

Food for thought

If you've ever hosted a dinner party, this might resonate with you.

The arrangements were made about two months ago - two other couples are coming to your place and you haven't caught up for ages. So long in fact that you actually can't remember whose turn it really is to host.



They're coming over on Saturday night, so the panic starts around Thursday. A plan is made for the menu, carefully considering who has cooked what in the past and who has what allergies, likes and dislikes. Friday night sees some preparations made but the flurry begins early Saturday morning.

Shopping...cleaning...cooking...cleaning...

You've been looking forward to catching up for ages. And ages. But its important to impress. Even though you've been great friends for ages and ages...it's important to impress. And to impress you continue to cook and clean and clean and cook right until....

Did we say 6.30pm or 7.00pm?

The doorbell rings. But there's stuff to do... The other two couples talk and reminisce and catch up. "It's been ages!" While you assemble and create and then contemplate.

Before you know it, it's late and promises are made not to leave it too long again...and you head to the sink with your head saying it's been a great night because everything went well. But your heart aches, just a little bit.

If this story resonates...just a little bit... then you'll fully appreciate this week's bible focus story about Mary and Martha in Luke 10:38

Many of us are like Martha. And there's nothing wrong with that. Jesus just encourages us to think about where our priorities lay.

Have a read of the story - it's food for thought.

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BULLETIN

Term 3 Week 2 Monday 29 July 2019

What's on in Term 3 2019

Week 1

Monday 22 July Day 1 Term 3

Week 2

Thurs 1 Aug

• Peaceful Kids program starts

• Soccer clinic starts 7pm P&F Meeting

Fri 2 Aug

Balaklava Eisteddfod

Week 3

Mon 5 Aug

• Seasons for Growth sessions wrap up with

Mrs Chamberlain Year 5's visiting ZPS

Sun 11 Aug

This Day Forward Dinner & Movie at

Immanuel at 6pm

Week 4

Mon 12 Aug

Assembly with Yr 2's Weds 14 Aug VSC Volunteer Training at 2.30pm or

6.30pm

Thurs 15 Aug

Science Show Family

Night 6pm

Fri 16 Aug P&F Quiz Night

Week 5

Mon 16 Aug Tues 20 Aug

Planetarium Visit Open Day at 9.30am

Thurs 22 Aug

Book Week Dress Up Day + parade 9am

Sat 24 & Sun 25 Gawler Show

Week 6

Weds 28 Aug Student photo day

Week 8

Weds 11 Sept Upper Primary

School Concert Matinee 2pm

Thurs 12 Sept

Upper Primary School Concert Night

Fri 13 Sept Student Free Day

Week 9

Tues 17 Sept Parent / Teacher /

Student 3 way conference

Wed 18 Sept Amazing Me work-

shop

Week 10

Tues 24 Thurs 26 Sept

Parent / Teacher / Student 3 way conference

Friday 27 Sept Last day of Term 3 and SPORTS DAY

WELCOME BACK TO TERM 3

We hope you had a great 3 week break and are now refreshed for some more learning experiences at school.

PUNCTUALITY

Just a reminder that the **school day begins at 8.50am**. Students who arrive after this time need to be signed in at the front office.

If you child is absent on any day please let the office know via phone or email.

The **school day** ends at 3.25pm. If you need to pick up early a note to your teacher in the morning is really helpful. Please report to the school office first and sign your child out whilst your child is called to the office.

NEW STAFF

We welcome:

Miss Sarah Todd Year 3 Teacher (replacing Mrs Ellie Parish)

Mr Paul Adler Year 4 Teacher (replacing Mr Ben Jones who is on long service leave this term)

Pastor Peter Hartwich School Chaplain (replacing Mrs Joanne Chamberlain who has taken on a role at Grow Ministries with the LCA in North Adelaide.) Peter is also a Chaplain at St Jakobi School in Lyndoch and has been in this capacity for the past 12 years.

NEW FAMILIES

We welcome 2 new families who have started at Immanuel this term. Every blessing as you make friends here in Gawler.

UNIFORM

Just a reminder that Winter Uniform (formal) is still required to be worn in Term 3 on the designated days.

This refers to grey trousers and long sleeve shirt for boys and the pinafore (or skirt) with white blouse for girls.

With the cold weather still dominating we need students to keep warm and wear their jumpers along with the correct winter attire.

Sports uniform consists of shorts or trackpants with T-shirt and rugby top.

Hats do not need to be worn in term 3 (as the UV rating is usually below 3)

Please ensure your **child's name** is **clearly marked** on **hats** and **jumpers +** drink bottles and lunchboxes.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mrs Ellie Parish and husband Ben on the birth of their new little girl "Daisy May Parish" on 16 July 2019.

JUNIOR YOUTH

Continues on **Thursdays** for students in years 4,5,6. We have adjusted the starting time to 3.30pm and finishing time to 5.00pm.

Emma Lange and her helpers run this program.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Gawler Lutheran Church is hosting their first **Sunday school** for the year on **Sunday 28 July during the 10:45am** service at Zion Worship Centre.

We encourage parents with children aged 3-10 to come along in the church hall for 'families sharing together' time. This is a trial with only 4 sessions for the year (2 per school term).

THIS DAY FORWARD (Movie and BBQ Dinner Night)

Sunday 11 August at 6pm at Immanuel School

Guest speakers Brian Ide and Jen Jensen

Hosted by Gawler Lutheran Church & Good Shepherd Para Vista.

Immanuel School families welcome to come.

WORSHIP & PRAISE

Fridays at 9am in Taikondi

Parents and friends welcome to come along too.

Stay for a cuppa and chat afterwards.

Friday 26 July
with Pastor Anthony
Friday 2 August
with Mrs Eckermann
Friday 9 August
with Miss Gross

ASSEMBLY

2.45pm in Taikondi.

Term 3 Week 4: Monday 12 August With the year 2 classes

Term 3 Week 8: Monday 9 September With the Foundation classes

All welcome!

JUNIOR YOUTH PLEASE NOTE THE NEW TIME

Thursdays at 3.30pm to 5.00pm

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

RHYTHYM 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 INFO

This term the Carers Group are giving the students a special lunch Soup and Toastie Day on Friday 16 August. Order forms out soon.

Fathers Day Stall will be held on Thursday 29 August - shhh don't tell DAD.

Sports Day - watch out for their coffee and cake!

P&F GROUP

Next meeting is **THURSDAY 1 AUGUST** starting at **7pm** in the staffroom. New members are welcome - parents, caregivers and friends. The more the merrier!

P&F's Term 3 events include:

A Quiz Night on Friday 16 August - more info out this week

Helping at the **Concert**

And selling the raffle tickets for the GIANT WHEELBARROW RAFFLE

- The Wheelbarrow and its contents of prizes is now on display
 - Wow! What a GIANT prize to win! It is massive!
- Money raised is going towards a new sound desk for the Taikondi area.
- Tickets on sale from the school office \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Got to be in it to win it!

Valuing Safe Communities Training for our Volunteers

- The VSC training goes hand in hand with the new WWCC, and is a must if you want to attend an excursion, camp or help out in small group activities.
- VSC is offered every term and takes about 40 minutes.
- Term 3 sessions will be held with Daryl on Wednesday 14 August at 2.30pm or 6.30pm in the staffroom.
- It needs to be renewed every 3 years, so if you attended a session in 2016 you will need to update again this year.

Valuing Safe Communities

WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECKS (WWCC)

- From 1 July 2019 SA's new screening laws require anyone working or volunteering with children must have a valid child related check.
- WWCC's will be free for those applying in a volunteer role.
- If you have a current National Police Check that will be valid until 30/6/2020 only. If you have a current DCSI check that will be valid until its 3 year expiry.
- We encourage our parent volunteers to check the type and date of their current check, and apply for the WWCC as from 1 July.
- More information on how to apply will be available from 1 July or go to www.screening.sa.gov.au or click here for the information kit.



UNIFORM SHOP OPEN DAYS

Monday at 8.30 to 9.15am 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

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Issue number 5 catalogues were sent home Weds 24 July. All orders and payment are due back by Friday 2 August.

Thanks Stacey Challen our wonderful parent volunteer who collates and sends off the orders and then sorts and sends home the items.

SUBWAY LUNCHES

Order Subway on a Wednesday (by 3.30pm) for lunch on a Friday.

An order form can be found on our website or via the office.

OPEN DAYS 2019

Tuesday 20 August 9.30am Thursday 7 November 9.30am For families looking to enrol at Immanuel.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK 2019/2020

- One book left in the office for Sale \$70
- More Books or digital memberships can be purchased via the office, or go direct to

http://

www.entertainmentbook.com.a u/orderbooks/16h6231



WHAT'S PLANNED FOR TERM 3

BALAKLAVA EISTEDDFOD

- Friday 2 August and Saturday 3 August
- Mr Hueppauff and the group of music and arts performing students are off to try and win some awards for our school

AFTER SCHOOL SOCCER

- Starts next Thursday after school for F,1&2's who have registered.
- Interested families registered very quickly this time, and the clinic in now full. We apologise if you missed out.

SCIENCE WEEK

- Science Week starts 12 August to 16 August 2019.
 The Theme is "Destination Moon: More Missions, More Science".
 - The Friday Electives lessons in week 4 and 5 will have a theme around Science
- On Thursday 15 August the mobile Science Education unit will be visiting our school for the Big Science Show Family Night at 6.00pm to 7.30pm including a sausage sizzle. Tickets will be \$5 / person. More details soon.
- On Monday 19 August we have a visit from **Starlab / Planetarium** visit. Thanks P&F for your help to fund this special visit. Lots of fun!

BOOK WEEK / DRESS UP DAY

- Book Week starts 19 August to 23 August. The Theme is "Reading is My Secret Power"
- Dress Up Day will be held on Thursday 22 August with the parade in the morning
- On Thursday 15 August the Year F-2 students will see the Dream Big performance by Perform Education here at school
- We will also have some special book displays and fun

THINKUKNOW CYBER SAFETY EDUCATION PROGRAM

- Mon 26 August at 7pm in Taikondi
- This is for parents, caregivers, teachers

GAWLER SHOW

- Saturday 24 and Sunday 25 August.
- We will have a school stall and display, and will be asking for some help manning the store.
- We will have our music and dancing kids perform
- Entries for exhibits (eg cooking etc) are now open but close on Friday 2 August.
 Go to www.gawlershow.org.au to register.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

- Wednesday 28 August.
- This will be with Bruce and Lara from "The School Photographer".
- Ordering envelopes will be arriving soon

SCHOOL CONCERT (Upper Primary Yr 4, 5 & 6's performing)

- Thursday 12 September Evening Performance at 7pm
- **Wednesday 11 September Matinee** Performance at 2pm

STUDENT FREE DAY

- Friday 13 September (following the concert) for the whole school.
- **iGOSH** will be available and is now open for bookings

THREE WAY CONFERENCES between parent / teacher and student.

• Tuesday 17, Tuesday 24 & Thursday 26 Sept 3.30pm to 6pm

SPORTS DAY

• Friday 26 September - last day of Term 3.

<u>ICAS</u> ASSESSMENTS

Information went home last Friday about the ICAS testing taking place in Term 3.

Testing this year will be undertaken online this year (except for the Year 3 and 4 writing.)

Digital Technologies

Mon 2 to Wed 4 September **Science**

Wed 4 to Fri 6 September

Writing

Mon 9 to Wed 11 Sept
Spelling Bee

Wed 11 to Fri 13 September

English

Mon 16 to Wed 18 Sept

Mathematics

Wed 18 to Fri 20 September

If you want your child to participate, please return the form and payment by Monday 19 August.



PEACEFUL KIDS PROGRAM

Starts this Thursday for those who have registered their child.



The Primary Years Program

Natural Maths

Over the break our staff undertook some professional learning with Ann Baker from Natural Maths. This approach to maths is based on students developing depth of understanding with maths concepts, flexibility and fluency with thinking about maths and an ability to use a range of strategies to solve problems, important features of the Australian Curriculum's maths proficiencies. Classes around the school have been getting out of the classroom and engaging in hands-on, practical maths lessons.

Our Year 2 classes were finding arrays to look at multiplication.





Our Year 5 classes were exploring fractions in their kitchen lessons by making and dividing pizzas.

Units of inquiry

The PYP emphasises the value of student learning through inquiry. Teachers use provocations to help spark students' curiosity and get them asking questions.

Year 1 Central idea: People recognise important events through celebrations

Our Year 1 students have been looking at celebrations around the world. In Week 1 they had their own celebration as they looked at Bastille day and its importance to the people of France.









Year 4 Central idea: Colonial powers raced to monopolise resources

Our Year 4 students are beginning a unit on colonialism, looking at why countries set up colonies, the changes that took place through colonisation and the experiences of the people involved. They started their unit with a treasure hunt around the school, searching for some fairly everyday items which used to be precious (tea, coffee, spices, sugar, cotton).





iGOSH INFO - TERM 3

TERM 3 BOOKINGS: are open online at: www.carebookings.com.au

- They close at 2pm each Friday for the week ahead.
- These bookings are charged at the permanent rate.
- Any bookings after this cut off are charged at the casual rate.

If you haven't used the service for more than 8 weeks or it is your first time, you will need to confirm the enrolment in your **mygov** account.

All VAC CARE INVOICES have been emailed out to families.

• Your prompt payment on your accounts would be appreciate, as we would like all accounts under \$300.

STUDENT FREE DAY: Friday 13 September

- iGOSH will be open and you can book in for this on www.carebookings.com.au now.
- More information about the day will be sent out closer to the date.

END TERM 4

• iGOSH will be open on the last 2 days of Term 4 - Thursday 12 and Friday 13 December. You can book for these on **www.carebookings.com.au** now.

CHRISTMAS / JANUARY HOLIDAYS

- iGOSH will be open for the Vacation Care Program from 16 to 20 December and then 6 January until school goes back.
- The program will come out around week 5 of term 4.

IGOSH HOLIDAY FUN





MASTERCHEF DAY







PLAY CAFÉ GAWLER ARMS DAY







THIS DAY **FORWARD**

Help me choose faith. even when fear seems bigger.

"This Day Forward" is a story that connects strongly with teens and adults who desire to talk about how to support the carers of people who are suffering.

Join movie director, Brian Ide & members of the Jensen Family for a series of events & conversations to explore how our faith and lives are challenged when we face the "unimaginable".

Dinner & Movie with Guest Speakers:

Brian Ide & Jen Jensen

Includes Sausage Sizzle provided by Immanuel School

DATE Sunday 11th August 2019

TIME Arrive 6pm for BBQ tea

VENUE Immanuel School Gawler (11 Lyndoch Rd, Gawler)

DETAILS Commencing with a BBQ tea, followed by the movie

screening and an opportunity to meet with Brian and Jen



For more information, contact: Jo Chamberlain 0466 400 907

CYBER SAFETY SESSION FOR PARENTS/CAREGIVERS

Immanuel will be hosting a:

<u>ThinkUKnow Presentation on:</u> Monday the 26 August at 7.00pm in the Taikondi

All parents, carers and teachers are encouraged to attend.

ThinkUKnow Australia is a cyber safety education program that educates parents, carers and teachers of how people are using technology, the challenges they may face online, and



how to help them overcome these in a safe and ethical way.

ThinkUKnow Australia is a partnership between the Australian Federal Police, Microsoft Australia, Datacom and the Commonwealth Bank. The program is delivered in collaboration with policing partners New South Wales Police Force, Northern Territory Police, Queensland Police, South Australia Police, Tasmania Police, Western Australia Police, as well as Neighbourhood Watch Australasia.

The presentation will be delivered by a local law enforcement member and an industry volunteer. The presentation covers issues relating to children and young peoples' privacy and security online, their relationships with other users and their online reputation. It provides insight into the devices young people are using, as well as the popular websites, apps and social networking sites they're accessing.

This is a fantastic opportunity for you to learn more about young people and the online environment, and how you can help them to be safe and responsible users of technology.

Yr 4/5/6 students will be having a session during the afternoon of the same day.

For more information, you can visit <u>www.thinkuknow.org.au</u> or contact our school.