

2/3's 6.00-7.15pm

4,5,6's 7.30-8.45pm



BINGO NIGHT

for families

Friday 6 November

Please register by
returning the booking form
by next Thursday 5 November
It will be a fun night with friends!

FAMILY PHOTO FUNDRAISER

"There are still about 2 spots left"

Cost: \$20 and includes an 8x10" print.

Money will be donated back to
Immanuel.

Further prints can be ordered with
Rachael Anne Photography on the day.

Dates are:

Saturday 7th November

Sunday 8th November

Times: 9am to 1pm

Photo Venue: Dead Mans Pass Gawler.

To book a photo session please ring
Rachael direct on 0413 488 920 or contact
the school office to register your interest.

Immanuel Lutheran School Gawler



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to make a booking
message or call
0413488920

\$20
photo session
plus 8x10"

Rachael Anne Photography

KITE FUNDRAISER

Orders are now open and will close next Friday 6 Nov.

There are 6 kites to choose from.

Order them now and they will be delivered before
end of term, which makes them a great Christmas gift!

Go to <https://zoomkites.com.au/my-account/> to order.



iGOSH REMINDERS

Online Bookings for next
week have now closed.
Please ring or email Katrina if
you need bookings.

Please go online and book
for future weeks. Bookings
close 2pm each Friday for
the week ahead.

A reminder that children will
need to have **hats** if they
want to play outside at
iGOSH.

Term 4 finishes on Weds 9
December.

iGOSH will be available from
Thursday 10 Dec through to
Friday 18 Dec 2020.

Then closed for Christmas
and New Year.

Reopening on Monday 4
January 2021

The program for the school
holidays will be sent home
Weds 11/11 and bookings
can be made from Fri 13/11
till 10am Mon 30/11.

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

Other information on iGOSH
can be found on the schools
website at [http://](http://www.ilsq.sa.edu.au/students/igosh-out-of-school-hours-care-)
[www.ilsq.sa.edu.au/students/](http://www.ilsq.sa.edu.au/students/igosh-out-of-school-hours-care-)
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OCTOBER IS NATIONAL DYSLEXIA AWARENESS MONTH

Last Friday 23 October we asked students to wear a splash of **RED** to raise awareness of Dyslexia. We raised \$128.

One of the activities during the week was making **RED PAPER PLANES**. On Friday morning the whole school lined the oval and flew the planes up into the air all at once.

The winner to the Guess the "lollies are in the jar" competition will be announced on Monday at Assembly. We hope Mr Trigg doesn't win!



MAYORS CHRISTMAS CARD AWARDS

Thank you to all the entries we received throughout Mayor Redman's Christmas Card Competition for 2020. We're excited to tell you, the 2020 winners are:

Category 1 – Reception/Year 1

1st Prize – Evanti Altus -Immanuel Lutheran School / Foundation years

2nd Prize- Olivia Gogoll- Immanuel Lutheran School / Year 1

Placed participants attended an Awards Ceremony on Monday 26 October 2020 and received their well-deserved prizes.

Winning entries will be displayed at the Gawler Civic Centre, from Monday, 26 October 2020 through to Christmas.

Thank you again for your schools participation.

Wishing you a very Merry Christmas.
Kind regards

Karen Redman | Mayor



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

8.45 to 9.15am;

Wednesday afternoon

3pm to 3.45pm

and Thursday afternoon
by request

CARPARK SAFETY

Please remember to keep to the 10kph speed limit as you drive through our carparks and along school lane. In the Daly Street Carpark please remember to walk along the outlined pathway to / from your car to the gate.

Remember we are a school and there are lots of young children.

CUP CAKE SALE

Some year 6 girls are holding a Cup Cake Sale to raise money for the Barossa Wildlife Rescue

(This is part of their Yr 6 Exhibition inquiry on Habitat Loss and Land Clearances)

Cup Cakes for Sale

\$1.00

Tuesday 3 November

3.15-4pm

In Taikondi

PYP EVALUATION

This week from Tuesday to Friday we have been meeting on line with the World IB Evaluation Team as part of the IB evaluation process.

Our school leadership, teachers, parents, students and school council have each had to present our knowledge of the PYP educational program.

Many thanks to our parents and council members who were involved in the discussions.



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



The recent student and class photos have been proof checked.
We are now just waiting delivery.
They should be here any day now!

Thanks for your patience.

THINKING ABOUT OTHERS

Last week Year 3 students from Mrs Bosworth's class potted some succulents into the clay pots which were made and decorated earlier last term.

These will be taken to nursing homes with the cards a range of students made to let them know we are thinking of them, and to bring a smile to peoples faces.



MUSIC TUITION 2021

- We have several music tutors who come to Immanuel each week and take students for one on one instrument lessons or singing lessons.
- **For example drums with Zed, guitar with Cameron, piano or flute with Karen, singing with Dallas, violin with Roger.**
- Please register your child's interest for private music tuition in 2021, by completing a form from the office or download off the website and return it to Mr Hueppauff (Music teacher) or via the office.
- It is very exciting to witness a wonderful buzz around the school and a musical culture continuing to flourish and grow.



CHRISTMAS IS COMING

- **Friday 4 December 5.00 to 8.00pm**
- **Immanuel School Gawler**
- **On the oval**

Celebrate the countdown to Christmas with a family fun carols evening!

Jumpy Castle, Christmas Carols, Face Painting, Crafts, Nativity.

Available for purchase:
Sausage sizzle, hamburgers, hotdogs, fairy floss, popcorn, ice-creams, slushies, drinks.

Organised by Gawler Lutheran Church and Immanuel School Gawler.

A pre booking system will be sent home closer to the event.

All Welcome.



Book Week Dress Up Day - Thursday 22 October 2022

Can you tell who is who?

~ Cat in the Hat ~ Captain Underpants ~ Thing 1 ~ Thing 2 ~
~ Red Riding Hood ~ Wolf Girl ~ Queen of Snow ~ Pirates ~ Harry Potter ~
~ Hermione ~ Witches ~ the Grinch ~ Princess Pearl ~



Year 2 Excursion to Urrbrae Wetland Learning Centre

Urrbrae Wetlands is located at Urrbrae Agricultural High School, Netherby.

The Urrbrae Wetland Project was one of the first urban wetland developments within close range of residential areas to be attempted in Australia.

Although it is Man-made, the Urrbrae Wetland has been designed to function as a water retention basin whilst having the benefits of natural wetland characteristics.

At the Wetland you can use hands-on activities from water testing to macro invertebrate identification to demonstrate a variety of different concept.

Our years 2's had a fun day there on Monday 26 October wandering through the tranquil surroundings, looking at the diversity of plants and animals, plus doing some hands on activities.



Year 4 Camp Term 4 Week 2 2020

Year 4 camp was a little different to their original plan this year. Students were busy out and about during the 2 days, however they camped overnight at school.

Day 1: A visit to Maritime Museum at Port Adelaide and then to St Kilda Playground for lunch, some play time, and a mangrove walk to learn about our Indigenous connections with guest speaker Yundamarra.

Day 2: Exploring the local Gawler area, orienteering at Clonlea Park, shopping at Coles for lunch and a visit to the Gawler Museum, where we learned about the life of John McKinlay, plus had a go on an old fashioned washing machine and sewing machine.



SAPSASA Athletics Day

Friday 16 October Immanuel's team of athletic students headed to Lyndoch Oval to compete in the annual **SAPSASA Athletics Day Event with Gawler & Barossa Schools**. Some great personal achievements were made.

Well done to everyone!

Special congratulations to Aneegha, Maya, Emilie, Sahara, Jett, Archer and Levi for earning a place in the District Athletics Team which will compete in a couple of weeks time at Santos Stadium.

A very special mention must be made of Archer's incredible act of selflessness and sportsmanship by abandoning his chances of winning his 800m race to help up a fellow competitor who attempted to pass him and take the lead at the 700m mark but clipped Archer's ankle and fell to the ground.

It was an incredible sporting moment and the entire school community are extremely proud of Archer.





Come visit us at Immanuel at an upcoming Open Day

**Sunday 8 November at 2.00pm
Thursday 12 November at 9.30am**

We are taking applications for 2022 and beyond,
however we still have vacancies for Foundation students in 2021
and in some other year levels.

For more information please contact our school office on
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