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*Gawler*  
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## NEWSLETTER

Term 2 Week 8

Friday 18 June 2021

### The Eyes have it....

My Nanna (like all Nannas) was a beautiful person.

I had just turned 21 when she died and so I was blessed to have her in my life for the very formative years.

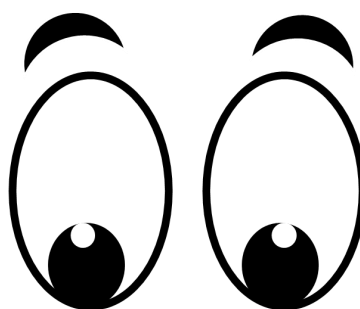
In the last few years of her life though, she became quite blind. She started to wear pretty thick glasses and tried to read the paper with a magnifying glass, but generally she was a blind as a bat! (The RSB would drop off books for her which the average person could read from 30 meters away!)

But what she lacked in eye sight she made up for in listening and I always felt she knew exactly how we felt and what was going on and that she was interested and cared. She couldn't see with her eyes, but she sure could with her soul and heart.

This week we are concentrating on 'eyes' as we continue to consider the parts of the body and I am reminded of Matthew 13:15 *'For this nation's heart has grown hard, And with their ears they hardly hear, And they have [tightly] closed their eyes, Otherwise they would see with their eyes, And hear with their ears, And understand with their heart, and turn [to Me] And I would heal them [spiritually].'*

Faith and trust are not based on seeing things with our eyes. They are heart and soul matters and I give thanks for the people in our lives who teach us the importance of both.

Daryl



### What's on in Term 2 2021

#### Week 9

Mon 21 to Fri 25 June

Instrumental music  
concerts at recess time  
Tues 22 June Youth Group  
Weds 23 June Open Day 9:30am  
Food Truck Night  
(year 6 families)  
Thurs 24 June ALWS visit Celia Fielke  
Sessions for Yr 2, 6, 3  
Fri 25 June Last day of Term 2  
Reports go Home  
3 weeks School  
Holidays  
IGOSH open

### What's coming up in Term 3 2021

Term 3 starts Monday 19 July

Valuing Safe Communities (Volunteer Training) - Wednesday 4 August

Disco Night - Friday 13 August

School photos - Wednesday 18 August

Book Week - Mon 23 to Fri 27 August

Fathers day - Sunday 5 September

#### 2021 Term Dates

Term 3  
Monday 19 July to  
Friday 24 September  
10 Weeks

Term 4  
Monday 11 October to  
Wednesday 8 December  
9 Weeks

#### CONSENT 2GO UPDATE

We have just put this on hold for a tad longer, so we will let you know again when to expect an email.

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### **END OF TERM**

- Term 2 concludes on Friday 25 June and there is a **3 week holiday break**. Normal dismissal time of 3:25pm.
- We hope you have a wonderful break and we look forward to seeing you return back refreshed and ready for Term 3 learning.
- Term 3 returns on **Monday 19 July**.
- Teaching staff will be on site the first week of holidays doing some PD and training.
- The office will be open Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 9am-3pm if you have any admin enquiries.
- If you need to purchase uniform items over the holidays please contact jennyj@ilsg.sa.edu.au

### **SEMESTER 1 REPORTS**

- These will be sent home to families on Friday 25 June via each student in a sealed labelled envelope. Please open at home and share the results with your child.
- Those students with Individual Learning Plans and Music reports will also receive these with their classroom reports.

### **NEW DRIVEWAY ACCESS - FROM SCHOOL LANE OUT TO EAST TERRACE**



### **WORSHIP & PRAISE**

Friday 25 June  
starting at 9.30am in the  
Taikondi.

Parents, families and friends are welcome to attend, however please follow our instructions on how to register and remember to sign in via the QR Codes.

### **ASSEMBLY Term 3**

#### **Monday 9 August**

Hosted by year 5 students  
Starting at 2.45pm in Taikondi.

Please register to attend via the online booking system  
[www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au)  
Code **ekxvw**

### **UNIFORM SHOP SALES**

Opening hours are:

**Mondays 8.30am to 9.15am**

and

**Fridays 3.00pm to 3.45pm**

If you can't make these times, please see the office staff and we can help you accordingly.

### **SECOND HAND UNIFORM STALL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

We are searching for some parents to look after our Second Hand Uniform stall.

If you are interested in helping out and are available either of the times listed below or when it suits you, please see the front office for further information.

#### **Wednesday afternoons**

**3.10-3.40pm** and

**Friday mornings**

**8.45am to 9.15am**

### **JUMPERS**

Please check your child's jumper to ensure the correct one has been taken home.

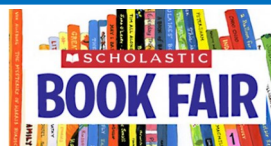
There are so many lost jumpers and rugby tops in the lost property box in the office.

Please use the holiday time to check that names are clearly visible on all items.



## SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Thanks to all the students and families who came to check out our Book Fair during last week. We sold over \$6,300 worth of books. This is really helpful in getting new books for the school library which we can purchase through these sales.



Thankyou to Sandra Lloyd for all the work she put into organising the Fair and running it each day.



## IMMANUEL RECEIVES \$1000 FROM WOOLWORTHS JUNIOR LAND CARE GRANT

Congratulations Immanuel School Gawler, we were selected as a recipient of a Woolworths Junior Landcare Grant.



Woolworths received over 2300 grant applications and 1609 primary schools and early learning centres across Australia have been awarded a Woolworths Junior Landcare Grant. This is the largest number of Junior Landcare grants ever given out in a single round.

Woolworths and Landcare Australia were delighted to give us \$1000 for our project "Native Garden Revegetation Project". We have been recently revegetating the garden adjacent Lyndoch Road and once the new CU2 building is complete we will be able to complete this garden area.

Jonathan and Deb from Woolworths Gawler presented the award last Monday at Assembly. They also very kindly donated some fresh fruit for all our students.



## PARENTS AND FRIENDS NEWS

Next After School Disco is in Term 3 Friday 13 August.

Information out early Term 3

## CARERS GROUP NEWS

Lunch time Soup and Toastie special was a huge hit on Thursday 17 June. Over 120 Soups and 180 Cheese Toasties .... SOLD!

Thank you our Class Carers for providing us with this warm and delicious lunch on Thursday.

Class Carers hope to hold a Pizza Lunch in term 3 along with the Fathers Day stall.

## YOUTH GROUP

Tuesdays 3:30 - 5:00pm (with Emma Lange)

## UPCOMING OPEN DAYS

Wednesday 23 June 9.30m  
Tuesday 17 August 9.30am

Have a tour with Daryl our Principal.

These sessions are for new families interested in enrolling at Immanuel.

**If you have a sibling due to start in 2022 or 2023 please remember to put in your enrolment forms.**

## LLL BANKING

On the 31 May interest is added to all LLL Deposit accounts. We therefore ask that you please send any LLL passbooks to the front office after this date so that we can send them to the LLL to update the interest and carry out the annual audit.



## CABARET 2021

Our annual Cabaret event was held last Friday evening 11 June. What a fantastic night! Cabaret is one of our biggest events of the year and this year was no different with a large attendance of families, staff, school community.

We were entertained with a showcase of musical acts, choir and dancing performances by our many talented students, staff and special guests.

Thank you to Mr Hueppauff for all the preparations and work putting the show together and to all of our wonderful school community who came to support our students and staff to make this a very successful and fun event.



## iGOSH Information

### July School Holidays

- iGOSH is open for the 3 weeks (Monday 28 June to Friday 16 July)
- The program can be viewed on the school website. Bookings are now closed.
- Consent and Confirmation letters will go home next Monday 21 June. Please complete, sign and return ASAP.
- If you need to make a booking for holiday time or change a booking, you now need to contact Katrina direct via phone or email.
- Any bookings made now will be charged at the casual rate.
- Account reminders have also been sent home this week. Accounts need to be paid to access the Vac Care program. Accounts should not be more than 60 days overdue.
- Your prompt payment with these is appreciated.

### Seesaw

- We hope you have enjoyed receiving your child's observations and learning stories on Seesaw. Please like them or leave a comment so we know you have read them.

### iGOSH Contact details:

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## YEAR 4 UNIT OF INQUIRY

Our Year 4 classes have been working on a unit of inquiry about colonialism and history, focusing on the theme of "Where we are in place and time".

Central Idea:

The world changes as empires expand

Lines of Inquiry:

- The reasons for building empires
- Changes that occur as empires expand
- Experiences of the people involved

Last week they visited the Gawler Museum and the Gawler Library to look at different exhibits and artefacts to do with exploration.



Primary Years Programme



## SOUP AND TOASTIES

WERE A GREAT LUNCH  
OPTION ON A  
RAINY THURSDAY!

Thanks Carers Group for organising this and for all you do for our students and families.



## CURRICULUM

### Year 5 Excursion - South Para Reservoir

As the tall strong gates were slowly opening, it made us super excited because we were about to go where not many people are allowed to go. As we drove into the South Para Reservoir we saw the jumping Kangaroos. As we moved forward there came the green gate, we saw the gigantic tall pine trees and gum trees on the dirt road.

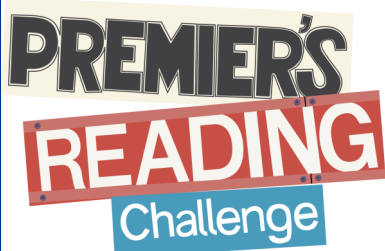
As we pulled in we saw Hamish who works for SA Water. We talked about safety and what we were going to see. We were split up into two groups and went off together.

One group did the weeding, the other group visited the Whispering Walls. We all were very excited.

Bec showed us the weed place amongst the native forest. We had to make one huge line and moved forward slowly into the forest. We had to pull out these small bone seeds, some can be huge and some can be tiny.

For lunch we all got a juice box and a delicious juicy sausage.

By Year 5 K Students



### What is the Challenge?

The Premier's Reading Challenge is a literacy engagement program that was introduced by the Premier in 2004 to:

- Encourage students to read more books and enjoy reading
- Improve literacy levels.

The Challenge requires students to read 12 books between the beginning of the school year and early September.

### How to complete the Challenge

To complete the Premier's Reading Challenge students need to read 12 books between Term 1 and Term 3.

- Every student will need a Student Reading Record. This is available from the school's Premier's Reading Challenge coordinator or can be downloaded [here](#).
- Read 12 books. Eligible books include e-books, audio books, class/shared reading, prescribed books for school, non-fiction books, books read as research for assignments or books in another language.
- Reception to year 6 Students must read 8 books from the Premier's Reading Challenge booklist and 4 personal choice books.
- Complete the Student Reading Record with the title and author for each book. A parent, caregiver, teacher or librarian must sign off on each book to verify it has been read.
- Pass on the completed Student Reading Record to the school's Premier's Reading Challenge coordinator by the designated due date.

Students across Immanuel have been taking part in the Premier's Reading Challenge.

**With the school holidays coming up, this is a good opportunity for students to do some reading for the challenge.**

**The challenge finishes on 3 September (Term 3, Week 7).**



Primary Years  
Programme





## CONGRATULATIONS:

Last Thursday 10 June the SAPSASA Cross Country Running Competitions were held at Oakbank Racecourse.

10 students represented Immanuel this year.

Charlie, William, Ben, Thomas, Maya, Archer, Joseph, Levi, Eamon and Poppy all had a fantastic day running in the 3km event with 2 students finishing inside the Top 10 for their age group!

Congratulations Immanuel!



**Andrea White** has been running her "**PEACEFUL KIDS PROGRAM**" at Immanuel with a group of students this term. Next week is their last week of the 8 week program and it has been a great success! Thanks Andrea.



## Instrumental Mini Concerts

**You're invited to Immanuel's  
Mini-Recess time concerts  
Week 9  
21st - 25th June  
Taikondi @ 11am**

<b>Monday:</b> Dallas Davenport (Voice/ piano)
<b>Tuesday:</b> Zed Crawford (Drums)
<b>Wednesday:</b> Karen Clarke (Piano/ Flute)
<b>Thursday:</b> Zed Crawford (Drums)
<b>Friday:</b> Roger Stammers, (Violin)
Dwayne Hueppauff (Trumpet)
David Chugg (Guitar)



### Girl Power Workshops

July School Holidays 2021

Girl Power Workshop  
aimed at girls aged 7 - 12 years of age

3-hour workshop held on  
**Tuesday 6 July 2021**  
Salvation Army Riverside Gawler  
17 Edith Street, Gawler East SA 5118

\$60.00 per participant

To enrol go to:

<https://www.togetherwemakeadifference.com.au/girlpowerenrolment>

Places are limited so enrol now!



The Girl Power program aims to foster a positive mindset, inner confidence and resilience in girls at a young age, before they embark on their teenage years and are exposed to the powerful world of social media. The workshops are based on positive psychology principles and delivered by way of fun, creative and engaging activities.



# YOUTH SPACE

Connecting young people to opportunities

## JULY HOLIDAYS

**Join and Book Now!**

**ALICE WONDERLAND**  
BOOK vs MOVIE  
Dress up for a movie afternoon with a healthy debate about the book and movie!  
FREE JULY 6

**BARISTA COURSE**  
Become a coffee expert and learn what you need to know to get a job in the hospitality industry  
JULY 7 14-25 YEAR OLDS

**COOKING CLASSES**  
JULY 8 12-25 YEAR OLDS

**Gawler Youth GET JOB READY**  
with maxuma JUNIOR  
JULY 9 FREE 14-25 YEAR OLDS

**PROVIDE FIRST AID**  
PREPARING FOR EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES  
JULY 12 14-25 YEAR OLDS

**GAMES DAY**  
JULY 14 FREE 8-18 YEAR OLDS

**PREPARE TO DRIVE**  
SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE TO GET YOUR DRIVER LEARNERS PERMIT  
JULY 15 16-25 YEAR OLDS

Learn to complete a **TAX RETURN**  
JULY 15 FREE 14-25 YEAR OLDS

FOR ALL COURSE COSTS, REGISTRATIONS AND FURTHER INFORMATION  
f @GawlerYouthAC gawler.sa.gov.au/recreation/youth-space 8522 9295

! STRICTLY LIMITED NUMBERS DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS... BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL !

**GAWLER CIVIC CENTRE**  
89-91 MURRAY STREET, GAWLER

**Gawler**

**5-12 YRS**

KEEP YOUR CHILD ACTIVE FOR A FULL DAY DURING THE HOLIDAYS!

**THURSDAY 1, 8 & 15 JULY, 2021**

# STARfun DAYS

- Courts Ball Sports
- Swimming
- Ninja Gymnastics

**TIME: 9am – 5pm**

**ADDITIONAL DAYS AVAILABLE BY NEGOTIATION FOR GROUP BOOKINGS UP TO 40 CHILDREN**

**Swimming**  
• Qualified Lifeguards on duty & direct supervision by Group Leaders  
• Private change rooms for students, separate from public

\*T&C apply

**WHAT TO BRING**  
• Recess & Lunch • Drink bottle  
• Bathers • Towel • Goggles (if needed)  
• Appropriate Active Footwear

**get active at STARfun**

**STARplex at Trinity College**

## IMMANUEL GAWLER

- A primary school located in the heart of Gawler
- Offering a relevant, challenging and engaging curriculum
- Small class sizes and excellent resources
- Plus a wonderful sense of community

## INTERESTED IN ENROLLING AT IMMANUEL?

- Come and visit us and have a tour of our school with Daryl our Principal
- Applications are still being taken for the 2022 Foundation intake, along with 2023 and beyond.
- If you know of someone interested in enrolling at Immanuel please share our Open Day details.

# Open Day

**Wed 23rd June**

**9.30-10.30am**

