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RECONCILIATION WEEK

Shona is a descendent of the Eastern Arrernte people and a member of the an Adelaide Lutheran Congregation. In 2017 she wrote the following devotion for Reconciliation Week...

... while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. ... For if, while we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life! (Romans 5)

What an amazing passage ... God was willing to do whatever it took to reconcile us to him.

As an Aboriginal woman, whose family and community has been influenced by the torturous history of this nation, I often ask myself, can anything mend these deep wounds? Can Indigenous and non-Indigenous people achieve reconciliation?

As an Aboriginal woman who strives daily to live in God's presence, my answer is a resounding 'yes' – because in Christ we are all one. We all need salvation and it is only in him there is true reconciliation.

So during National Reconciliation Week where are we as Christians in these celebrations, commemorations and conversation? Isn't reconciliation our thing?

Reconciliation is our heritage, our culture and our destination.

National Reconciliation Week is a wonderful time to focus our thoughts, prayers and energy into coming together to join the reconciliation effort. Learning and sharing our stories and our cultures that may have more in common than we realise.

The (2017) National Reconciliation Week's theme was '**Lets Walk the Talk!**'. Maybe this year as you think about how this theme might appeal to you, your life, your congregation and your community, perhaps you can 'Walk the Talk' through:

Prayer: Pray for meaningful reconciliation, pray for healing, pray that we all might come into a deep relationship with our reconciling Father.

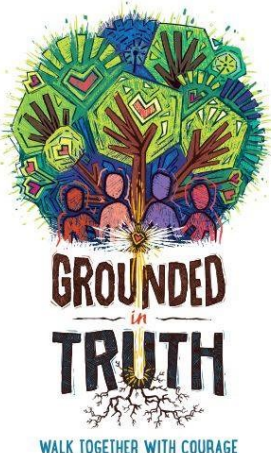
Learning: Learn about your history of reconciliation, learn about your Indigenous family and community, and learn about yourself in your journey of reconciliation.

Sharing: Share the stories and promises of reconciliation, both with God and with Indigenous peoples.

Challenging: Challenge yourself to pray, to learn and to share. Challenge what you thought you knew about Indigenous peoples. Challenge an injustice. Challenge yourself to embrace your heritage, culture and destination of reconciliation.

Daryl

NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK 2019
27 MAY – 3 JUNE



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BULLETIN

Term 2 Week 5

Friday 31 May 2019

What's on in Term 2 2019

Fri 31 May - Disco Night
Sun 2 June - Zion Preschool 40th Birthday celebration

Week 6
Mon 3 June - ALWS Day incursion for year 5 and 6's

Week 7
Mon 10 June - Public holiday
Fri 14 June - Cabaret night

Week 8
Mon 17 June - Assembly with Yr 3'S
Fri 21 June - Pizza lunch day

Week 9
Sem 1 Reports go home this week
Weds 26 & Thurs 27 June
- Restaurant Night for year 6 families
Fri 28 June - Last day of Term 2 3.25pm dismissal

3 week holiday break

iGOSH available all 3 weeks

Term 3 2019

Week 1
Monday 22 July - Day 1 Term 3

Week 6
Weds 28 Aug - Student photo day

Week 8
Thurs 12 Sept - Junior Primary Concert
Fri 13 Sept - Student Free Day (Three way Conferences - parent / teacher / student)

Week 10
Friday 27 Sept - Last day of Term 3 and SPORTS DAY

2019 Term Dates

Term 2: Monday 29 April to Friday 28 June

Term 3: Monday 22 July to Friday 27 September

Term 4: Monday 14 October to Wednesday 11 December

STAFF NEWS

- Welcome Miss Kayla Sunman – Year 2 teacher. Kayla started this week replacing Pam Tilbrook who has now started her maternity leave
- Welcome back to Mr Wundersitz this week after your trek to Perth and back
- Welcome back to Mr Davies next week, we look forward to hearing about your overseas travel stories
- Thank you Mr Paul Adler for working with Mr Davies year 4 class for the last 5 weeks. We look forward to having you back next term to take over from Mr Ben Jones whilst he takes a break

SCHOOL UNIFORMS

- Please be reminded of our school uniform policy
- Winter Uniform is to be worn for Term 2 and 3. This refers to the formal uniform which is grey trousers and long sleeve shirt for boys and the pinafore (or skirt) with white blouse for girls (with / without the green jumper)
- Sports uniform can consist of shorts or trackpants with T-shirt and rugby top throughout the whole year
- Please label sports rugby jumpers and green jumpers with your child's name. We have so many in the lost property box in the office with no name. If labelled correctly we can return misplaced items easily
- 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

ABSENT OR RUNNING LATE?

- If your child is absent it is helpful for the school to know why (eg sick or family reasons). Please ring the school office by 9.30am or email your teacher
- **The school day starts at 8.50am.** The roll is actioned at 8.55am so if you arrive after this time your child needs to be signed in as late in the office

SICK KIDS – there seems to be some tummy bugs, sore throats and colds

- If your child shows symptoms of being unwell we ask that you keep your child at home in order to prevent further spreading of infection
- If your child presents unwell at school we will phone parents and advise, and may ask you to collect
- We are encouraging children to **wash hands before eating** and to **use hand sanitiser** when returning from the playground



What's coming up

DISCO - tonight FRIDAY 31 May

- 6pm to 7.15pm Junior Primary Yr F, 1, 2 & 3
- 7.30pm to 8.45pm Upper Primary Yr 4, 5 & 6
- Don't forget to wear the **wristbands**

CABARET

- **Friday 14 June 7.30pm till late - SAVE THE DATE!**
- **Tickets are on sale now. \$10 / adult & \$2 / student**
- Tickets will include a cheese platter and nibbles and something for the kids. Drinks and desserts will be available to purchase
- This is an annual event, which is a musical celebration showcasing our schools' musically talented students, teachers and guests
- Always a great social evening



WORSHIP & PRAISE

Fridays at 9am in Taikondi
Parents and friends welcome to come along too.

Stay for a cuppa and chat afterwards.

Friday 7 June W&P is with Pastor Geoff, Jo Chamberlain and Emma Lange

Friday 14 June W&P is with Year 1 Mrs Jones/ Manning class

ASSEMBLY

2.45pm in Taikondi.

Term 2 Week 8:

Monday 17 June with the Year 3's

All welcome.

JUNIOR YOUTH

Thursdays at 4.00pm to 5.30pm

with Emma Lange for students in years 4,5,6

RHYTHM KIDS

Mondays 9am to 9.45am with Mr Hueppauff in room 5

- For pre-schoolers (and their parents)
- A friendly fun learning experience through music and movement



CARERS GROUP NEWS - TERM 2

PIZZA LUNCH DAY - Friday 21 June (week 8) (this will be in place of Subway)
Order forms out soon

DELICIOUS DESSERT BAR - for sale at the Cabaret on Friday 14 June
Chocolate Mousse, Chocolate Mud Cake, Apple Pie
Come see our lovely Carers Group for that sweet treat!

PARENTS AND FRIENDS GROUP (P&F) TERM 2 EVENTS

Next P&F meeting is Thursday 20 June 7pm, in the staffroom. Mums, dads, grandparents & friends welcome to join this group for some social time, and to help plan some fun events for Immanuel students.

P&F GIANT WHEELBARROW RAFFLE

Tickets on sale now via the office \$2 each or 3 for \$5

- Win a **wheelbarrow** full of **goodies including an Apple Watch**
- To be drawn at the Quiz Night in Term 4
- Money raised is going towards a new sound desk for the Taikondi area
- **Donations of any prizes for in the wheelbarrow are still welcome too. Please bring things into the office**

NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORY TIME

- On Wednesday 22 May students at Immanuel Gawler took part in the National Simultaneous Storytime
- This is a nation-wide literacy event where schools from across Australia all read the 2019 chosen book: **Alpacas with Maracas**, written by Matt Cosgrove, simultaneously. The students were part of 1,085,587 across Australia in 9,890 locations
- Thanks Mr Cochrane for reading this aloud and to all staff who were flexible with their timetables and creative in activity planning in their classrooms
- National Simultaneous Storytime aims to:
 - * promote the value of reading and literacy
 - * promote the value and fun of books
 - * promote storytime activities in public libraries and communities around the country
 - * provide opportunities to involve parents, grandparents, the media and others to participate in and enjoy the reading



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

- Was held this week in the Library
- We hope your child found a good book to buy!
- Scholastics mascot Clifford the Dog made a surprise appearance too!



UNIFORM SHOP OPEN DAYS

Monday at 8.30 to 9.15am and Friday at 3.00 to 3.45pm

Or by appt with the office

SECONDHAND UNIFORM SHOP OPEN DAYS

Tuesday: 8.30 - 9.15am & Wednesday: 3.00 - 3.30pm

2018 YEAR BOOK "INSPIRE"

- Don't forget to purchase a copy of the 2018 year book
- \$10 from the office
- Lots of great photos and memories



Southern Hotel Murray Street Gawler

- Now offering Junior G's Play Café Parties
- Contact 85221065 for more

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK 2019/2020

- For Sale \$70
- Books can be purchased via the office, or ordered as a digital membership

<http://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/16h6231>



NEW INFORMATION ON VOLUNTEER CHECKS

- We really appreciate parents and caregivers helping at Immanuel with reading, excursions, camps etc
- Those who volunteer in a school environment need to have completed
 - 'Valuing Safe Communities' training and**
 - Provide a copy of a current police check or obtain a WWCC check.**
 Both of these have a life span of three years
- As from 1 July 2019 there will be stronger, nationally consistent screening laws for people wanting to work or volunteer with children in South Australia. The new laws require people working or volunteering with children to have a valid **working with children check (WWCC)**, replacing the current system where people can have either a national police check assessment or a DHS screening. More info can be found at <https://screening.sa.gov.au/>
- From 1 July 2019, a WWCC can only be issued by the DHS Screening Unit. Our school is a registered business to initiate this check. To apply you will need to provide your full name, date of birth and an email address to Jenny (authorised person) in the office, and a government form will be emailed to you to complete and submit. There is no cost to apply as a volunteer in a school. If you have a current police clearance this will still be valid for a 3 year period, following this you will need to provide a WWCC check
- Valuing Safe Communities' training** will be held with Daryl Trigg every term. Next session is **Wednesday 14 August at 2.30pm and 6.30pm**
- If you attended this training in 2016, your certificate has now expired so you will need to attend the training again this year



LLL BANKING

- On 31st May interest** will be added to all LLL deposit accounts
- You can bring your bank books in next Tuesday and we will forward them to the LLL in North Adelaide to update the interest and carry out their annual audit
- Thank you for your co-operation



WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN is back!

- For every \$10 you spend you'll get an Earn and Learn Sticker
- Collect as many stickers as you can between now and 25 June
- Give your stickers to Immanuel School Gawler so we can earn free equipment



**Support the
Red Shield Appeal
Buy a Waffle for
\$2.50**



Box of 12 available for \$30

All in support of the
Red Shield Appeal 2019

Tel 08 8523 4844

SALVOS RED SHIELD APPEAL

Donate direct to the Salvos or purchase some waffles from the school office for \$2.50

iGOSH INFO

JULY SCHOOL HOLIDAYS VACATION CARE PROGRAM

iGOSH will be open
for the **upcoming**
3 week holiday break:

**Monday 1 July to
Friday 19 July**

The program details have gone home to all families today. Online bookings will open on Monday 3 June at 9am. Get in early.

Coordinator: **Katrina Ponte**

Open hours term time:
**7.00am to 8.30am and
3.30pm to 6.00pm**

Open hours school holidays:
7.00am to 6.00pm

Where: Senior Unit Kitchen
Entrance: via Lyndoch Road gate, using the pin pad code.

Fees:
Information on the school website www.ilsa.sa.edu.au
Fees are CCS approved

Accounts:
These are emailed weekly to families. Please action your payments promptly. You can pay via a bank transfer online, or over the counter in the school office.

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The Primary Years Program (PYP) T2 W4 & 5

Sharing our learning...

Year 2

It was wonderful to see our Year 2 classes having an opportunity to share their learning with parents, caregivers and friends at their learning showcase last week. The Primary Years Program of the IB places a high value on collaboration and sharing learning and our Year 6 students take part in a large scale exhibition where they share their learning with the whole community. It was great that our Year 2s could have a taste of this as they shared the biography boxes they had made for their unit of inquiry on role models.



UOI: Our role models reflect who we are and what we believe

Zachary M: I learnt anyone can be a role model and you do not have to be famous to be a good role model. Everyone has more than one role model. I enjoyed learning strategies to create my role model box.

Ava H: I learnt you can be a role model if you try and believe in yourself. I also learnt not to have doubt in yourself otherwise you will not be able to do it. I enjoyed making the boxes because I reflected on my role models and what their characteristics are and what they are passionate about.

Year 3

Our Year 3P students had a real life experience with their maths learning and their writing. They created their own shops and had a market day. They had to use descriptive writing to promote their products and use their knowledge of money to buy and sell. They had a great time and they made some delicious food.



The Primary Years Program (PYP) T2 W4 & 5

Relevant, Engaging, Significant, Challenging...

Year 5

Learning in the PYP focuses on promoting student curiosity by developing experiences which are engaging, and making connections between learning at school and the real world.

Our Year 5s have been working on a unit about justice systems. The unit began with a bang as their classrooms were "robbed" and they had to discuss the process that should be followed. They had a visit from Mathew Hutchings, who spoke to them about working in the corrections system.

We also had a visit from Carly Formosa SAPOL who spoke about the role of the police in justice systems.



Transdisciplinary Learning...

Year 6

Learning in the Primary Years Program is transdisciplinary – it happens across the different curriculum areas. Our Year 6 students have started a new unit which takes in learning across a broad range of curriculum areas.

Central Idea:

Exploration leads to discovery and develops new understandings of the world

Lines of Inquiry:

- Personal and political reasons for exploration
- Methods and means of exploration
- How discoveries have influenced our world today

Their unit will allow them to look at exploration from a range of perspectives – exploring other countries, our solar system and universe, exploring different ideas and exploring to develop our knowledge in different ways. The Year 6s started by conducting some science experiments to look at how scientists think and at some of the contributions they have made through their exploration of ideas.



YEAR 5 CSI DAY at FAITH COLLEGE

On Tuesday 21 May, Immanuel's Year 5 students attended the CSI (College Scene Investigation) day at Faith College Tanunda. The day provided an amazing opportunity for students to experience a small taste of what high-school life might include. Students participated in a wide range of lessons and subjects, many of which are not offered across primary school curriculum areas. These included Agriculture, Design & Technology, Sculpture & Visual Arts, Media Makers, PE at the Rex, Science Lab and Dance. The event was also attended by students from St Jakobi Lyndoch, Tanunda Lutheran (Faith Junior Campus) & Lobethal Lutheran Primary.



RECONCILIATION FUN DAY Wednesday 29 May 2019

Connection...

The mission statement of the International Baccalaureate states its aim is *developing knowledgeable and caring young people who help to create a better and more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect.*

It was wonderful that our school could be involved in the **Reconciliation Week Community Fun Day in Gawler**. Our indigenous students, their buddies and our Year 1 students had the opportunity to attend the event, present a banner they had put together about reconciliation, take part in indigenous art and damper making workshops and interact with the many community groups and community members who were there on the day. The organisers did a fantastic job, despite the challenge of having to shift venues because of weather, and our students had a really engaging and valuable day.



SAPSASA ATHLETICS DAY

On Monday 20 May **Jett P**, **Alex F** and the twins **Tate** and **Beau G** represented the Gawler District at the SA Country SAPSASA Athletics Championships at Mile End. All four lads competed exceptionally well in their events.

- **Jett** was a member of the U10 Boys relay team which finished 4th overall, running a brilliant leg himself
- Power and technique were shown by **Beau** in the shotput and U12 Boys Discuss earning him a Bronze medallion
- His twin brother **Tate** also powered down the track in the 100m sprint and relay, the high jump and launched into the long jump pit to take out 3rd place
- **Alex** competed in 100m sprint, high jump, shot put and relay. He placed 3rd in the 100m sprint and relay

Congratulations boys on giving your all against the best athletes in the state.



AFTER SCHOOL FOOTY CLINIC

Mr Cochrane has got the footy skills down pat with the Foundation to Year 2 students.

Everyone's having great fun kicking and handballing and learning a new skill or 2.



PANCAKE BREKKIE Wednesday 29 May from 7.30am

Thanks Emma Lange and all the wonderful volunteers from Gawler Lutheran Church for helping set up, cook and serve the MOT (Middle of Term) pancake brekkie. What a great way to start the day! If you missed out it be on again MOT #3.





You are invited to
ZION LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL'S
40TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION
When: Sunday 2nd June 2019
Where: Zion Church
24-26 Cowan St Gawler
Time: 10:45am with worship in church

Worship will be followed by a community lunch, cutting of the cake and displays.

We would love to see you there on this special occasion!