

# CLEVE AREA SCHOOL

## Newsletter



## Principal News

First of all, a big congratulations to our Year 12 students who have been completing their final exams over the last two weeks, with the final one finishing up today. They have shown great resilience, dedication and enthusiasm throughout this challenging year and we are very proud of their achievements. We invite you all to join us for Presentation Morning on Friday the 1st of December, where we will celebrate their success and wish them all the best for their future endeavours.

We would like to inform you a bit more about the new direction that our school is taking, guided by the Department's four new areas of impact: wellbeing, equity and excellence, learner agency and effective learners. These areas reflect our commitment to providing a holistic education that supports the social, emotional, academic and personal growth of every student. This week we wanted to focus on the area of effective learners. We believe that learning is a complex process that is not simply about having a good memory, but also about how learners feel, think, learn with others and manage the process of learning. Effective learning

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- BSB: 633-000 Account Number: 176748457



## DIARY DATES

Monday 20th - Friday  
24th November  
Year 7 Camp  
Wednesday 22nd - Friday  
24th November  
SAPSASA Tennis  
Friday 24th November  
Year 11s last day



dispositions help students to deal with change and challenges throughout life and to become lifelong learners. While this is something that we have already been working on with students, you can expect to see new initiatives in the future that will further support our students to become effective learners. As you may have heard, we will be rolling out a part of the Education Management System (EMS) later this year to replace some of our administrative software. This will not affect you as parents or carers, but it will help us to streamline our processes and improve our efficiency. A much bigger change is coming in Term 2 of next year, when we will begin to roll out Daymap, which will be our one-stop solution for things like parent communication, reporting, absences and more. We are very excited to be implementing this system, as it will greatly enhance our communication and collaboration with you and your children. You will be hearing a lot more about it during Term 1 next year as we prepare for parent access.

The SRC has arranged a fun activity for the whole school tomorrow: the Weir Walk. This is a great way to stay fit and healthy (Something we all need, right?). The students will walk along the track from different points, depending on their age, and meet at the school oval. There, the SRC will have a BBQ lunch and Zooper Doopers ready for us. Well done to the new executive team for their swift organisation of this event.

In week 7, we are available for you to book a time to have a chat about any bug bears or new ideas you may have for the school. This will help support us to continue providing the best opportunities for our students. Please ring the front office on 8628 2104 and book a time and we look forward to chatting. If you are unable to come in but would like to let us know something, please feel free to email us on [Trevor.McDonough563@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Trevor.McDonough563@schools.sa.edu.au) or [Callum.Agnew571@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Callum.Agnew571@schools.sa.edu.au). As we continue to plan for 2024, please let us know if your child is not returning to Cleve next year. The final enrolment numbers affect our staffing plans. Also, if you know of anyone intending on enrolling, get them to contact us so we can help make this transition for them smooth. As always, if you have any queries throughout the year please Dojo, email or phone your class teacher, Callum or Trevor. We value your feedback and honesty. If something is bothering you, please let us know. We can work together to find a solution and improve the situation for everyone.

Catch up soon,

Trevor & Callum



# Play First Trial

From Week 6, our school will begin a 'Play First' trial in the Primary School (R-6), which means that eating and playtimes will be reversed. After discussion with other schools in the region who have had huge success with this model, we have decided to explore this at our school. During this trial we will monitor if the change helps our students to be more settled and regulated in class after break times. We will trial this for at least two weeks and then make a site decision regarding the continuation of 'Play First' for the remainder of the term and into next year.

Our intended outcomes of reversing eating and playtime include:

- students to be more settled and regulated in class after break time.
- allow time for teachers to address any playtime challenges.
- students to eat their lunch properly instead of rushing off to play.
- less rubbish in the yard.

Timetable for play/eating times for trial:

Recess PLAY 11.10-11.30

Recess EAT 11.30-11.40

Lunch PLAY 1.00-1.40

Lunch EAT 1.40-1.50

Some students may express at the beginning of recess or lunch playtime that they are extremely hungry. If they are unable to wait until the allocated eating time, we would make allowances for this, however, they will need to be seated while eating. It will also be encouraged that 'Fruit Time' occurs after 10am to better accommodate the change in recess eating time. We highly encourage parents to ensure students have packed a fruit snack. There may be some students who take longer to eat, and accommodations will be made for these students at the discretion of the teacher. It is envisioned that most classes will eat inside their classrooms to allow for a smooth transition into a mindfulness task (mindful drawing or reading). Students will be supported to clean their table after they have eaten.

This change will not impact on the secondary timetable at all; however, lunch orders will not be available until 1.25pm for secondary students.

We look forward to monitoring the effectiveness of this trial and sharing the outcomes with you.

Gemma Leonard

Inclusive Education Support Manager



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# Cleve Area School Materials and Services Charges

Thank you to the parents and caregivers who responded to the poll, the results of which were successful.

This means that the gap between our fee and the prescribed fee will be legally recoverable in 2024. For students in Reception to year 6 the gap is \$58 and for years 7 to 12 it is \$51.

Invoices and book collection details will be sent out to families in early January.



**SRC WEIR WALK  
THURSDAY WEEK 5  
16TH NOVEMBER  
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South Australian Police 131 444

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<https://www.education.sa.gov.au/parents-and-families/safety-and-wellbeing/bushfires/bushfire-season-preparation-advice-families>

**PREMIER'S  
READING**  
Challenge

**Awards**

**Assembly**

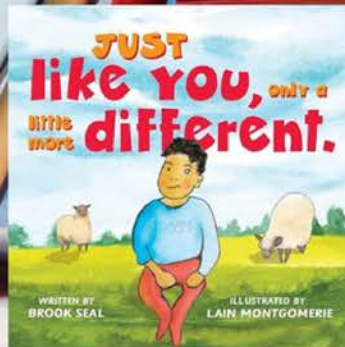
**Guest Speaker:**

**Brook Seal**

**Where: Front of the library**

**When: Tuesday 5th Nov**

**Time: 10:30am**

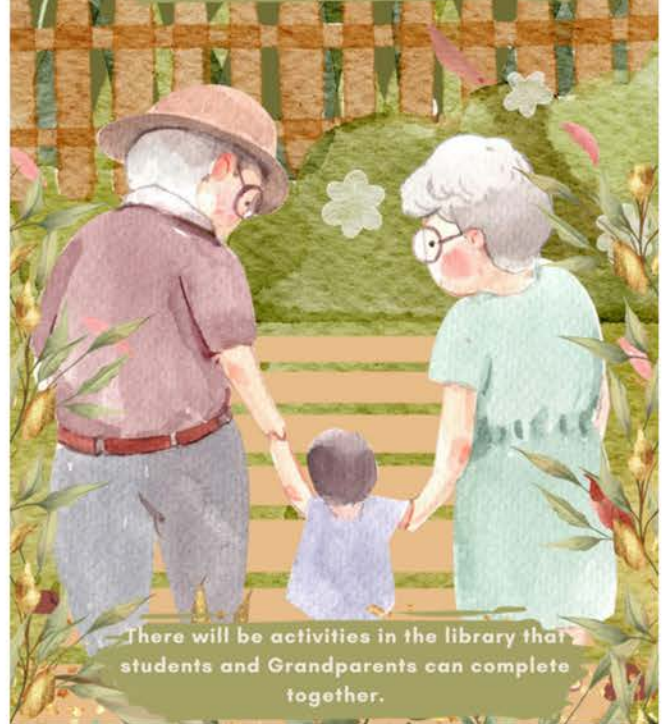


**GRANDPARENTS DAY**

**THURSDAY 7TH DECEMBER  
AT 11 AM**

**FOLLOWING THE PRIMARY SCHOOL CONCERT**

Primary Classrooms & the Library will be open. Students may like to invite grandparents, grand-friends, relatives, and those who generally take on the role of a grandparent within their family or community.



There will be activities in the library that students and Grandparents can complete together.



**SAPSASA cricket**

# SACE NEWS



Our final Year 12 exams have been completed today with Specialist Mathematics being held this morning and Nutrition held this afternoon.

Our Year 12 students have been busily signing out of school to ensure the proper paperwork is completed before leaving school officially. If your child is yet to sign themselves out, please ensure they do so.

Our Year 11 students are busily completing their final tasks and preparing for exam revision and exams to be held next Thursday 24th November and Friday 25th November.

Presentation Morning is fast approaching and will be held on Friday 1st December to celebrate the award winners from across the school. We are excited to announce a new award this year for the English and Humanities area of the secondary school.

Our Year 12 students are excitedly planning and preparing for their Graduation Dinner on Friday 1st December. We are looking forward to having a formal celebration of their year, dressed in their best with their teachers, family and friends joining in too. Looking forward to celebrating with the Year 12 students next Friday evening.

Our Year 10 students have been busily enrolling and preparing for their Certificate courses for 2024, to begin Year 11 with a clear direction that is closely related to the career pathways they hope to pursue post-school. We have students enrolled into Education, Mechanical, Construction, Agriculture, Digital Art Design and Business, which is a fantastic diversity of pathway courses.

Joanne Turner  
Student Pathways Coordinator



Hi Everyone. Gordon here!

I thought I would provide you all with a little pupdate on what I have been getting up to these past few weeks. I have been settling in nicely at home and am growing up really quickly - my appetite is ravenous!

Last weekend, I left Ms Jordan's and went for a sleepover at Mr Solly's. We had so much fun, and I got to meet some cats. However, it turned into a bit of a ruff night when we went to visit Mr Mac's house and I got in trouble for having an accident on Mrs Mac's new rug! :( Thankfully, I was quickly forgiven and made good friends with Winnie the Jack Russell.

I am super photogenic, so here are some pics I have taken of myself. Maybe I could work part-time as a model as well as a wellbeing dog for Cleve Area School?!



*days and counting until Christmas*





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REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 4TH NOVEMBER

**Save the date for the 2023 Cleve District Christmas Pageant!**  
Friday 22nd December  
DISTRICT COUNCIL OF **CLEVE**

**CLEVE AREA SCHOOL PRESENTATION MORNING**  
**2023**  
Friday 1st December  
9:20am  
Cleve Area School Gym

# COMMUNITY NOTICES



**YOU BELONG  
IN BLUE**

## DO YOU LIVE IN A REGIONAL LOCATION AND WANT A CAREER IN POLICING?

Join us at the Regional Assessment Centre in Whyalla for everything you need to kick-start your application process.

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| Wednesday,<br>6 December 2023<br>4pm - 5pm | Information Seminar at Whyalla Secondary School - Find out more about a career with South Australia Police and the application process. |
| Thursday,<br>7 December 2023               | Join us for TAFE testing at Whyalla TAFE  |
| Friday,<br>8 December 2023                 | Interviews with South Australia Police staff at Whyalla TAFE  |

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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](mailto:mandy.drummond@afss.com.au) | 8483 1109

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**F7 YOUTH GROUP**

# "PIZZA" NIGHT

Friday, November 17, 6-9pm  
CLEVE UNITING CHURCH HALL

Make sure you let us know what your favourite topping is!

Please bring \$5 to go towards your pizza.

**ALL THE PIZZA YOU WANT**

Pizza  
Games  
Bible Study

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Val Edwards 0428 282 532

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TWILIGHT MARKET

SATURDAY 6TH JANUARY 2024  
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