

CLEVE AREA SCHOOL

Newsletter



Principal News

Almost halfway through the term already and there has been plenty of things happening at school. Lots of other events are also happening in the near future. A few reminders, this week is Book Week. On Friday the students have the opportunity to dress up as a character who inspires them or as their favourite character. There has been more information about this on Dojo.

Don't forget the Student Free Day on Friday 1st September (week 6). All teaching staff will be involved in training about the implementation of the Child Protection Curriculum, which is mandated in all DfE schools. The SSO's will be further upskilled in delivering intervention programs and the support they provide to our students.

A big thankyou to Jo Turner for organising and other staff for presenting at the SACE Information evening last week. It's always a valuable opportunity to learn about how the SACE works during Years 10-12.

Last week Elle Burton, Jess Deer and myself travelled to Port Lincoln for 2 days of PD about how to best support staff in implementing the curriculum. There were lots of strategies we learnt, which we will go through with staff to help support their teaching practices which will have a positive impact on the opportunities we are providing to our students.

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DIARY DATES

Tuesday 29th -
Thursday 31st August
Year 5 Camp
Friday 1st September
Student Free Day
Tuesday 5th -Friday 9th
Adelaide Show
Friday 15th September
JP Sports Day



We have started our staffing process for 2024. In the next couple of weeks we will be able to announce the teaching staff for next year. To help support this process can you please let us know if you are thinking that your child may be continuing their education at another school. Our secondary students are very fortunate that they are in relatively small classes and this means that they receive more individual teaching time. The school also makes a huge commitment to providing SSO support in as many classes as possible R-12. The final number of students enrolled at Cleve impacts on the subjects we can offer. We have a couple of larger cohorts of year levels in secondary which we are planning on splitting for as many subjects as possible (especially in the compulsories like Maths, English and Science). If you require any more information on possible subjects to be offered in secondary, please contact Callum Agnew, who will be more than happy to go through the most likely subjects we will be offering (I know subject counselling has started for some secondary year levels).

As always, if you have any queries throughout the year please Dojo, email or phone your class teacher, Callum or myself. We would prefer to know about something which is concerning you rather than not. This way we can do something about it and make the situation better for all involved.

Catch up soon,

Trev

Deputy News

SACE subject selections are well underway, which is giving us some good insight into the structure of classes that we will need next year. Thank you to everyone who has made the time to come in and discuss their child's pathway. It is well documented that parent involvement is a key driver of student success, so not only does it make our job easier to be able to have these conversations with you, but it will also directly benefit your child as well.

I am grateful to all parents who have their students complete their schooling at Cleve Area School. More students here means a greater range of options for all students, which allows us to maintain or, as is the case for next year, increase staffing levels. This has great benefits for the school and wider community. More importantly, I believe it is also a great choice for the students themselves- the results of having access to small class sizes and passionate teachers is evident in the success of our past students and the current Year 12 group look set to continue that trend.

In SRC news, the very first SRC basketball competition will be kicking off soon! After the success of the Volleyball competition, the SRC were keen to continue providing the opportunity for some collaboration, growth, and friendly competition to the students. I'm pleased to announce I've even signed up to coach one of the teams, so hopefully if the staff enter a team they bring a similar level of play to the one that saw them lose out in the Volleyball.

In case anyone missed it, I'd like to introduce you to South Australia's new education strategy, aptly titled "Learn and Thrive." This strategy outlines the Department's shared mission to create a world-leading public education system that nurtures every learner's potential - visit <https://discover.education.sa.gov.au/our-strategy/> for more information.

The Key areas of Impact for this strategy are Wellbeing, Equity and Excellence, Effective Learners and Learner Agency. The "Learn and Thrive" strategy envisions a South Australia where our children and young people flourish, impacting the entire community positively.

While there may not be a noticeable shake-up due to the new strategy, we are looking forward to the increased emphasis on the wellbeing of our students and the provision of resourcing to ensure equity for all learners. Finally, I would like to echo Trev's comments encouraging people to get in touch if there is anything that is concerning them. In my short time in this role, it's abundantly clear how impactful collaborative efforts between the school, students and parents can be, far more than school or student efforts alone. So if there is any little things that are bothering you, please let us know so we can begin working on a solution.

Cheers

Callum



ROWAN RAMSEY SCHOOL COMMUNITY AWARD

PLEASE RETURN TO
CLEVE AREA SCHOOL,
SECOND STREET,
CLEVE SA 5640

OR TO
JODY.BRAY267@SCHOOLS.SA.EDU.AU

BY MONDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER 2023

ROWAN RAMSEY SCHOOL COMMUNITY AWARD NOMINATION FORM

This award is open to staff, parents or community members who have "gone the extra mile" dedictiong and volunteering their time and skills for our school.

Name of Recipient:

Parent Community Member Staff Member (Please Circle)

Brief description how the nominee has shown dedication and service to Cleve Area School:

Name of person nominating (if more information is required)

Phone: -----

PCW CHAT



Mentoring Program
Great things are
happening in this space.

Rhys Lister and John
Schumann recently started the program
and this is one of their first projects that
they completed together. If you would
like to be a mentor or maybe consider
being a mentor please contact Deb
Taheny 0428 391 326



Thursday's in Deb's room at lunch
time there is a lot of great learning
happening as Neva Trigg and
Margaret Nield teach students the art
of knitting. It's a great time with
much patience from the instructors
and great listening from the students.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

AUGUST 29

YEAR 5 CAMP

SEPTEMBER 1

PUPIL FREE DAY

SEPTEMBER 12

YEAR 9/10 BASKETBALL

SEPTEMBER 15

JP SPORTS DAY

SEPTEMBER 25

PUPIL FREE DAY

SEPTEMBER 29

LAST DAY OF TERM 3

CLEVE AREA SCHOOL



PARENT SURVEY

Parent survey

You're invited to complete the 2023 annual parent survey, which is now open.

In the week beginning Monday 31 July you'll receive an email or SMS from the Parent Survey Team with a unique link to participate in the survey.

If you didn't receive an email or SMS with your unique survey link, contact education.ParentSurvey@sa.gov.au and include our school's name in your email.

The survey takes less than 10 minutes and will help us understand:

- what we're doing well
- where we can improve
- what's important to you.

It has been coordinated centrally so that added administration workload isn't placed on the school.

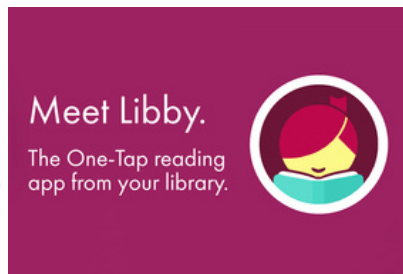
Your answers won't identify you or your child. Only collated feedback will be provided to our school.

Information collected will inform school improvement planning and activities at the school.

The survey closes midnight Sunday 27 August.

<https://survey.education.sa.gov.au/sc/YBESVT3ZhjL2v2XsdEJEZA2>





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Our Book Club will meet on Wednesday 6th September at 2pm in the library or at 5pm at the Cleve Hotel to chat about "Never Let me Go". All Welcome!



Book Week Plans for 2023:

Friday 25th August:

Dress as a character who inspires you or as your favourite character

Poetry competition winners announced

Guess the staff member winners announced

Our favourite Book Week book announced

Lunch time activities all week!

COMMUNITY NOTICES

AFSS is Seeking Foster Carers across the Lower Eyre Peninsula

- Are you passionate about the future of Aboriginal children and young people?
- Are you supportive and understanding?
- Can you help keep young people safe and connected to their culture and community?



AFSS is looking for people just like you, who want to play their part in caring for Aboriginal children and young people.

Please Contact AFSS:


Mandy Drummond ✉ mandy.drummond@afss.com.au ☎ 8683 1909



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F7 Youth Group presents a

YOUTH

BONFIRE

NIGHT



Friday September 15, 2023
6pm-9pm

At Cleve Uniting Church Hall, Second Street, Cleve
Pick up at 9pm
For Year 7-12 Students
Tea & Bible Study

For more information please contact Adam Crosby 0428 746045 or Tracey Crosby 0429 204036






HOLIDAY SWIM

ENROLMENTS OPEN NOW

GET IN QUICK!

Swim SURVIVE

Holiday Swim

WWW.HOLIDAYSWIM.COM.AU

Kids Camp Eyre Peninsula (KCEP)

A overnight camp for Kids Grades 3-7



Saturday September 23- Sunday 24, 2023

Thuruna Campsite, Tumbay Bay

SPEAKER: David Graham, teacher/principal and follower of Jesus

KCEP is an overnight Christian camp for kids in Grade 3-7. Kids come from all over Eyre Peninsula and join in games and crafts, and have faith-based conversation with live music worship.

Thanks to the support from local churches we are able to keep camp the same price as 2022, \$40

Online Registrations

<https://brushfire.com/sua/camp/554855>

or visit Facebook Kids Camp EP for the link

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