



VINEYARD
Lutheran School Clare Valley

Term 1 Week 2
7th February 2020

Upcoming Events 2020

Wednesday 12th February
mainly play in Cottage 9.30am – 11am

Friday 14th February
Whole school Headlice checks
&
Geoff Brock visiting and signing in
Student Parliament swearing in at 2.15.

Monday 24th – Thursday 27th February
Whole School swimming lessons @ The
Valleys

Friday 28th February
Swimming Carnival @ The Valleys

Thursday 9th April
Jump Rope for Heart
&
Casual Day

**2020 Term 1 Calendar attached to the
Wire.**

Vineyard Term Dates 2020

Term 1: Tues 28th January – Thurs 9th
April (11 Week Term)

Term 2: Mon 27th April – Fri 26th June (9
Week Term)

**Please note: Vineyard Staff PD Week
will be Mon 29th June – Fri 3rd July 2020**

Term 3: Mon 20th July – Fri 25th
September (10 Week Term)

Term 4: Mon 12th October – Thurs 10th
December (9 Week Term)

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Vineyard Wire

Have a Servant's Heart!

Blessed is that servant, whom his Lord when he comes shall find so doing. Matthew 24:46

We are called to be servants, are we not? Well, what does a servant do? He (or she) carries out the will of his master. A servant doesn't tell his master what to do -- he performs whatever tasks the master requests of him. A servant doesn't choose what days or times it's most convenient to serve his master. A servant's function is simply to follow and obey his master's instructions. A servant does not develop a vision for the master either. The master is the one with the vision -- and he wants his servants to be ready and available to carry out that vision and bring it to fruition.

How can we experience fulfillment in our lives? Simply by serving our Master -- our Heavenly Father. The world encourages us to seek counterfeit fulfillment -- power success -- prosperity. The more of these things we gain, the more our flesh wants more. It is our sinful human nature. We will never find true fulfillment when we seek these things.

We must become servants if we want to experience true fulfillment. We need to become lowly, meek and humble. As God's servants we should have no other agenda, except to do His will. When we become faithful to do His will, then He will fulfill the aspirations He desires for us in our lives... and even those things we desire!

As God's faithful servant -- we share in His success, we have direct access to His power and wealth and are able to walk in His authority! Let's get our hearts in servant mode and watch how God blesses us with all the things we need and want so that we in turn can be a blessing to others.

Submitted by Robby Edmunds

Reference: Have a servant's heart! - Daily Devotions. (2019, June 25). Retrieved from <https://www.worthydevotions.com/christian-devotional/have-a-servants-heart>



From the Principal

What skills prepare us for a world that's constantly changing? What's a great example of a 21st Century mind in action? These were the questions that were asked at the start of our Parent Information night on Tuesday. As part of our normal Class Information presentation we watched a short YouTube clip that asked these big questions. We heard that certain skills (such as memorising, performing routine task, even driving!?) are becoming less valuable as the world become more automated, and that different skills (such as Curiosity, Creativity, initiative, Multi-Disciplinary thinking, Empathy) will become even more valued. These are the skills that make us human - the skills that make us different to machines. So what does that mean for educating our students for the current and future world? It means that whilst we still need to teach explicitly skills and knowledge in Literacy, Numeracy, the Arts, Science, Health and HASS, we also need to focus on explicitly teaching these "soft" skills. At Vineyard we deliberately plan learning opportunities for students to collaborate and work with others, to communicate in different ways, to research, to think creatively, to problem solve and make ethical decisions. We design provocations (tune in activities) which spark curiosity to engage, and allow them to use their initiative and generate further inquiry. We draw links between subject areas to help students to connect their learning in real life examples, and we teach compassion and encourage them to see different perspectives. Learning is not restricted to school experiences -we want to draw on prior knowledge, to build on existing experience, and to foster a love for finding out more. This is exciting, it is engaging, and it is educating for the future. If you would like to see the clip we watched, google: "YouTube, The Adaptable Mind". We will continue to post snapshots of classroom learning on our Facebook pages and throughout our newsletters, and we invite you to come and see.

WELCOME BBQ AND PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

We had a wonderful night together on Tuesday night as we shared a meal and heard about all of the exciting learning opportunities that are happening in Vineyard this year. Almost all of our families were able to attend our BBQ tea, which was then followed by our Class information

sessions. A big thankyou to Mrs Underdown for co-ordinating the event, to all of our staff who contributed to the night in so many ways so it all ran smoothly, and to you as parents for making the effort to come along. It was a great night and the change to join the two events into one seemed to be a popular decision. If you have any feedback about the night – what was great and what would make it even better, please let me know.

INSTALLATION SERVICES

On Sunday we were privileged to join the Mid North Lutheran Ministries and Pastor Greg for his installation. It was lovely to be part of the ceremony and hear his commitment and promise to serve and minister to our parish (which includes our school) and ensure the gospel message is proclaimed. Pastor Greg has been very active at Vineyard already this term, attending our Staff Professional Development days, Chapel and Assembly, our Welcome BBQ and Staff get together. Welcome to our Vineyard family, Pastor Greg.

On Monday Pastor Greg led the Installation Ceremony for our new staff – Mr Grosvenor, Miss Mayor, Mrs Edmunds and Mrs Krieg. Staff promised to serve faithfully in their roles and all staff expressed their commitment to their current roles and were given a blessing. We thank Pastor Greg for leading this and we celebrate with our new staff as they begin their important and rewarding work of Educating, Nurturing, Inspiring and Growing our precious children.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS

This year our staff have continued our partnership with Leading Teams and David Arnfield to develop an even better team and school culture. In the week before students started, staff spent a day reviewing our purpose, what we stand for here at Vineyard, what we value and what actions and words support our vision. This was a lovely way for our new staff to really understand what makes Vineyard special. We look forward to working with David, again throughout this year, and continuing to build our staff into an even higher performing team!

mainly play has started again this week. We have a new team member – Kristy Sanford who has joined Amy Gogoll, Shelley Upton, Kylie Jaeschke, Tracy Lane, Belinda Dare and myself to facilitate the session. We again have a wonderful baking team, which includes congregational members,

other Vineyard staff and families. If you know young families with pre-schoolers who may be interested in coming along, please invite them and come along with them. We would love to see new families join us. mainly play is held each Wednesday in the Cottage from 9.30am -11am. It is a story and craft based programme. Everyone is welcome!

Blessings to you for the coming week,

Michelle

School Notices

Mid North Lutheran Ministries – Service Times

SUNDAY 9TH FEBRUARY

Clare	9.00am HC Pastor Greg
Brinkworth	9.00am LR
Blyth	11.00am HC Pastor Greg + shared lunch
Snowtown	10.00am LR
Burra	9.00am LR

Family & Staff Prayers

Over the last week in staff devotion we prayed for the: Nurk, Harvey, Couch and Cutten families, staff member Lena Harmer and Good Shepherd Lutheran School, Angaston.

Chapel services are held every Monday at 8.50am. Family and friends are welcome to join us for these services.

Lunch Orders and ice blocks

Hot lunches are available every Friday. This year they are being supplied by Main Street Bakehouse.

All orders must be placed at the office or via the blue bags in your child's class before 9.30am the Thursday before.

Brown lunch order bags are available from the front office.

Attached with this edition of the Wire is also a current 2020 Canteen Price List.

Ice blocks are available for purchase every lunchtime in Term 1 & 4. The cost for these is 40

cents and there is a limit of one ice block per student

Students of the Week –

Term 1, Week 2 – Class Awards

Yurraj Atwal – For demonstrating **Compassion**.

Well done Yurraj for including new students in your play time during lunch. It's great to see you taking time to help the new foundation students to feel welcomed.

Annabelle Harvey – For demonstrating **Service**.

Thankyou so much for voluntarily thinking of our bins last week. It was really appreciated.

Josh Van Ruth – For demonstrating **Service** and choosing to help others with their Maths instead of having free time. Awesome stuff Josh!

Alex Goodwin – For demonstrating **Compassion**

by helping another younger student find his missing hat at a break time.

Students of the Week are presented at our Assembly every Friday afternoon at 2.45pm. Family and friends are welcome to attend.

Nuts allowed at School

CANCEL NO NUT POLICY

As we have no students or staff allergic to nuts this year, they **are** now allowed to be brought to school. We will notify you if this changes.

General School Reminders

BELL TIMES

The bell and break times for Vineyard are as follows:

8.45am	– Start of day
10.45am – 11.10am	– Recess Break
12.30pm – 1.15pm	– Lunch Break
3.15pm	– End of day

SIGNING IN AND OUT OF STUDENTS AND PARENT VISITORS

A reminder to all parents/guardians if your child arrives after 8.45am to school for any reason they **MUST** be signed into the office by a parent so we know they have arrived.

If you need to pick your child up early for any reason during the day, they **MUST** be signed out of the office by a parent and then signed back in on their return (if returning to school that day).

Parents who are coming into classes to help with reading, etc are also reminded that they are required to sign themselves in and out of the office too.

STUDENT CHANGES TO END OF DAY PICK UP

We understand the sometimes arrangements for the end of day pick up can change from the normal routine during the course of the day.

In order for us to let your children know of any changes, particularly for bus students, we would appreciate if you could please ring or email the office before 2.45pm so we have ample time to relay the message via the office boxes at the end of the day.

FAMILY HOLIDAYS AND EXTENDED ABSENCE FORMS

A reminder to all families that for any planned absence of 5 school days or longer an 'Exemption from School Form' needs to be filled out as a Government requirement. These forms are available from the Front Office and must be approved by Michelle before the absence beginning date. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

The uniform shop will be open every Monday
8.35am – 9.30am & 3.30pm – 4.30pm

If you are unable to attend during these times you can collect a uniform order form from the office and place an order to be collected at a time that suits you.

CARPARK SAFETY

Parents are reminded that students are not to be in the carpark unsupervised at the beginning or the end of the school day. Please ensure you cross the carpark with your child at the zebra crossing.

The 'kiss and drop' and bus area at the front of the office building is not to be used for parking and walking your child down to their class. This area is designed to be used for buses dropping off and picking up students or parents who are quickly dropping their children and then leaving them to walk to their classes by themselves. Thankyou for your cooperation in this matter.

Sports Report

Welcome to what is sure to be a very busy year on the sporting front at Vineyard. I am looking forward to promoting sport at Vineyard and supporting our students and families, in my role as sports coordinator. If anyone has any questions regarding sport throughout the year, please feel free to contact me – I will be only too happy to help.

Already, **TERM 1** is shaping up to be a busy one.

WEEK 3 : SUMMER HUB CARNIVAL

Year 6 & 7 students have already been given the opportunity to nominate to participate in either cricket, tennis or softball. Trials took place this week. Students selected will compete in the summer hub carnival on **Thursday 13th February**. We look forward to hearing from the students who compete in this carnival.

WEEK 5 : SWIMMING LESSONS

Foundation-Year 7 students will participate in swimming lessons from **Monday 24th – Thursday 27th February**. All information regarding swimming lessons will be sent out in next week's Wire.

WEEK 5 : SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Swimming Carnival will be held on **Friday 28th February**, for Foundation-Year 7 students. A nomination form for Year 2-7 students has been included with this week's Wire. Please complete and return this form by **Thursday 13th February**. All additional information regarding swimming carnival will be sent out in next week's Wire.

WEEK 5 : MID NORTH SWIMMING CARNIVAL

The Mid North swimming carnival will be held after school on **Monday 24th February**, at the Valleys. Students who turn 10, 11, 12 or 13 this year may nominate. As the purpose of this carnival is to select the Mid North district swim team, students who swim competitively are encouraged to nominate. More information to follow.

WEEKS 7-11 : JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

All classes will be participating in skipping lessons in PE during the second half of the term. Classes will also be encouraged to incorporate skipping into their daily fitness during these weeks. Students will be given a skipping rope so they can practise at home. We will celebrate the end of the Jump Rope

for Heart Program on **Thursday 9th April** (last day of term) with a casual day, whole school skip off and sausage sizzle to raise money for the Heart Foundation. Please put this date in your diary as we would love to see as many parents as possible watch us showcase our skipping skills on this day.

SAPSASA

Various SAPSASA days and carnivals are scheduled each term throughout the year. I will send out a detailed note about SAPSASA to families of Year 4-7 students, outlining the dates of the various carnivals.

SPORTING SCHOOLS

As part of the Sporting Schools program, we will be offering Netball as an after-school sport during Term 1. Please look out for more details of this program in next week's wire.

WHOLE SCHOOL DAILY FITNESS

As part of my role as Sports Coordinator, I am working with classroom teachers to implement a whole school fitness program. We will begin by introducing fitness in the form of 'dance' on Mondays. I am hoping to introduce cross country training and circuit work throughout the year. Stay tuned!

I look forward to working with all the students and families this year. Please put the dates outlined above in your diaries and keep an eye out for updates of sporting activities in the Wire.

Belinda Dare

Class Carers Program

At Vineyard we have a wonderful program running that helps connect families to school community and supports our school families and staff in times of need. From time to time families may find themselves going through hardship for various reasons. Our Classroom Carers Program is able to offer short term assistance to families and staff during challenging times. This support may come in the way of providing meals or baked goods to families, connecting families together who can offer short term transport and offering friendship just to name a few. We have a wonderful group of people who offer their assistance to ensure that this program runs effectively. Classroom carers love to welcome new families to the school, are friendly and warm and great connecting people. If a

Classroom Carer becomes aware of a need, they are able to arrange the relevant support. At each classroom you will find a poster with a photo of your Classroom Carer. These people are there to initiate the relevant help in a private and confidential manner. If you ever find that you need some extra support please speak to Amy Gogoll as the coordinator or your Classroom Carer. Our carers this year are:

Coordinator - Amy Gogoll
 F/1 Class Bec Sommerville
 2/3 Class Ben Plowman
 4/5 Class Trish Byerlee
 6/7 Class Tracy Lane

If you would like any more information on this wonderful program or would like to become involved whether it be by cooking meals, baking cakes, providing transport etc please contact Amy Gogoll at school or email cpsw@vineyardls.sa.edu.au.





VINEYARD LUTHERAN SCHOOL

CANTEEN PRICE LIST 2020

Lunch orders are available on Fridays only

Ice blocks (40 cents) are available each day

Lunch time only During Term 1 and 4 only

(12.45 pm)

Hot Food

Pie	\$3.80
Pasty	\$3.80
Sausage Roll	\$3.20
Hot Dog	\$3.20
Hot Dog-Cheese	\$3.80
Pizza-Ham/Pineapple	\$2.80
Croissant-Ham/Cheese	\$3.80

*** All hot food comes with a complimentary sauce sachet

Cold Food

Vegemite/Cheese Roll	\$2.80
Cheese/Salad Roll	\$3.80
Chicken/Salad Roll	\$3.80
Cheese/Salad Wrap	\$3.80
Chicken/Salad Wrap	\$3.80
Gluten- Free Salad Wrap	\$3.80



Cakes

Sprinkle Donut	\$3.20
Chocolate Muffin	\$3.20
Lamington	\$2.80
Finger Bun	\$2.80

Drinks

Apple Juice	\$2.00
Orange Juice	\$2.00
Chocolate Milk	\$2.00
Strawberry Milk	\$2.00

Please insert correct money into lunch order bags & if you require extra bags please collect these from the front office.



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Clare February 2020 Tournament



This is a Tennis SA affiliated Tournament.

All entries, schedules and results will be online.

**** Entries close 19th February****

Date:	Sunday 23rd February 2020
Events:	10's, 12's, 14's, 16's singles and doubles
Venue:	Clare Tennis Club, 180 Horrocks Highway, Clare
Contact:	Sam Clayson - claysoncta@gmail.com
To register:	Go to tennis.com.au , click on tournaments, search for Clare and enter "2020 Clare February JDS"
Price:	\$15 singles, \$10 doubles
Food:	BBQ and canteen facilities available at event

Attachments with the Wire

Please look out for the following attachments that will be going home with the Wire today:

- Vineyard Lutheran School Swimming Carnival Nomination Form
- SAPSASA Newsletter

Community News

Please see the school notice board in the stadium for further information on these and other events

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Children's Account

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Life Blood visiting Clare

Got a bit of time next month? Time to give blood and change lives? 1 in 3 people in Clare will need blood, and they need people like you to give it. We're rolling into town from 12th February to 14th February. Don't forget to pre-book your spot at donateblood.com.au, on our app or by calling 13 14 95.

Friends of the Clare Library

Young Writers Competition

Write a story about **Fire**
Include name, age, class level and school on back of entry. Entries to Clare Library by April 3, 2020.

Certificate for all Entries.

Cash prizes, free entry

1000 words maximum

Further info Sue Wurst ph 8842 2798,

0408 890257 or email

ronwurst@tpg.com.au

Rotary Club of Clare

Movie Fundraiser at Blyth Cinema

February 9

Afternoon tea in supper room at 3pm – Movie starts at 4pm

Golden Globe winning film **1917**

Tickets \$20 includes lucky door prize. Tickets available from

Rotary members and Richards

Terry White.



VINEYARD SCHOOL CALENDAR- TERM 1 2020

Week Commencing	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
27 January	1	27/1 Australia Day Public Holiday	28/1 Term 1 Begins 8.50am Chapel & Welcome Morning Tea	29/1	30/1	31/1 Assembly 2.45pm	1/2	2/2 Installation of Pastor Greg Vangsness 2.00pm @ St Paul's Clare
3 February	2	3/2 8.50am Chapel Staff Dedication & Blessing	4/2 Welcome BBQ- 5.30pm Parent Information Night 7pm -8pm	5/2	6/2	7/2 Assembly 2.45pm	8/2	9/2
10 February	3	10/2 8.50am Chapel	11/2	12/2	13/2 Summer Hub (Cricket/ Tennis/ Softball)	14/2 Whole school Hub Lice Check Geoff Brock Assembly 2.45pm	15/2	16/2
17 February	4	17/2 8.50am Chapel	18/2	19/2	20/2	21/2 Assembly 2.45pm	22/2	23/2
24 February Swimming Week	5	24/2 8.50am Chapel Swimming Lessons @ The Valleys SAPSASA Swimming	25/2 Swimming Lessons @ The Valleys	26/2 Swimming Lessons @ The Valleys	27/2 Swimming Lessons @ The Valleys	28/2 Swimming Carnival @ The Valleys	29/2	1/3
2 March	6	2/3 8.50am Chapel	3/3	4/3	5/3	6/3 Assembly 2.45pm	7/3	8/3
9 March	7	9/3 Adelaide Cup Public Holiday	10/3	11/3	12/3	13/3 Assembly 2.45pm	14/3	15/3
16 March	8	16/3 8.50am Chapel	17/3	18/3	19/3	20/3 Assembly 2.45pm	21/3	22/3
23 March	9	23/3 8.50am Chapel	24/3	25/3	26/3	27/3 Assembly 2.45pm	28/3	29/3
30 March	10	30/3 8.50am Chapel	31/3	1/4	2/4	3/4 Assembly 2.45pm	4/4	5/4
6 April	11	6/4 8.50am Chapel	7/4	8/4	9/4 Last Day of School 2.15pm early dismissal	10/4 Good Friday	11/4 Easter Saturday	12/4

Term 2 commences on Monday 27th April 2020

Please note: This calendar is subject to change. Please check the Wire each week to ensure you stay up to date with any changes.