IMMANUEL INSIGHTS

Term 4 Week 6, Friday 19 November 2021



Dates to Remember

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Week 6

Sat 20 & Sun 21 Nov Gawler Show

Week 7

Mon - Fri 11am Recess time Instrumental concerts

Week 8

Mon 29 Nov transition visits

Weds 1 Dec & Thur 2 Dec Zion Preschool Graduation concerts at Immanuel Fri 3 Dec Christmas is Coming evening 5pm

Week 9

Mon 6 Dec reports go home Wed 8 Dec last day of school for 2021 End of year W&P service Thurs 9 Dec Year 6 Graduation Celebration Thurs 9 Dec - iGOSH Vac care holiday program

2022 Term Dates

Term 1

starts

Mon 31 Jan to Thur 14 April **Term 2**

Mon 2 May to Fri 1 July

Term 3

Mon 25 July to Fri 30 Sept

Term 4

Mon 17 Oct to Weds 14 Dec

Clocks

Over the years I've heard a lot of jokes about drummers, but as a guitarist who can't keep a steady beat with out them, I'm not going to throw any sticks in their direction. I don't know about you, but I'm in awe of anyone who can get two legs and two arms all doing different things at the same time - I can't even pat my head and pat my belly at the same time.



Bands need drummers. Not only to make sure there are no quiet moments, but to keep time for everyone. They are to music what Big Ben is to London.... Sitting monumentally at the back just making sure everyone's on track. And they're fun to watch pack up at the end of the night as well.

It seems to me though that clocks and time and schedules often dominate our lives. From the moment the alarm counts in the new day through to looking at the clock late at night and saying, 'my goodness, is that the time? I need to get horizontal', we are driven by timelines and deadlines and keeping track of time.

As we consider clocks and time this week as our Worship and Praise theme, we start to get ready for that amazing countdown to Christmas (and end of the church year) as we celebrate the first coming and birth of our Lord and Saviour and contemplate his return. And we remember that Gods timing is different to our timing, and while we may not always understand it, we can rely on it. Even more than a bad guitarist relies on a steady drummer.

Daryl

2 Peter 3:8 But do not forget , with the Lord a day is like a thousand years and a thousand years are like a day $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2}$



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COVID 19 REGULATIONS AND OUR SCHOOL

As you are aware, the Commissioner of Police, acting in his role as the State Coordinator responding to the COVID-19 pandemic, has announced the *Emergency Management (Education and Early Childhood Settings Vaccination) (COVID-19)*Direction 2021.

The Direction applies to all employees, OSHC providers, volunteers, parent helpers, contractors and service providers either engaged by the school or contracted to provided services to the school and this direction requires all individuals to receive at least 1 dose of a Therapeutic Goods Association approved COVID-19 vaccination and a booking to receive a second dose by 10 December 2021, except those who have a medical exemption endorsed by the Chief Public Health Officer.

A copy of the Direction can be found at https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/ emergency-declarations/education-and-early-childhood-settings-vaccination

We would like our staff, students and parent community to rest assured that we have implemented measures to ensure compliance with the direction by 10 December 2021.

I appreciate that this will be difficult news for some but our school has always been fully committed to implementing the best available health advice and has no option but to comply with the Direction which has been established as a result of SA Health advice.

I trust that we can all work together respectfully to ensure the safety of our school community.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can help in any way.

Daryl

PLEASE REMEMBER TO WEAR A MASK WHEN COMING INTO THE OFFICE AREA

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PLANT A DIFFERENCE FUNDRAISER FINAL TALLY

Money raised: \$17,600 Trees contributed: 1,173

What an incredible fundraiser; our students went above and beyond to support the fundraiser.

A special mention to Benji for his amazing effort and also the fact that he put his hair on the line and lopped his long locks for the cause. Eva and Jonah Ellis made a significant contribution as well. Thank you to Mrs Voigt for counting and banking the many cash and online donations. Thanks you to all students, families and friends for your enthusiasm and hard work contributing to a great cause.



REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Thursday 11/11—The weather held off enabling all classes to gather together to commemorate the event and observe a minutes silence. Verses were read by year 3 students and Mr Hueppauff played the last post.

Some classes coloured and made Poppy badges to wear for the service.

group.



MAYORS CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION WINNER

Eva Ellis from Year 3 was selected as a winning entry to Mayor Karen Redman's Christmas Card Competition for 2021 coming in at 3rd prize for Yr 2/3 age

Eva along with her parents, brother and Mrs Roberts attended an Awards Ceremony on Monday 8 November 2021 at the Gawler Civic Centre. All of the special guests enjoyed a morning tea with Mayor Redman and received their prize and had a photo taken too.

Eva was presented with some books and a set of Christmas Cards with her picture on the front and our school name printed on the inside of the card. Congratulations Eva!

All entries from all schools will be displayed at the Gawler Civic Centre, Murray Street in Gawler throughout the Christmas season.





YEAR 1 SLEEPOVER

Last week the Year 1's held their sleepover at school. 52 intrepid campers bunked down in their classrooms. Once the sausage sizzle dinner and some 'Just Dance' was played the students settled in to watch a movie in bed. The boys quickly settled and were soon fast asleep, the girls took a little longer with all the excitement.

On Friday the day began with a pancake breakfast cooked by Mr Trigg and Mr Wundersitz, and then lots of fun activities around the school. Alan from the Australian Childhood Museum shared his toys and activities from the past. All the children were really interested and engaged and learnt a lot. A fun filled night and day for our Year One students.





"My bed was squeaky so I had to sleep on the floor - but I loved the pancakes for breakfast" Ariah J "I enjoyed the sausage sizzle for tea" Arlyee S

PJ DAY FUNDRAISER

The Year 6 Homelessness Exhibition group are very grateful for the support the community has given for Catherine House and The Hutt St Centre. It was such a fun day coming to school in our PJs and raising money for a good cause. The group collected 189

items and raised over \$578.00 for their project.







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ICAS COMPETITIONS

Throughout this year, students have been taking part in testing for the ICAS Competitions. We have received results for all of our testing, with the exception of Writing, which is still being processed.

Congratulations to all students who took part in these competitions. A particular mention to the following students-

Joseph Cox – Credit (Mathematics), Distinction (Science)

Ben Thomson - Credit (English)

Dora Li - Merit (Mathematics), Credit (Digital Technologies, English, Science),

Distinction (Spelling)

Kaylin Melville - Credit (Mathematics), Distinction (Spelling)

Zac Menadue - Distinction (Digital Technologies, Science, Mathematics)

Luke Hansen – Merit (Mathematics), Credit (English)

Eleanor Sewell – Merit (English), Credit (Mathematics)

PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE

Congratulations to all our students who took part in the Premier's Reading Challenge this year. Immanuel Gawler was selected as one of the 55 high achieving schools to be invited to attend the 2021 Premier's Reading Challenge Reception.

Last week Kaylin Melville, one of our super readers, represented our school at the reception and received an award on behalf of our school from Premier Steven Marshall.



PE WEEK

Physical Education Week was celebrated from Monday 8 to Friday 12 November in South Australian schools.

Mr Cochrane had a lot of exciting activities for students in his PE classes and also available for classes to take part in on the oval with class teachers.

A highlight was the Teachers versus Students Bocce game at recess!





EXHIBITION Year 6

PYP Exhibition

Our Year 6 students have been working hard over the last couple of months on preparing for the PYP Exhibition. Due to restrictions brought about by COVID-19 and our building programs, we have had to present the Exhibition online again this year. Students worked in groups with a variety of digital tools and platforms to put together online presentations on the issues they inquired into. Our Exhibition group projects can be accessed via this link: https://immanuelexhibition2021.mystrikingly.com/

Students have also had the opportunity to present their inquiries with the rest of the school and this week they led some great interactive sessions in different year levels.

Society's responsibility to support homeless



Communities are responsible for animal welfare



Litter harms communities and environments



Education in sustainable practices can lead to changed behaviours



Human actions affect the Earth's habitats



The Earth's climate is changing, affecting the environment and our lives



SHARING THE PLANET - PYP EXHIBTION 2021



"I really liked presenting the displays to the Fn and Yr 1 students" Tara B



"I really liked making the pallet displays" Kirstie G

Making the displays



Interactive sessions





CHRISTMAS MARKETS

11 December 2021 2pm - 8pm

Apex Park and Walker Place

Over 40 market stalls and food trucks Complete your Christmas shopping in one stop



iGOSH

iGOSH Dec / Jan Vac Care starts on Thurs 9 Dec and goes through to Fri 29 Jan 2022 (closed from 24/12/21 to 9/1/22)

The Program is now out. See the Website for a copy. Bookings can be made from now till Tues 30 Nov at 10am Some days are capped so get in early.

Confirmation / Consent forms will be sent home Weds 1 Dec.

Last Vac Care accounts will need to be paid and your account down to under \$200 as we end 2021.

Reminders each time you arrive at iGOSH

- Scan the QR Code or sign in
- Wear a mask
- Wait outside for your child/ (ren)

iGOSH Contact: Katrina Ponte 0447 661 555 or 85225740 Opt #3 katrinap@ilsg.sa.edu.au

SAKG REPORT

Garden Lesson- Week 6

This week Group 4 is doing garden/maintenance. The focus for the lesson is propitiation.



Guinea pig tree to experiment on to see if the propagation works



Charlie grabbing



Main recourses we need.



Georgia and Charlie



Georgia measuring the Georgia started to cut two will fit around it.



branch to see if the ball line where the ball was so then she could cut a line down the middle



Georgia ruined the Stanley knife up and down the scar of the branch.



Charlie and Georgia putting the ball on the branch and adding some type of mulch





troth the we will plant herbs in.



Georgia closing the ball Harry and Aaron paint a Georgia pulling out some weeds from a garden bed.



weeds into a compost

CURRICULUM NEWS

Year 1 Christian Studies

Our Year 1 classes have been looking at different religions in their Christian Studies lessons. Over the past few weeks they have been finding out about Islam. They were fortunate enough last week to have a visit from Fawwaz, one of our Year 5 students, who did a fantastic job of explaining some of the key features and beliefs of Islam to the Year 1s.

Year 4 Unit of Inquiry

Our Year 4 classes have been finding out about indigenous cultures, starting with Aboriginal Australians but also looking at indigenous groups around the world.

Central Idea:

Indigenous peoples have unique connections to country <u>Lines of Inquiry:</u>

The beliefs and laws of indigenous groups
How beliefs vary between cultures
How contact with outsiders affects indigenous groups



Last week they visited Parridla Taikondi and looked at how Aboriginal groups in the past used this area and why it has special significance.

Indonesian—LOTE

Our Year 3 and 5 classes have been learning about directions in their LOTE lessons over the past few weeks. They had an opportunity to test out their knowledge, carrying out an orienteering course around the school, using Indonesian directions. The LOTE Students learnt the Indonesian navigation and direction words and used this knowledge to find different clues hidden around the school. The clues spelt out a special message.



Our Year 5 classes also had a special visitor during their LOTE lessons last week. Russell Ainsworth has lived and travelled in Indonesia over many years and has worked extensively with Indonesian schools and teachers. He presented to our students about his time in Indonesia, about Indonesian language and culture, and about some of the similarities and differences between life in Indonesia and Australia. Cora and Ellareese, two of our students with Indonesian background, came along to hear Russell as well.



Next week the Year 5s will have an exciting opportunity, as Russell introduces them to a class of students in Indonesia. They will be meeting up on a Skype call and will have an opportunity to ask questions and find out first-hand about school and life for kids in Indonesia.





CURRICULUM NEWS (CONTINUED)

Year 5 Maths

The Year 5s have been looking at financial literacy, organising budgets and calculating expenses. They took a very hands-on approach to this, by taking part in a \$20 challenge. Students were given a \$20 budget to organise a business to trade at a market day. There was an awesome assortment of snow cones, biscuits, rocky road, jelly cups and other treats on sale.

Students were very engaged in this and did a great job of preparing their produce as well as presenting and promoting their stalls.



SPORT PADLET

Eva & Stella who are two of our many amazing dancers at Immanuel, competed in the Future Legends — Duo's & Trio's Nationals, as the SA state representatives. They made it through state qualifiers for their modern jazz routine and were meant to go to the Gold Coast to compete at the Nationals in August but unfortunately COVID hit and they were in lockdown.

Therefore all entries had to be submitted via video. This didn't stop Stella & Eva who took out first place in a Gold Medal performance for the Duo & Trio category and were crowned National Champions.



Scan the QR code to catch a snippet of their performance.

Padlet passcode: ilsg



GETTING TO KNOW OUR STAFF

This week we meet

Mr Hueppauff

Music Teacher

Dwayne Hueppauff

Role: Music Teacher
Which of the 7 dwarfs (Grumpy, Dopey, Doc,
Happy, Bashful, Sneezy or Sleepy) best describes
you? Dopey

If you could only have three apps on your smartphone, which would you pick? Candy Crush Soda, Pinterest, Spotify

What trend do you hope makes a comeback? The Rats Tail (Hairdol)

If you could invite anyone for dinner, who would it be and why? Frank Sinatra, What an amazing crooner and musician!

If you could be any animal what would it be and why? Rose-breasted Grosbeak – it has a beautiful song/voice



Quote of the week

"Be the reason someone SMILES today!"

????? REMEMBRANCE DAY QUIZ ?????

- 1. What date is Remembrance Day on?
- 2. What year did World War 1 finish?
- 3. What tune is played at Remembrance services?
- 4. What instrument is the tune played on?
- 5. What flower represents Remembrance day?

Write your answers on a piece of paper and pop them into the entry box at the front office. Don't forget to put your NAME, YEAR LEVEL AND CLASS on your entry. The first entry drawn out of the box with all 5 correct answers will win a Subway Voucher and Drink bottle!!!!!!

(1 Entry per student please) ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 26 November at 9am. The winner will be announced in the Monday Minutes email and posted in the Immanuel Insights Newsletter.

ANIMALS QUIZ WINNER: Alyssa Williams (5K)



QUIZ SPONSERED BY - SUBWAY (Gawler, Murray St)



CHRISTMAS IS COMING

Friday 3 December 5pm to 8pm

All school families welcome.

5 - 6.30pm Entertainment and Food / Drinks to purchase.

6.30- 8pm Carols on the oval.

Register your attendance via

www.schoolinterviews.com.au and enter code ttxvh

FROM THE OFFICE

UNIFORM SHOP

Opening times:

Monday: 8.30am - 9.15am

Friday: 3.00pm - 3.45pm

If you are unable to make these times, please see the office staff and we can help you accordingly.

Uniforms can be paid for over the phone and sent home in the message trays.

SECOND HAND UNIFORM STALL

Opening times:

Monday: 3.10pm - 3.40pm Wednesday:

8.45am - 9.15am

LOST PROPERTY

We have many unnamed Jumpers, Rugby tops and drink bottles. Please pop by and check if you have lost clothing recently.

WORSHIP & PRAISE

Friday 19 November Mrs Jones / Manning class Friday 26 November Miss Pfeiffer's class

ASSEMBLY Term 4

Monday Week 8 Hosted by Year 1 2.45pm in Taikondi

*Videos will be emailed home

WHEN ENTERING SCHOOL GROUNDS, PLEASE REMEMBER TO CHECK IN VIA THE QR CODE AT THE GATES OR MANUAL SIGN IN AT THE FRONT OFFICE PLEASE ONLY BE ON SITE AS LONG AS IS NECESSARY.

It is essential that parents, students and other caregivers do not come onto the school site if they are unwell and that they get tested for COVID-19.

LIBRARY BOOKS

Please return all borrowed library books back to the library by the end of next week (wk 7).

YR 6 LOLLY JAR GUESS

GUESS THE NUMBER OF LOLLIES IN THE JAR - \$1 per guess Where: Immanuel Front Office When: Anytime Before 9am November 26 when it will be closing.

Why: To support Barossa Wildlife Rescue Shelter

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Issue 8

Orders due back Monday 22 November

OPEN DAY

Wednesday 24 November at 9.30am

Enrolling for 2023 and beyond. If you have a pre-schooler due to start school in 2023 please ensure an enrolment form is submitted, as these will be processed early next year.